



## **MONDAY MORNING JUNE 28, 2021 LIVESTOCK REPORT**

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#### **CATTLE ON FEED REPORT ON PAGE 4**

## **CATTLE**

 JUNE 25, 2021
 116,000

 WEEK AGO
 117,000

 YEAR AGO
 118,000

SATURDAY 06/26/2020 70,000- A WEEK AGO 69,000, YEAR AGO 78,000

WEEK TO DATE (EST) 661,000

SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK (EST) 663,000

SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR (ACT) 645,000

2021 YEAR TO DATE 16,081,000

2020 \*YEAR TO DATE 15,259,000

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CHOICE SELECT

BOXED BEEF FINAL 304.56 276.18
CHANGE FROM PRIOR DAY: (2.86) 0.04
CHOICE/SELECT SPREAD: 28.38
TOTAL LOAD COUNT (CUTS, TRIMMINGS, GRINDS): 93

5 DAY SIMPLE AVERAGE: 315.94 279.28

**FRIDAY JUNE 18, 2021** 

BOXED BEEF FINAL 323.28 283.61

CME BOXED BEEF INDEX FOR 06/24/2021 WAS AT 307.48 DOWN 4.40 FROM PREVIOUS DAY

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FINAL JUNE 25, 2021		
PRIMAL RIB	449.83	335.82
PRIMAL CHUCK	244.75	245.59
PRIMAL ROUND	246.72	249.86
PRIMAL LOIN	418.55	350.49
PRIMAL BRISKET	269.50	241.91
PRIMAL SHORT PLATE	247.59	247.59
PRIMAL FLANK	173.54	158.80
FINAL JUNE 24, 2021		
PRIMAL RIB	463.61	335.21
PRIMAL CHUCK	240.63	240.76
PRIMAL ROUND	254.70	250.50
PRIMAL LOIN	422.06	356.33
PRIMAL BRISKET	268.34	241.68
PRIMAL SHORT PLATE	247.29	247.29
PRIMAL FLANK	175.44	161.86
FINAL JUNE 18, 2021 PREVIOUS FRIDAY PRICE		
PRIMAL RIB	502.51	346.64
PRIMAL CHUCK	250.23	242.65
PRIMAL ROUND	260.48	252.88
PRIMAL LOIN	455.88	370.94
PRIMAL BRISKET	272.87	278.53
PRIMAL SHORT PLATE	244.82	244.82
PRIMAL FLANK	176.89	171.57

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### LOAD COUNT AND CUTOUT VALUE SUMMARY

						CHOICE	SELECT
Date	Choice	Select	Trim	Grinds	Total	600-900	600-900
06/24	78	26	18	10	132	307.42	276.14
06/23	61	36	12	9	119	312.05	275.41
06/22	58	33	10	7	108	315.75	279.75
06/21	50	18	12	11	90	321.20	281.46
06/18	46	23	10	7	87	323.28	283.61

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NATIONAL BOXED BEEF CUTS - NEGOTIATED SALES FOB Plant basis negotiated sales for delivery within 0-21-day period. Prior days sales after 1:30pm are included. CURRET VOLUME - (one load equals 40,000 pounds)

Choice Cuts 61.90 loads 2,475,867 pounds Select Cuts 17.83 loads 713,129 pounds Trimmings 8.80 loads 351,932 pounds Ground Beef 4.90 loads 196,043 pounds

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Wednesday, June 30, 2021 is Last Trading Day for June 2021 Live Cattle

## **JULY 2021 LIVESTOCK REPORTS**

THURSDAY JULY 22, 2021 COLD STORAGE REPORT 2:00PM CENTRAL TIME FRIDAY JULY 23, 2021 CATTLE ON FEED REPORT 2:00PM CENTRAL TIME

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**DELIVERY NOTICE SERVED – JUNE 2021 - LIVE CATTLE** 

SETTLEMENT: JUNE 23 2021 - \$122.82

**OLDEST LONG: 01/29/20 SETTLEMENT AT \$117.60** 

**0 DELIVERIES** 

FIRM # FIRM NAME

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### **USDA CATTLE ON FEED REPORT FOR JUNE 25, 2021**

	Range	Average	Actual
On feed June 1	99-101.2	100.5	100PLUS
Placements in May	93-99.4	95.4	93
Marketings in May	121.6-126	123.4	123

Cattle and calves on feed for the slaughter market in the United States for feedlots with capacity of 1,000 or more head totaled 11.7 million head on June 1, 2021. The inventory was slightly above June 1, 2020. This is the second highest June 1 inventory since the series began in 1996.

