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**Federally Inspected Slaughter Cattle by Class:**  
Released by USDA Market News Service for last week.

Federally Inspected Slaughter Head & Percentage by Class - U.S.				
Cattle				
	Head		% of Total	
Steers	286,846		50.6%	
Heifers	177,541		31.3%	
Dairy Cows	52,190		9.2%	
Other Cows	40,571		7.2%	
Bulls	9,433		1.7%	
Total	566,581			

Livestock Slaughter under Federal Inspection:											
Livestock & Poultry Slaughter											
Current Day Slaughter											
	For Sep 12, 2025	Week Ago	Year Ago	Pre Week	Last Year	2025	2024	YTD	YTD	% Change	
Calves	1,000	1,000	919	5,000	4,000	3,954	90,210	148,834	148,834	-39.4%	
Cattle	95,000	118,000	118,989	514,000	481,000	69,045	20,513,648	22,061,285	22,061,285	-7.0%	
Sheep	473,000	471,000	479,472	2,420,000	1,932,000	2,418,130	87,960,936	89,966,600	89,966,600	-2.3%	
Chicken (Young)	4,000	4,000	2,717	35,000	28,000	35,908	1,348,208	1,336,660	1,336,660	0.9%	
Chicken (Young)	32,400,000	36,075,000	30,807,000	174,539,000	159,142,000	169,890,000	6,608,335,000	6,645,033,000	6,645,033,000	-0.6%	

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Calves	0	0	0	5,000	4,000	3,954	90,210	148,834	148,834	-39.4%	
Cattle	7,000	6,000	12,945	563,000	487,000	63,990	20,524,648	22,079,330	22,079,330	-7.0%	
Hogs	94,000	382,000	158,284	2,514,000	2,314,000	2,576,414	88,054,916	90,184,884	90,184,884	-2.3%	
Sheep	0	0	87	35,000	28,000	35,995	1,348,208	1,336,747	1,336,747	0.9%	
Chicken (Young)	2,539,000	4,497,000	0	17,078,000	163,639,000	169,890,000	6,610,874,000	6,645,033,000	6,645,033,000	-0.5%	

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**Boxed Beef Cutouts:**

**USDA Estimated Boxed Beef Cut-out Values as of 2:30 PM on 9/12/25**  
Based on negotiated prices and volume of boxed beef cuts delivered within 0-21 days and on average industry cutting yields. Values reflect U.S. dollars per 100 pounds.

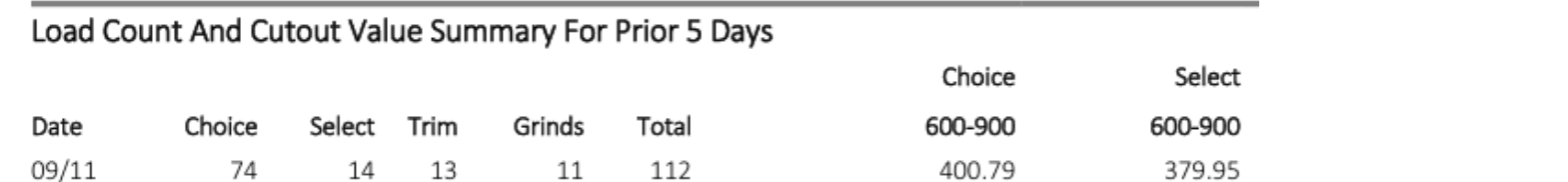
	Choice	Select
Current Cutout Values:	600.900	600.900
Change from prior day:	400.04	378.44
Choice/Select spread:	(0.75)	(1.51)
Total Load Count (Cuts, Trimings, Grinds):	21.60	128

Composite Primal Values		
Primal Rib	633.61	520.07
Primal Chuck	358.58	365.95
Primal Round	348.77	351.69
Primal Loin	477.13	427.14
Primal Brisket	319.21	303.30
Primal Shank	263.84	263.84
Primal Flat	232.22	230.14

Load Count And Cutout Value Summary For Prior 5 Days						
Date	Choice	Select	Trim	Grinds	Total	
09/11	74	14	13	11	112	
09/10	92	31	0	13	136	
09/09	95	36	6	19	156	
09/08	69	17	21	11	118	
09/05	83	13	8	15	120	
Current 5 Day Simple Average:						



**USDA National Steer & Heifer Estimated Grading Percent Report:**  
Released by USDA Market News Service for last week.



**Last Week's Trade Data:**

**Beef:**

**Net sales** of 12,100 MT for 2025 were down 27 percent from the previous week, but up 8 percent from the prior 4-week average. Increases were primarily for Japan (3,400 MT, including decreases of 300 MT), South Korea (2,400 MT, including decreases of 300 MT), Hong Kong (1,900 MT, including decreases of 100 MT), Mexico (900 MT, including decreases of 100 MT), and Taiwan (900 MT, including decreases of 100 MT).

