



## Morning National Slaughter Cattle Review for Tuesday, 05/19/20

On Tuesday negotiated cash trade was light on moderate demand in Nebraska and the Western Cornbelt. In Nebraska a few early live purchases traded from 115.00-120.00 with a few dressed purchases from 180.00-190.00, however not enough for an adequate market test. In the Western Cornbelt a few early dressed purchases traded from 178.00-190.00, however not enough for an adequate market test. Trade was mostly inactive on light demand in the Southern Plains. The latest established market in any feeding region was on Monday with dressed purchases in the Western Cornbelt from 180.00-190.00, bulk at 180.00. Last week live purchases traded from 105.00-115.00. The latest established market in the Southern Plains was last week with live purchases from 110.00-120.00. Last week in Nebraska the bulk of purchases traded mostly at 110.00 and 180.00.

### Negotiated Sales:

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

Confirmed:	6,594	Week Ago:	14,824	Year Ago:	6,087
Week to Date:	18,889	Week Ago to Date:	18,313	Year Ago to Date:	6,730

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

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

Today:	72,200	Week Ago:	61,900	Year Ago:	85,800
Week to Date:	142,300	Week Ago to Date:	116,900	Year Ago to Date:	173,300

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

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

Today:	48,000	Week Ago:	47,100	Year Ago:	75,500
Week to Date:	113,200	Week Ago to Date:	98,500	Year Ago to Date:	137,400

### 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	115.00 - 120.00	avg 118.97	120.00 - 120.00	avg 120.00
65 - 80% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
35 - 65% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	115.00 - 120.00	avg 118.97	120.00 - 120.00	avg 120.00



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Dressed Basis	Steers	Heifers
Over 80% Choice	178.00 - 190.00 avg 182.08	180.00 - 190.00 avg 186.75
65 - 80% Choice	190.00 - 190.00 avg 190.00	- avg
35 - 65% Choice	- avg	- avg
0 - 35% Choice	- avg	- avg
Total all Grades	178.00 - 190.00 avg 182.23	180.00 - 190.00 avg 186.75

### 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:	22,700
Weighted avg weight:	893.00
Weighted avg net price:	175.06

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.