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Weekly Slaughter Hog Quotations

Location	Type	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
St. Joseph	B & G Bulk & Top Sows - Range	34.50-35.00 28.00-33.00	35.00-35.50 28.00-33.00	35.00-35.50 28.00-33.00	35.00-35.50 28.00-33.00	Closed
St. Paul	B & G Bulk & Top Sows - Range	34.00-34.50 29.00-34.00	34.00-34.50 29.00-34.00	34.00-34.50 29.00-34.00	34.00-34.50 28.00-33.00	34.00-35.00 28.00-33.00

MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts 39,912, Week ago 35,237, Year ago 36,779

WEIGHTED AVERAGES

Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

Fdr. STEERS:		Fdr. HEIFERS:		Hols. STEERS	
360 lbs	117.90	367 lbs	107.26	352 lbs	83.68
456 lbs	119.30	452 lbs	99.18	466 lbs	82.43
550 lbs	102.80	547 lbs	95.25	548 lbs	82.60
647 lbs	103.89	655 lbs	98.45	638 lbs	82.92
752 lbs	105.40	718 lbs	100.72	772 lbs	75.71
853 lbs	105.36	818 lbs	95.74	828 lbs	79.92
		954 lbs	90.87		

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Mountain Grove and West Plains)

Cattle

Receipts 6300 Week ago 6525 Year ago 7009

Compared to last week Steers and Heifers under 650 lbs steady to 4.00 lower, over 650 lbs fully steady. Holsteins under 450 lbs steady to weak over 450 lbs 1.00 to 3.00 higher, Slaughter Cows steady to 3.00 higher and Bulls steady to 1.00 higher.

STEERS:

Medium and Large 1	weight	price
350-400	105.00-125.00	
400-450	102.00-115.00	
450-500	98.00-107.00	
500-550	94.00-105.00	
550-600	90.00-98.00	
600-700	93.00-101.00	
700-800	92.50-99.00	

HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1	weight	price
350-400	95.00-107.00	
400-500	90.00-101.00	
500-600	87.00-97.00	
600-700	88.00-95.00	
700-800	89.00-95.50	

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 42.00-52.50 high dressing 47.00-55.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1200-2200 47.50-58.50, high dressing 58.50-64.00.

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 2-7 yrs, 1000-1450 lbs, 2nd and 3rd stage, 620.00-840.00 per head.

COW AND CALF PAIRS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 5 to 6 yrs, 900-1300 lbs with babies to 350 lb calves 800.00-910.00 per pair.

WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Kingsville, Sedalia)

Cattle:

Receipts 3252, Week ago 2527, Year ago 3743

Compared to last week weaned calves under 600 lbs 1.00 to 4.00 higher, unweaned weak to 3.00 lower. Over 600 lbs not tested but undertone firm. Slaughter Cow and Bulls steady to 2.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2	weight	price
300-400	104.00-120.00	
400-500	102.50-118.00	
500-600	96.00-108.00	
600-700	95.00-105.00	
700-800	95.00-100.50	
800-850	102.00-103.00	

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2	weight	price
300-400	95.00-112.00	
400-500	92.00-104.00	
500-600	89.50-100.00	
600-700	89.00-99.00	
700-800	Scarce	
850-900	Scarce	

SLAUGHTER COWS:

Breaking & Boning (70-85% lean) 44.00-51.00. High dressing 48.75-57.00 Lean (85-90%) 37.50-44.00

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 2yrs to ss, 945-1400 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 670.00-825.00 per head.

COW AND CALF PAIRS:

Medium and Large 1-2, Scarce.

SLAUGHTER BULLS:

Yield Grade 1-2; 1250-2175lbs 51.50-62.25, high dressing 64.75-65.25

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle	Cows and Bulls	Dairy Cattle
Receipts 11,535	1900	Springfield
Week ago 7145	1800	10-28-2003
Year ago 11,856	1200	1224

Compared to last week: Feeder Steers and Heifers calves steady to 2.00 lower, yearlings steady to 2.00 higher. Cows and Bulls steady to 3.00 higher.