**Exports** of 8,700 MT were down 25 percent from the previous week and 24 percent from the prior 4-week average. The destinations were primarily to Japan (2,800 MT), South Korea (2,500 MT), Taiwan (1,000 MT), Mexico (800 MT), and Hong Kong (500 MT).

**Pork:**

**Net sales** of 17,300 MT for 2025 were down 27 percent from the previous week and 35 percent from the prior 4-week average. Increases were primarily for China (8,200 MT, including decreases of 100 MT), Mexico (4,700 MT, including decreases of 700 MT), Honduras (1,500 MT), Canada (800 MT, including decreases of 200 MT), and Japan (300 MT, including decreases of 400 MT).

**Exports** of 23,400 MT were down 12 percent from the previous week and 13 percent from the prior 4-week average. The destinations were primarily to Mexico (11,100 MT), Japan (2,900 MT), China (2,100 MT), South Korea (2,000 MT), and Colombia (1,700 MT).

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**USDA National Retail Beef Report:**  
National Summary of Advertised Prices for Beef at Major Retail Supermarket Outlets

**This week in beef retail** the Feature Rate increased by 10.1% while the Activity Index increased by 10.2%. Compared to last week, items from the brisket, chuck, loin, rib, sirloin, other/misc., ground, and deli sections showed an increase in ad space while items from the round and variety meat sections showed a decrease. Carcass items remained steady.

Metric	Current Week (CW)	Previous Week (PW)	Previous Year (PY)
Total Outlets	24,824	24,824	23,759
Activity Index	106,841	96,912	88,657
Feature Rate (%)	87.7%	77.6%	82.0%

**Activity Index:** A measure of the absolute frequency of feature activity equal to the total number of stores for each advertised item, e.g., a retailer with 100 outlets featuring 3 items has an activity index of 300.

**Feature Rate:** The amount of sampled stores advertising any reported item during the current week, expressed as a percentage of the total sample.

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**Est. Weekly Meat Production Under Federal Inspection:**

**Total red meat production** under Federal inspection for the week ending Saturday 13th was estimated at 104.61 million lbs. according to the USDA Marketing Service. This was 12.0 percent higher than a week ago and 6.5 percent lower than a year ago. Cumulative meat production for the year to date was 3.3 percent lower compared to the previous year.

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**3 Year Bullish/Bearish Consensus Charts from SentimentTrader:**

**The theory behind the "Bullish/Bearish Consensus"** indicator is when the public reaches a consensus, they are usually wrong:

- They get too bullish after prices have risen and too bearish after they have already fallen.

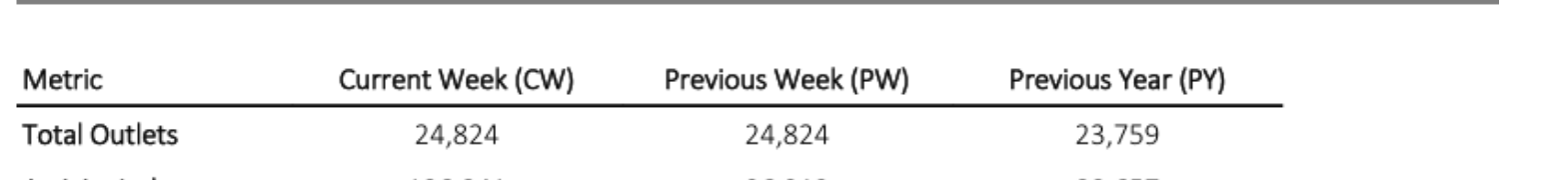
Because of this tendency, there are often extremes in opinion right before major changes in trend:

- When the public reaches a bullish extreme, i.e., a great majority thinks prices will keep rising, then prices often decline instead.
- And when they become too bearish, then prices tend to rise.

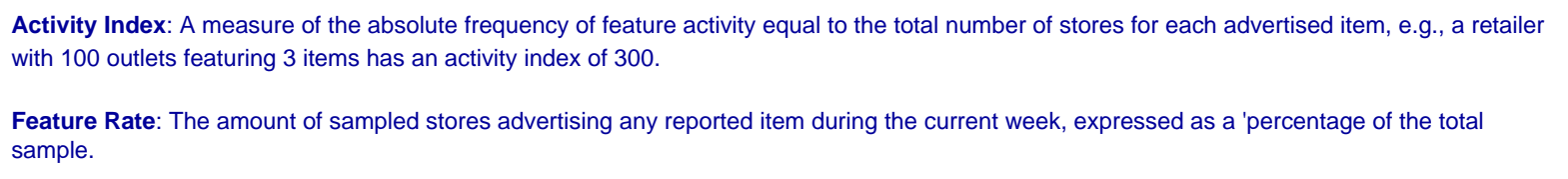
So when Public Opinion moves above the **red dotted line** in the chart, it means that compared to other readings over the past year, you're seeing **excessive optimism**. You also want to look at the absolute level of Opinion, too - if it's at 90%, then there's no question we're seeing an historic level of bullish opinion. Watch for readings above 80% (or especially 90%) to spot those dangerous times when the public is overly enthusiastic about a commodity.