Placements in feedlots during May totaled 1.91 million head, 7 percent below 2020. Net placements were 1.84 million head. During May, placements of cattle and calves weighing less than 600 pounds were 355,000 head, 600-699 pounds were 255,000 head, 700-799 pounds were 470,000 head, 800-899 pounds were 501,000 head, 900-999 pounds were 235,000 head, and 1,000 pounds and greater were 95,000 head.

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Marketings of fed cattle during May totaled 1.87 million head, 23 percent above 2020.

Other disappearance totaled 67,000 head during May, 2 percent above 2020

This report confirms there will be less cattle. The US needs fewer cattle because the US is exporting fewer cattle and for the few independent producers that sell on the showlist, it will or should help give some bargaining power when packers can't pull on contracted or their own cattle.

Look to have plenty cattle this early summer with 501,000 head weighing 800 to 899 placed in May. There are a few more head on feed in June. Price will depend on boxed beef market. If recent beef movement continues, could go sideways to lower but weights might make a difference compared to last year with lighter cattle now.

Exports need to increase. Same amount of cattle now but lighter weights is good but just depends on how boxed beef market does July and August. Currently boxed beef especially high end cuts are selling off and big discount of Select beef is not bullish.

Placements 23 percent above a year ago is no surprise. A year ago, calf and feeder producers were too hesitant to sell feeder cattle in May and most of June. Current cash feeder index \$12 to more under futures. Either futures goes down or cash goes up. Could see bull spread.

Report won't do much. Market depends on what beef market does after 4th of July, demand or not for Choice/Select grade of beef going into the summer and if exports increase or decrease going forward.

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Boxed beef has taking a slide to the downside and Choice rib sections and loin sections are the leaders down. Packers still have good profits at least on daily sales, but a fast falling market is not often bullish. Once through any demand for 4<sup>th</sup> of July, sales could slow until fall. A positive economy and low unemployment into fall and winter is needed.

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Friday's future trading was light as traders were evening positions before the Cattle and Feed Report.

Cash markets were over except for a few buys on Thursday.

The steer and heifer grading percent dropped to 80.7%. Feedlots are moving cattle lighter and before some grade Choice.

If more Choice cattle don't begin to show up and they won't during the warm weather and because of high feed costs, look for packers to push spread between Southwest cattle and Midwest cattle to \$4.00 and even more especially with fewer cattle this year fed on

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grain/cattle farm/feedlots in the Midwest. Packers need cattle grading high Choice, and quite a few black cattle.

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As of June 22, 2021 dressed steer and heifer weights were 855.2 compared to previous week at 856.3, down 1.1 pounds for the week . Grading percent was 80.7% down 1.1% compared to previous week at 81.8%.

Drop in grade shows cattle are current and are being bought for slaughter as soon as packer can take them.

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**USDA POSTED SUMMARY CATTLE PRICES ON 06/25/2021** 

IA/MN – CASH –126.00 on 734, average 1,472.8 DRESSED - 197.00 - 203.00 average 993.4

NE – CASH No Reportable Trade DRESSED – 198.00 - 203.00 average 890.9

KS – CASH - 118.00 on 261 head DRESSED – No Reportable Trade

TX/OK/NM - 118.00 on grades 65% to 80% DRESSED No Reportable Trade

CO – \*\*Not reported due to confidentiality\*\*

DRESSED \*\*Not reported due to confidentiality\*\*

## \*\*\*National Daily Direct Cattle 06/25/21 5 day accumulated weighted avg)

Weight Price Head

Live Steer: 1456 \$125.26 19,693
Live Heifer: 1332 \$124.18 5,130
Dressed Steer: 923 \$198.17 9,937
Dressed Heifer: 842 \$197.62 2,048

