

Slaughter Steer Close-Outs Current & Future (Projected) For the week ending October 25, 2019

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. Prices, costs, and results will vary on a regional basis.

Typical closeout for un-hedged steers sold this week:

- Placed On Feed 165 days ago = May 13th
- Projected P/(L) based on the futures when placed on feed: (\$2.29)

Cost of 750 lb. steer delivered @ \$135.50 per cwt:	\$1,016.25
Feed Cost for 600 lbs. @ \$0.86 per lb.	\$516.00
Interest on cattle cost for 165 days:	\$28.71
Interest on feed cost:	\$7.29
Total Cost & Expense:	\$1,568.25
Sale proceeds: 1,350 lb. steer @ \$110.00 per cwt:	\$1,485.00
This week's Profit/(Loss) per head:	(\$83.25)
Profit/(Loss) per head for previous week:	(\$100.31)
Change from previous week:	+\$17.06
Sale price necessary to breakeven:	\$116.17

Projected closeout for steers placed on feed this week:

- Projected Sale Date @ 165 days on feed = April 7th
- Sale Proceeds based on the December Live Cattle Futures Contract

Cost of 750 lb. steer delivered @ \$145.50 per cwt:	\$1,091.25
Feed Cost for 600 lbs. @ \$0.78 per lb.	\$468.00
Interest on cattle cost for 165 days:	\$29.60
Interest on feed cost:	\$6.35
Total Cost & Expense:	\$1,595.20
Sale proceeds: 1,350 lb. steer @ \$114.90 per cwt:	\$1,551.15
This week's Profit/(Loss) per head:	(\$44.05)
Profit/(Loss) per head for previous week:	\$45.23
Change from previous week:	-\$89.28
Sale price necessary to breakeven:	\$118.16



Typical closeout for hedged steers sold this week:	(\$2.29)
Typical closeout for un-hedged steers sold this week:	(\$83.25)
Projected closeout for steers placed on feed this week:	(\$44.05)

