



Afternoon National Slaughter Cattle Review as of 2:00 pm Thursday

Thus far for Thursday in the Texas Panhandle negotiated cash trade has been at a standstill. In Kansas negotiated cash trade was slow on light to moderate demand. There have been a few early live FOB purchases at 186.00, however not enough purchases for a market trend. Last week in the Southern Plains live FOB purchases traded at 183.00. In Nebraska negotiated cash trade was slow on light to moderate demand. Compared to last week live FOB purchases traded 1.50-2.00 higher from 185.00-186.00. Last week in Nebraska dressed delivered purchases traded at 290.00. In the Western Cornbelt negotiated cash trade and demand has been moderate. Compared to last week in the Western Cornbelt live FOB purchases traded 2.00 higher from 185.00 -186.00. Last week in the Western Cornbelt dressed delivered purchases traded at 290.00.

Negotiated Sales:

(Derived from the 'National Daily Direct Slaughter Cattle - Negotiated Purchases' - [LM_CT114](#))

Confirmed:	19,080	Week Ago:	23,136	Year Ago:	4,118
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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	183.00 - 186.00 avg 185.30	183.00 - 186.00 avg 185.20
65 - 80% Choice	182.00 - 182.00 avg 182.00	- avg
35 - 65% Choice	- avg	- avg
0 - 35% Choice	- avg	- avg
Total all Grades	182.00 - 186.00 avg 185.20	183.00 - 186.00 avg 185.20

Dressed Basis	Steers	Heifers
Over 80% Choice	290.00 - 292.00 avg 291.87	292.00 - 292.00 avg 292.00
65 - 80% Choice	292.00 - 292.00 avg 292.00	- avg
35 - 65% Choice	- avg	- avg
0 - 35% Choice	- avg	- avg
Total all Grades	290.00 - 292.00 avg 291.90	292.00 - 292.00 avg 292.00

Formula Purchases:

(Derived from the 'National Direct Direct Slaughter Cattle - Formulated and Grid Purchases' - [LM_CT108](#))

Formula Net - Dressed	Steers & Heifers
Head count priced today:	42,100
Weighted avg weight:	873.00
Weighted avg net price:	294.49



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Covers transactions reported at 2:00 pm 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.