## \*\*\*National Daily Direct Cattle 06/18/21

5 day accumulated weighted avg)

Weight Price Head

Live Steer: 1436 \$122.87 29,507
Live Heifer: 1309 \$122.52 16,316
Dressed Steer: 949 \$195.39 13,297
Dressed Heifer: 818 \$194.32 2,927

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# AUGUST 2021 LIVE CATTLE – AUGUST 2021 LEAN HOGS – SINCE JUNE $7^{TH}$ SPREAD HAS HAD CATTLE GAIN OVER \$24 ON HOGS. COULD SEE PROFIT TAKING SOMETIME BEFORE END OF



### **AUGUST/OCTOBER 2021 LIVE CATTLE SPREAD –**



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## AUGUST LIVE CATTLE - Support at 122.00 to 121.15 resistance at 123.95 to 125.77 Volume was light Friday at 13050 contracts. RSI at 57



## OCTOBER 2021 LIVE CATTLE - SUPPORT AT 127.50 TO 125.10 Resistance at 128.67 to 130.47 Volume at 6661



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## DECEMBER 2021 LIVE CATTLE – volume at 4920 on Friday. Support at 131.25 to 130.52 Resistance at 132.50 to 133.45



## **Feeder Cattle**

THE CME FEEDER INDEX ON 06/24/2021 WAS 146.29 DOWN .20 FROM PREVIOUS DAY

AUGUST 2021 FEEDER CATTLE FUTURES SETTLED ON JUNE 25, 2021 \$159.55

HAVE TRADERS PUMPED UP FEEDER PRICES ENOUGH BEFORE CATTLE ON FEED REPORT? THERE IS A \$10 TO \$17 SPREAD BETWEEN FUTURES AND CME INDEX, BUT THERE IS A LOT OF TIME BETWEEN NOW AND AUGUST.

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## AUGUST/NOVEMBER 2021 - POSITIVE THAT AUGUST IS GAINING ON NOVEMBER.



## AUGUST 2021 FEEDER CATTLE – resistance at 160.15 Support at 156.25 to 154.70 August is \$13.26 over CME Index



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## **LEAN HOGS**

#### **USDA ESTIMATED FEDERAL HOG SLAUGHTER**

JUNE 25, 2021 451,000 WEEK AGO 464,000 YEAR AGO 468,000

SATURDAY 06/26/2021 25,000- A WEEK AGO 60,000 - YEAR AGO 308,000

 WEEK TO DATE (EST)
 2,368,000

 SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK (EST)
 2,437,000

 SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR (ACT)
 2,626,000

 2021 YEAR TO DATE
 62,819,000

 2020 \*YEAR TO DATE
 62,285,000

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CME CASH LEAN HOG INDEX 06/23/2020 AT 117.62 DOWN 1.97 FROM PREVIOUS DAY

CME CASH PORK CUTOUT INDEX 06/24/2021 AT 113.35 DOWN 1.92 FROM PREVIOUS DAY

CME CASH FRESH BACON INDEX ON 6/18/2021 WAS 233.78 COMPARED TO 6/11/2021 WAS 253.28

CME PORK INDEX TO CME LEAN HOG INDEX MINUS 4.27

Pork Index to the Lean Hog Index - Pork losing to hogs is negative for packers

CME LEAN HOG INDEX TO JULY 2021 LEAN HOGS – PLUS 15.67, and cash is dropping to futures

Hard to say if Friday's futures trade was up because Hogs and Pigs Report was friendly or up on profit taking after getting knocked hard from a week ago. August Lean Hogs were down \$6.90 for the week and for the month \$16.45 or \$20.77 of the June 7<sup>th</sup> high close. Volume was light especially the day after a report.

Pork has taken a good wallop this week. The 5 day pork average was down close to \$12.00 for the week. Packers are working in the red on pork sold on the daily market.

