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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts 33,373; Week ago 30,112; Year ago 25,134
 Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

Fdr. STEERS:		Fdr. HEIFERS:		Hols. STEERS	
363 lbs.	155.23	362 lbs.	136.30	364 lbs.	115.50
454 lbs.	143.44	453 lbs.	130.23	458 lbs.	109.71
548 lbs.	133.77	554 lbs.	121.11	537 lbs.	105.63
645 lbs.	122.50	648 lbs.	110.45	671 lbs.	90.55
743 lbs.	109.01	753 lbs.	100.26	765 lbs.	86.11
846 lbs.	103.71	850 lbs.	96.68	828 lbs.	84.96
936 lbs.	98.22				

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(West Plains, Gainesville)

Receipts: 5300; Week ago 4474; Year ago 4895

Compared to last week steers and heifers firm to 4.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls 2.00 to 4.00 higher.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1 & 1-2	
300-400 lbs.	150.00-159.00	300-400 lbs.	135.00-149.00
400-500 lbs.	136.00-150.00	400-500 lbs.	120.00-134.00
500-600 lbs.	123.00-140.00	500-600 lbs.	110.00-122.00
600-700 lbs.	110.00-124.00	600-700 lbs.	103.00-113.00
700-800 lbs.	104.00-112.00	700-800 lbs.	94.00-101.00
800-900 lbs.	95.00-101.40		

Large 3 Holsteins

Pkg 312 lbs.	118.00
450-585 lbs.	100.00-108.00
Pkg 609 lbs.	93.50
Pkg 734 lbs.	89.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1250-2100 lbs., 67.50-75.00, high dressing 75.00-78.00, low dressing 63.50-69.50.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2, few 4 yrs to 7 yrs few ss 950-1250 lbs with baby to 250 lb calves 1025.00-1200.00 per pair.

SLAUGHTER COWS:

Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 52.00-57.50, high dressing 56.50-60.50. Lean (85-90%) 48.00-55.50, low dressing 40.00-48.00.

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 2 to 7 yrs, 9500-1450 lbs, 3rd stage, 900.00-1080.00 per head, short solid 1050-1370 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 700.00-825.00 per head.

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts 11,600; week ago 8480; year ago 9228

Cow and Bull Receipts 1650; week ago 1370; year ago 1700

Dairy Cattle Receipts 1365; Norwood 03/10/05

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers steady to 5.00 higher spots of some 500-650 lbs suitable for grazing as much as 8.00-10.00 higher.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	140.00-175.00	300-400 lbs.	130.00-140.00
400-500 lbs.	135.00-153.00	400-500 lbs.	122.00-134.00
500-600 lbs.	122.00-141.50	500-600 lbs.	112.00-128.50
600-700 lbs.	112.50-132.00	600-700 lbs.	103.00-118.00
700-800 lbs.	102.50-115.00	700-800 lbs.	96.00-104.50
800-900 lbs.	99.00-106.00	800-900 lbs.	scarce

HOLSTEINS:

Large Frame 3

300-400 lbs.	112.00-119.00
400-500 lbs.	107.00-115.00
500-600 lbs.	99.00-111.00
600-700 lbs.	89.00-99.00
700-800 lbs.	86.00-91.50
800-900 lbs.	85.00-86.00

Dairy Cattle Sales

Springer Heifers: Supreme 2100.00-2510.00, Approved 1850.00-2075.00, Jerseys 1400.00-1775.00, Medium 1600.00-1825.00. Replacement Cows: Springer Supreme 1600.00-1925.00, Approved 1250.00-1550.00. Open Heifers; Approved 500-700 lbs 1175.00-1495.00, 300-500 lbs 725.00-1125.00. Jerseys 675.00-1125.00. Baby Calves: Holstein Heifers 425.00-685.00. Bulls 125.00-210.00

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 2 yrs to ss, 950-1200 lbs, 1st, 2nd and 3rd stage, 850.00-1250.00 per head.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2, 2 yrs to ss, 900-1300 lbs. with baby-250 lb calves 1000.00-1400.00 per pair.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 54.50-62.50, high dressing 59.50-67.00, Lean (85-90%) 49.00-55.00, low dressing 42.00-51.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1280-2460 lbs. 68.00-78.00, high dressing 76.00-85.50, low dressing 60.00-71.50.

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts 8532; Week ago 5709; Year ago 8273

Compared to last weeks close barrows and gilts 5.00 lower.

