

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 = January 17, 2023
- Projected P/(L) based on the futures when placed on feed: (\$140.81)

| *Cost of 750 lb. steer delivered @ \$182.03 per cwt. + \$15 freight: | \$1,380.23 |
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| Feed Cost for 600 lbs. @ \$1.29 per lb. | \$774.00 |
| Interest on cattle cost for 165 days: | \$46.80 |
| Interest on feed cost: | \$13.12 |
| Total Cost & Expense: | \$2,214.14 |
| **Sale proceeds: 1,350 lb. steer @ \$187.56 per cwt: | \$2,532.06 |
| This week's Profit/(Loss) per head: | \$317.92 |
| Profit/(Loss) per head for previous week: | \$312.38 |
| Change from previous week: | +\$5.54 |
| Sale price necessary to breakeven: | \$164.01 |

*CME Feeder Cattle Index **5 Area Daily Weighted Average

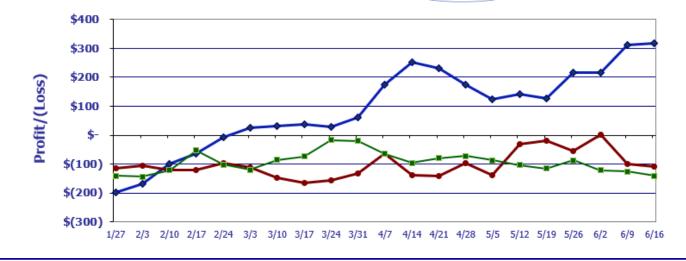
Projected closeout for steers placed on feed this week:

• Projected Sale Date @ 150 days on feed = November 13, 2023

| * Cost of 750 lb. steer delivered @ \$227.68 per cwt. + \$15 freight: Feed Cost for 600 lbs. @ \$1.21 per lb. | \$1,722.60 \$726.00 |
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| Interest on cattle cost for 165 days: | \$65.48 |
| Interest on feed cost: | \$13.80 |
| Total Cost & Expense: | \$2,527.88 |
| **Sale proceeds: 1,350 lb. steer @ \$179.10 per cwt: | \$2,417.85 |
| This week's Profit/(Loss) per head: | (\$110.03) |
| Profit/ <mark>(Loss)</mark> per head for previous week: Change from previous week: Sale price necessary to breakeven: | (\$101.28) -\$8.75 \$187.25 |

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