STEERS:

Medium and Large 1	weight	price
300-400	116.00-130.00	
400-500	101.00-118.00	
500-600	89.00-113.00	
600-700	92.00-106.00	
700-800	99.00-106.50	
800-900	96.00-99.00	

HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1	weight	price
300-400	103.00-113.50	
400-500	90.50-107.00	
500-600	86.00-103.00	
600-700	91.50-104.80	
700-800	98.00-104.80	
800-900	90.50-98.25	

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HOLSTEINS:

Large Frame 3	
Weight	price
200-300	94.00
300-400	89.00
400-500	79.00-83.50
500-600	77.50-81.00
600-700	76.50-78.50
800-900	78.60-78.75

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 2 yrs to ss, 2nd-3rd stage, 900-1400 lbs, 600.00-885.00 per head.

COW\CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2, 900-1150 lbs, 2 yrs to ss, with baby to 350 lb calves 700.00-1175.00 per pair.

SLAUGHTER COWS:

Breakers & Boners (70-85% lean) 47.00-54.50, Lean (85-90% lean) 41.00-45.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS:

Yield grade 1-2, 1435-2090 lbs 58.00-65.50.

Dairy Cattle Sales

Springer Heifers: Supreme 1600.00-1700.00, Approved 1300.00-1590.00, Replacement Cows: Supreme 1300.00-1375.00, Open Heifers: Approved 700-800 lbs 860.00-990.00, 600-700 lbs 850.00-945.00, 500-600 lbs 780.00-850.00, 400-500 lbs 610.00-780.00. Baby Calves: Heifers 240.00-390.00, Bulls 100.00-150.00.

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville)

Cattle

Receipts 5980, Week ago 5478 Year ago 3568.

Feeder Steers and Heifers calves unevenly steady, weaned and yearlings steady to firm. Slaughter Cows steady to 2.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2	
weight	price
350-400	115.00-129.00
400-500	100.00-118.00
500-600	95.00-111.50
600-700	95.00-114.50
700-800	97.50-112.50
800-850	94.00-97.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2	
weight	price
300-400	100.00-115.00
400-500	92.00-101.00
500-600	90.00-105.50
600-700	90.00-98.00
700-750	89.00-97.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS:

Yield Grade 1-2, 1350-1950 lbs 53.50-58.50 high dressing 58.50-60.00

SLAUGHTER COWS:

Lean, Breaking and Boning, (70-90 percent lean) 40.00-50.00, high dressing 50.00-56.00, low dressing 34.00-44.00

SLAUGHTER STEERS:

Choice 2-3 97.00-104.00, High Dressing 104.00-107.00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 97.00-102.75

NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Palmyra, New Cambria, and Green City)

Feeder Cattle:	
Receipts	3975
Week ago	6142
Year ago	3821

Slaughter Cattle:	
Receipts	125
Week ago	305
Year ago	240

Feeder Steers steady to 5.00 higher. Heifers steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows unevenly steady, Slaughter Steers and Heifers 1.00-2.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2	
weight	price
300-400	115.00-129.00
400-500	109.50-127.50
500-600	102.50-117.00
600-700	102.75-116.00
700-800	105.35-111.25
800-850	105.00-112.85

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2	
weight	price
300-400	100.00-110.00
400-500	95.00-110.50
500-600	93.00-103.00
600-700	90.00-100.25
700-800	97.90-98.70
800-900	scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS:

Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 48.00-58.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS:

Yield Grade 1-2 1450-2150 lbs 54.00-61.00.

SLAUGHTER STEERS:

Choice 2-3, 1100-1400 lbs 100.00-103.00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:

Choice 2-3, 1000-1350 lbs 98.75-102.00

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba and Vienna)

Receipts 3910, week ago 4688, year ago 3078

Feeder Steers and Heifers under 600 lbs steady to 4.00 lower, over 600 lbs steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 3.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2	
weight	price
300-400	109.00-117.00
400-500	102.00-112.50
500-600	100.00-110.00
600-700	100.00-109.75
700-815	98.25-102.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2	
weight	price
350-400	Scarce
400-500	93.00-104.00
500-600	92.00-100.00
600-740	93.00-98.50
750-800	Scarce
800-960	90.00-91.00

SLAUGHTER COWS:

Breaking and Boning(70-85% lean) 43.00-49.00, high dressing 48.50-52.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS:

Yield Grade 1-2, 1300-2000 lbs 51.50-58.50. high dressing 60.00-63.50

COW\CALF PAIRS:

Medium and Large 1-2, Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, Medium 1 Charolais 4 yrs to ss 950-1125 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 635.00-765.00.

