



## South Dakota Weekly Cattle Auction Summary

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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 7/13/2025 - 7/19/2025

### LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

	Current Week	Last Reported 7/7/2025	Last Year
Total Receipts:	7,986	4,652	4,534
Feeder Cattle:	7,306(91.5%)	3,577(76.9%)	3,835(84.6%)
Slaughter Cattle:	680(8.5%)	1,075(23.1%)	699(15.4%)

Compared to last week: Feeder steers and heifers 8.00 to 15.00 higher in a narrow comparison. Very good demand for all weights of yearling steers and heifers. The cash fed cattle market remains in the low 240s, keeping demand for feeder cattle red hot. The market is very active in the auctions as the sale schedules are sporadic and cattle feeders know they will have to compete heavily to buy these long strings of yearlings while they are available. Grazing conditions remain good, allowing for a full complete growing season. Auction markets are still managing to put good sales together as there are enough yearling backgrounders who want to capitalize on these prices. Frequent rains have the corn crop developing nicely as growing conditions are very good. Supply included: 91% Feeder Cattle (74% Steers, 26% Heifers); 9% Slaughter Cattle (44% Steers, 6% Dairy Steers, 36% Heifers, 3% Beef/Dairy Steers, 10% Beef/Dairy Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 98%.

### FEEDER CATTLE

#### STEERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
14	357	357	545.00	545.00	
15	535	535	437.50	437.50	
5	558	558	390.00	390.00	
36	658-674	662	360.00-385.00	379.34	
42	702-744	719	352.50-367.00	357.96	
121	752-789	762	344.00-366.75	360.35	
15	799	799	332.00	332.00	Fleshy
172	817-832	828	323.00-341.25	331.16	
1208	852-889	882	312.50-337.50	325.59	
26	898	898	295.00	295.00	Fleshy
308	912-943	927	296.00-319.60	313.20	
65	933	933	298.25	298.25	Fleshy
809	952-997	972	303.50-319.60	314.00	
108	955-968	962	295.75-298.50	296.96	Fleshy

#### STEERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
5	486	486	410.00	410.00
4	549	549	402.50	402.50
6	582	582	375.00	375.00
10	737	737	304.00	304.00



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5	756	756	326.00	326.00
19	828-831	830	315.00-325.00	320.80
80	860-899	888	306.75-315.00	308.95
21	979	979	293.00	293.00

**STEERS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
833	1001-1044	1019	288.00-311.25	303.49	
168	1022-1035	1027	291.50-293.75	292.99	Fleshy
973	1050-1099	1082	281.50-300.00	289.36	
144	1100-1137	1110	263.00-288.50	284.49	
51	1181	1181	242.25	242.25	
77	1301-1317	1311	244.25	244.25	

**STEERS - Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
15	1084	1084	278.00	278.00

**HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
11	374	374	480.00	480.00	
5	436	436	440.00	440.00	
19	508-523	519	375.00-393.00	388.36	
5	597	597	352.50	352.50	
17	623-635	628	342.00-345.00	343.25	
56	662-694	680	331.00-344.00	339.42	
23	724-735	731	324.00-334.00	327.88	
209	752-780	766	309.00-325.50	318.24	
10	797	797	302.00	302.00	Fleshy
151	813-844	829	293.00-305.00	299.22	
27	811-814	813	286.00-287.00	286.70	Fleshy
338	862-899	881	273.00-307.00	293.14	
67	871	871	314.00	314.00	Thin Fleshed
388	901-916	909	282.00-301.75	290.45	
45	927-930	929	274.00	274.00	Fleshy
315	950-999	980	270.00-292.75	276.50	

**HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
4	475	475	355.00	355.00
5	603	603	325.00	325.00
6	664	664	322.50	322.50



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34	813-846	821	273.00-289.00	276.88
10	889	889	280.00	280.00
8	948	948	270.00	270.00

## HEIFERS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
169	1006-1025	1017	267.00-273.00	270.46

## SLAUGHTER CATTLE

## STEERS - Choice 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
122	1340-1490	1442	243.00-246.75	244.71	Average
13	1498	1498	242.00	242.00	Average Certified Prgms

## STEERS - Choice 3-4 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
48	1509-1577	1520	242.50-245.00	243.24	Average

## STEERS - Select and Choice 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
13	1372	1372	244.00	244.00	Average Return to Feed

## DAIRY STEERS - Choice 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
27	1391-1522	1440	207.00-213.00	209.93	Average

## BEEF/DAIRY STEERS - Choice 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
11	1504	1504	245.25	245.25	Average
4	1804	1804	234.50	234.50	Average Certified Prgms

## HEIFERS - Choice 2-4 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
128	1268-1395	1346	245.00-246.50	246.20	Average
31	1279-1370	1307	240.50-248.00	243.79	Average Certified Prgms

## BEEF/DAIRY HEIFERS - Choice 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
46	1135-1344	1271	236.00-242.25	240.31	Average



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Please Note:

The above USDA LPGMN price report is reflective of the majority of classes and grades of livestock offered for sale. There may be instances where some sales do not fit within reporting guidelines and therefore will not be included in the report. Prices are reported on an FOB basis, unless otherwise noted.