

**NATIONAL WEEKLY FEEDER & STOCKER CATTLE SUMMARY**

**USDA LIVESTOCK, POULTRY & GRAIN MARKET NEWS**

St. Joseph, Missouri

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for w/e Saturday, 02/28/26.

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<b>Receipts:</b>	This Week	Last Week	Year Ago
<a href="#">SJ LS850</a>	259,800	287,700	280,600

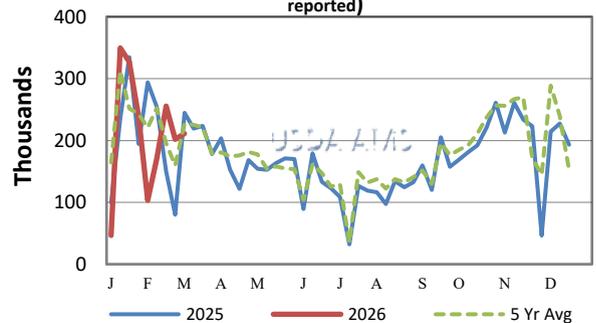
Compared to last week, trade this week was very uneven with many price trends ranging up and down. For the most part, lightweight calves under 500 lbs sold mostly steady to 10.00 higher as the market remains very active on these lightweights to grow into yearlings. The 500-750 lb feeders sold in a wide range from steady to 10.00 higher at some auctions while others sold steady to 10.00 lower. Yearlings over 800 lbs selling mostly steady early week then turning 10.00-12.00 lower late week when feeder cattle futures sold off. Some of the best demand was on the heavier stocker cattle weighing 600-750 lbs which are just right for hard-wintered cattle coming off dry winter pastures. Heavily supplemented feeders coming out of growing yards were not as widely accepted, although still sold handsomely. The feeder cattle market's bullish run could be getting a little long in the tooth as cattle feeders need cattle to buy but are becoming concerned with profitability at these prices. This market seems to be looking for direction as feeders in many areas are cheaper this week. Cattle buyers are not as aggressive as two weeks ago, but prices overall remain very impressive. On Monday at Callaway Livestock in Kingdom City, MO sold a pot load of steers weighing 702 lbs at 425.25, while Sioux Falls Regional in Worthing, SD sold 532 hd of 800-850 lb steers averaging 827 lbs for a weighted average price of 363.65. Also, on Monday at Bluegrass Stockyards in Lexington, KY 65 steers weighing 798 lbs sold at 375.00. On Tuesday in Macon, MO, Lolli Livestock sold 83 heifers weighing 687 lbs at 391.00 while Unionville (MO) Livestock sold 247 hd of 912 lb steers at 357.80. In addition, Philip (SD) Livestock Auction, 251 hd of 800-850 lb steers averaging 839 lbs sold for a weighted average price of 377.09. On Wednesday at Torrington (WY) Livestock 330 hd of 600-650 lb steers averaging 630 lbs sold for a weighted average price of 460.14, while Winter Livestock in Dodge City, KS sold 64 steers weighing 839 lbs for 378.00. Also on Wednesday, Huss Livestock in Kearney, NE sold 290 hd of steers averaging 860 lbs for a weighted average price of 371.39. On Thursday in Ogallala (NE) Livestock sold 96 hd of steer calves weighing 544 lbs at 559.00 and 361 steer calves weighing 550-600 lbs averaging 589 lbs for a weighted average price of 496.76. Napoleon (ND) Livestock sold 85 steers weighing 695 lbs at 441.00 and 556 hd of steers weighing 800-850 lbs with [More.....](#)

**CME FEEDER CATTLE INDEX (\$/CWT)**



**NATIONWIDE REPORTED WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE AUCTION RECEIPTS**

(Receipts vary depending on the number of auctions reported)



**REGIONAL WEIGHTED AVERAGE**

**FEEDER STEER PRICES**

**NORTH CENTRAL REGION**

Steers:	This Week	Last Week	Last Year
600-700 lbs	\$444.05	\$444.15	\$328.60
700-800 lbs	\$395.30	\$400.37	\$299.90
800-900 lbs	\$362.51	\$372.03	\$278.88

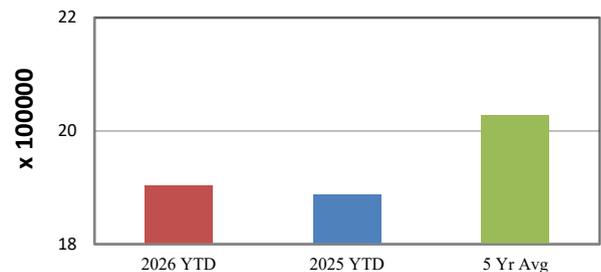
**SOUTH CENTRAL REGION**

Steers:	This Week	Last Week	Last Year
500-600 lbs	\$488.02	\$493.02	\$346.66
600-700 lbs	\$429.98	\$433.07	\$313.55
700-800 lbs	\$382.90	\$387.47	\$283.18

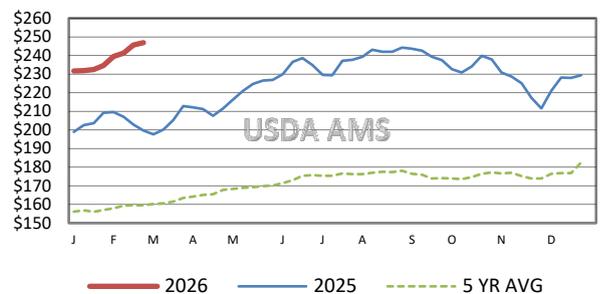
**SOUTHEAST REGION**

Steers:	This Week	Last Week	Last Year
400-500 lbs	\$517.64	\$523.34	\$364.17
500-600 lbs	\$463.36	\$461.65	\$323.87
600-700 lbs	\$406.92	\$410.22	\$290.12

**YEAR TO DATE AUCTION RECEIPTS**



**5 AREA WEEKLY WEIGHTED AVERAGE SLTR STEER PRICE (\$/CWT)**



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