National Daily Cattle & Beef Summary
Des Moines, Iowa **Monday, November 16, 2026** **USDA Livestock, Poultry & Grain Mkt News**

AMS 2453/LM_XB403

DAILY ESTIMATED CUTOUT VALUES

	Choice 600-900#	Select 600-900#
Current Cutout Values:	355.81	350.65
Change from prior day:	0.17	1.50
Primal Rib	677.99	634.03
Primal Chuck	302.34	312.25
Primal Round	281.51	284.64
Primal Loin	436.71	420.73
Primal Brisket	257.77	252.75
Primal Short Plate	217.72	217.72
Primal Flank	151.38	147.22

Choice/Select Spread 5.16

Load Count:

Total	115
Choice	79
Select	11
Trimmings	14
Grinds	11

Fresh 50% Trimmings 14 Loads @ 91.59

AMS 2829/NW_LS441

USDA BY-PRODUCT DROP VALUE (STEER) - DAILY

14.38 **Change:** unch

AMS 2466/LM_CT100

5 AREA WEEKLY ACCUMULATED WEIGHTED AVG CATTLE PRICE

As of 10:00 am	Head Count	Avg Weight	Avg Price
Live Steer	13,880	1,624	214.43
Live Heifer	5,853	1,435	215.31
Dressed Steer	9,405	1,036	336.82
Dressed Heifer	3,009	906	337.16

AMS 3208/SJ_LS710

DAILY CATTLE SLAUGHTER

		Friday	Saturday
Today	107,000		
Week Ago	107,000		
Year Ago (act)	114,449		
Week to Date	107,000		
Same Period Last Week	107,000		
Same Period Last Year	114,449		
Previous Day	**Steer and Heifer**	84,000	1,000
	Cow and Bull	22,000	3,000

AMS 3209/SJ_LS712

BEEF PRODUCTION	11/14/2026 (Estimate)	Last Week (Estimate)	(Actual)
Slaughter	545,000	534,000	576,000
Live Weights	1472	1469	1461
Dressed Weights	901	900	893
Beef Production (millions of pounds)	490	480	513

AMS 2825/NW_LS410

USDA BEEF CARCASS PRICE EQUIVALENT INDEX VALUE

	Choice 600-900#	Select 600-900#	Dressing percent: Steer	Heifer
	$330.26	$320.33	63.50	63.47
Change	0.01	2.26		

AMS 2455/LM_XB405

USDA NATIONAL CUTTER COW CARCASS CUTOUT

289.21 2.68 **90% Lean** 360.6

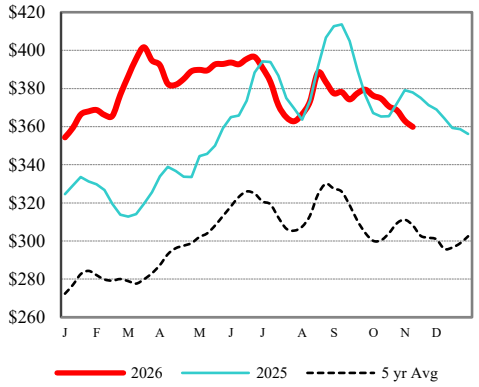
CME LIVE CATTLE

	High	Low	Change	Settle
APR	N/A			
JUN	N/A			
AUG	N/A			

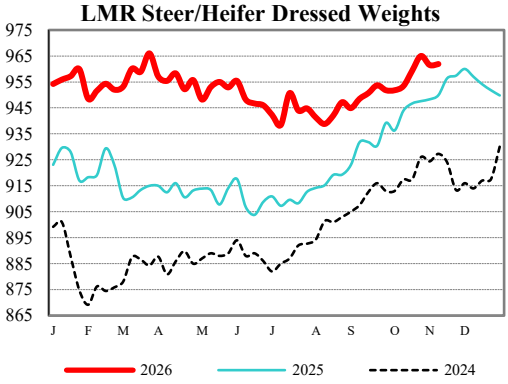
CME FEEDER CATTLE

	High	Low	Change	Settle
APR	N/A			
MAY	N/A			
AUG	N/A			

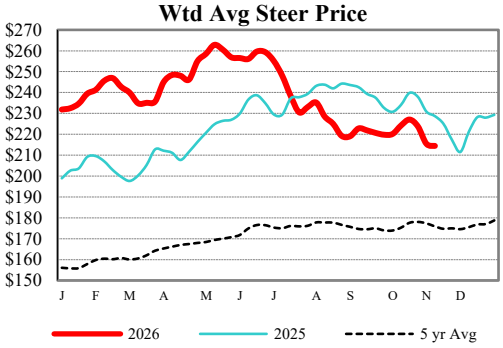
Weekly Choice Cutout



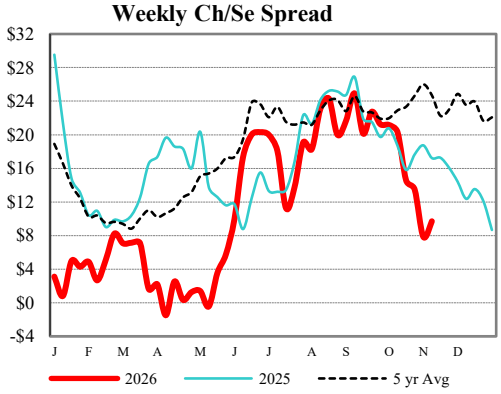
LMR Steer/Heifer Dressed Weights



5 Area Weekly Wtd Avg Steer Price



Weekly Ch/Se Spread



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