



Afternoon National Slaughter Cattle Review as of 2:00 pm Thursday

On Wednesday negotiated cash trading has been limited on light demand in all feeding regions. A few live purchases have traded at 106.00 in the Southern Plains and at 103.00 in Nebraska. However not enough purchases in any region for a full market trend. Last week in the Southern Plains live purchases traded at 106.00. Last week in Nebraska live purchases traded at 105.00 and dressed purchases from 162.00-166.00. Last week in the Western Cornbelt, live purchases traded from 103.00-105.00 and dressed purchases from 163.00-165.00.

Negotiated Sales:

(Derived from the 'National Daily Direct Slaughter Cattle - Negotiated Purchases' - [LM_CT114](#))

Confirmed:	13,820	Week Ago:	5,046	Year Ago:	4,931
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Negotiated: prices paid for Domestic Slaughter steers and heifers:

(Derived from the '5 Area Daily Wtd Avg Direct Slaughter Cattle - Negotiated' - [LM_CT100](#))

Live Basis	Steers	Heifers
Over 80% Choice	103.00 - 106.00 avg 104.41	103.00 - 106.00 avg 104.08
65 - 80% Choice	103.00 - 106.00 avg 105.65	103.00 - 106.00 avg 105.33
35 - 65% Choice	106.00 - 106.00 avg 106.00	- avg
0 - 35% Choice	- avg	- avg
Total all Grades	103.00 - 106.00 avg 104.97	103.00 - 106.00 avg 104.27

Dressed Basis	Steers	Heifers
Over 80% Choice	158.00 - 163.00 avg 160.73	160.00 - 162.00 avg 160.28
65 - 80% Choice	- avg	- avg
35 - 65% Choice	- avg	- avg
0 - 35% Choice	- avg	- avg
Total all Grades	158.00 - 163.00 avg 160.73	160.00 - 162.00 avg 160.28

Formula Purchases:

(Derived from the 'National Direct Direct Slaughter Cattle - Formulated and Grid Purchases' - [LM_CT108](#))

Formula Net - Dressed	Steers & Heifers
Head count priced today:	16,200
Weighted avg weight:	930.00
Weighted avg net price:	174.15

Covers transactions reported at 2:00 pm today. Comments and market conditions may include information gathered from voluntary sources, all prices, weights and head counts are only those gathered through the mandatory reporting system.