Weekly Market Summary

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Weekly Slaughter Hog Quotations

Location	Туре	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
St. Joseph	B & G Bulk & Top Sows - Range	36.50-37.00 29.00-35.00	36.50-37.00 29.00-34.00	35.50-36.00 29.00-34.00	36.50-37.00 29.00-34.00	Closed
St. Paul	B & G Bulk & Top Sows - Range	37.00-37.50 29.00-33.00	37.00-37.50 29.00-34.00	37.00-37.50 29.00-34.00	37.00-37.50 29.00-34.00	36.50-37.00 28.00-33.00

MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED

AVERAGE REPORT
Receipts 27,084, Week ago 31,709, Year ago 25,583
WEIGHTED AVERAGES Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

Fdr. STEERS:		Fdr. HE	Fdr. HEIFERS:		Hols. STEERS	
366 lbs	121.94	369 lbs	107.90	334 lbs	89.31	
451 lbs	113.10	450 lbs	102.85	449 lbs	83.73	
545 lbs	108.31	537 lbs	98.83	550 lbs	80.86	
638 lbs	105.90	643 lbs	98.08	652 lbs	79.67	
759 lbs	104.03	748 lbs	95.84	747 lbs	75.40	
833 lbs	99.42	852 lbs	93.12	839 lbs	73.49	

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Mountain Grove and West Plains)

Cattle
Receipts 6878 Week ago 7514 Year ago 5774

Compared to last week Steers 3.00-6.00 higher, Heifers 2.00-4.00 higher, Holsteins steady, Slaughter Cows 2.00 to 4.00 higher, and Bulls steady.

STEERS:		HEIFERS :		
Medium ar	nd Large 1	Medium an	d Large 1	
weight		weight	price	
300-400	112.50-127.00	350-400	92.00-102.00	
400-500	106.00-116.00	400-500	90.00-101.00	
500-600	96.00-110.00	500-600	92.00-100.00	
600-700	98.00-108.00	600-700	92.00-98.00	
700-800	100.00-103.50			
		SLAUGHT	ER COWS: Breaking	
HOLSTEIN	NS: Large 3	and Boning	(70-85% lean)42.00-	
300-400	90.00-98.00	47.00 high	dressing 47.50-52.00	
400-500	80.50-89.00	C	2	
500-600	75.00-86.50	SLAUGHT	ER BULLS: Yield Grade	
600-700	74.50-81.50	1-2, 1345-2	195 50.50-54.00, high	
700-800	72.00-77.55	dressing sca	arce.	
800-900	68.00-76.00	Č		
		REPLACE	MENT COWS:	
COW AND	CALF PAIRS:	Medium an	d Large 1-2, 5-6 yrs,	
Medium and Large 1-2, 5 to 6yrs		Medium and Large 1-2, 5-6 yrs, 1183-1363 lbs, 2 nd -3 rd stage, 760.00-		
1183 1380 lbc with 150 250 lbc		810.00 per head		

810.00 per head.

COW AND CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2, 5 to 6yrs 1183-1380 lbs with 150-250 lbs

calves 910.00-960.00 per pair.

WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Kingsville, Sedalia) Cattle:

Receipts 2543, Week ago 2724, Year ago 2547 Compared to last week: Steers 2.00-5.00 higher, Heifers steady to 3.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00-2.00 higher, Bulls steady.

FEEDER STEERS:		<u>FEEDER HEIFERS:</u>		
Medium and Large 1& 1-2		Medium and Large 1& 1-2		
weight	price	weight	price	
300-400	106.00-130.00	300-400	100.00-112.00	
400-500	101.00-129.00	400-500	96.00-112.00	
500-600	102.00-119.00	500-600	95.00-108.00	
600-700	100.00-110.00	600-700	93.00-102.00	
700-750	102.00-107.00	700-750	92.75-100.00	
800-850	Scarce	800-850	92.75-93.25	

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking & Boning (70-85%lean) 39.00-48.75. High dressing 47.00-55.00 Lean (85-90%) 38.00-

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2, 2 yrs-ss 1050-1550 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 600.00-840.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2; 1155-2050lbs 50.00-56.75.

COW AND CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2, Scarce.

