

Livestock market and auction news

Central U.S. Carlot Beef Report

Wednesday, May 2
Report supplied by USDA
Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 report: Steer and Heifer carcasses \$2.00 lower. Demand and movement light on ample supplies. However, packers turning rather firm at current levels. The gross

boxed beef carcass cut-out value declined \$.32 to an estimated \$103.13 per cwt., 124 loads boxed cuts reported.

Sales reported on 70 loads of Steer and Heifer carcasses.

STEER BEEF

FOB Omaha Basis
38 Loads

Choice 3 600-900 lbs. 99.00, 2.00 lower; 600-700 lbs. 99.50.
Choice 2 600-700 lbs. 100.00-100.50.

Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 97.00, mostly 2.00 lower.
Good 2 & Low 3 600-700 lbs. 97.00-97.50.

Heifer Beef

FOB Omaha Basis
32 Loads

Choice 3 550-700 lbs. 96.00, 2.00 lower; 500-550 lbs. 94.00, no comparison; 400-500 lbs. 92.00, no comparison.
Choice 2 600-700 lbs. 96.50-97.50.

Good 2-3 550-700 lbs. 95.00, 2.00 lower
Good 2 & Low 3 600-700 lbs. 95.50-96.00.

Cow Carcasses

FOB Omaha Basis
13 Loads

Prices steady to \$1.00 lower.
Canner & Cutter 1-2 350/up lbs. 74.00 (Midwest).

FOB Amarillo Basis

Bkrg Utility 2-3 450/up lbs. 71.00 (West).
Bng Utility 1-3 400/up lbs. 72.00-73.00 (West).

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Canner & Cutter 1-2 350/up lbs. 72.00-74.00.

Primal Beef Cuts

22 Loads
FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3 Hinds (H) 120-170 lbs. 114.00.
Good and Choice 2-3 Short Plates 64.50.

Boneless Processing Beef

Beef Trimmings
FOB Omaha Basis
157 Loads

90% Chem Lean Fresh 100.00-102.00, mostly 100.00-101.00.
90% Chem Lean Frozen 103.00-104.00.

50% Chem Lean Fresh 56.00-57.00, bulk 56.50.

FOB Amarillo Basis
90% Chem Lean Fresh 101.00-103.00, mostly 103.00.
90% Chem Lean Frozen 105.00.

85% Chem Lean Fresh 97.00.
50% Chem Lean Fresh 56.00-57.00.

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Pork Report
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Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 report: Fresh Pork Lions 14-17 lbs. \$1.00 to \$2.00 lower, 17-22 lbs. \$.50-1.00 lower. Picnics and Spareribs steady. Skinned Hams steady to \$1.50 higher. Sdls Bellies steady to \$2.00 higher, except 18-20 lbs. \$.50 lower. Trading active. Demand moderate to good for light to moderate offerings.

Sales reported on 84 loads of Fresh Pork Cuts and 16 loads of Trimmings and Boneless Processing Pork.

Fresh Pork Cuts
LOINS: (Regular) 14-17 lbs.

90.00, 1.00 lower; 17-22 lbs. 85.50-88.00, bulk 86.00-87.00; .50-1.00 lower; 22&up lbs. 85.75-87.00.

LOINS: (Retail Trim) 14-17 lbs. 100.00, 2.00 lower; 14-17 lbs. 103.00 short cut, no comparison; 16-22 lbs. 96.00-97.00, no comparison.

PICNICS: 4-8 lbs. 45.00-50.00, generally steady; 8/up lbs. **45.00**.

BOSTON BUTTS: 4-8 lbs. 69.00-72.00, no comparison.

SPARERIBS: 3.5/down lbs. 126.00, generally steady.

HAMS (Skinned): 14-17 lbs. 75.50, no comparison; 17-20 lbs. 70.00-72.00, mostly 71.50-72.00, .50-1.50 higher; 20-26 lbs. 66.25, generally steady; 26&up lbs. 61.50-64.50, no comparison.

BELLIES (Sdls -Skin On): 10-12 lbs. 52.50, .50 higher; 12-14 lbs. 56.00-57.50, steady-1.50 higher; 14-16 lbs. 57.00-58.50, steady-1.50 higher; 16-18 lbs. 57.00-57.50, 1.50-2.00 higher; 18-20 lbs. 52.00-53.00, .50 lower; 20-25 lbs. 50.50-52.50, no comparison.

Pork Trimmings
Boneless Processing Pork (Chemical Lean)

42% Lean Trimmings Fresh 52.25-53.25, weak.

72% Lean Trimmings Fresh 75.00.

72% Lean Trimmings Fresh 75.50.

72% Boneless Picnics Fresh 76.00.

75% Boneless Picnics **Fresh** 76.00-77.00.

New Holland Dairy

New Holland Sales Stables
Wednesday, May 2

Report supplied by auction
Reported receipts of 100 cows, 153 heifers, and 5 bulls.

Market steady.
Load of NY Fresh cows 910.00-1125.00.

Herd of 51 head, all stages cows 450.00-1350.00.

Load of PA Fresh cows 660.00-785.00.

Load of Frankling Co. Fresh cows 580.00-810.00.

Load of PA Fresh cows 775.00-950.00.
Locally consigned cows 485.00-1075.00.
Springing heifers 500.00-685.00.
Open heifers 275.00-390.00.

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