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Weekly Market Summary

For the week ending June 6, 2026

Compared to last week Fed cattle, feeder cattle, and wholesale cutout were lower; cash cattle trended higher. Slaughter cattle were mixed with corn lower.

Cattle/Beef Market Strength Indexes

30 Day Cattle Transition	30 Day Index Transition
Change from Previous Week: +0.78%	**Change from 60 Days Ago:** -5.42%
Change from 60 Days Ago: -2.34%	**Change from Year Ago:** +0.78%
Change from Year Ago: +0.78%	**Change from 2 Years Ago:** +0.78%

Use of the Cattle Index (CI) for Hedge Market Analysis is recommended for the previous trading day.

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Chart your "Market Watch" (or stocks) in the WSJ.

- Government Cuts Cattle Inventories Significantly Appraised Six Years Weeks Successors
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- USDA Confirms Foreign Cattle Are Free World Government in the United States
- Cattle Futures Long Term Market Outlook
- Farmer Demand Remains Strong Under Cattle Futures Long Term Market
- U.S. Businesses created 123,000 New Jobs in May, Largest Increase in 26 Months
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Market Overview

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Live Cattle	05/29/26	Last Week	1 Month Ago	1 Year Ago	Net Ch.	% Ch.
Cash Cattle	236.00	235.00	236.00	238.00	+1.00	+0.42
Live Cattle Futures	**239.67**	**241.32**	**239.67**	**238.37**	**-1.65**	**-0.68**
June	239.67	241.32	239.67	238.37	-1.65	-0.68
August	240.90	242.57	240.90	239.60	-1.67	-0.69
October	242.57	244.22	242.57	241.27	-1.65	-0.68
Feeder Cattle	**357.00**	**360.00**	**357.00**	**352.00**	**-3.00**	**-0.83**
August	357.00	360.00	357.00	352.00	-3.00	-0.83
September	357.00	360.00	357.00	352.00	-3.00	-0.83
October	357.00	360.00	357.00	352.00	-3.00	-0.83
Fed Cattle	**239.00**	**239.00**	**239.00**	**240.00**	**0.00**	**0.00**
June	239.00	239.00	239.00	240.00	0.00	0.00
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Avg. National Prices	**05/29/26**	**Last Week**	**1 Month Ago**	**1 Year Ago**	**Net Ch.**	**% Ch.**
Fed Cattle	239.00	239.00	239.00	240.00	0.00	0.00
Feeder Cattle	357.00	360.00	357.00	352.00	-3.00	-0.83
Boxed Beef Cutout	**370.00**	**370.00**	**370.00**	**367.00**	**0.00**	**0.00**
Choice	370.00	370.00	370.00	367.00	0.00	0.00
Select	370.00	370.00	370.00	367.00	0.00	0.00
Cattle Cost Cut Out	236.34	235.34	235.52	235.77	207.08	
Cattle Kill Pattern	**05/29/26**	**Last Week**	**1 Month Ago**	**1 Year Ago**	**Net Ch.**	**% Ch.**
Fed Cattle	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	0.00	0.00
Grass Cow	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	0.00	0.00
Dairy Cow	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.00	0.00
U.S. Total Fed	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	0.00	0.00
U.S. Total Fed Kill	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	0.00	0.00

National Feeder & Slaughter Cattle Auction Receipts

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Weekly Feeder & Slaughter Cattle Marketings

The Feeder & Slaughter Cattle prices below are seasonally averaged prices compiled to show the overall seasonal price movement. Use these charts to see if your market is trading in line with seasonal norms.