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Patton Junction and Fruitland)

Receipts 1675 Week ago 1955, Year ago 1930

Compared to last week Feeder Steers and heifers steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter Cows steady and bulls 1.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2	
weight	price
300-400	100.00-119.00
400-500	100.00-119.00
500-600	95.00-111.50
600-700	90.00-105.00
700-800	90.50-100.50
800-850	83.00-85.75

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2	
weight	price
300-400	95.50-105.50
400-500	90.00-101.00
500-600	83.00-93.50
600-700	84.00-95.50
700-775	84.00-92.00

SLAUGHTER COWS:

Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 42.25-47.50, high dressing 50.00-57.00.

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 3-7 yrs, 890-1390 lbs, 2nd and 3rd stage, 570.00-660.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER BULLS:

Y.G. 1-2, 1550-2050 lbs 51.25-55.25, high dressing 58.00-60.50.

COW AND CALF PAIRS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 3-7 yrs, 895-1390 lbs, 150-250 lb calves, 750.00-850.00 per pair.

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT

Weekly Receipts 400, Week ago 1000; Year ago 700

Trade moderate to active, live sales no reported sales, dressed sales on the grid basis 3.00 to 5.00 higher. Demand and seller interest good.

STEERS:

Live sales: no sales

STEERS AND HEIFERS:

Carcass sales: no sales

HEIFERS:

Live sales: no sales

GRADE AND WEIGHT: (Grid)

Choice 550-950 lbs 165.00-175.00
Select 550-950 lbs 150.00-155.00

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts 10,837 Week ago 10,697 Year ago 14,183

Weekly Top: Friday 43.00

BARROWS AND GILTS:

2.00 to 3.00 higher
Base Carcass 43.00

SOWS:

1.00 to 2.00 lower
300-500 lbs 24.00-27.00
over 500 lbs 28.00-31.00

**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT
WEANER AND FEEDER PIG REPORT**

Receipts: 6054 [FOB 4948 Delivered 3022 compared to last week, weaner pigs steady. Insufficient number of feeder pigs for a test. National pigs were steady to 3.00 lower. Light demand for light supply.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights
FOB the farm 25% Negotiated
4052 head 10 lbs. 24.00-33.00 weighted average 29.57

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights
Delivered 0% Negotiated
896 head 10 lbs 31.27-31.88 weighted average 31.49

Feeder pigs in all lot sizes:
FOB the farm 47% Negotiated
896 head 40 lbs 36.00-39.00 weighted average 40 lbs 37.59

Feeder pigs in all lot sizes:
Delivered 66% Negotiated
1800 head 40-45 lbs 33.50-40.00 weighted average 41.1 lbs 36.91

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER

	CATTLE	HOGS	SHEEP
Week to date	597,000	2,146,000	58,000
Last Week	631,000	2,141,000	56,000
Last Year	679,000	2,089,000	62,000
2003 Yr to dt	30,386,000	84,179,000	2,418,000
2002 Yr to dt	30,445,000	84,476,000	2,647,000

MIDWEST SHEEP REVIEW

Slaughter Receipts:
This week 58,000
Week ago 56,000
Year ago 62,000

Slaughter Lambs steady
Slaughter Ewes steady
Feeder Lambs steady

SLAUGHTER EWES:
Utility and Good 1-3, 30.00-35.00
Cull 1, 22.00-30.00 (per cwt.)

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Ch & Pr 110-120 lbs; 81.00-83.00, 120-140 lbs 83.00-85.00.
FEEDER LAMBS: 60-80 lbs 95.00-105.00, 80-100 lbs 85.00-95.00 (per cwt.)