Sows steady to 0.50 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS:

Base carcass meat prices 62.00
 Weekly top price Monday 64.00

SOWS:

300-500 lbs 38.50-43.00
 Over 500 lbs 44.00-47.00.

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WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Kingsville and Sedalia)

Receipts 3608; Week ago 2841; Year ago 3662

Compared to last week feeder steers and heifers steady to firm with some five and six weights 2.00-6.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00 to 3.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

300-400 lbs.	140.00-159.00
400-500 lbs.	130.00-147.50
500-600 lbs.	120.00-141.00
600-700 lbs.	107.00-133.00
700-800 lbs.	102.75-111.50
800-900 lbs.	101.00-106.25

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs.	124.00-138.00
400-500 lbs.	116.00-148.50
500-600 lbs.	106.50-135.00
600-700 lbs.	99.50-120.00
700-750 lbs.	97.00-104.75

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 2 to ss, 1125-1480 lbs, 2nd to 3rd stage, 860.00-1085.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking

and Boning (70-85% lean) 51.00-58.00, high dressing 56.50-64.50, Lean (85-90%) 48.00-56.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium

and Large 1-2 5 yrs to ss 1100-1400 lbs with 150 to 365 lb calves, 910.00-1375.00 per pair.

SLAUGHTER BULLS:

Yield Grade 1-2, 1315-2405 lbs 65.00-73.00, high dressing 73.75-77.75, low dressing 63.00-64.75.

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, and Boonville)

Receipts 5430; Week ago 5002; Year ago; 7640

Compared to last week feeder steers and heifers firm to 10.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00 to 2.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

350-400 lbs.	145.00-156.00
400-500 lbs.	137.00-154.00
500-600 lbs.	120.00-149.50
600-700 lbs.	110.00-133.50
700-800 lbs.	102.00-114.50
800-875 lbs.	101.00-105.75

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

350-400 lbs.	125.00-144.00
400-500 lbs.	118.00-139.50
500-600 lbs.	110.00-128.00
600-700 lbs.	100.00-122.00
700-750 lbs.	96.00-103.00
800-900 lbs.	Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 89.50-93.00**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking, Boning, and Lean (70-90% lean) 49.00-59.00, high dressing 55.00-65.00, low dressing 42.00-52.00**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 88.50-91.50, few high dressing 93.00-93.25.**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield Grade 1-2, 1300-2300 lbs, 63.00-70.00, high dressing 70.00-74.75.**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, New Cambria and Green City)

Feeder Cattle Receipts 1646; Week ago 2584; Year ago 3010

Slaughter Cattle Receipts 153; Week ago 92; Year ago 146

Compared to last week feeder steers and heifers under 500 lbs 5.00 to 8.00 higher, over 500 lbs 2.00-5.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00 to 3.00 higher. Slaughter steers and heifers 1.50 to 2.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	147.00-162.00
400-500 lbs.	140.00-154.00
500-600 lbs.	126.00-144.00
600-700 lbs.	118.00-131.75
700-800 lbs.	107.50-118.00
800-900 lbs.	104.50-109.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs.	130.00-145.00
400-500 lbs.	126.00-141.50
500-600 lbs.	116.00-133.50
600-700 lbs.	109.00-112.50
700-800 lbs.	103.00

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3, 1050-1400 lbs 90.75-91.30**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 55.00-63.75, low dressing 49.00-55.00.**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3, 1100-1400 lbs 88.50-91.50**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield Grade 1-2, 1400-1900 lbs 67.00-74.00.**SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Patton Junction and Fruitland)

Receipts 2097; Week ago 1778; Year ago 1811

Compared to last week steers and heifers steady to 3.00 higher.

Slaughter Cows 2.00 higher, Bulls 3.00 higher. Demand good and Supply moderate.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

200-300 lbs.	158.00-177.50
300-400 lbs.	140.00-158.00
400-500 lbs.	126.00-154.00
500-600 lbs.	116.00-131.75
600-700 lbs.	105.00-120.50
700-800 lbs.	97.00-107.25
800-900 lbs.	95.25-101.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

250-300 lbs.	Scarce
300-400 lbs.	120.00-140.00
400-500 lbs.	111.00-131.00
500-600 lbs.	100.00-119.25
600-700 lbs.	96.50-106.50
700-775 lbs.	90.25-102.00
800-850 lbs.	90.25-92.50

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 2 to 7 yrs 850-1410 lbs in 2nd to 3rd stage 735.00-960.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking

and Boning (70-85% lean) 47.00-52.75, high dressing 54.00-62.25, Lean (85-90%) 37.50-41.25.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium

and Large 1-2, 2 to 7 yrs, 980-1435 lbs with 110-160 lb calves 850.00-1160.00 per pair.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield

Grade 1-2, 1290-2190 lbs 59.75-68.00, high dressing 71.25-74.25, low dressing 56.25.

