



South Dakota Weekly Cattle Auction Summary

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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 9/14/2025 - 9/20/2025

LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

	Current Week	Last Reported 9/8/2025	Last Year
Total Receipts:	13,943	13,466	20,133
Feeder Cattle:	12,851(92.2%)	11,843(87.9%)	18,664(92.7%)
Slaughter Cattle:	1,092(7.8%)	1,623(12.1%)	1,469(7.3%)

Compared to last week: Feeder steers 3.00 to 8.00 lower, except 900-1000 lbs 10.00 to 15.00 lower. Feeder heifers 2.00 to 8.00 lower. Good to very good demand for yearling steers and heifers, however there was some pressure on the market as the futures contracts have become very volatile. Cash fed cattle mostly at 237.00, also causing cattle feeders to pump the brakes and slow their roll in their pursuit of cattle to refill their empty pens. Silage harvest was ongoing but there were still enough buyers interested in the packages of spring born calves, the market was active for these light calves. Supply included: 92% Feeder Cattle (53% Steers, 47% Heifers, 0% Bulls); 8% Slaughter Cattle (52% Steers, 48% Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 95%.

FEEDER CATTLE

STEERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
39	366-395	374	495.00-555.00	530.21	
85	450-493	467	410.00-505.00	480.72	
36	525-547	541	435.00-465.00	438.67	
8	585-591	588	409.00-415.00	411.98	
34	600-646	618	388.00-446.00	436.68	
69	650-694	674	377.00-441.00	415.33	
108	732-741	737	377.00-414.00	397.74	
201	750-799	780	365.00-390.00	377.83	
508	803-848	825	335.00-380.00	364.33	
49	820	820	372.50	372.50	Thin Fleshed
731	860-899	883	331.00-376.00	362.55	
701	903-949	927	320.00-365.50	347.31	
2168	953-998	970	323.00-356.75	341.04	
118	954-958	956	324.50-338.00	331.35	Fleshy
7	1153	1153	295.00	295.00	

STEERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
11	310-338	323	480.00-500.00	486.97
3	397	397	485.00	485.00
3	408	408	385.00	385.00
4	464	464	465.00	465.00



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13	576	576	373.00	373.00
6	642	642	400.00	400.00
5	656	656	320.00	320.00
4	705	705	342.50	342.50
43	794-795	795	325.00-341.00	332.81
3	823	823	310.00	310.00
26	863-883	871	324.00-355.00	341.71
6	923	923	322.50	322.50
8	958	958	335.00	335.00

STEERS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
359	1005-1038	1016	314.00-354.25	345.02	
45	1045	1045	309.00	309.00	Fleshy
99	1003	1003	342.50	342.50	Thin Fleshed
367	1064-1097	1077	294.00-339.00	322.22	
453	1101-1149	1123	295.75-330.00	309.00	
21	1123	1123	300.00	300.00	Fleshy
115	1162	1162	300.00	300.00	
43	1218	1218	282.50	282.50	
3	1313	1313	241.00	241.00	Fleshy

STEERS - Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
27	1114	1114	268.00	268.00
58	1223	1223	259.50	259.50

HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
31	300-348	316	485.00-510.00	501.81	
91	405-444	422	442.50-490.00	463.34	
25	460-484	479	446.00-450.00	446.77	
48	504-540	513	402.00-439.00	428.49	
105	606-628	614	374.00-412.50	387.31	
42	650-683	673	391.00-405.00	400.81	
328	701-745	736	350.00-375.00	367.85	
597	751-796	767	335.00-370.00	351.87	
5	794	794	285.00	285.00	Fleshy
756	805-849	828	317.00-357.50	338.11	
1410	851-897	880	307.00-343.50	333.86	
67	885-889	885	309.00-311.00	309.24	Fleshy
757	902-947	920	315.00-340.25	331.13	



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722	951-999	970	299.75-334.00	323.60	
164	959-997	972	299.00-299.50	299.18	Fleshy
12	1090-1093	1091	310.00-311.50	310.63	

HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
3	255	255	485.00	485.00	
9	323-343	336	435.00-450.00	445.20	
4	356	356	460.00	460.00	
6	422	422	415.00	415.00	
6	497	497	395.00	395.00	
12	536	536	362.50	362.50	
21	555-575	567	335.00-367.00	350.28	
26	613-638	627	332.00-341.00	337.28	
33	683-687	683	335.00-337.50	335.23	
64	800-849	818	313.00-332.00	324.92	
65	854-859	855	315.00-316.00	315.89	

HEIFERS - Medium and Large 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
14	474	474	327.50	327.50	

HEIFERS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
196	1005-1047	1019	288.00-313.00	296.28	
24	1089	1089	297.00	297.00	
42	1094-1095	1094	271.00-288.00	276.27	Fleshy
35	1101-1112	1104	269.00-303.00	295.17	
4	1132	1132	235.00	235.00	Fleshy
28	1203	1203	257.00	257.00	Fleshy
20	1261	1261	248.00	248.00	Fleshy

HEIFERS - Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
33	1052	1052	283.00	283.00	

BULLS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
7	359	359	460.00	460.00	
18	447	447	480.00	480.00	
24	511	511	450.00	450.00	



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BULLS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
3	297	297	510.00	510.00
4	460	460	415.00	415.00

SLAUGHTER CATTLE**STEERS - Choice 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
178	1422-1497	1466	233.50-236.00	235.35	Average
42	1308-1483	1357	240.00-244.00	242.79	Average Certified Prgms

STEERS - Choice 3-4 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
177	1530-1597	1567	234.00-238.00	235.20	Average
39	1619	1619	235.75	235.75	Average Heavy Weight

STEERS - Select and Choice 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
7	1246-1320	1278	231.00-232.00	231.44	Average Certified Prgms
3	1180	1180	232.00	232.00	Average Return to Feed

STEERS - Select and Choice 3-4 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
3	1517	1517	226.00	226.00	Average
87	1619-1679	1641	224.00-225.00	224.64	Average Heavy Weight

HEIFERS - Choice 2-4 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
387	1301-1456	1375	234.50-240.00	237.30	Average
84	1320-1478	1363	241.00-247.00	245.10	Average Certified Prgms

HEIFERS - Select and Choice 2-4 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
14	1203-1259	1219	238.00	238.00	Average Certified Prgms

Please Note:

The above USDA LPGMN price report is reflective of the majority of classes and grades of livestock offered for sale. There may be instances where some sales do not fit within reporting guidelines and therefore will not be included in the report. Prices are reported on an FOB basis, unless otherwise noted.