



Morning National Slaughter Cattle Review for Wednesday, 05/05/21

For Wednesday negotiated cash trading was slow on light demand in the Southern Plains. Thus far for the week live purchases have traded steady to 0.50 lower from 117.50-119.00 in the Texas Panhandle, and steady to 1.00 higher at 119.00 in Kansas compared to last week on a light test. Negotiated cash trading was limited on light demand in Nebraska and the Western Cornbelt, not enough purchases for a full market trend. Negotiated cash trading was at a standstill in Colorado. On Tuesday in Nebraska live purchases traded at 118.00 and dressed purchases traded from 188.00-190.00. In Colorado last week, live purchases traded from 119.00-120.00. In the Western Cornbelt on Tuesday live purchases traded from 118.00-119.00 and dressed purchases traded from 187.00-190.00.

Negotiated Sales:

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

Confirmed:	9,259	Week Ago:	46,328	Year Ago:	21,576
Week to Date:	72,497	Week Ago to Date:	57,392	Year Ago to Date:	43,129

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

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

Today:	78,800	Week Ago:	82,600	Year Ago:	57,700
Week to Date:	246,400	Week Ago to Date:	246,900	Year Ago to Date:	160,500

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

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

Today:	60,700	Week Ago:	117,900	Year Ago:	56,300
Week to Date:	259,200	Week Ago to Date:	299,400	Year Ago to Date:	156,300

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	117.00 - 119.00 avg 118.61	117.00 - 119.00 avg 118.79
65 - 80% Choice	118.75 - 119.00 avg 118.86	118.00 - 119.00 avg 118.21
35 - 65% Choice	118.50 - 119.00 avg 118.78	118.50 - 118.75 avg 118.63
0 - 35% Choice	- avg	- avg
Total all Grades	117.00 - 119.00 avg 118.68	117.00 - 119.00 avg 118.61



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Dressed Basis	Steers		Heifers	
Over 80% Choice	187.00 - 188.00	avg 187.58	188.00 - 190.00	avg 188.99
65 - 80% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
35 - 65% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	187.00 - 188.00	avg 187.58	188.00 - 190.00	avg 188.99

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:	40,400
Weighted avg weight:	877.00
Weighted avg net price:	193.30

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.