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba and Vienna)

Receipts 3617; Week ago 2315; Year ago 3760

Compared to last week steers and heifers 1.00 to 6.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	143.75-168.00
400-500 lbs.	134.00-150.00
500-600 lbs.	128.00-141.00
600-700 lbs.	112.00-129.00
700-800 lbs.	103.00-112.00
800-900 lbs.	Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	129.50-146.00
400-500 lbs.	123.50-136.00
500-600 lbs.	113.00-128.25
600-700 lbs.	106.00-115.50
700-760 lbs.	101.75-109.00

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking

and Boning (70-85% lean) 51.00-57.50, high dressing 58.00-62.00, Lean (85-90%) 47.00-52.00, low dressing 40.00-47.00.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium

and Large 1-2, Scarce

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield

Grade 1-2, 1500-2200 lbs, 63.00-72.00, high dressing 72.00-77.50, low dressing 54.50-62.00.

**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

Weekly Receipts 200; Week ago 1000; Year ago 200

Compared to last week, trade rather slow. No confirmed live sales and dressed sales on a grid basis few steady to 2.00 lower. Demand and seller interest light to moderate with lower bids.

STEERS: No Sales**STEERS AND HEIFERS:**

Carcass sales: No Sales

HEIFERS: No Sales**GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid):**

Choice 3 550-950 lbs 148.00-150.00, Select 3 550-950 lbs. 144.00-146.00

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

Receipts: 24,271 (FOB 3,515 Delivered 20,756)
Compared to last week, weaner pigs steady and no feeder pig last week to trend. USDA National feeder pig report indicates both weaner and feeder pigs steady. Good demand for moderate supply.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights.
Fob the farm, 16% negotiated.
3,515 head 10 lbs 32.00-51.00 weighted average 10 lbs 35.54.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights.
Delivered, 39% negotiated.
14,146 head 32.00-63.00 weighted average 10 lbs 41.84

Feeder pigs in all lot sizes.
Delivered 13% negotiated
6610 head 45 lbs 63.10-80.00 weighted average 45 lbs 65.27

MIDWEST SHEEP REVIEW

Slaughter Receipts

This week 62,000; Week ago 62,000; Year ago 64,000

Slaughter Lambs steady Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good
Slaughter Ewes steady 1-3 45.00-55.00, Cull 1 25.00-
Feeder Lambs steady 45.00.

Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Feeder Lambs: Medium and Large
Prime 2-3 90-150 lbs shorn 108.00- 1-2 60-80 lbs 125.00-140.00, 80-
110.00, woolled 106.00-108.00. 100 lbs 110.00-125.00.

Missouri Weekly Hay Summary

As spring is officially just a few days away farm activity has picked up a lot in the last week. Several farmers are preparing ground for corn planting and fertilizer is being spread in many fields. A few extra inquires have come the sellers way this week as a small number of beef farmers have found they need a bit more hay before grass really starts to grow and get ahead of the cattle. Overall hay movement continues to be limited to mostly the horse and dairy farmers. Hay prices are reported as mostly steady to weak, Demand is light. Supply is moderate. (All prices per ton unless specified) Supreme quality Alfalfa (RFV>185) 115.00-140.00 Premium quality Alfalfa (RFV170-180) 90.00-125.00 Fair to Good quality Alfalfa (RFV130-170) Round bales 30.00-80.00 Small, Big squares and baleage (dry weight) 70.00-100.00 Good quality mixed Alfalfa and grass small square bales 2.50-3.00 per bale 20.00-40.00 per large round bale Fair to good quality Prairie hay 50.00-75.00 Good quality Brome 50.00-85.00 Fair quality Brome some mixed with grass round bales 10.00-25.00 per bale Good quality Timothy Hay 2.50-3.50 per small square bale Good quality Red Clover hay 25.00-50.00 Good quality Mixed Grass hay 10.00-25.00 per round bale 1.25 to 2.50 per small square Fair quality large round bales Fescue 7.00-12.00 per bale Wheat hay 40.00-60.00 Wheat straw 1.50-3.00 per small bale.

