

March 20, 2026

Sale schedule for next week:

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

Wednesday, March 25 · Thursday, March 26 · Friday, March 27

USA Fed Cattle Exchange

This week, the Fed Cattle Exchange listed 4,028 head in the U.S., from Iowa, Kansas, and Texas, across 4 sales held from Wednesday to Friday. Reserve prices for the week were \$235/cwt-\$238/cwt and \$370/cwt-\$372/cwt; bids ranged from \$232/cwt to \$236/cwt and \$368/cwt to \$370/cwt.

On Friday, cattle were sold in Texas for \$236/cwt using our Bid-The-Grid™ marketing method. In Kansas and Texas, cattle were sold for \$235/cwt with a Live Weight marketing method. In Iowa, cattle were sold for \$370/cwt using a Dressed Weight marketing method. Some sellers in Texas passed a bid of \$235.50/cwt with a Live Weight marketing method. All listings were sold freight FOB the 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 18 to March 20, 2026.

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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