Conversely, when Public Opinion moves below the **green dotted line**, then the public is **excessively pessimistic** about the commodity's prospects for further gains compared to their opinion over the past year. Looking for absolute readings under 20% (or especially 10%) often indicates an upturn in the market.

**Cattle Bullish/Bearish Consensus: 3 Year Chart**



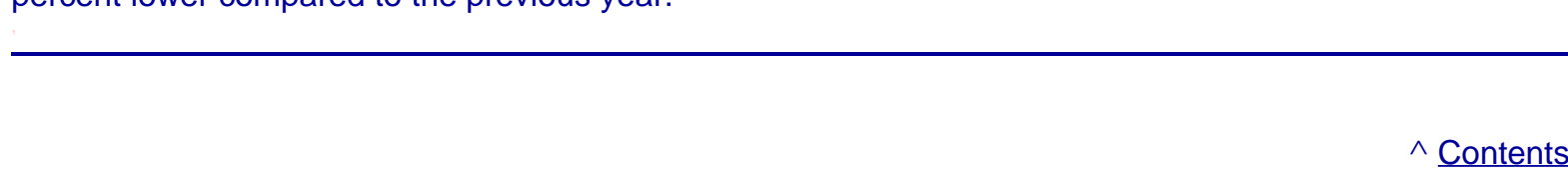
**Corn Bullish/Bearish Consensus: 3 Year Chart**



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**U.S. Dollar - 6 Month Chart:**

Over the past 5 years, an average of around 12% of U.S. beef production has been exported, making exports an extremely important factor affecting beef and cattle prices. A strong dollar depresses export demand.



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**Stock Markets & Economic News:**  
**T. Rowe Price**

**Stocks climb higher amid rate cut expectations and AI optimism**

Most major U.S. stock indexes finished the week higher ahead of the Federal Reserve's September 16–17 monetary policy meeting, at which the central bank is widely expected to lower short-term interest rates. Enthusiasm surrounding the ongoing artificial intelligence (AI) boom—supported by Oracle's announcement of a substantial guidance increase amid several large new AI deals—also helped lift major indexes.

The Dow Jones Industrial Average, S&P 500 Index, and Nasdaq Composite all notched new record highs during the week, although the Dow and S&P 500 both pulled back modestly in a relatively quiet trading session on Friday. The Russell 2000 Index also advanced, logging its sixth straight week of gains.

**Consumer sentiment dips in September**

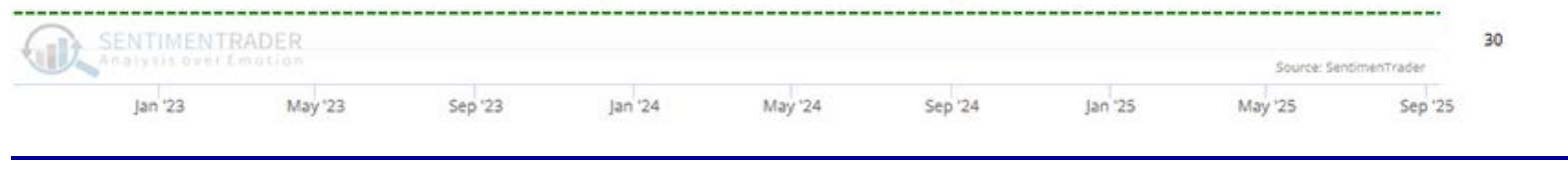
The economic calendar wrapped up on Friday morning with the preliminary results for the University of Michigan's Index of Consumer Sentiment for September. The index reported showed a decline in overall sentiment from the prior month, dropping to 55.4 from 58.2 in August, although it remained above the lows for the year that came in April and May.

**U.S. Stocks:**

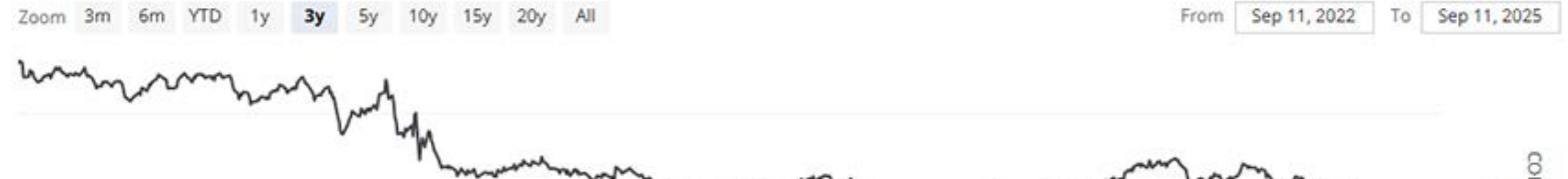
Index	Friday's Close	Week's Change	% Change YTD
DJIA	45,834.22	433.36	7.73%
S&P 500	6,584.29	102.79	11.95%
Nasdaq Composite	22,141.10	440.71	14.66%
S&P MidCap 400	3,282.40	-14.37	5.17%
Russell 2000	2,397.06	6.00	7.48%

