



## Morning National Slaughter Cattle Review for Thursday, 02/18/21

For Thursday in the Southern Plains negotiated cash trading was limited on light to moderate demand. Compared to last week in Kansas and compared to Tuesday in the Texas Panhandle live purchases traded steady at 114.00. A light test was noted. On Thursday in Nebraska and Western Cornbelt negotiated cash trading was slow to moderate with moderate demand. In Nebraska, compared to last week, live purchases traded steady from 113.00-114.00 and dressed purchases, on a light test, traded steady to 1.00 higher from 180.00-181.00. In the Western Cornbelt, compared to last week, live purchases traded steady to 2.00 higher from 114.00-115.00 and dressed purchases, on a light test, traded steady to 2.00 higher from 180.00-182.00.

### Negotiated Sales:

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

Confirmed:	38,616	Week Ago:	22,007	Year Ago:	22,065
Week to Date:	45,087	Week Ago to Date:	64,364	Year Ago to Date:	66,541

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

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

Today:	77,000	Week Ago:	73,100	Year Ago:	85,900
Week to Date:	260,800	Week Ago to Date:	308,900	Year Ago to Date:	335,200

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

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

Today:	85,100	Week Ago:	94,300	Year Ago:	57,100
Week to Date:	260,100	Week Ago to Date:	321,800	Year Ago to Date:	319,300

### 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	112.00 - 116.50	avg 114.14	113.00 - 116.00	avg 114.04
65 - 80% Choice	114.00 - 114.00	avg 114.00	114.00 - 114.00	avg 114.00
35 - 65% Choice	114.00 - 114.00	avg 114.00	114.00 - 114.00	avg 114.00
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	112.00 - 116.50	avg 114.12	113.00 - 116.00	avg 114.03

Dressed Basis	Steers		Heifers	
Over 80% Choice	178.00 - 182.00	avg 180.72	180.00 - 182.00	avg 180.68
65 - 80% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
35 - 65% Choice	180.00 - 180.00	avg 180.00	-	avg
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	178.00 - 182.00	avg 180.69	180.00 - 182.00	avg 180.68



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### 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:	21,800
Weighted avg weight:	870.00
Weighted avg net price:	184.51

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.