

Receipts:	This Week	Last Week	Year Ago
SJ LS850	321,000	385,000	284,100

Compared to last week, steers and heifers sold steady to 5.00 higher, with instances of market reporters quoting some weight categories up to 10.00 higher. Feeder cattle auction receipts were diminished this week, however with one more full week left of auctions being open, Year-to-Date auction receipts on this report are the largest since 2011. Producers time to finish up their marketing needs for the year are waning as many auctions take off for two full weeks around the holidays. Order buyers had an easier time of finding orders this week as the mud has started to firm up in areas that have had very muddy pens since the Sunday after Thanksgiving. Time is of the essence as feedyards and backgrounders will soon be reluctant to receive incoming cattle during the holidays; hoping the cowboys can take a break from doctoring calves around the Christmas and New Years. The Feeder Cattle futures has found some footing this week after trading sideways to mostly lower for the past nine weeks. Cash cattle seem to be pulling the feeder market higher as 119.00 was paid in the Southern Plains last week. This week, cash fed cattle trading occurred on Friday mid-day with Southern Plains called steady ...

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REGIONAL WEIGHTED AVERAGE FEEDER STEER PRICES

NORTH CENTRAL REGION

Steers:	This Week	Last Week	Last Year
600-700 lbs	\$158.79	\$156.66	\$167.00
700-800 lbs	\$150.97	\$151.44	\$160.61
800-900 lbs	\$146.11	\$149.48	\$155.47

SOUTH CENTRAL REGION

Steers:	This Week	Last Week	Last Year
500-600 lbs	\$156.73	\$154.99	\$165.35
600-700 lbs	\$145.47	\$145.08	\$155.00
700-800 lbs	\$144.12	\$142.51	\$149.11

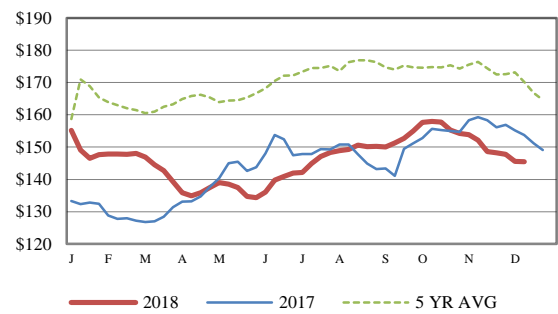
SOUTHEAST REGION

Steers:	This Week	Last Week	Last Year
400-500 lbs	\$147.51	\$147.37	\$160.10
500-600 lbs	\$141.97	\$139.62	\$152.35
600-700 lbs	\$139.00	\$133.71	\$145.28

For detailed state-by-state feeder cattle quotes:

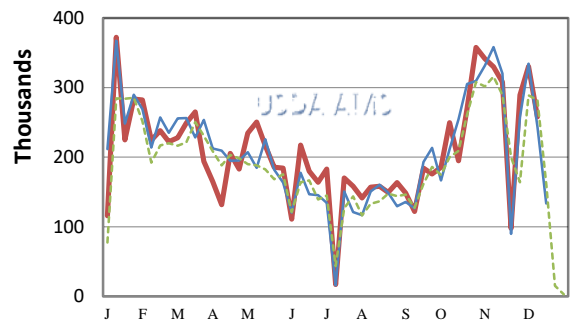
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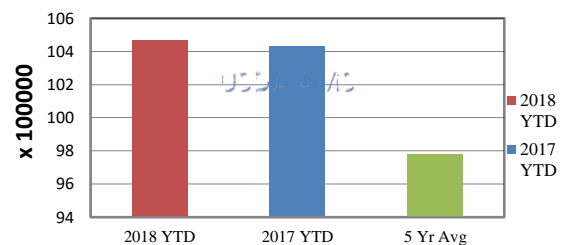


NATIONWIDE REPORTED WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE AUCTION RECEIPTS

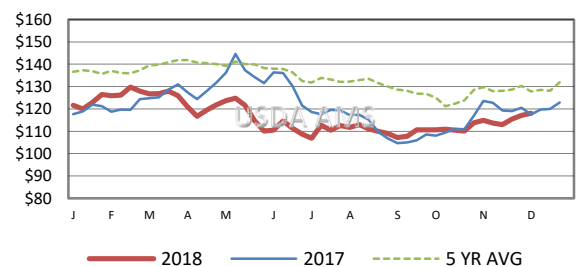
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YEAR TO DATE



5 AREA WEEKLY WEIGHTED AVERAGE SLTR STEER PRICE (\$/CWT)



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