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Weekly Market Report

Date: August 18, 2026

Volume 2092

Slaughter Cows

Canners..... \$ 1.55 to \$1.69

Boning Utility..... \$ 1.70 to \$1.76

Cutters..... \$ 1.77 to \$1.83

(Some lower grading or lower yielding cows and bulls fall below these figures)

Bred Cows: \$2200.00 to \$4,000.00

Cow/Calf Pairs: NO TEST

Feeder Calves

Large Frame #1

Feeder Steers/Bulls

150 to 200 lbs.....\$4.08 to \$8.00

205 to 300 lbs.....\$4.00 to \$7.50

305 to 400 lbs.....\$3.60 to \$5.90

405 to 500 lbs..... \$3.42 to \$5.40

505 to 600 lbs..... \$3.21 to \$4.25

605 to 800 lbs..... \$2.90 to \$3.90

Some lower quality and hard-to-place cattle fall below these figures.

Total Sellers: 245

Order Buyers: 18

Large Frame #1

Feeder Heifers

\$2.35 to \$6.90

\$2.25 to \$7.00

\$2.18 to \$5.50

\$2.12 to \$5.10

\$2.06 to \$4.10

\$1.85 to \$3.60

Packer Buyers: 7

Weekly Summary

Compared to last week's market, the average prices of both feeder steers and heifers ended fully \$3 to \$7 higher. The slaughter cow figures continue to remain under pressure and again backed off about \$5 while the slaughter bulls finished mostly firm with last week's figures.

The negative factors of drought, Mexican feeders about to cross and the packers moving their leverage to a firmer position had no influence on today's buyer aggression. Buyer interest and aggression was again on solid ground.

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Example of how our Flat Rate Commission Works:

Ex. 575 lbs Steer at \$4.00 /lbs is \$2300 total
Avg. commission at ETL: \$37.75
Commission at other local sales is 3.5-4% or \$80.50
to \$92.00