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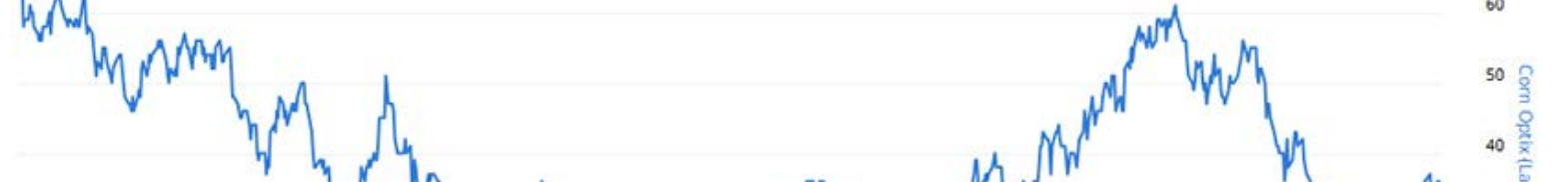
**Conditions worsened** in every region in the eastern half of the U.S., including the Northeast, Mid-Atlantic, South/Southeast, and Midwest. However, there were a few exceptions (e.g., eastern Kentucky).



**Cattle Areas in Drought**  
Reflects September 9, 2025 U.S. Drought Monitor data



**Canadian 90-Day Percent of Average Precipitation:**





Sale Reported:  
Last Year:  
Sale report unavailable.

**Roswell Livestock Auction - Roswell NM**

This Week: 1,481  
Last Reported: 742  
Last Year: 1,383  
Compared to last weeks sale on Tuesday: Steer calves 300-400 lbs sold 2.00-15.00 higher and 400-500 lbs were 12.00-19.00 higher with 500-600 lbs being 13.00-20.00 higher. Feeder steers 600-700 lbs sold 3.00-15.00 higher and 700-750 lbs were 7.00 lower. Heifer calves 300-450 lbs sold steady and 450-550 lbs were 10.00-20.00 higher. Feeder heifers 650-700 lbs sold steady-5.00 higher. Trade was very good on larger numbers with active demand. Slaughter cows sold 5.00 lower, few 1.00 higher and slaughter bulls were 6.00-12.00 higher.

**Joplin Reg. Stockyards Feeder Cattle - Carthage MO**

This Week: 11,852  
Last Reported: 10,357  
Last Year: 14,228  
Compared to the sale 2 weeks ago feeder steers under 450 lbs. sold 10.00-15.00 lower. Heavier weights sold steady to 10.00 higher. Feeder heifers sold unevenly from 8.00 lower to 10.00 higher. Supply was heavy with good demand.

**Callaway Livestock Center - Kingdom City MO**

This Week: 2,519  
Last Reported: 2,381  
Last Year: 2,635  
Compared to two weeks ago, steer calves weighing 400-450 lbs sold with a firm to higher undertone on a light test, with 450-500 lbs trading 15.00-20.00 higher, 500-700 lbs sold mostly 7.00-15.00 higher and over 700 lbs sold with a firm to higher undertone on few comparisons. Heifer calves weighing 400-450 lbs sold steady to firm on a light test, with 450-550 lb heifer calves trading 5.00-10.00 higher, spots 15.00 higher, 550-650 lbs sold fully steady to firm over 650 lbs were lightly tested.

**Mid-South Livestock - Unionville TN**

This Week: 1,716  
Last Reported: 0  
Last Year: 1,792  
Compared to the last sale, Feeder Steers/Bulls 2.00-8.00 higher; Feeder Heifers steady to 5.00 higher; Slaughter Cows steady to 3.00 lower; Slaughter Bulls 3.00 lower.

**Saluda Livestock Exchange - Saluda, SC**

This Week: 853  
Last Reported: 715  
Last Year: 1,101  
Compared to last week, feeder steers and feeder heifers 2.00 lower, feeder bulls 3.00 higher based on limited comparable sales, slaughter cows unevenly steady, slaughter bulls 2.00 higher. Moderate offerings of plain to average quality cattle with active buyer participation.

**United Producers Inc. - Harned KY**

This Week: 1,059  
Last Reported: 795  
Last Year: 983  
No trends for comparison due to Labor Day Holiday last week.