MISSOURI WEEKLY HAY SUMMARY

Seems Mother Nature has forgotten fall as weather has changed from summer straight to winter. Hay is moving at a pretty steady to swift pace at the current time. Cattle farmers are still showing only slight interest other wise sellers might be way behind. There are some beef farmers putting out hay in small amounts, knowing that grass should be done growing for the year. The biggest concern at the current time is the supply of top quality alfalfa and brome that is available. Unless more shows up that has been hidden in a barn somewhere seems this supply will run out early this year. Hay prices remain steady with slight firmness still noted in the high end alfalfa sales to a few dairies and horse farms. 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 .07 higher, medium steady, small steady. IOWA-MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN: Prices paid to producers. (Cents per dozen) Large .81-.85, Medium .67-.71, Small .43-.47.

**WHOLESALE FEEDSTUFFS PRICES
(DOLLARS PER TON-BULK BASIS)**

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	256.80	200.00	256.40	92.50
St. Louis	272.50	191.50	257.50	92.00
Memphis	269.50	176.00	----	85.00
Decatur	255.00	----	----	----

Weekly Average Prices as of Nov 04, 2003

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .22 to .59 lower, Wheat .04 to .10 higher, Corn .06 to .12 lower, Soybean meal 7.30 to 14.10 lower, KC Wheat .03 to .05 higher. (all price trends approximate ranges).

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri
Soybeans					
Nov	790	757	765 1/4	757 3/4	743
Jan	797	763 1/4	773	765	748 1/2
Mar	786 1/4	755 1/2	766	759 3/4	744
May	750 1/4	723 1/2	732	732	721 1/4
Jul	734	712 1/2	720 1/2	722 3/4	709 1/2
Wheat					
Dec	365	363 1/2	378	375 1/2	378
Mar	376 3/4	374 1/2	389	387 1/2	390
May	372	369 1/4	381	381 1/4	384
Jul	348	347 1/2	356 1/2	356	353 1/4
Sep	351	352	360	359	358
Corn					
Dec	240	232 1/4	236 3/4	234 1/4	235 1/4
Mar	245 1/2	237 3/4	242	240 1/4	241 1/2
May	249	241	245 1/4	244 1/4	245 1/4
Jul	251	243 1/4	248	247 1/4	248
Sep	246	240	244 1/2	243 1/2	244
KC Wheat					
Dec	362	361	373	370 3/4	371 1/2
Mar	371 1/2	368 1/2	381 1/2	378 3/4	380 1/2
May	370	367 1/2	378	375	375 3/4
Jul	352 3/4	353	362	360	356 1/4
Sep	356	356	363	364	361 1/2
SB Meal					
Dec	255.50	245.10	246.00	244.20	239.20
Jan	243.40	242.50	244.20	241.80	237.10
Mar	249.20	238.80	241.50	239.10	234.60
May	237.60	229.20	230.50	229.10	226.50
Jul	232.40	224.80	226.00	224.40	222.00

WEEKLY COMMODITY LIVE FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle 5.10 to 5.92 higher, Lean Hogs .05 to 1.48 higher, Pork Bellies .63 to 3.17 higher, except Mar .12 lower, Feeder Cattle .52 to 2.65 higher.

Daily Live Futures Closes

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri
Cattle					
Nov	97.17	97.17	98.40	99.90	101.50
Dec	92.35	92.60	94.10	95.60	96.82
Jan	91.15	91.15	92.50	94.00	95.10
Feb	88.00	88.42	89.65	91.15	92.12
Apr	81.80	81.80	82.07	83.05	83.37
Lean Hogs					
Dec	52.65	53.22	52.92	53.17	53.37
Feb	58.35	58.55	58.57	58.92	59.72
Apr	59.87	60.00	60.15	60.60	61.30
May	62.20	62.00	62.10	62.20	62.45
Jun	65.02	65.02	65.17	65.25	65.42
Prk Bel					
Feb	87.62	87.15	87.40	88.80	88.15
Mar	86.90	86.10	86.10	87.80	87.15
May	88.35	88.15	87.70	89.00	89.15
Jul	90.70	90.85	91.00	91.50	92.40
Aug	89.50	89.25	89.00	90.50	90.75
Fdr. Cat.					
Nov	102.20	101.95	103.22	104.40	103.02
Jan	96.15	95.97	96.37	97.62	97.32
Mar	89.95	89.75	89.72	90.50	90.77
Apr	88.80	88.65	88.30	89.20	89.30
May	87.75	87.55	87.15	88.50	88.22

