



Morning National Slaughter Cattle Review for Tuesday, 05/05/20

On Tuesday negotiated cash trade and demand was light to in Nebraska and the Western Cornbelt. Compared to the bulk of trade last week in Nebraska, live purchases traded mostly steady at 95.00. Dressed purchases compared to last week were mostly steady ranging from 145.00-170.00, bulk at 150.00. In the Western Cornbelt compared to last week, early dressed purchases have traded mostly 10.00-20.00 higher than last week from 145.00-170.00, bulk at 170.00. A few live purchases were reported from 95.00-104.00, however not enough for an adequate market test. Last week live purchases in the Western Cornbelt traded from 93.00-100.00. Trade was limited on light to moderate demand in the Southern Plains with a few purchases ranging mostly from 95.00-96.00, however not enough for an adequate market test. Last week in the Southern Plains live purchases traded from 95.00-105.00.

Negotiated Sales:

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

Confirmed:	19,032	Week Ago:	7,312	Year Ago:	60,156
Week to Date:	21,553	Week Ago to Date:	15,968	Year Ago to Date:	63,923

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

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

Today:	51,900	Week Ago:	40,600	Year Ago:	88,400
Week to Date:	102,800	Week Ago to Date:	87,600	Year Ago to Date:	176,700

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

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

Today:	44,500	Week Ago:	37,600	Year Ago:	110,600
Week to Date:	100,000	Week Ago to Date:	76,800	Year Ago to Date:	208,200

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	95.00 - 104.00 avg 95.41	95.00 - 95.00 avg 95.00
65 - 80% Choice	95.00 - 95.00 avg 95.00	95.00 - 95.00 avg 95.00
35 - 65% Choice	93.00 - 95.00 avg 94.48	- avg
0 - 35% Choice	- avg	- avg
Total all Grades	93.00 - 104.00 avg 95.14	95.00 - 95.00 avg 95.00



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Dressed Basis	Steers	Heifers
Over 80% Choice	145.00 - 170.00 avg 156.31	145.00 - 170.00 avg 153.55
65 - 80% Choice	145.00 - 145.00 avg 145.00	150.00 - 150.00 avg 150.00
35 - 65% Choice	- avg	- avg
0 - 35% Choice	170.00 - 170.00 avg 170.00	- avg
Total all Grades	145.00 - 170.00 avg 156.03	145.00 - 170.00 avg 153.35

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:	23,600
Weighted avg weight:	874.00
Weighted avg net price:	162.80

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.