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder	Cattle	Cows and Bulls	Dairy Cattle
Receipts	6851	1450	Norwood
Week ago	7791	1950	1557
Year ago	7878	1000	10-09-2003

Compared to last week: Feeder Steers and Heifers 2.00-5.00 higher. Cows and Bulls 2.00 to 4.00 higher.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium ar	nd Large 1	Medium an	d Large 1
weight	price	weight	price
300-400	117.50-130.00	300-400	105.50-112.00
400-500	102.00-113.25	400-500	97.00-105.00
500-600	98.00-106.50	500-600	92.50-100.00
600-700	99.00-106.75	600-700	93.50-101.00
700-800	98.00-104.50	700-800	87.00- 99.50
800-000	88 00-99 50	800-900	81.00- 85.00

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HOLSTEINS: Large Frame 3 Weight price 200-300 Scarce 300-400 Scarce 400-500 86.00-87.00 500-600 80.00-85.50 600-700 78.50-83.75 700-800 Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2, 2 to ss, 1st to 3rd stage, 1000-1400 lbs, 620.00-840.00 per head.

COW\CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1, 900-1150 lbs, 4 yrs to bm, with 100 to 250 lb calves 675.00-860.00 per pair.

SLAUGHTER COWS:

Breakers & Boners (70-85% lean) 47.00-52.50, Lean (85-90% lean) 36.50-42.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield grade 1-2, 1380-2520 lbs 55.00-60.50, high dressing 63.00-64.50.

Dairy Cattle Sales

Springer Heifers: Supreme 1625.00-1840.00, Approved 1225.00-1600.00, Replacement Cows: Springers 1275.00-1290.00, Open Heifers: Approved 700-800 lbs 900.00-1060.00, 600-700 lbs 800.00-990.00, 500-600 lbs 640.00-920.00, 400-500 lbs 630.00-780.00, 300-400 lbs 550.00-740.00.

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville) Cattle

Receipts 4218, Week ago 5045 Year ago 3123.

Feeder Steers and Heifers steady to 5.00 higher, Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher.

FEEDER ST	EERS:
	Large 1& 1-2
weight	price
300-400	120.00-134.00
400-500	105.00-122.50
500-600	100.00-118.00
600-700	99.50-115.25
700-800	98.00-110.75
800-850	Scarce

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1200-2200 lbs 48.00-57.00.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 3 100.00-105.75

TEEDER HE	II LING.
	Large 1 & 1-2
weight	price
300-400	102.00-121.00
400-500	95.00-107.50
500-600	94.50-105.50
600-700	94.50-104.50
700-800	Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Lean, Breaking and Boning, (70-90 percent lean) 36.00-46.00, high dressing 46.00-57.00, low dressing 30.00-40.00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 3 97.00-101.25

NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Palmyra, New Cambria, and Green City)

Feeder (Cattle:	Slaughter C	attle:
Receipts	629	Receipts	106
Week ago	2761	Week ago	183
Year ago	545	Year ago	77

Feeder Steers and Heifers steady. Slaughter cows steady, Slaughter Steers and Heifers 4.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:	FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1-2
Medium and Large 1-2 weight price 300-400 114.00-122.50	weight price 300-400 107.00-111.00
400-500 104.50-109.50 500-600 107.00-112.50 600-700 102.50-111.00 700-800 108.25 800-850 100.00	400-500 100.00-109.00 500-600 96.00-103.25 600-700 92.75-98.00 700-750 95.25-96.00 800-900 Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 44.00-51.00.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3, 1100-1300 lbs 93.00-97.75 SLAUGHTER BULLS Yield Grade 1-2 1400-2000 lbs 48.50-55.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3, 1000-1250 lbs 92.10-95.25.

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba and Vienna)

Receipts 3773, week ago 3784, year ago 2678

Feeder Steers and Heifers 3.00 to 8.00 higher, Slaughter cows 1.00 to 6.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1& 1-2		FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1& 1-2	
weight	price	weight	price
300-400	116.00-126.00	350-400	105.00-111.50
400-500	107.00-121.00	400-500	95.00-106.00
500-600	103.00-114.00	500-600	95.00-106.00
600-700	104.00-109.00	600-750	93.50-103.75
700-800	Scarce	750-800	Scarce
		800-840	Scarce
	TER COWS:		
Breaking a	nd Boning(70-85%	SLAUGHT	ER BULLS:
Breaking and Boning(70-85% lean) 41.00-48.50, high dressing		Yield Grade 1-2, 1400-2050 lbs	
48.50-52.2	5.	50.00-58.00), high dressing 60.00.
COW\CALF PAIRS:		REPLACE	MENT COWS:

