



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

So far for Wednesday, negotiated cash trade has been light on moderate to good demand in Nebraska. Compared to last week, early live purchases have been steady to 2.00 higher at mostly 260.00 and early dressed purchases have been 6.00-8.00 higher from 408.00-410.00. Negotiated cash trade has been limited on moderate demand in the Southern Plains and the Western Cornbelt. The last established market test in the Texas Panhandle was Tuesday with live purchases at 260.00. The last established market test in Kansas was Tuesday with live purchases at 260.00. The last established market test in the Western Cornbelt was last week with live purchases at mostly 260.00 and dressed purchases from 400.00-405.00.

Negotiated Sales:

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

Confirmed:	8,397	Week Ago:	367	Year Ago:	1,538
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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	260.00 - 263.00	avg 260.36	260.00 - 263.00	avg 260.42
65 - 80% Choice	260.00 - 262.00	avg 261.19	261.00 - 261.00	avg 261.00
35 - 65% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	260.00 - 263.00	avg 260.56	260.00 - 263.00	avg 260.49

Dressed Basis	Steers		Heifers	
Over 80% Choice	405.00 - 410.00	avg 408.64	410.00 - 410.00	avg 410.00
65 - 80% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
35 - 65% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	405.00 - 410.00	avg 408.64	410.00 - 410.00	avg 410.00

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:	21,000
Weighted avg weight:	944.00
Weighted avg net price:	405.22

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.



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