

National Weekly Cattle And Beef Summary

Des Moines, Iowa
For Week Ending:

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10/16/2026

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This Week Prior Week Last Year

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NATIONAL COMPREHENSIVE BOXED BEEF

CUTOUT VALUES	376.00	375.85	366.52
Primal Rib	671.75	669.17	623.06
Primal Chuck	334.35	329.17	296.39
Primal Round	288.35	293.57	315.40
Primal Loin	467.50	466.09	464.91

WEEKLY COMPREHENSIVE ITEM SUMMARY

Select & Choice Spot Market Loads	437
Comprehensive Loads	3200
CH&SE Percent of the Comprehensive	14%

LMR Cattle Purchase Type Breakdown

2025	National	5-Area	TX/OK/NM*	KS	NE	IA
Negotiated	17.8	18.2	4.1	7.9	26.5	48.7
Formula	63.3	66.0	87.8	79.3	54.7	20.1
Forward Contract	9.0	5.7	2.0	2.9	7.7	15
Negotiated Grid	9.9	10.1	6.1	9.9	11.1	16.2

* Includes only Q1-Q3 due to 3/70/20 confidentiality guidelines

National Weekly Fed Cattle Comprehensive Report

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DIRECT CATTLE PREMIUM AND DISCOUNTS

Prime	17.67	17.67	22.42
Choice	0.00	0.00	0.00
Select	(21.19)	(21.19)	(19.45)
Standard	(34.08)	(34.08)	(34.20)
CAB	4.46	4.46	5.22

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5 AREA WEEKLY WEIGHTED CATTLE PRICE

Live Steer	224.19	220.14	239.82
Live Heifer	224.43	220.84	239.83
Dressed Steer	352.52	345.66	372.43
Dressed Heifer	351.35	345.98	372.21

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USDA BY-PRODUCT DROP VALUE (STEER)

15.12	15.12	11.18
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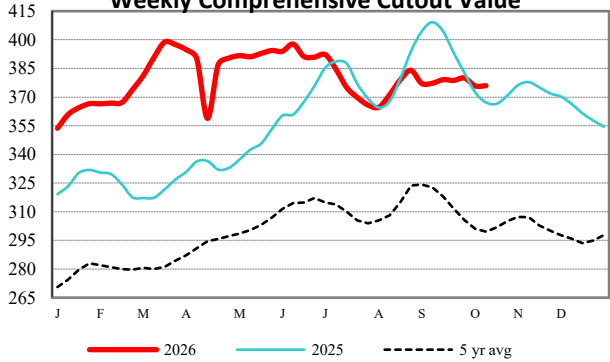
WEEKLY ESTIMATED BEEF PRODUCTION

10/16/2026	(Estimate)	(Estimate)	(Actual)
Slaughter	553,000	535,000	566,000
Live Weights	1454	1452	1452
Dressed Weights	892	891	889
Beef Production (mil lbs)	492.2	475.5	502.0

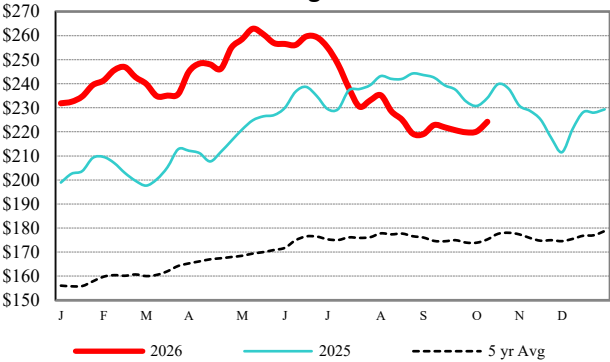
LMR CH & up Grading %, Weights, and Dressing % (Formula, Forward Contract & Grid Net Purchases Based on State of Origin for WE today)

Beef Type Str/Hfr:	Grading	Carcass Wt	Dressing
TX/OK/NM	83.24%	944.0	64.68%
Kansas	87.31%	958.1	64.26%
Nebraska	88.14%	968.8	63.94%
Colorado	87.57%	951.5	63.74%
IA/MN	90.56%	987.5	63.98%
Dairybred Str/Hfr:			
National	91.80%	882.3	60.61%

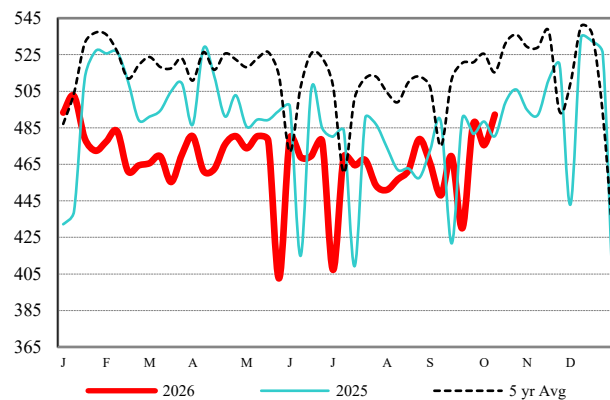
Weekly Comprehensive Cutout Value



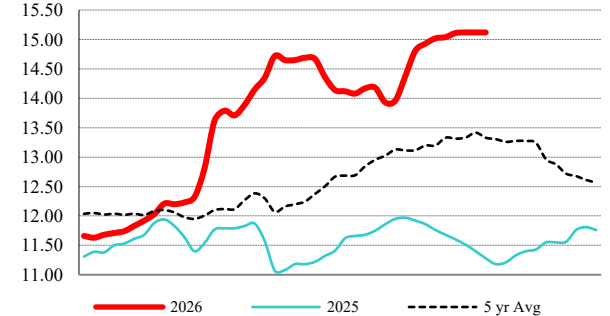
5 Area Weekly Wtd Avg Steer Price



Weekly Beef Production



Weekly Steer Drop Value



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