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Direct Livestock Weighted Average Report for week ending 3/6/2026

Direct Livestock

		This Week	Last Reported	Last Year (3/7/2025)
Total Basis Receipts:		500		130
Feeder Cattle	DEL	500 (5.4%)		130 (0.9%)
Total Direct Receipts:		8,769	20,877	14,315
Feeder Cattle	DEL	1,833 (19.8%)	3,977 (19.0%)	5,276 (36.5%)
	FOB	6,936 (74.8%)	16,900 (81.0%)	9,039 (62.6%)
Total Receipts:		9,269	20,877	14,445

Compared to last week: Current FOB steers and heifers sold 3.00 to 10.00 lower. Trade activity was moderate with the cattle futures closing in the red most of the week. Storms also moved across Texas for the latter part of the week, bringing much needed rain to some but also severe weather. Supply included: 100% Feeder Cattle (62% Steers, 2% Dairy Steers, 30.2% Heifers, 5.8% Beef/Dairy Steers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 91%. 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 GA, IN, KY, MS, NC, NM, OK, TN, TX.

FEEDER CATTLE

BASIS TRADES

Steers - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt)

<u>Delivery/Freight</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Basis Range</u>	<u>Futures Month</u>
Current DEL	500	800	800	Par	Mar

DIRECT TRADES

Steers - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt)

<u>Delivery/Freight</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
Current FOB	35	788	788	364.83	364.83
	305	825	825	358.33	358.33
	295	925	925	331.94 - 335.33	333.89
Current DEL	60	850	850	346.00	346.00
	55	900	900	335.00	335.00
Apr FOB	60	800	800	352.00	352.00
Apr - May FOB	150	850	850	357.38	357.38
Jun FOB	65	750	750	347.38	347.38

Steers - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt)

<u>Delivery/Freight</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
Current FOB	52	749	749	369.78	369.78
	369	800 - 838	812	346.98 - 355.99	352.43



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Steers - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt)

<u>Delivery/Freight</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
	126	850	850	333.97	333.97	Mexican Origin
	1239	850 - 895	852	335.58 - 340.50	340.27	
	100	925	925	322.12	322.12	
	1000	1000	1000	301.74	301.74	
Current DEL	72	525	525	471.06	471.06	
	300	850	850	347.00	347.00	Fleshy
	130	887	887	335.00	335.00	
	55	923	923	320.00	320.00	
Mar FOB	427	815	815	352.00	352.00	
May FOB	354	850	850	346.00	346.00	

Dairy Steers - Large 3 (Per Cwt)

<u>Delivery/Freight</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
Mar FOB	68	350	350	533.75	533.75
	113	425	425	446.71	446.71

Beef/Dairy Steers - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt)

<u>Delivery/Freight</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
Current DEL	270	350	350	552.00	552.00
Apr DEL	270	350	350	552.00	552.00

Heifers - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt)

<u>Delivery/Freight</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
Current FOB	1000	750	750	334.00 - 339.00	337.50	
	62	810	810	326.50	326.50	
	403	850 - 875	867	321.78 - 321.94	321.83	
Current DEL	65	750	750	345.00	345.00	Fleshy
	180	825 - 830	826	326.00	326.00	
	50	850	850	320.00	320.00	
May FOB	65	750	750	325.48	325.48	
May DEL	200	800	800	308.00	308.00	
Jun FOB	125	750 - 775	762	322.00 - 325.38	323.76	

Heifers - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt)

<u>Delivery/Freight</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
Current FOB	523	775	775	316.79 - 323.00	321.73
Current DEL	63	775	775	339.00	339.00



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Heifers - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt)

<u>Delivery/Freight</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
Apr DEL	63	775	775	340.00	340.00

Please Note:

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