



Morning National Slaughter Cattle Review for Monday, 03/18/19

On Monday trading was at a standstill in the Southern and Northern Plains. In the Western Cornbelt trading was inactive on very light demand. Not enough trades for a market trend. Last week in the Southern Plains and Colorado live cash trades moved at 127.00. For the prior week in Nebraska live cash trades move mostly at 127.00, with a few up to 128.00, and dressed cash trades moved at 204.00 on very light test. For the previous week in the Western Cornbelt live cash trades moved from 126.00-128.00 and dressed cash trades ranged from 203.00-206.00.

Negotiated Sales:

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

Confirmed:	1,039	Week Ago:	760	Year Ago:	1,317
Week to Date:	1,039	Week Ago to Date:	760	Year Ago to Date:	1,317

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

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

Today:	86,100	Week Ago:	89,700	Year Ago:	88,800
Week to Date:	86,100	Week Ago to Date:	89,700	Year Ago to Date:	88,800

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

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

Today:	101,100	Week Ago:	63,900	Year Ago:	70,900
Week to Date:	101,100	Week Ago to Date:	63,900	Year Ago to Date:	70,900

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	-	avg	126.00 - 128.00	avg 127.58
65 - 80% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
35 - 65% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	-	avg	126.00 - 128.00	avg 127.58

Dressed Basis	Steers		Heifers	
Over 80% Choice	203.00 - 205.00	avg 203.80	-	avg
65 - 80% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
35 - 65% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	203.00 - 205.00	avg 203.80	-	avg



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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:	64,700
Weighted avg weight:	826.00
Weighted avg net price:	205.06

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.