**Tuesday Auctions:**

**Miles City Livestock Commission Auction - Miles City, MT**

This Week: 1,153  
Last Reported: 463  
Last Year: 1,374  
Compared to last sale(8/26/25): Feeder steers were too lightly tested today to develop any market trend. Yearling heifers under 850 lbs sold steady to 5.00 higher, heifers over 850 lbs sold 10.00-15.00 lower. Demand for all feeder offerings was moderate to good. Quality this week was mostly average to very attractive with many sets of replacement quality, tested open heifers coming off grass. Most yearlings were offered in a small to moderate size packages. Demand was mostly moderate to good as buyers pieced together loads.

**Winter Livestock Auction - Riverton, WY**

This Week: 1,006  
Last Reported: 333  
Last Year: 619  
First calf and yearling special this fall season with mostly yearlings and few calves. No comparisons available as summer months no sales were reported. Good offering with few slaughter cows mostly slaughter bulls with active buyer participation and good demand.

**Winter Livestock - La Junta CO**

This Week:  
Last Reported:  
Last Year:  
No sale report this week.

**OKC West Livestock Auction - El Reno, OK**

This Week: 3,000  
Last Reported: 7,654  
Last Year: 8,891  
Compared to last week: Steer and heifer calves 15.00-20.00 lower. The bulk of supply consisted of unweaned bulls with no shots, and they traded at a sharp discount. With the weather turning inconsistent and temperatures swinging up and down, calf health is beginning to slip. Demand has softened for unweaned calves carrying no shots.

**Lonestar Stockyards - Wildorado, TX**

This Week: 1,103  
Last Reported: 463  
Last Year: 894  
Compared to last week: Steers and heifers traded mostly 4.00 to 5.00 lower on all classes. The softer market was in line with the CME Feeder Cattle Board, which closed down the limit on all contract months. Quality was a little plainer than the previous week, but larger bunches of cattle on offer and still attracted stronger buyer interest despite condition. Despite a lower market trading activity was mostly active on moderate buyer demand. Not enough comparable sales on slaughter cows due to last weeks light test.

**Ozarks Regional Stockyards - West Plains MO**

This Week: 3,142  
Last Reported: 1,943  
Last Year: 2,480  
Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers were 2.00-4.00 lower. Steer and heifer calves were very uneven from 6.00 lower to 6.00 higher. Peeewe calves were sharply lower. Demand was moderate on a heavy supply. One stick-out sale was a draft of 19 hd. of 510 lb. steers which sold for 480.00/cwt. Cooler temperatures, drought conditions, and leveling prices had trailers backed up to the highway. Long-time weaned and vaccinated calves had no trouble matching the highs from the previous week, however most of the calves through the ring were short-weaned and not as attractive to the buyers.

**Mid-State Stockyards LLP - Letohatchee, AL**

This Week: 1,490  
Last Reported: 1,308  
Last Year: 2,321  
Compared to one week ago: Slaughter cows sold steady to 2.00 lower. Slaughter bulls sold 4.00 higher. Replacement cows sold steady. Feeder heifers sold unevenly steady. Feeder steers and bulls under 500 lbs sold 3.00 to 7.00 higher. Feeder steers and bulls over 500 lbs sold 4.00 to 5.00 lower.

**Calhoun Stockyard - Calhoun, GA**

This Week: 486  
Last Reported: 304  
Last Year: 580  
Compared to one week ago, slaughter cows unevenly steady, slaughter bulls steady to 3.00 lower, feeder steers mostly steady, feeder bulls and heifers unevenly steady, replacement cows mostly steady.

**Blue Grass Stockyards - Lexington, KY**

This Week: 1,613  
Last Reported: 1,981  
Last Year: 2,369  
Compared to last Tuesday the feeder market was uneven and spotty with a good quality offering. Feeder steers and heifers were steady to 6.00 lower or greater in spots with a good supply and moderate demand. An increasing supply of fat bawling calves, and nearly a double digit drop in the futures market has limited the premium buyers are will to pay and increased discounts for plainer or off colored cattle. Slaughter cows and bulls were 1.00 to 3.00 lower with a good supply and moderate demand.

**Producers Livestock Auction - Salina, UT**

This Week: 1,748  
Last Reported: 926  
Last Year: 0  
Compared to last week, feeder cattle sold sharply lower on calves and yearlings. Slaughter cows sold 2.00 to 5.00 lower. Slaughter bulls sold 2.00 to 4.00 lower. Trade was active with good demand across all classes of livestock with active buyer participation ringside and on the internet, with a heavy supply.

**Wednesday Auctions:**

**Hub City Livestock Auction - Aberdeen SD**

This Week: 2,415  
Last Reported: 1,961  
Last Year: 3,765  
Compared to last week: best test on steers 850 to 899 lbs 10.00 to 15.00 lower with instances up to 25.00 lower, 950 to 1049 lbs mostly steady. Heifers not well compared. Very good demand for yearling cattle today. This offering included several strings of fancy steers and heifers coming off grass as well as many packages of tested open heifers.