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Patton Junction and Fruitland) Receipts 2054 Week ago 2054, Year ago 1400

Compared to last week Feeder Steers and Heifers steady to 3.00 higher. Slaughter Cows and Bulls 4.00 to 5.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1-2			<u>FEEDER HEIFERS:</u> Medium and Large 1-2		
weight	price	weight	price		
300-400	101.00-121.00	300-400	93.00-103.00		
400-500	98.00-112.00	400-500	87.50-98.50		
500-600	93.50-110.00	500-600	82.50-95.50		
600-700	89.00-100.50	600-700	85.50-97.00		
700-775	85.00-95.00	700-800	82.50-92.50		
800-850	79.00-89.50				
	EED COM	REPLACE	MENT COWS:		

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 41.50-48.00, high dressing 44.50-51.00.

Medium and Large 1-2, Scarce

<u>SLAUGHTER BULLS:</u> Y.G. 1-2, 1275-1995lbs 49.50-54.00, high dressing 56.00-56.50.

Live sales: 40-60% Choice 1200

Medium and Large 1-2, 2-7 yrs, 910-1385 lbs, 2nd and 3rd stage, 565.00-690.00 per head.

Medium and Large 1-2, Scarce

COW AND CALF PAIRS Medium and Large 1-2, 2-7 yrs, 865-1320 lbs, 100-200 lb calves, 650.00-780.00 per pair.

STEERS AND HEIFERS:

Carcass sales: load 70% Choice

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT

Weekly Receipts 800, Week ago 600; Year ago 200 Trade moderate to active, live sales 3.00-4.00 higher, dressed sales on the grid basis 10.00 to 11.00 higher. Demand and seller interest moderate to good.

ı	lbs 93.00-94.00, load 80% Choice	1200 lbs 157.00
ı	100.00	
ı		GRADE AND WEIGHT: (Grid)
ı	HEIFERS:	Choice 550-950 lbs 160.00-168.00
ı	Live sales: 40-60% Choice 93.00-	Select 550-950 lbs 130.00-140.00
	94.00.	

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts 8838 Week ago 11,758; Year ago 11,292 Weekly Top: Monday 49.00

BARROWS AND GILTS:	SOWS:
2.00 to 3.00 lower	Steady to 1.00 lower
Base Carcass 45.00-46.00	300-500 lbs 27.00-29.00
Dasc Carcass 43.00-40.00	over 500 lbs 31.00-32.00

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT WEANER AND FEEDER PIG REPORT

Receipts: 6393 [FOB 5249, Delivered 1144 compared to last week, weaner pigs mixed 1 higher to 3 lower, feeder pigs not well tested undertone steady. Light demand for moderate supply.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights FOB the farm

4690 head 10 lbs. 17.00-33.00 weighted average 26.82

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights

Delivered

1144 head 10 lbs 31.78-31.80 weighted average 31.79

Feeder pigs in all lot sizes: FOB the farm 559 head 40-50 lbs 36.00 -38.40

Feeder pigs in all lot sizes:

Delivered

No sales to report

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER					
	CATTLE	HOGS	SHEEP		
Week to date	640,000	2,081,000	54,000		
Last Week	653,000	2,049,000	56,000		
Last Year	706,000	2,020,000	63,000		
2003 Yr to dt	27,894,000	75,673,000	2,192,000		
2002 Yr to dt	27,649,000	76,167,000	2,403,000		

MIDWEST SHEEP REVIEW

Slaughter Receipts: This week 54,000 Week ago 56,000 Year ago 63.000

Slaughter Lambs steady to 1.00

higher

Slaughter Ewes steady to 2.00 higher

Feeder Lambs steady

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Ch & Pr 110-120 lbs; 82.00-84.00, 120-140 lbs 84.00-87.00. SLAUGHTER EWES:

Utility and Good 1-3, 25.00-32.00 Cull 1, 20.00-25.00 (per cwt.)

FEEDER LAMBS

60-80 lbs 95.00-105.00, 80-100 lbs 85.00-95.00 (per cwt.)

