



Morning National Slaughter Cattle Review for Thursday, 03/17/22

For Thursday in the Southern Plains negotiated cash trading was slow to moderate on light demand. Compared to last week live purchases traded steady at 138.00. In Nebraska negotiated cash trading was slow to moderate with moderate demand. Compared to last week live purchases traded steady at 138.00, with a few up to 140.00, and dressed purchases traded mostly 1.00 higher at 221.00, with a few up to 225.00. For Thursday in the Western Cornbelt negotiated cash trading was slow on light demand. Thus far for the week live purchases have traded steady to 2.00 higher at 140.00 and dressed purchases have traded steady to 3.00 higher at 222.00. A light test was noted.

Negotiated Sales:

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

Confirmed:	47,913	Week Ago:	10,743	Year Ago:	25,863
Week to Date:	59,169	Week Ago to Date:	81,310	Year Ago to Date:	72,464

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

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

Today:	73,400	Week Ago:	74,800	Year Ago:	70,400
Week to Date:	324,200	Week Ago to Date:	321,100	Year Ago to Date:	303,800

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

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

Today:	92,700	Week Ago:	64,200	Year Ago:	78,600
Week to Date:	332,500	Week Ago to Date:	338,800	Year Ago to Date:	331,200

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	138.00 - 140.50	avg 138.39	138.00 - 141.00	avg 138.27
65 - 80% Choice	138.00 - 138.00	avg 138.00	137.00 - 138.00	avg 137.91
35 - 65% Choice	136.00 - 138.00	avg 137.92	138.00 - 138.00	avg 138.00
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	136.00 - 140.50	avg 138.19	137.00 - 141.00	avg 138.16

Dressed Basis	Steers		Heifers	
Over 80% Choice	220.00 - 225.00	avg 221.93	220.00 - 225.00	avg 221.51
65 - 80% Choice	221.00 - 221.00	avg 221.00	221.00 - 221.00	avg 221.00
35 - 65% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	220.00 - 225.00	avg 221.82	220.00 - 225.00	avg 221.47



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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:	48,100
Weighted avg weight:	894.00
Weighted avg net price:	223.95

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.