



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

So far for Wednesday in the Southern Plains and the Western Cornbelt negotiated cash trading has been slow with light demand. In the Texas Panhandle, compared to Tuesday, live purchases traded 2.00 higher at 126.00. In Kansas, compared to last week, live purchases traded 2.00 higher at 126.00. In the Western Cornbelt, compared to the prior week, live purchases traded 2.00 higher from 126.00-127.00 and dressed purchases traded 4.00 higher at 200.00. Thus far for Wednesday in Nebraska negotiated cash trading has been slow to moderate on good demand. Compared to last week live purchases traded 2.00-3.00 higher at 127.00 and dressed purchases traded 4.00 higher at 200.00. A light test purchases was noted in all regions.

Negotiated Sales:

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

Confirmed:	46,287	Week Ago:	36,312	Year Ago:	18,193
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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	125.00 - 128.00 avg 126.74	125.00 - 127.00 avg 126.53
65 - 80% Choice	125.00 - 127.00 avg 125.89	125.75 - 126.00 avg 125.98
35 - 65% Choice	125.00 - 126.00 avg 125.66	126.00 - 126.00 avg 126.00
0 - 35% Choice	- avg	- avg
Total all Grades	125.00 - 128.00 avg 126.41	125.00 - 127.00 avg 126.39

Dressed Basis	Steers	Heifers
Over 80% Choice	196.00 - 200.00 avg 199.82	200.00 - 200.00 avg 200.00
65 - 80% Choice	200.00 - 200.00 avg 200.00	- avg
35 - 65% Choice	- avg	- avg
0 - 35% Choice	- avg	- avg
Total all Grades	196.00 - 200.00 avg 199.83	200.00 - 200.00 avg 200.00

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:	17,500
Weighted avg weight:	894.00
Weighted avg net price:	205.53

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.



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