Weekly Cash Cattle Prices

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Jul 26 - Jun 26, Futures	05/29/26	Last Week	1 Month Ago	Last Year	Net Ch.	% Ch.
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Feeder Cattle	357.00	360.00	357.00	352.00	-3.00	-0.83
Fed Cattle	239.00	239.00	239.00	240.00	0.00	0.00
Boxed Beef	370.00	370.00	370.00	367.00	0.00	0.00
Corn	450.00	450.00	450.00	450.00	0.00	0.00
Wheat	550.00	550.00	550.00	550.00	0.00	0.00
North Central Avg.	**236.00**	**235.00**	**236.00**	**238.00**	**+1.00**	**+0.42**
Nebraska	236.00	235.00	236.00	238.00	+1.00	+0.42
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Iowa	236.00	235.00	236.00	238.00	+1.00	+0.42
South Central Avg.	**236.78**	**234.67**	**234.13**	**237.22**	**+2.10**	**+0.89**
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Feedyard Closeouts	**235.78**	**238.38**	**233.67**	**236.00**	**-2.60**	**-1.10**
Nebraska	235.78	238.38	233.67	236.00	-2.60	-1.10
Kansas	235.78	238.38	233.67	236.00	-2.60	-1.10
Texas	235.78	238.38	233.67	236.00	-2.60	-1.10
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Overall Average	**235.67**	**236.54**	**231.42**	**237.48**	**-0.87**	**-0.37**
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Weekly Feeder & Fed Steers Moving Average

October 2, 2006 thru June 5, 2026

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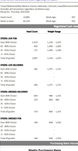

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Avg. Heifer/Cow Mix, Jerkins, Northwest TX

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"Stocker's Big Bull" Weekly Analysis

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Transcribe this Weekly Analysis

As my opinion, this will be a very simple commentary to write. I have no idea what the next most profitable trade is for the stocker. I have no idea what the next most profitable trade is for the feedyard. I have no idea what the next most profitable trade is for the packer/processor and the deli/retail trade. The very differences in these trades are what keeps the cattle business so interesting. Each of these segments of the Beef Production and Marketing system focused on the short end of the by being across the board. The cycle of the cattle business is the cycle of the cattle business. The cycle of the cattle business is the cycle of the cattle business and the cycle of the cattle business is the cycle of the cattle business. The cycle of the cattle business is the cycle of the cattle business and the cycle of the cattle business is the cycle of the cattle business. Thursday's low and over the higher price action to make adjustments to. The ability to forecast the top and bottom of the market is the ability to forecast the top and bottom of the market. The ability to forecast the top and bottom of the market suggests knowing what

	Prior Week	Week Ago
Current Cotton Index	77.45	77.45
4 Week Average	77.45	77.45
Year Ago	77.45	77.45
Source: Cotton Incorporated / Cotton Farming - Economic Outlook		

Comparable Period Values

Current Crop	77.45	77.45
Prior Crop	77.45	77.45
Current Year	77.45	77.45
Prior Year	77.45	77.45
Two Years Ago	77.45	77.45
Three Years Ago	77.45	77.45
Four Years Ago	77.45	77.45
Five Years Ago	77.45	77.45

USDA National Weekly Ending Friday Cotton Export Sales

Current Crop
Current Crop Net Sales
Current Crop Net Sales Cumulative Trendline
Current Crop Net Sales 4 Week Average
Current Crop Net Sales 52 Week Average
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Auctioneer: Frederick Cattle Auction

Cattle Receipts: 1,500

Compared to one week ago: Feeder cattle sold steady lower. Slaughter cows sold 5.00 to 10.00 higher. Heavier weights bulls sold steady lower. Replacement cows and pairs sold mostly steady.

Frederick Cattle Auction - Frederick, MD

Cattle Receipts: 1,500

Last Reported: 2/26

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Thursday Auctions:

Billings Livestock Commission Cattle Auction - Billings, MT

Cattle Receipts: 1,000

Last Reported: 2/26

No cattle reported.

Compared to last week: 25-50 lb. Feeder calfs were 10-15 lower. Feeder steers sold 5 to 10 lower. Feeder heifers sold 10-20 lower. Slaughter cows sold 2-4 higher. Slaughter bulls sold 5-10 lower. Feeder cattle supply was 80% steers, 20% heifers. Feeder calfs supply was 90% bull calves. Slaughter cows supply was 100% breakers. Slaughter bulls supply was 100% yield grade 1 and 2. Most of the cows and bulls sold with 90 percent going to packers.

