



Morning National Slaughter Cattle Review for Tuesday, 12/04/18

On Tuesday, negotiated cash trade was mostly inactive on light demand in all feeding regions. The latest established market in any feeding region was last week, with live purchases in the Texas Panhandle mostly at 118.00, with a few up to 118.50. Last week in Kansas, live purchases traded at 118.00. Last week in Nebraska, live purchases traded from 116.00-118.50 with dressed purchases from 183.00-185.00, For the previous week in the Western Cornbelt, live purchases traded from 114.00-116.00 with dressed purchases from 183.00-185.00.

Negotiated Sales:

(Derived from the 'National Daily Direct Slaughter Cattle - Negotiated Purchases' - [LM_CT115](#))

Confirmed:	2,613	Week Ago:	5,522	Year Ago:	3,907
Week to Date:	4,073	Week Ago to Date:	8,369	Year Ago to Date:	4,886

Negotiated , Formula, and Contract purchases delivered to packers today:

(Derived from the 'National Daily Slaughter Cattle - Committed and Delivered Cattle' - [LM_CT106](#))

Today:	86,300	Week Ago:	83,600	Year Ago:	78,700
Week to Date:	165,500	Week Ago to Date:	173,800	Year Ago to Date:	164,900

Negotiated , Formula, and Contract commitments today (generally within 7 days):

(Derived from the 'National Daily Slaughter Cattle - Committed and Delivered Cattle' - [LM_CT106](#))

Today:	86,200	Week Ago:	69,700	Year Ago:	84,400
Week to Date:	176,700	Week Ago to Date:	158,000	Year Ago to Date:	148,700

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	116.00 - 116.00	avg 116.00	-	avg
65 - 80% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
35 - 65% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	116.00 - 116.00	avg 116.00	-	avg

Dressed Basis	Steers		Heifers	
Over 80% Choice	182.00 - 183.00	avg 182.95	183.00 - 183.00	avg 183.00
65 - 80% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
35 - 65% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	182.00 - 183.00	avg 182.95	183.00 - 183.00	avg 183.00



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Formula Purchases:

(Derived from the 'National Direct Direct Slaughter Cattle - Formulated and Grid Purchases' - [LM_CT109](#))

Formula Net - Dressed	Steers & Heifers
Head count priced today:	39,600
Weighted avg weight:	867.00
Weighted avg net price:	187.54

Covers transactions reported at 10:00 am 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.