



Morning National Slaughter Cattle Review for Thursday, 07/17/25

On Thursday, negotiated cash trade was light on moderate demand in the Texas Panhandle and in Kansas. Compared to last week, live purchases in the Texas Panhandle were steady to 2.00 higher at 230.00. Compared to last week, live purchases in Kansas were steady to 1.00 higher from 230.00-231.00. Negotiated cash trade was moderate on moderate demand in Nebraska. Compared to last week, live purchases were steady to 1.00 lower at mostly 240.00 while dressed purchases were steady at 380.00. Negotiated cash trade in the Western Cornbelt was light on moderate demand. Compared to last week, live purchases were unevenly steady from 237.00-240.00, mostly at 240.00. Dressed purchases were steady at 380.00 when compared to last week.

Negotiated Sales:

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

Confirmed:	25,132	Week Ago:	19,679	Year Ago:	19,184
Week to Date:	28,517	Week Ago to Date:	22,151	Year Ago to Date:	24,769

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

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

Today:	72,800	Week Ago:	79,900	Year Ago:	79,700
Week to Date:	313,000	Week Ago to Date:	322,800	Year Ago to Date:	334,700

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

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

Today:	72,700	Week Ago:	50,200	Year Ago:	59,500
Week to Date:	269,700	Week Ago to Date:	256,300	Year Ago to Date:	285,600

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	228.00 - 242.00	avg 238.66	228.00 - 240.00	avg 236.75
65 - 80% Choice	230.00 - 240.00	avg 231.01	230.00 - 230.00	avg 230.00
35 - 65% Choice	228.00 - 230.00	avg 229.14	225.00 - 230.00	avg 228.59
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	228.00 - 242.00	avg 236.39	225.00 - 240.00	avg 234.98

Dressed Basis	Steers		Heifers	
Over 80% Choice	376.00 - 380.00	avg 379.59	376.00 - 380.00	avg 379.05
65 - 80% Choice	376.00 - 376.00	avg 376.00	-	avg
35 - 65% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	376.00 - 380.00	avg 379.38	376.00 - 380.00	avg 379.05



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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:	47,400
Weighted avg weight:	927.00
Weighted avg net price:	369.82

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.