

## Slaughter Steer Feedyard Close-Outs Current & Future (Projected) For the week ending May 21, 2021

## Current & Future (Projected) Feedyard Closeouts: Profit/(Loss)

**Closeout projections** are for cattle placed on feed by a cattle owner at a commercial feedyard and not for cattle owned by a feedyard and fed at cost or a farmer/feeder utilizing his own feed. Cattle cost, cost of gain, and selling price will vary on a regional basis.

## Typical closeout for un-hedged steers sold this week:

- Placed On Feed 150 days ago = December 22nd
- Projected P/(L) based on the futures when placed on feed: (\$83.96)

Cost of 750 lb. steer delivered @ \$138.60 per cwt:	\$1,039.50
Feed Cost for 600 lbs. @ \$1.08 per lb.	\$648.00
Interest on cattle cost for 165 days:	\$18.16
Interest on feed cost:	\$5.66
Total Cost & Expense:	\$1,711.31
Sale proceeds: 1,350 lb. steer @ \$119.70 per cwt:	\$1,615.95
This week's Profit/(Loss) per head:	(\$95.36)
Profit/(Loss) per head for previous week:	(\$97.59)
Change from previous week:	+\$2.23
Sale price necessary to breakeven:	\$126.76

## Projected closeout for steers placed on feed this week:

- Projected Sale Date @ 150 days on feed = October 18th
- Sale Proceeds based on the October Live Cattle Futures Contract

Cost of 750 lb. steer delivered @ \$132.85 per cwt:	\$996.38
Feed Cost for 600 lbs. @ \$1.22 per lb.	\$732.00
Interest on cattle cost for 165 days:	\$17.40
Interest on feed cost:	\$6.39
<b>Total Cost &amp; Expense:</b>	<b>\$1,752.17</b>
Sale proceeds: 1,350 lb. steer @ \$125.05 per cwt:	\$1,688.18
This week's Profit/(Loss) per head:	(\$63.99)
Profit/(Loss) per head for previous week:	<mark>(\$73.90)</mark>
Change from previous week:	+\$9.91
Sale price necessary to breakeven:	<b>\$129.79</b>