Slaughter this week was 69,000 head fewer than a week ago and 258,000 less than a year ago. Hog weights dropping and slaughter down should be friendly. Loins have taken a good hit to the downside losing about \$11.00 for the week and rib sections down \$40.00.

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#### **USDA MARKET NEWS**

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Based on negotiated prices and volume of pork cuts delivered within 14 days and on average industry cutting yields.

Calculations for 215 lb. Pork Carcass. 55-56% lean, 0.55"-0.70" BF Last Rib

## **NATIONAL DAILY PORK REPORT FOB PLANT - NEGOTIATED SALES**

**JUNE 25, 2021** 

LOADS OF PORK CUTS: 219.03 TRIM/PROCESSED PORK: 35.50

FINAL
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CHANGE

DATE	LOADS	CARCASS	LOIN	BUTT	PIC	RIB	HAM	BELLY
06/25/2021	254.53	110.04	108.40	173.70	74.54	175.59	76.20	155.13
CHANGE		-2.95	-0.11	3.36	4.76	-18.43	-7.57	-6.74
FIVE DAY AVERAGE		111.89	109.95	180.85	73.42	200.38	78.37	149.96
FINAL								
DATE	LOADS	CARCASS	LOIN	BUTT	PIC	RIB	HAM	BELLY
06/24/2021	336.90	112.99	108.51	170.34	69.78	194.02	83.77	161.87
CHANGE		5.17	2.59	-9.95	-3.32	-13.43	4.70	33.75
FIVE DAY AVERAGE		114.01	112.49	181.23	73.71	207.59	79.32	155.53
<b>FINAL PREVIOUS W</b>	EEK CLOS	SE .						
DATE	LOADS	CARCASS	LOIN	BUTT	PIC	RIB	HAM	BELLY
06/18/2021	289.89	120.65	121.13	175.60	75.95	211.66	80.98	182.98

## NATIONAL DAILY DIRECT HOG PRIOR DAY REPORT - SLAUGHTERED SWINE

-4.18

123.44

HTTPS://WWW.AMS.USDA.GOV/MNREPORTS/AMS\_2511.PDF

Slaughter Data for June 24, 2021

Due to Packer submission problems, the release of this report will be delayed.

-1.10

122.00

-21.23 -3.10 -10.75 2.57

193.68 82.35 240.26 79.58

-2.82

173.24

Average live weight: 278.80 Average carcass: 209.65

FIVE DAY AVERAGE --

## A User's Guide to USDA's LMR Hog Price Reports

https://www.ams.usda.gov/sites/default/files/media/LMRSwineReportingHandout.pdf

#### DAILY DIRECT AFTERNOON HOG REPORT FRIDAY JUNE 25, 2021

**National Negotiated Carcass Price** 

Lowest price: 108.00 Highest price: 129.44

Weighted Average Price: 117.43

Head Count: 9,155

On a National basis, compared to the previous day, 0.70 higher

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**Other Market Formula (Carcass)** 

Lowest Base Price 69.37 Highest base price: 128.83 Weighted Average Price: 96.53

**Head Count: 34,267** 

Swine/Pork Market Formula (Carcass)

Lowest base price: 83.93 Highest Base Price: 133.15 Weighted Average Price: 110.85

Head Count: 153,752

Other Purchase Arrangement (Carcass)

Lowest base price: 69.80 Highest base price: 123.53 Weighted Average Price: 107.88

**HEAD COUNT: 60,755** 

https://www.ams.usda.gov/mnreports/ams 2511.pdf

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#### **AUGUST/DECEMBER 2021 LEAN HOG SPREAD**



OCTOBER 2021/DECEMBER 2021 LEAN HOG SPREAD

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JULY 2021 LEAN HOGS - July is \$15.67 under CME Index. Support at 98.85 to 96.70 Resistance at 105.40 to 108.00



AUGUST 2021 LEAN HOGS – RESISTANCE AT 107.70 TO 105.15 SUPPORT AT 98.65 TO 94.60 VOLUME AT 19309 RSI AT 26

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### DECEMBER 2021 LEAN HOGS - RESISTANCE AT 78.52 TO 79.60 SUPPORT AT 76.37 RSI AT 33



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