



## Morning National Slaughter Cattle Review for Friday, 05/15/20

For Friday in the Texas Panhandle negotiated cash trading and demand were moderate. Compared to Tuesday the bulk of live trades moved 10.00 higher at 120.00. On Friday in Kansas, Nebraska and Western Cornbelt negotiated cash trading was slow on light to moderate demand. In Kansas a few live trades moved at 120.00. In Nebraska a few live and dressed trades moved from 119.00 to 120.00 and at 190.00. However, not enough trades for a full market trend in either region. In Kansas the last fully reported market was on Wednesday with live trades at 115.00. In Nebraska the last fully reported market was on Wednesday with the bulk of live and dressed trades at 110.00 and 180.00, respectively. In the Western Cornbelt the last fully reported market was on Wednesday with the bulk of live and dressed trades moved at 115.00 and 180.00, respectively.

### Negotiated Sales:

(Derived from the 'National Daily Direct Slaughter Cattle - Negotiated Purchases' - [LM\\_CT115](#))

Confirmed:	16,813	Week Ago:	17,767	Year Ago:	4,610
Week to Date:	103,413	Week Ago to Date:	69,064	Year Ago to Date:	72,789

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

(Derived from the 'National Daily Slaughter Cattle - Committed and Delivered Cattle' - [LM\\_CT106](#))

Today:	94,500	Week Ago:	86,500	Year Ago:	131,000
Week to Date:	330,300	Week Ago to Date:	301,200	Year Ago to Date:	476,700

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

(Derived from the 'National Daily Slaughter Cattle - Committed and Delivered Cattle' - [LM\\_CT106](#))

Today:	110,600	Week Ago:	108,900	Year Ago:	109,900
Week to Date:	381,300	Week Ago to Date:	309,800	Year Ago to Date:	417,900

### 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	113.00 - 120.00 avg 118.11	110.00 - 120.00 avg 119.40
65 - 80% Choice	105.00 - 120.00 avg 112.09	100.00 - 120.00 avg 119.24
35 - 65% Choice	100.00 - 120.00 avg 115.19	105.00 - 120.00 avg 117.64
0 - 35% Choice	- avg	- avg
Total all Grades	100.00 - 120.00 avg 115.56	100.00 - 120.00 avg 118.96



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Dressed Basis	Steers		Heifers	
Over 80% Choice	180.00 - 190.00	avg 185.85	180.00 - 190.00	avg 188.83
65 - 80% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
35 - 65% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	180.00 - 190.00	avg 185.85	180.00 - 190.00	avg 188.83

### 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:	28,300
Weighted avg weight:	846.00
Weighted avg net price:	168.55

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.