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .39 to .54 lower
 Wheat .07 to .38 higher
 Corn .12 lower to .04 higher
 Grain Sorghum .22 lower to .09 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soybean	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
<u>Kansas City</u>				
Monday	7.84	3.55-3.57	2.37-2.40	4.46-4.55
Tuesday	7.50	3.54-3.56	2.29-2.32	4.32-4.41
Wednesday	7.60	3.68-3.73	2.34-2.37	4.41-4.50
Thursday	7.52	3.66-3.71	2.31-2.34	4.36-4.45
Friday	7.36	3.67-3.72	2.32-2.35	4.38-4.46
<u>St. Louis</u>				
Monday	7.87	3.60-3.62	2.44	4.60
Tuesday	7.55	3.60	2.40	4.50
Wednesday	7.65-7.67	3.78-3.85	2.47	4.69
Thursday	7.60	3.89	2.47	4.80
Friday	7.44	3.95	2.51	4.82
<u>Central</u>				
Monday	7.66-7.71	3.35-3.40	2.22	3.78
Tuesday	7.34-7.37	3.34-3.39	2.14	3.64
Wednesday	7.48-7.49	3.53	2.19	3.73
Thursday	7.40-7.41	3.51	2.16	3.67
Friday	7.24-7.25	3.53	2.17	3.69
<u>S.E. Mo.</u>				
Monday	7.77-7.87	3.56-3.58	2.32-2.38	4.53-4.66
Tuesday	7.45-7.53	3.56-3.60	2.28-2.34	4.41-4.57
Wednesday	7.60-7.63	3.75-3.81	2.38-2.42	4.50-4.66
Thursday	7.54-7.56	3.72-3.87	2.36-2.41	4.44-4.80
Friday	7.34-7.41	3.75-3.93	2.39-2.45	4.67-4.91

(PRICES PER BU. EXCEPT GR. SORG. PER CWT)
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Weekly Crop Report

Row crop harvesting advanced well in all areas of the State during the past week as favorable weather prevailed. An average of 5.6 days were suitable for fieldwork, ranging from 4.5 days in the northeast district to over 6 days in the northwest, west-central, southwest, south-central and southeast districts. The topsoil moisture supply was reported as 4 percent very short, 21 percent short, 72 percent adequate and 3 percent surplus, down slightly from a week earlier. The northwest district remains the driest area, with 62 percent rated as short or very short. The corn crop is 94 percent harvested, early caught up to last year's pace and slightly ahead of the the 5-year average of 92 percent. Progress varies from 87 percent harvested in the northeast and east-central districts to virtually complete in the west-central district and the southern third of the State. Ninety-seven percent of the soybeans are mature, about 5 days behind the maturity of both last year and average. Progress of maturity ranges from 90 percent or less in the southwest and south-central districts to 95 percent or more in all other districts. Seventy-seven percent of the soybeans are harvested, 5 days behind the 5-year average of 84 percent. Progress of the bean harvest ranges from 49 percent complete in the southwest district to 84 percent or more in the northwest and northeast districts. Ninety-nine percent of the sorghum is mature, with only the central and northeast districts showing as much as 4 percent not yet mature. Eighty-four percent of the crop is harvested, 10 days behind last year and a week behind the average of 90 percent. Progress is least advanced in the northeast, central and east-central districts where 65 percent or less is harvested, while all other districts range from 90 to 100 percent. Seventy-nine percent of the winter wheat acreage for next year's crop has been planted, 2 days ahead of last year but similar to normal. Planting progress ranges from 60 percent complete in the central district to 94 percent in the southeast. Fifty-nine percent of the wheat has emerged, 2 days ahead of average. Condition of the emerged wheat is rated as 22 percent fair, 71 percent good and 7 percent excellent, a minor improvement from a week earlier. Pasture condition is reported as 6 percent very poor, 15 percent poor, 38 percent fair, 35 percent good and 6 percent excellent, similar to a week earlier. Pastures in the northeast district are showing some improvement but are still indicated at 53 percent poor or very poor, while ratings in the rest of the State are closer to normal for this time of year.