Bitterroot Livestock Cattle Auction - Missoula, MT

Cattle Receipts: 1,000

Last Reported: 2/26

Last Year: 974

Compared to last week: Steers seem to highly bound lower and feel like 50% to 100 lb. weights were 4.00 to 6.00 higher. Heifers sold 5.00 to 10.00 higher. Steer and heifer packer weekly trade is light to dull. Quality was good with a good demand.

Producers Livestock Auction - Post, KS

Cattle Receipts: 1,000

Last Reported: 2/26

Last Year: 1,000

Compared to last week: Feeder cattle sold steady to fully tested to develop an accurate market trend. Heavier lower underfinished steers sold. Slaughter cows sold 2.00 to 5.00 lower. Slaughter bulls sold steady.

Tuscarora Livestock Auction - New Cumberland, PA

Cattle Receipts: 1,000

Last Reported: 2/26

Last Year: 1,000

Compared to the last sale two weeks ago: steers and heifers sold fully steady 10.00 to 20.00 lower except some heifers sold 50.00 to 80.00 lower. Slaughter cows uneven by steady. Plenty light cows thin and medium flesh. Slaughter bulls sold steady. Feeder cattle sold steady to lower.

Bluegrass Livestock Auction - Stanford, KY

Cattle Receipts: 1,000

Last Reported: 2/26

Last Year: 1,000

Compared to last Thursday: Feeder and yearling steers fully steady to 3.00 higher. Feeder and yearling heifers steady except 400-500 lbs.they sold 10.00 to 20.00 lower. Good demand for feeder and yearling cattle. Slaughter cows and bulls sold steady. Good demand for slaughter cattle.

Forty Springs Livestock - Pace, FL

Cattle Receipts: 1,000

Last Reported: 2/26

Last Year: 1,000

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Tuscarora Livestock Auction - Tuscarora, PA

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Coleman Livestock Cattle Auction - Dublin, TX

Cattle Receipts: 1,000

Last Reported: 2/26

Last Year: 1,000

Compared to last week: There was a better turn out of calves and feeders this week. Not dairy cattle and very few cows and bulls. Feeder steers and heifers sold fully steady. Feeder calves sold steady to mostly steady. Cows sold steady. Feeder steer and heifer buyer celebrities: Texas pony a local ranch on average and high yielding lower value but a lower underfoot was wider. High yielding daughter bulls remained steady. Feeder calves sold steady to mostly steady.

Producers Livestock Cattle Auction - San Angelo, TX

Cattle Receipts: 1,000

Last Reported: 2/26

Last Year: 1,000

Compared to last week: Feeder cattle sold steady to fully tested to develop an accurate market trend. Heavier lower underfinished steers sold. Slaughter cows sold 2.00 to 5.00 lower. Slaughter bulls sold steady.

Tuscarora Livestock Cattle Auction - Mercersburg, PA

Cattle Receipts: 1,000

Last Reported: 2/26

Last Year: 1,000

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Coleman County Cattle - Coleman, TX

Cattle Receipts: 1,000

Last Reported: 2/26

Last Year: 1,000

Compared to the last week: Feeder steers sold 10.00 to 20.00 lower. Feeder heifers sold 10.00 to 20.00 lower. There was moderate to good demand for feeder cattle. Slaughter cows sold 2.00 to 5.00 higher. Slaughter bulls sold steady. Feeder cattle sold steady to lower.

Sale Barn Cattle Auction - Fort Ann, NY

Cattle Receipts: 1,000

Last Reported: 2/26

Last Year: 1,000

Compared to the last sale two weeks ago: Feeder calves sold steady to 10.00 lower. Feeder steers sold steady to 10.00 lower. Feeder heifers sold steady to 10.00 lower. Slaughter cows sold steady. Plenty light cows thin and medium flesh. Slaughter bulls sold steady. Feeder cattle sold steady to lower.

Kansas Livestock Auction - Hutchinson, KS

Cattle Receipts: 1,000

Last Reported: 2/26

Last Year: 1,000

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Frederick Cattle Auction - Frederick, MD

Cattle Receipts: 1,500

Last Reported: 2/26

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Sale Barn Cattle Auction - Fort Ann, NY

Cattle Receipts: 1,000

Last Reported: 2/26

Last Year: 1,000

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