

Slaughter Steer Feedyard Close-Outs Current & Future (Projected) Closeouts: Profit/(Loss) For the week ending August 4, 2023

Closeout projections are for cattle placed on feed by a cattle owner at a commercial feedyard and not for cattle owned by a vertically integrated company such as a beef processing company or a feedyard feeding cattle at cost. Cattle cost, cost of gain, and selling price will vary on a regional basis and projections assume grain is purchased/contracted at the time cattle are placed on feed. Cost includes \$15 per head for freight to feedyard.

Typical closeout for un-hedged steers sold this week:

- Placed On Feed 150 days ago = March 7, 2023
- Projected P/(L) based on the futures when placed on feed: (\$112.40)

| *Cost of 750 lb. steer delivered @ \$188.04 per cwt. + \$15 freight: | \$1,425.30 |
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| Feed Cost for 600 lbs. @ \$1.27 per lb. | \$762.00 |
| Interest on cattle cost for 165 days: | \$49.79 |
| Interest on feed cost: | \$13.31 |
| Total Cost & Expense: | \$2,250.40 |
| **Sale proceeds: 1,350 lb. steer @ \$187.79 per cwt: | \$2,535.17 |
| This week's Profit/(Loss) per head: | \$284.77 |
| Profit/(Loss) per head for previous week: | \$296.13 |
| Change from previous week: | -\$11.36 |
| Sale price necessary to breakeven: | \$166.70 |

*CME Feeder Cattle Index Average for the week **5 Area Daily Weighted Average

Projected closeout for steers placed on feed this week:

• Projected Sale Date @ 150 days on feed = January 1, 2024

| *Cost of 750 lb. steer delivered @ \$244.59 per cwt. + \$15 freight: | \$1,849.43 |
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| Feed Cost for 600 lbs. @ \$1.21 per lb. | \$726.00 |
| Interest on cattle cost for 165 days: | \$70.30 |
| Interest on feed cost: | \$13.80 |
| Total Cost & Expense: | \$2,659.53 |
| **Sale proceeds: 1,350 lb. steer @ \$190.47 per cwt: | \$2,571.35 |
| This week's Profit/(Loss) per head: | (\$88.18) |
| Profit/(Loss) per head for previous week: | (\$181.36) |
| Change from previous week: | +\$93.18 |
| Sale price necessary to breakeven: | \$197.00 |

*CME Feeder Cattle Index Average for the week **February Live Cattle Futures Contract





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