

March 14, 2025

Sale schedule for next week:

(USA sales start at 10:00 AM Central, and Canada sales start at 12:00 PM Central)

Wednesday, March 19 · Thursday, March 20 · Friday, March 21

USA Fed Cattle Exchange

The Fed Cattle Exchange listed 6,066 head in the U.S. from Iowa, Kansas, Montana, and Texas across four sales from Wednesday to Friday. Reserve prices for the week were \$202 - 204/cwt, and bids ranged from \$198 - 204/cwt.

The Fed Cattle Exchange sold cattle on Thursday in Montana for \$203/cwt via our Bid-The-Grid™ marketing method with freight FOB plant. On Friday, cattle were sold in Texas for \$204/cwt and in Iowa for \$203.50/cwt via our Bid-The-Grid™ marketing method. Cattle were sold in Kansas for \$203/cwt and in Texas for \$202/cwt with a live weight marketing method. Also, cattle were sold at \$203/cwt in Kansas via private treaty post the Fed Cattle Exchange auction. All listings on Friday's FCE auction were sold freight FOB feedyard.

The Fed Cattle Exchange welcomed 38 U.S. packer buyers this week. Active bids were received from major and regional packer buyers. Cattle purchased this week on the Fed Cattle Exchange was driven by major and regional packer buyers.

Canadian Fed Cattle Exchange

The Fed Cattle Exchange auction in Canada was not held from March 12 to March 14, 2025.

We welcome your feedback and suggestions on how to continue improving the Fed Cattle Exchange and its role in providing price discovery to the cattle industry.

We invite all feedyards to list cattle with Central Stockyards. Whether your feedyard sells on a live basis, negotiated grid, or another marketing method, our Fed Cattle Exchange platform presents your cattle to major and regional packers. If you are interested in transparent, real-time price discovery, we invite you to list a few pens and see how we can help you. Contact us today for more information.

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