

# Livestock market and auction news

## Colorado Steer

Thursday, February 12  
Report supplied by USDA

LANCASTER — The estimated value of selected by-products from a 1000-pound steer for the week ended February 13, look like this.

	Weight Pounds	Avg Price This Week	Value This Week	Value Last Week
Hide	54.0	39.25	21.17	27.35
Edible Tallow	12.9	18.75	2.42	2.38
Inedible Tallow (Fancy)	45.0	17.75	7.99	7.76
Liver (Gall Off, Selected)	9.6	37.00	3.55	3.40
Lungs	4.7	5.75	.27	.27
Tongues, No. 1 White	3.2	103.00	3.30	3.45
Hearts, Regular, Bone Out	3.8	34.50	1.31	1.29
Tripe, Scalded	6.5	21.50	1.40	1.33
Honeycomb Tripe Bleached	1.5	50.00	.75	.75
Oxtails Selected	1.6	65.00	1.04	1.07
Cheek Meat, Trimmed	3.2	72.00	2.30	2.35
Head Meat	1.3	58.00	.75	.78
Laps (Unsladed)	1.1	48.75	.54	.54
Melts	1.4	7.00	.10	.10
Meat and Bone Meal (50% Bulk/Ton)	37.0	240.00	4.44	4.35
Blood Meal (85% Bulk/Ton)	6.0	385.00	1.15	1.15
Total	192.8		58.43	58.32

The estimated hide and offal value is based on current central un prices and average by-product yields. Allowances are made for condemnations of all edible products, but processing costs are not considered. Therefore, some differences may be evident between this estimate and the actual return obtained by individual packers.

The value of hide and offal from the average 1,000 pound slaughter steer for the week ending Feb. 13, was estimated at \$5.85 per 100 pound live weight compared with \$5.83 the previous week and \$6.65 a year ago.

Note: Hide weight trimmed, fleshed and brine cured. Hide value converted to trimmed, fleshed and brine cured return.

## Omaha Cattle

Thursday, February 12  
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Weekly 51 Cattle.

Slaughter Steers and Heifers 2.00-3.00 higher after being 3.00-4.00 higher under snowstorm conditions at midweek. Cows were forced 4.00-7.00 higher, bulls 1.00-2.00 higher.

Four day receipts this week 10,900; last week 12,000; year ago, 15,500.

The Steer and Heifer trade opened higher as dressed trade improved late the previous week. Further advances in the local live trade were influenced by weather at midweek, limited late trade under pressure however.

Steers made up 51 pct of the estimated five day total; Heifers 32 pct; Cows 15 pct. Feeders scarce.

STEERS: Mostly Choice 2-3 1125-1300 lbs. 62.75-63.50 Tuesday including five loads 1125-1150 lbs. 63.25-63.50 Choice 2-4 1050-1300 lbs. 61.00-62.50, few late sales 61.00-62.00 Choice and Prime 3-4 1200-1325 lbs. 60.00-61.00, to 61.75 Tuesday. Larger percentage 4 1250-1375 lbs. 57.00-61.00, few late sales 57.00-60.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1050-1250 lbs. 60.00-61.50, to 62.00 Wednesday Good 2-3 57.00-

60.50, to 61.75 Wednesday Few Good and Choice 2-3 1300-1525 lb. Holsteins during week 55.50-57.00.

HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 900-1125 lbs 60.00-61.50, two loads at midweek 62.00-62.75, part load late 62.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 57.00-59.50, few Good 56.00-58.00.

Average of LS 214 detailed quotations for Choice 900-1100 lbs 62.00; 1100-1300 lbs. 61.40. Average cost Steers this week 61.22, average weight 1201 lbs. as compared 58.24 and 1220 lbs. a week ago. Average cost Heifers 59.95, average weight 1038 lbs as compared 58.22 and 1053 lbs. a week ago.

COWS: Late sales Utility and Commercial 2-3 breaking type 46.50-46.75. Cutter and Utility 1-2 boning type 46.50-48.00. Few loads Canner and low-Cutter 46.00-46.50.

BULLS: 1-2 1300-1800 lbs. 52.00-55.00, few individual 1 56.00-58.50.

## Eighty-Four Auction

Monday, February 9  
Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE 145. Compared with last week's market, slaughter cows mostly \$2 higher. Few Choice slaughter steers 64.00-66.25, individual Good at 59.00, few Stan-

dard 56.25-58.50. Individual Choice slaughter heifer at 62.00, few Good 57.50-59.00. Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 44.00-49, few 51.00, Cutters 40.00-46, Canner and Low Cutters 38.00-43.50, Shells down to 28.00. Few Standard slaughter bullocks 54.50-56.50, few Utility 44.00-49.00. Few Yield Grade #1, 1000-1780 lbs. slaughter bulls 56.25-60.75. Few Medium and Large Frame #1, 3-450 lbs. feeder steers 57.00-61.00. Few Medium and Large Frame #1, 3-650 lbs. feeder heifers 50.00-63.00.

CALVES 278. Vealers unevenly steady. Few Prime vealers 110.00-117.50, Choice 95.00-104, Good 82.00-95, Standard and Good 90-120 lbs. 70.00-80, 70-90 lbs. 65.00-71.00, Utility 55-140 lbs. 55.00-65.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 85-125 lbs. 70.00-105; Hol. Heifers 85-125 lbs. 82.50-154.50; Beef cross bulls and heifers 70-90 lbs. 70.00-97; Good and Choice slaughter calves 2-350 lbs. 63.00-80.00.

HOGS 51. Barrows and gilts mostly \$1 higher. Lot US No. 1-2 225 lbs. barrows and gilts at 44.00, No 1-3 2-240 lbs. 41.25-43.25, few No. 2-3 250-285 lbs. 38.00-41.50. US No. 1-3 3-555 lbs. sows 38.00-44.00. Boars 25.00-34.50.

FEEDER PIGS 10. One lot US No 1-3 45 lbs. feeder pigs at 20.25 per head.

SHEEP 18. Few Choice 90-100 lbs. woolled slaughter lambs 60.00-64.00, lot Good 85 lbs. at 57.00, few lots Utility 60-70 lbs. at 45.00. Slaughter ewes 8 50-35.00.

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Pig Starter Pellets (PT MN)	18	3.5	4.5
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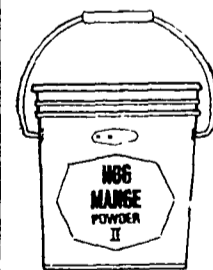
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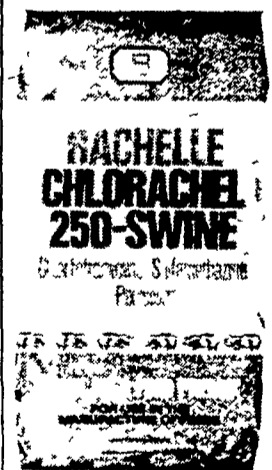
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