**Bassett Livestock Auction - Bassett NE**

This Week:  
Last Reported:  
Last Year:  
Next Auction Date: Sept 17th Special Feeder Cattle Auction

**Huss Platte Valley Auction - Kearney NE**

This Week: 4,358  
Last Reported: 1,763  
Last Year: 0  
Compared to two weeks ago, steers over 800 lbs sold steady to 10.00 lower and heifers over 800 lbs sold 10.00 to 20.00 lower. Demand was moderate to good from the buyers in the crowd. Trade was very good on the offering was yearling steers and heifers coming off the summer grass with some coming out of the grow yards. Some packages of preg checked open heifers and bawling spring calves also sold in the mix.

**OKC West - El Reno OK**

This Week: 7,130  
Last Reported: 7,654  
Last Year: 8,891  
Compared to last week: Feeder steers 2.00-7.00 lower. Feeder heifers 2.00-7.00 lower except 600-700lbs 5.00 higher, online buyers were aggressive for 6 weight heifers. Feeder quality was plain to average. Steer and heifer calves 15.00-20.00 lower. The bulk of calf supply consisted of unweaned bulls with no shots, and they traded at a sharp discount.

**Clovis Livestock Auction - Clovis, NM**

This Week:  
Last Reported:  
Last Year:  
Sale report unavailable.

**Winter Livestock Feeder Cattle Auction - Dodge City KS**

This Week: 1,146  
Last Reported: 2,455  
Last Year: 1,883  
Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers over 600 lbs not well tested, softer undertone noted. Steers and heifers under 600 lbs sold steady to 10.00 lower, several lots of small packages that were unvaccinated. Slaughter cows sold steady to 3.00 higher.

**Bloomfield Livestock Market - Bloomfield, IA**

This Week: 1,500  
Last Reported: 2,130  
Last Year: 1,150  
Annual Early Bird Calf Special was held today. Steer and heifer prices are not well compared. Demand was good today and included active internet bidding. Supply was heavy and included mostly unweaned calves as well as smaller strings of cattle.

**Springfield Livestock Auction - Springfield MO**

This Week: 2,201  
Last Reported: 939  
Last Year: 1,303  
Compared to last week, steers sold from 10.00 lower to 6.00 higher based on limited comparisons last week. Heifers also saw an uneven range of 5.00 higher to 8.00 lower.

**South Central Regional Stockyards - Vienna, MO**

This Week: 1,589  
Last Reported: 1,011  
Last Year: 1,225  
Compared to the sharply higher trade two weeks ago, feeder steers under 550 lbs 4.00-8.00 lower, over 550 lbs 8.00-12.00 lower. Feeder heifers under 600 lbs 15.00-30.00 lower, over 600 lbs 5.00-15.00 lower. Demand moderate. Supply moderate. Slaughter cows steady.

**Roanoke Stockyard - Roanoke AL**

This Week: 1,120  
Last Reported: 1,116  
Last Year: 0  
Compared to one week ago: Feeder steers sold 5.00 to 7.00 higher, feeder heifers sold 3.00 to 5.00 higher, feeder bulls sold 5.00 to 7.00 lower. Slaughter cows sold 3.00 to 4.00 higher, slaughter bulls sold 4.00 to 5.00 higher. Replacement cows and pairs sold mostly steady.

**Blue Grass Stockyards - Albany KY**

This Week: 1,185  
Last Reported: 889  
Last Year: 762  
Compared to last week: Feeder steers sold 8.00 to 12.00 lower. Feeder heifers sold steady to 5.00 lower in spots. Slaughter cows and bulls sold 2.00 to 4.00 lower.

**Thursday Auctions:**

**Billings Livestock Commission Cattle Auction - Billings, MT**

This Week: 676  
Last Reported: 1,629  
Last Year: 625  
Compared to last sale: All feeder cattle were too lightly tested to develop any market trend. Too few offerings were seen today for buyers to build loads which also hindered demand.

**Mitchell Livestock Auction - Mitchell SD**

This Week:  
Last Reported:  
Last Year:  
No sale report this week.

**Valentine Livestock Auction - Valentine NE**

This Week: 2,470  
Last Reported: 2,460  
Last Year: 4,380  
Compared with last week 850 to 900 lbs steers traded 10.00 lower and no comparable offerings for heifers a trend will not be given. Demand was good with several buyers at the barn and active internet bidding. Next Auction Date Oct 2nd.

**Apache Livestock Auction - Apache, OK**

This Week: 3,161  
Last Reported: 2,629  
Last Year: 2,242  
Compared to last week: Feeder steers and feeder heifers 10.00 to 12.00 lower. Steer calves and heifer calves 5.00 to 10.00 lower. Un-weaned steer and heifer calves sold significantly lower. Quality fair to attractive with good demand. Slaughter cows steady to 4.00 lower. Slaughter bulls 2.00 lower.