Oregon County Goat and Sheep Market (Koshkonong)

Receipts: 71

Slaughter Classes: Kids: Selection 1 40-60 lbs 137.00. Selection 1-2 80-100 lbs 97.00 per cwt. Selection 2 40-60 lbs 128.00; 60-80 lbs 119.00. Selection 3 40-60 lbs 100.00; 60-80 lbs 90.00. Slaughter Does/Nannies: yearlings 85.00, medium 75.00; thin 60.00 per cwt. Slaughter Wethers: 88.00. Slaughter Bucks: thin 80-105 lbs 65.00, 105 lbs and up 60.00 per cwt. Slaughter Ewes: Cull indiv 30.00 per cwt.

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER

	<u>CATTLE</u>	<u>HOGS</u>	<u>SHEEP</u>
Week to date	590,000	1,927,000	62,000
Last week	599,000	1,918,000	62,000
Last Year	613,000	1,941,000	64,000
2005 yr. to date	6,430,000	21,872,000	570,000
2004 yr. to date	6,752,000	22,368,000	586,000

MIDWEST EGG REVIEW

Large steady, Medium steady, and Small steady. IOWA-MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN: Prices paid to producers. (cents per dz.) Large .27-.36, Medium .14-.20, Small .08-.12.

By-Product Feed Prices

Soy Hulls Mexico, MO 70.00, Alfalfa Pellets 17% St Louis, MO 135.00, Distillers Grain dried, Macon, MO 84.00, Corn Gluten Feed pelleted, Decatur, Il 62.00, Brewers Grain pressed 70% moisture, St Louis, MO 33.00. Prices per ton.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .09 to .13 lower, Wheat .02 to .04 lower, Corn .02 to .05 lower, KC Wheat May .07 lower others .02 to .03 higher, Soybean Meal 4.70 to 6.00 lower.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
Soybeans					
Mar	654	—	—	—	—
May	656	681	673 1/2	671 1/2	6.49
Jul	661	684 3/4	678 3/4	676 1/2	6.53
Aug	659	682 1/2	676	674	650 1/2
Sep	644 1/2	660	655 1/2	650	640 1/2
Wheat					
Mar	348	—	—	—	—
May	354	368	361	366 1/2	356 1/2
Jul	361 1/2	375	368	374	364
Sep	365 1/2	380	372 3/4	377 1/2	368 3/4
Dec	373	388	380	384 1/2	374 1/2
Corn					
Mar	214 1/2	—	—	—	—
May	221	228 1/2	225 1/2	223 1/2	219 3/4
Jul	228	235 1/4	233	231 1/4	227 1/2
Sep	234 1/2	240 1/4	238 1/4	237 1/4	234 1/4
Dec	244	247 1/2	246 3/4	245	243
KC Wheat					
Mar	369	—	—	—	—
May	362	371 1/2	363 1/2	366 1/4	360 1/4
Jul	356 3/4	367 3/4	361	362	357
Sep	362	374	367 1/2	369 3/4	363 3/4
Dec	372	385	378	378	374
SB Meal					
Mar	192.00	—	—	—	—
May	195.70	202.20	197.90	196.80	209.50
Jul	197.60	204.40	201.10	199.80	207.80
Aug	198.40	205.30	201.80	200.20	208.30
Sep	197.40	203.70	200.50	199.50	207.00

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle .45 to 1.75 lower, Lean Hogs .10 to 1.97 lower, except May .20 higher, Pork Bellies uneven from 3.90 higher to 1.43 lower, Feeder Cattle nearby .50 to .72 higher others 1.42-1.47 lower.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
Cattle					
Apr	89.10	89.75	89.67	88.47	87.40
Jun	85.57	85.87	86.20	85.32	84.10
Aug	83.00	83.32	83.62	83.15	82.50
Oct	84.07	84.37	84.45	84.00	83.50
Dec	85.30	85.60	85.52	85.02	84.50
Lean Hogs					
Apr	70.57	70.57	71.27	70.57	70.40
May	76.35	77.20	78.62	78.42	77.95
Jun	78.75	79.05	80.65	80.10	79.42
Jul	76.62	76.82	78.17	78.15	77.65
Aug	74.02	74.10	75.35	75.47	74.92
Prk Bel					
Mar	87.60	88.00	89.60	89.05	87.50
May	89.70	90.35	91.20	91.45	89.95
Jul	90.30	90.65	91.80	91.60	90.02
Aug	87.55	87.00	88.30	88.00	86.87
Feb	80.97	81.40	83.00	83.80	83.80
Fdr Cat					
Mar	105.35	106.07	106.05	105.90	105.62
Apr	104.00	104.75	104.70	104.42	103.42
May	103.27	103.72	103.90	103.65	102.05
Aug	104.35	104.82	104.85	104.57	103.15
Sep	103.45	103.77	103.85	103.40	102.20
Milk					
Mar	14.05	14.05	14.08	14.08	14.05
Apr	14.07	14.20	14.35	13.90	14.01
May	14.42	14.55	14.69	13.99	14.07

