



National Daily Direct Slaughter Cattle - Negotiated Purchases - Summary

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Roundup for: Thursday, 02/27/2025

For Thursday in the Texas Panhandle, negotiated cash trade was at a standstill. In Kansas, negotiated cash trade was mostly inactive on very light demand. Last week in the Southern Plains live FOB purchases traded at 199.00. In Nebraska, negotiated cash trade was slow on light demand. A few dressed delivered purchases traded at 313.00, however not enough for a full market trend. Last week live FOB purchases traded from 199.00-200.00 and dressed delivered purchases traded at 315.00. In the Western Cornbelt, negotiated cash trade was limited on light demand. A few live FOB purchases traded at 198.00, however, not enough for a full market trend. Last week live FOB purchases traded from 199.00-201.00 and dressed delivered purchases traded at 315.00.

Domestic source only. Live sales based on net weights FOB the feedlot after a 3-4% shrink. Dressed sales based on hot carcass weights delivered to the plant.

Negotiated Cash:

Confirmed:	9,331	Week ago:	29,404	Year ago:	38,958
Week to Date:	11,054	Week ago:	31,321	Year ago:	64,421

Negotiated Grid Base:

Confirmed:	7,423	Week ago:	16,091	Year ago:	11,112
Week to Date:	9,313	Week ago:	17,994	Year ago:	33,798

Negotiated Cash Sales

(Includes all transactions regardless of delivery day)

	Head Count	Wtd Avg Dress Pct	Avg Wt Range	Wtd Avg Weight	Price Range	Wtd Avg Price
STEERS: LIVE FOB						
Over 80% Choice	1,975	62.8	1,385 - 1,685	1,563.5	197.00 - 200.00	197.87
65 - 80% Choice	37	62.0	1,250 - 1,250	1,250.0	202.50 - 202.50	202.50
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	2,012	62.8	1,250 - 1,685	1,557.7	197.00 - 202.50	197.95
STEERS: LIVE DELIVERED						
No Reportable Trade.						
STEERS: DRESSED DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice	3,251	63.5	928 - 1,077	993.8	311.00 - 313.00	312.82
65 - 80% Choice	249	62.7	971 - 971	971.9	313.00 - 313.00	313.00
35 - 65% Choice	80	64.5	944 - 944	944.9	311.00 - 311.00	311.00
0 - 35% Choice	80	62.5	1,031 - 1,031	1,031.3	313.00 - 313.00	313.00
Total all grades	3,660	63.4	928 - 1,077	992.0	311.00 - 313.00	312.80
STEERS: DRESSED FOB						
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HEIFERS: LIVE FOB

Over 80% Choice	1,424	62.6	1,315 - 1,500	1,412.1	198.00 - 198.00	198.00
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	1,424	62.6	1,315 - 1,500	1,412.1	198.00 - 198.00	198.00

HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED

No Reportable Trade.

HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED

Over 80% Choice	1,138	62.7	802 - 957	889.1	313.00 - 313.00	313.00
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	1,138	62.7	802 - 957	889.1	313.00 - 313.00	313.00

HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB

No Reportable Trade.

MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE FOB

Over 80% Choice	40	62.4	1,200 - 1,250	1,225.0	200.50 - 202.00	201.25
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	40	62.4	1,200 - 1,250	1,225.0	200.50 - 202.00	201.25

MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED

Over 80% Choice	29	61.8	1,375 - 1,525	1,462.9	200.00 - 200.00	200.00
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	29	61.8	1,375 - 1,525	1,462.9	200.00 - 200.00	200.00

MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED

Over 80% Choice	870	62.5	825 - 961	932.5	313.00 - 313.00	313.00
65 - 80% Choice	85	62.4	819 - 896	855.3	313.00 - 313.00	313.00
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	955	62.5	819 - 961	925.6	313.00 - 313.00	313.00

MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB

No Reportable Trade.

ALL BEEF TYPE STEERS AND HEIFERS

LIVE FOB	3,476	62.7	1,200 - 1,685	1,494.2	197.00 - 202.50	198.01
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LIVE DELIVERED	29	61.8	1,375 - 1,525	1,462.9	200.00 - 200.00	200.00
DRESSED DELIVERED	5,753	63.2	802 - 1,077	960.7	311.00 - 313.00	312.87
DRESSED FOB			-		-	
DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE FOB						
Over 80% Choice	33	59.5	1,600 - 1,600	1,600.0	182.00 - 182.00	182.00
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	33	59.5	1,600 - 1,600	1,600.0	182.00 - 182.00	182.00
DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice			-		-	
65 - 80% Choice	40	62.0	899 - 899	899.0	288.00 - 288.00	288.00
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	40	62.0	899 - 899	899.0	288.00 - 288.00	288.00
MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COWS: LIVE FOB						
No Reportable Trade.						
MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COWS: DRESSED DELIVERED						
No Reportable Trade.						

Negotiated Grid Base Price Sales: Final Net Prices To Be Determined Later And Shown On The LM_CT109 Formulated Purchases Report

(Includes all transactions regardless of delivery day)

	Head Count	Wtd Avg Dress Pct	Avg Wt Range	Wtd Avg Weight	Price Range	Wtd Avg Price
STEERS: LIVE FOB						
No Reportable Trade.						
STEERS: LIVE DELIVERED						
No Reportable Trade.						
STEERS: DRESSED DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice	2,204	62.9	864 - 1,004	956.9	313.00 - 315.00	313.23
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	2,204	62.9	864 - 1,004	956.9	313.00 - 315.00	313.23
STEERS: DRESSED FOB						
No Reportable Trade.						



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HEIFERS: LIVE FOB

Over 80% Choice	224	64.2	1,275 - 1,275	1,275.0	197.00 - 197.00	197.00
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	224	64.2	1,275 - 1,275	1,275.0	197.00 - 197.00	197.00

HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED

No Reportable Trade.

HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED

Over 80% Choice	3,241	63.1	746 - 961	878.5	313.00 - 315.00	313.29
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	3,241	63.1	746 - 961	878.5	313.00 - 315.00	313.29

HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB

No Reportable Trade.

MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE FOB

No Reportable Trade.

MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED

No Reportable Trade.

MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED

Over 80% Choice	1,520	62.2	777 - 979	902.2	312.00 - 318.00	313.88
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	1,520	62.2	777 - 979	902.2	312.00 - 318.00	313.88

MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB

No Reportable Trade.

ALL BEEF TYPE STEERS AND HEIFERS

LIVE FOB	224	64.2	1,275 - 1,275	1,275.0	197.00 - 197.00	197.00
LIVE DELIVERED			-		-	
DRESSED DELIVERED	6,965	62.8	746 - 1,004	908.5	312.00 - 318.00	313.40
DRESSED FOB			-		-	

DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE FOB

No Reportable Trade.

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DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED

Over 80% Choice	118	59.7	841 - 870	866.1	305.00 - 309.00	305.54
65 - 80% Choice	32	58.5	906 - 906	906.8	307.00 - 307.00	307.00
35 - 65% Choice	35	60.0	855 - 855	855.0	303.00 - 303.00	303.00
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	185	59.6	841 - 906	871.0	303.00 - 309.00	305.31

MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COWS: LIVE FOB

No Reportable Trade.

MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COWS: DRESSED DELIVERED

No Reportable Trade.

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