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Weekly Market Summary
For the week ending January 2, 2026

Contributed to this week: Kindell Butler II Southern Plains cash steers sale, Kansas Farm Bureau Farm Bill Forum, Kansas Farm Bureau Farm Bill Forum, Kansas Farm Bureau Farm Bill Forum

	Feeder Steer			Heifer			Holstein Steer		
15 wk (41,000)	Feeder Steer	Heifer	Holstein Steer	Feeder Steer	Heifer	Holstein Steer	Feeder Steer	Heifer	Holstein Steer
Current	425.00	400.00	325.00	375.00	350.00	300.00	400.00	375.00	300.00
Last Week	425.00	400.00	325.00	375.00	350.00	300.00	400.00	375.00	300.00
Last Year	425.00	400.00	325.00	375.00	350.00	300.00	400.00	375.00	300.00
3-Year Avg.	425.00	400.00	325.00	375.00	350.00	300.00	400.00	375.00	300.00
5-Year Avg.	425.00	400.00	325.00	375.00	350.00	300.00	400.00	375.00	300.00

Annual Beef Cutaway

USDA Estimated Boxed Beef Cut and Value as of 8:00 PM CT 07/30/25

Source: Chicago Mercantile Exchange. Data is based on the current and prior trading sessions, using CME Group Inc. calculations.

	Current	Change
Choice Boxed Beef	379.00	-0.00
Select Boxed Beef	374.00	-0.00
Cutout Value	379.00	-0.00
Fabrication Value	374.00	-0.00

Load Count to Count Cattle Slaughter Ratio

	Current	Last Week	Last Year
Kansas	0.00	0.00	0.00
Nebraska	0.00	0.00	0.00
Texas	0.00	0.00	0.00
Colorado	0.00	0.00	0.00
Iowa	0.00	0.00	0.00

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Last Week's Trade Data

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Net sales of 15,700 MT for 2025-2026 primarily for Japan (2,000 MT), including decreases of 300 MT), corn (200 MT), including decreases of 100 MT), Dryed Distill Grains (DDG) (187,000 MT), including decreases of 300 MT), Hay (1,000 MT), including decreases of 1,000 MT), Pork (1,000 MT), including decreases of 1,000 MT), Sorghum (2,000 MT), including decreases of 2,000 MT), Soybean Meal (17,000 MT) and Cotton (2,000 MT).

Exports of 12,400 MT for corn (1,000 MT), Dryed Distill Grains (DDG) (187,000 MT), Soybean Meal (17,000 MT), Cotton (2,000 MT), including decreases of 400 MT), and Wine Grape Grapes (1,000 MT). Total Grain and Feed (1

Compared to last week: Fed steers and heifers weighed 3 lbs heavier and dressed 0.5 percentage points higher. Yearlings weighed 7 lbs heavier and dressed 1.0 percentage points higher. Carcass weights were up 2 lbs for steers and 10 lbs for all fed weights. Slaughter cows and bulls averaged 16 lbs heavier. Hot carcass weight for Holstein cows was 10 lbs heavier.

Tyson Foods, Inc. - Shelbyville, IN
Thursday, August 21, 2025
Total Head: 1,000
Compared to last week: Fed steers and heifers 1 cent higher, dressed 1.0% to 0.5% higher, and heifers 1 cent higher. Yearlings 1 cent higher. Cutter cows and bulls 10 cheaper. Feeder cattle mostly 10 to steady lower. Dressed sales were lower than the week ago and 10 to 20 cheaper. Feeders were 10 to 20 cheaper.

Springfield Livestock Auction - Springfield MO
Thursday, August 21, 2025
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South Central Regional Stockyards - Vienna, MO
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Roanoke Stockyard - Roanoke, AL
Thursday, August 21, 2025
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Blue Grass Stockyards - Albany KY
Thursday, August 21, 2025
Total Head: 1,000
Compared to last week: Feeder steers and heifers sold 5.00 to 7.00 higher. Feeder cows sold 10 cheaper.

Farmers & Ranchers Livestock Commission Center, Ashland, MT
Thursday, August 21, 2025
Total Head: 1,000
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Montana Livestock Auction - HELENA MT
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Tulsa Livestock Auction - Tulsa, OK
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Eastern Crockett Drive Cattle Report (ALMANSONARES)
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