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans unchanged to .08 higher
 Wheat .02 to .07 higher
 Corn unchanged to .05 lower
 Grain Sorghum unchanged to .02 lower

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soybean	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City				
Monday	6.36	3.57	2.01	3.50
Tuesday	6.56	3.67	2.09	3.72
Wednesday	6.49	3.59	2.06	3.67
Thursday	6.47	3.61	1.99-2.02	3.54
Friday	6.22	3.55	1.95-1.98	3.80
St. Louis				
Monday	6.51-6.52	3.56	2.22-2.24	3.82
Tuesday	6.71-6.74	3.68	2.27-2.31	3.96
Wednesday	6.60-6.63	3.60	2.23-2.26	3.87
Thursday	6.61-6.62	3.61	2.23-2.25	3.84
Friday	6.42-6.43	3.58	2.22-2.24	3.80
Central				
Monday	6.14-6.29	3.29-3.31	1.88-1.93	3.21-3.36
Tuesday	6.39-6.48	3.43-3.45	1.96-1.98	3.32-3.50
Wednesday	6.32-6.44	3.36-3.38	1.93-1.95	3.26
Thursday	6.30-6.42	3.42-3.44	1.89-1.93	3.23
Friday	6.07-6.19	3.32-3.34	1.85-1.87	3.16
S.E. MO				
Monday	6.44-6.51	3.61-3.69	2.10-2.18	3.71-3.73
Tuesday	6.60-6.72	3.70-3.83	2.17-2.23	3.76-3.86
Wednesday	6.57-6.62	3.65-3.76	2.18-2.21	3.76-3.83
Thursday	6.60-6.63	3.71-3.81	2.17-2.19	3.77-3.80
Friday	6.32-6.43	3.61-3.68	2.14-2.20	3.71-3.76

(PRICES PER BU. EXCEPT GR. SORG. PER CWT)
 *NEW CROP

Northeast Missouri Delivered Saw Logs *

Doyle Scale								
grade saw			White oak	per log	red oak	Per log	Blk Walnut	per log
logs*****	Lengt h	DIB**	\$/mbf***	avg.****	\$/mbf	avg.	\$/mbf	avg.
	10	12	406.20	16.25	308.15	12.33	785.40	31.42
	10	16	731.85	65.87	615.25	55.37	1267.30	114.06
	10	20	810.30	129.65	730.30	116.85	1471.20	235.39
	8	16	606.55	43.67	545.60	39.28	1155.60	83.20
stave logs	8.5	20	684.30	93.06				
blow grade logs								
tie logs	10	13	215.20	10.89	212.55	10.76	0.00	0.00
blocking	8	12	195.50	6.26	191.40	6.12	183.60	5.88
pallet	8	12	190.65	6.10	188.15	6.02	181.25	5.80

*This is a **delivered** log report. It **does not** represent or imply prices paid for standing timber on your land. Values of standing timber can vary significantly from delivered due to the following: proximity to solid roads and saw mills, size of offering and proximity to other offerings, land terrain, prevailing conditions, quality, size, density, and species of timber.

Definitions:

- ** **DIB** = diameter inside bark at small end
- *** **MBF** = 1,000 board feet
- **** **Weighted Average** = value of logs at the weighted average board foot price figured at Doyle Scale
- ***** **Logs** = The prices in this report are for logs that are classified as U.S. Forestry grade one logs and more specifically described by the DIB and length in the report, as well as by:
 - three sides clear
 - both ends solid
 - determined to be sound and of good quality by buyer

Buyers use many criteria to determine the soundness and quality of a log, including, but not limited to: ring size, frost cracks, sweep, stain, back thickness, scars, crook, and color.

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