Friday, January 11, 2019

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National Feeder & Stocker Cattle Summary Current Report

NATIONAL FEEDER & STOCKER CATTLE SUMMARY - Week Ending 01/11/19

Receipts: This Week: 586,300 Last Week: 109,900 Last Year: 530,300

Compared to last week, steers and heifers sold uneven, from 4.00 lower to 1.00 higher. This week's total receipts on this report is the largest since July 2018 and is 50,000 head larger than the first marketing week of 2018. Cattle futures continue to move higher this week as the CME Cattle Complex put on more than 1.00 this week with in most contracts with the February Live contract being 3.05 higher on the week. Weather scares started mid-week when Winter Storm Gia was named and projected to move through the heart of the country late week and into the weekend. Rain, snow and freezing rain are going to be seen in the breadbasket of the country and the East Coast is not going to be spared from this storm either. Feedyards that were already wet will see more moisture fall from the sky, dashing any hopes that they will dry out anytime soon. Here's to hoping that the ground underneath will be frozen when the storm moves in, otherwise the mud will just get deeper. Calendar wise January 11 is a long way from the end of winter. Muddy feedyards in Kansas, Nebraska and Iowa want to get cattle moved out of the poor pen conditions as cattle performance has been seriously impeded due to above average moisture recently. News of beef demand rising in recent years is a welcome sight to beef producers as ground beef and loin cuts have driven that demand due to their popularity in retail outlets. For the week, the Choice cutout closed 2.05 lower at 212.46, while Select was 1.39 lower at 206.27. On the week, boxed beef cutout values lower on light demand and moderate offerings. Select and Choice rib, chuck, and loin cuts steady to weak while round cuts weak to lower. Cattle Slaughter under federal inspection estimated at 626K for the week, 14K above a year ago and a little above industry expectations this week.

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Live Cattle Settlements	Feeder Cattle Settlements	Thursday				
CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE LIVESTOCK FUTURES SETTLEMENT						

Live Cattle		Change	Feeder Cattle		Change	
Feb	124.97	0.10	Jan	146.12	(0.62)	
Apr	126.37	0.45	Mar	144.90	(0.17)	
Jun	117.20	(0.17)	Apr	145.75	0.07	

Corn Settle	ments		Soybean Settl	ements	Thurs	day	
CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE GRAIN FUTURES SETTLEMENT							
Corn		<u>Change</u>	<u>Soybeans</u>		<u>Change</u>		
Mar	3.7825	0.0200	Jan	8.9925	0.0375		
May	3.8675	0.0225	Mar	9.1025	0.0350		
Jul	3.9425	0.0200	May	9.2375	0.0350		
KC Wheat Wheat Change							
KANSAS CITY BOARD OF TRADE			Mar	5.0450	0.0575		
			May	5.1600	0.0600		
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Previous Day Estimated:

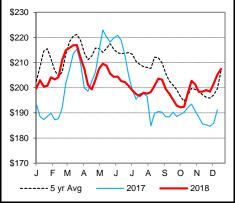
	Head Count	Avg weignt	Avg Price
Live Steer	1,663	1,406	121.94
Live Heifer	76	1,210	123.29
Dressed Steer	110	882	195.00
Dressed Heifer	164	859	195.49

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Weekly Choice Cutout

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DAILY ESTIMATED BOXED BEEF CUTOUT VALUES							
Choice	Select	Choice Cuts	57	loads			
600-900#	600-900#	Select Cuts	13	loads			
212.46	206.27	Trimmings	17	loads			
(1.50)	(1.50)	Grinds	20	loads			



Weekly Select Cutout

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ESTD DAILY CAT	TLE SLAUGHTER		SLAUGHTER COW MARKET			
Fri/Sat	117,000	32,000	New Holland Sales	Stables		
Week Ago (est)	119,000	92,000	Thursday	Pct Lean	<u>Price</u>	
Year Ago (act)	119,000	20,000	Breaking	70-80	43.50-49.00	
Wk to date (est)	594,000	626,000	Boning	80-85	44.00-49.50	
Last Week (est)	428,000	520,000	Lean	85-90	33.00-39.00	
Last Year (act)	591,000	612,000	Thursday		•	

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Steer and Heifer

Cow and Bull

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