

Criteria Applicable to the Entire Report:

- *First time sales by firms slaughtering 125,000+ per year*
- *Negotiated sales type*
- *Delivery within 21 days*
- *Destination is within the United States*
- *Branded product such as Certified Angus Beef is not included*
- *All product is fresh except frozen 50s and frozen back ribs*
- *Aged product is not included*
- *Both the morning and afternoon reports include sales since 1:30 p.m. CST the previous business day. In other words, the afternoon report includes the morning report plus the next 4 hours business.*

Criteria Specific to Individual Item Sections:

Choice Cuts Section:

- *Choice product*
- *Native (non-dairy bred) steer/heifer source*
- *Regular size box, except for small box on some thin meats*

Select Cuts Section:

- *Select product*
- *Native (non-dairy bred) steer/heifer source*
- *Regular size box, except for small box on some thin meats*

CHOICE, SELECT AND UNGRADED CUTS Section:

- *Choice, Select, and ungraded product used*
- *Native (non-dairy bred) steer/heifer source*
- *Regular size box, except for small box on some thin meats*

GROUND BEEF - STEER and HEIFER SOURCE Section:

- *Native and dairy bred steer/heifer source used*
- *40 pound box minimum and 10# chub, fine and coarse grind*
- *Includes both LFTB blended, and LFTB free product*

BLENDED GROUND BEEF - STEER, HEIFER and COW SOURCE Section:

- *Native and dairy bred steer, heifer, cow or bull source used*
- *40 pound box minimum and 10# chub, fine and coarse grind*
- *Includes both LFTB blended, and LFTB free product*

BEEF TRIMMINGS Section:

- *Native and dairy bred steer/heifer and cow source used*
- *Fresh 50s limited to combos, frozen to boxed*
- *Both tested and untested product is normally included. However product verified as untested without adequate price support may be excluded.*

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