**Woodward Wld Avg Cattle - Woodward OK**

This Week: 1,243  
Last Reported: 1,438  
Last Year: 2,535  
Compared to last week: Feeder steers 5.00 to 6.00 higher. Feeder heifers 10.00 to 15.00 higher. Steer calves mostly steady. Heifer calves steady to 6.00 lower. Demand was moderate. Quality average.

**Winter Livestock Auction - Pratt KS**

This Week: 1,311  
Last Reported: 2,411  
Last Year: 1,477  
Compared to last week, feeder steers 700 lb to 925 lb sold unevenly steady, from 5.00 higher to 5.00 lower. Not enough steers 400 lb to 700 lb for a market test, however a lower trend was noted. Feeder heifers 600 lb to 900 lb sold 2.00 to 9.00 higher Not enough heifers from 400 lb to 600 lb for a market test, however a steady trend was noted. Demand was good. Slaughter cows and bulls sold steady.

**Farmers & Ranchers Livestock - Salina KS**

This Week: 1,684  
Last Reported: 1,640  
Last Year: 3,163  
Lighter run of cattle this week with good demand. Compared to last week, steers weighing 750 to 900 lbs sold 4.00 to 8.00 lower. Heifers 750 to 900 lbs sold steady to 2.00 lower and 700 lb heifers sold 10.00 lower.

**Cattleman's Livestock Auction - Dalhart TX**

This Week: 2,277  
Last Reported: 1,862  
Last Year: 2,005  
Compared to last week: There were too few comparable sales on steer and heifer calves to determine a trend, however, a much lower undertone was noted following a lesser demand, the bigger end of the steers though more with higher prices and greater demand. Feeder steers weighing 700-750 brought 5.50 higher.

**Tulia Livestock Auction - Tulia, TX**

This Week: 1,156  
Last Reported: 602  
Last Year: 1,183  
Compared to last week: Feeder steers and heifers sold 2.00 to 6.00 lower. Demand moderate to good, with the CME cattle futures closing in the red most of the week.

**New Cambria Livestock Market - New Cambria, MO**

This Week:  
Last Reported:  
Last Year:  
No sale report this week.

**Bluegrass Stockyards South - Stanford KY**

This Week: 1,582  
Last Reported: 2,438  
Last Year: 1,517  
Compared to last Thursday: Feeder steers under 400 lbs sharply lower, with 400-500 lbs 6.00-10.00 higher, over 500 lbs 6.00-10.00 lower. Feeder and yearling heifers mixed with most weight classes 6.00-10.00 lower, Moderate demand for feeder and yearling classes. Slaughter cows 8.00-10.00 lower, Slaughter bulls 3.00-5.00 lower. Moderate demand for slaughter classes.

**Paris Stockyards - Paris KY**

This Week: 2,399  
Last Reported: 2,107  
Last Year: 2,774  
Compared to last week: Feeder steers sold 3.00 to 6.00 lower. Feeder heifers sold steady to 3.00 lower. There was moderate to good demand for feeder and yearling classes. Strongest demand noted for weaned and vaccinated calves. The newer crop of fleshy bawling calves entering the market facing discounts. Slaughter cows sold 4.00 to 6.00 lower. Slaughter bulls sold steady to 2.00 lower.

**Toppenish Livestock Auction - Toppenish, WA**

This Week: 1,500  
Last Reported: 1,030  
Last Year: 1,100  
Compared to last Thursday, stocker and feeder cattle firm. CME Feeder cattle futures are pushing higher on Thursday, with \$1.85 to \$2.10 gains at midday. The CME Feeder Cattle Index was down 39 cents at \$365.47 on September 9. Slaughter cows 1.00-3.00 higher. Slaughter bulls steady. Trade active with very good demand.

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**Colorado Direct Cattle Report**

This Week: 4,869  
Last Reported: 3,767  
Last Year: 6,252  
Compared to last week: Feeder steers 900lbs 7.00 lower. All other classes of cattle no comparable trades from last week. Demand moderate. Supply included: 100% Feeder Cattle (42.8% Steers, 57.2% Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 100%. Unless otherwise noted, Feeder Cattle prices FOB based on net weights after a 2-3% shrink or equivalent, with a 8-15 cent slide > 600 lbs. Livestock reported this week originated from CO, KS, KY, ND, OK, TN, TX.

**Eastern Cornbelt Direct Cattle Report (IL/IN/MI/MN/OH/KY)**

This Week: 429  
Last Reported: 136  
Last Year: 1,710  
Compared to last week: Not enough comparable sales on feeder steers or heifers for a market trend. Buyer demand was moderate to good. Supply included: 100% Feeder Cattle (54.8% Steers, 45.2% Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 100%. Unless otherwise noted, Feeder Cattle prices FOB based on net weights after a 2-3% shrink or equivalent, with a 8-16 cent slide > 600 lbs. Livestock reported this week originated from KY.