MISSOURI WEEKLY HAY SUMMARY

Several acres of late grass hay and final cutting alfalfa got wet this week when what looked like a dry week sound up a wet one by Wednesday and Thursday. Other than some movement in the drier areas of southwest Missouri, there was very little interest from buyers again this week. Even the drier areas of the state have had recent rains adding several tons of pasture over the last month. Hay prices this week are steady, with supply moderate to heavy and demand light. The Missouri Department of Agriculture has a hay hotline available, to be listed or for a directory call 1-800-877-HAY(4429) (All prices per ton unless specified and most reflect delivered price) Unless specified prices per ton and reflect delivered price. Supreme quality alfalfa 110.00-140.00. Premium quality alfalfa 80.00-110.00. Prairie hay 65.00-85.00, Good quality brome hay 60.00-100.00. Good quality timothy hay 3.00-3.50 per small square. Good large round bales mixed grass hay 15.00-25.00, Good red clover hay 50.00-75.00. Fair quality large round bales Fescue 10.00-20.00 per bale. Wheat straw 1.50-2.50 per small square.

MIDWEST EGG REVIEW

Prices on large steady, medium .01 higher, small .04 higher. IOWA-MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN: Prices paid to producers. (Cents per dozen) Large .64-.68, Medium .54-.57, Small .31-.35.

WHOLESALE FEEDSTUFFS PRICES (DOLLARS PER TON-BULK BASIS)

(BOEEFIRSTER TOTT BOEIF BIRDIS)					
Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings	
Kansas City St. Louis Memphis Decatur	206.20 217.50 211.25 209.50	182.25 180.00 163.00	206.25 212.50 	70.00 64.00 75.00	

Weekly Average Prices as of Oct 07, 2003

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .16 to .35 higher, Wheat .13 to .26 lower, Corn .03 to .07 lower, Soybean meal 8.10-16.30 higher, KC wheat .10 to .21 lower. (all price trends approximate ranges).

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri
Soybeans Nov Jan Mar May Jul	684 685 3/4 680 1/4 659 652 1/2	687 3/4 690 3/4 686 664 3/4 657 3/4	678 1/2 682 677 3/4 656 1/2 650 1/2	692 1/2 695 1/4 690 1/4 664 1/4 654	713 1/2 713 3/4 707 1/2 675 663
Wheat Dec Mar May Jul Sep	341	332 1/2	327 3/4	327 1/4	326 3/4
	352 1/2	343	338 1/4	338	337 1/2
	353 1/2	346	340 1/2	340 1/2	338 1/2
	331 1/2	329 1/4	324 1/4	323 1/2	322 1/2
	335 1/2	334	328 1/2	327	326 1/2
Corn Dec Mar May Jul Sep	221 1/4	223 1/2	221 1/2	221 3/4	216 1/4
	229 1/4	231 1/2	229 1/2	229 1/4	224 1/4
	234 1/4	236	234 1/2	234	229 1/2
	237 1/4	239 1/4	237 1/2	236 3/4	233
	236 1/4	238 1/4	237 1/2	237 1/2	234 1/4
KC Wheat Dec Mar May Jul Sep	344 1/4	339 3/4	336	334	333 1/2
	354	349 3/4	346	344 3/4	343 1/2
	354 1/2	352	344 3/4	345 1/4	343
	334	332 1/2	329	329 1/2	328
	339	338 1/2	335	334	334
SB Meal Oct Dec Jan Mar May	200.00 201.10 200.90 199.20 194.30	201.10 202.20 202.30 201.10 196.30	200.20 201.20 201.70 200.10 195.20	205.60 206.20 206.20 204.20 197.40	214.00 212.70 212.10 208.40 201.40

WEEKLY COMMODITY LIVE FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle 5.93 to 10.02 higher, Lean Hogs .10 to 3.98 higher, Pork Bellies 3.55 to 5.53 higher, Feeder Cattle 3.68 to 5.55higher.

Daily Live Futures Closes

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri
Cattle Oct Nov Dec Feb Apr	91.32 90.70 87.72 85.10 81.92	92.82 92.20 89.22 88.20 86.60	94.32 93.70 90.72 89.70 88.10	95.82 94.97 90.75 90.00 86.82	97.32 96.47 92.25 90.80 88.17
Lean Hogs Oct Dec Feb Apr May	54.85 55.10 58.25 59.10 62.00	54.77 55.95 59.45 60.30 62.95	55.25 57.95 61.12 61.35 63.85	55.02 56.82 59.90 59.87 62.47	54.75 58.30 60.65 60.45 62.70
Prk Bel Feb Mar May Jul Aug	85.65 85.10 86.45 88.80 87.20	86.97 86.35 86.45 89.85 87.25	89.97 89.35 88.00 92.85 90.25	88.17 88.12 88.20 92.85 90.25	90.60 90.40 90.00 93.70 91.30
Fdr. Cat. Oct Nov Jan Mar Apr	102.82 100.95 95.07 91.32 89.50	104.30 102.45 96.57 92.82 91.00	105.80 103.95 98.07 94.32 92.50	105.82 103.25 97.95 93.70 91.20	107.17 104.07 99.12 94.45 91.90