**Kansas Direct Feeder Cattle Report**

This Week: 2,117  
Last Reported: 2,456  
Last Year: 4,613  
Compared to last week: Not enough comparable sales on feeder steers or heifers but a sharply lower undertone was noted, which fell in line with the area auctions and the CME board trading down throughout the week. Fall delivery cattle traded mostly steady. Buyer demand was moderate to good. Supply included: 100% Feeder Cattle (16.9% Steers, 8.2% Dairy Steers, 74.9% Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 91%. Unless otherwise noted, Feeder Cattle prices FOB based on net weights after a 2% shrink or equivalent, with a 8-12 cent slide >600 lbs. Livestock reported this week originated from CO, KS, NM, OK.

**Missouri Direct Cattle Report**

This Week: 284  
Last Reported:  
Last Year:  
No trades reported

**Montana Direct Cattle Report**

This Week:  
Last Reported:  
Last Year:  
No trades this week for a trend.

**New Mexico Direct Cattle Report**

This Week: 1,149  
Last Reported: 210  
Last Year: 1,955  
Compared to last week: Not enough comparable sales on feeder steers or heifers for a market trend. Buyer demand was moderate to good. Supply included: 100% Feeder Cattle (13.9% Steers, 15.1% Dairy Steers, 70.9% Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 84%. Unless otherwise noted, Feeder Cattle prices FOB based on net weights after a 2% shrink or equivalent, with a 8-12 cent slide > 600 lbs. and 15-20 cent slide < 600 lbs. Livestock reported this week originated from NM.

**Northwest Direct Cattle Report (WA/OR/ID/UT)**

This Week: 178  
Last Reported: 1,865  
Last Year: 479  
All cattle were at delivered prices. Demand moderate Supply included: 100% Feeder Cattle (42.1% Steers, 57.9% Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 100%. Unless otherwise noted, Feeder Cattle prices FOB based on net weights after a 2% shrink or equivalent, with a 8-12 cent slide > 600 lbs. Livestock reported this week originated from ID, OR, WA.

**Oklahoma Direct Cattle Report**

This Week: 2,210  
Last Reported: 2,586  
Last Year: 5,132  
Compared to last week: Feeder steers steady to 5.00 lower. Feeder heifers 1.00-7.00 lower. Demand moderate. Supply included: 100% Feeder Cattle (64.3% Steers, 35.7% Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 96%. Unless otherwise noted, Feeder Cattle prices FOB based on net weights after a 2-3% shrink or equivalent, with a 8-14 cent slide > 600 lbs. and 18 cent slide < 600 lbs. Livestock reported this week originated from OK, TX.

**Southeast Direct Cattle Report (AL/AR/FL/GA/LA/MS/TN)**

This Week: 1,565  
Last Reported: 1,357  
Last Year: 1,941  
Compared to last week: Current FOB steers and heifers sold with a lower undertone on limited comparable sales. Demand was moderate. The cattle index closed in the red to start off the trading week. Supply included: 100% Feeder Cattle (85.6% Steers, 14.4% Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 100%. Unless otherwise noted, Feeder Cattle prices FOB based on net weights after a 2-3% shrink or equivalent, with up to a 15 cent slide >600 lbs and up to a 20 cent slide <600 lbs. Livestock reported this week originated from AL, AR, GA, MS, TN.

**Southwest Direct Cattle Report (AZ/CA/NV)**

This Week: 1,370  
Last Reported: 2,370  
Last Year: 480  
Compared to last week, dairy steers sold steady. Trade active, demand very good. Supply included: 100% Feeder Cattle (100% Dairy Steers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 0%. Unless otherwise noted, Feeder Cattle prices FOB based on net weights after a 2-3% shrink or equivalent, with a 5-10 cent slide on calves, 3- 6 cent slide on yearlings. Delivered prices included freight, commissions, and other expenses. Livestock reported this week originated from ID, KY, NM.

**Texas Direct Cattle Report**

This Week: 11,109  
Last Reported: 8,701  
Last Year: 22,154  
Compared to last week: Current FOB steers and heifers were 4.00 to 8.00 lower. Demand was moderate to good. Large drops in the CME index kicked off the trading week. Supply included: 100% Feeder Cattle (60.9% Steers, 39.1% Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 98%. Unless otherwise noted, Feeder Cattle prices FOB based on net weights after a 2-3% shrink or equivalent, with up to a 15 cent slide >600 lbs and up to a 20 cent slide <600 lbs. Livestock reported this week originated from AL, GA, KY, MS, NM, OK, SC, TX.

**Wyoming-Nebraska Direct Cattle Report**

This Week: 247  
Last Reported: 270  
Last Year: 4,425  
No comparable FOB trades this week for a market comparison. Demand was good. Supply included: 100% Feeder Cattle (53.4% Steers, 46.6% Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 100%. Unless otherwise noted, Feeder Cattle prices FOB based on net weights after a 3% shrink or equivalent, with a 13 cent slide > 600 lbs. Livestock reported this week originated from KS.

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