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .27 to .37 higher Wheat .21 to .34 lower Corn .04 to .07 lower Grain Sorghum .12 to .13 lower

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soybean		#2 Corn	#2 Grain
		Wheat		Sorghum
Kansas City				J
Monday	6.79	3.34-3.39	2.11-2.16	4.04
Tuesday	6.83	3.30-3.35	2.14-2.19	4.09
Wednesday	6.74	3.26-3.31	2.12-2.17	4.05
Thursday	6.88	3.24-3.29	2.12-2.17	4.05
Friday	7.09	3.24-3.29	2.06-2.11	3.95
St. Louis				
Monday	6.76-6.78	3.18-3.29	2.18-2.21	4.18
Tuesday	6.76-6.80	3.18-3.29	2.18-2.23	4.18
Wednesday	6.71-6.73	3.04-3.20	2.21-2.22	4.21
Thursday	6.87-6.89	3.05-3.20	2.24-2.26	4.25
Friday	7.09-7.10	3.04-3.20	2.18-2.19	4.12
Central				
Monday	6.57-6.59	3.11-3.12	2.03-2.08	3.45
Tuesday	6.61-6.63	3.03-3.04	2.06	3.50
Wednesday	6.52-6.54	2.98-2.99	2.04	3.46
Thursday	6.66-6.68	2.97-2.98	2.04	3.46
Friday	6.87-6.89	2.97-2.98	1.98	3.36
<u>S.E. Mo.</u>				
Monday	6.73-6.81	3.20-3.29	2.13-2.18	4.16-4.21
Tuesday	6.78-6.85	3.10-3.20	2.17-2.20	4.23-4.25
Wednesday	6.69-6.75	3.02-3.16	2.15-2.19	4.27-4.30
Thursday		2.99-3.15	2.17-2.24	4.27-4.32
Friday	7.07-7.12	3.04-3.15	2.11-2.18	4.14-4.21

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Weekly Missouri Crop Report

The Missouri corn harvest is progressing at a normal pace while the harvest of soybeans, sorghum and cotton is well behind normal. Abnormally cool weather and heavy dew slowed the drying of row crops in many areas. An average of 5.9 days were suitable for fieldwork. The topsoil moisture supply was reported as 5 percent very short, 13 percent short, 80 percent adequate and 2 percent surplus, with the northwest district indicated as the driest area at 50 percent short or very short. Subsoil moisture is rated at 12 percent very short, 30 percent short and 58 percent adequate. Ninety-seven percent of the corn has reached maturity, slightly behind last year and the 5-year average. Sixty-nine percent of the corn has been harvested, 5 days behind last year but a day ahead of average. Harvesting progress varies from 44 percent complete in the northeast district and 53 percent north-central, to 92 percent west-central and 97 percent in the southeast district. Seventy-six percent of the soybeans are dropping leaves or beyond, 2 days behind average, but the proportion mature at 44 percent is 6 days behind both last year and average as the drying process progressed slowly during the cool weather. More than 50 percent of the beans in the northern third of the State are mature while the southern third ranges from about 13 percent mature in the southwest and south-central districts to 26 percent in the southeast. Condition of the crop is rated as 19 percent very poor, 27 percent poor, 32 percent fair, 18 percent good and 4 percent excellent, virtually unchanged from a week earlier. Thirteen percent of the soybeans are harvested, a week behind both last year and the 5-year average of 25 percent. Progress of the bean harvest ranges from 7 percent or less in the southwest and south-central districts to 20 percent in the northeast. Fourteen percent of the winter wheat acreage for next year's crop has been planted, 2 days behind both last year and the average of 17 percent. Progress ranges from 8 percent or less in the northeast and southwest districts, to 20 percent in the southeast. Wheat is just beginning to emerge, with moisture conditions favorable for giving the crop a good start in most areas.

^{*} NEW CROP