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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts 29,327; Week ago 37,560; Year ago 25,017
 Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

Fdr. STEERS:		Fdr. HEIFERS:		Hols. STEERS	
361 lbs.	154.56	347 lbs.	141.04	285 lbs.	126.89
459 lbs.	144.06	448 lbs.	131.97	363 lbs.	120.44
547 lbs.	135.18	547 lbs.	122.15	458 lbs.	116.30
644 lbs.	123.43	640 lbs.	113.37	550 lbs.	109.47
754 lbs.	110.10	736 lbs.	104.52	646 lbs.	99.46
838 lbs.	104.16	833 lbs.	97.25	747 lbs.	91.17
946 lbs.	97.32				

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(West Plains, Gainesville)

Receipts: 3845; Week ago 5000; Year ago 3967

Compared to last week steers and heifers unevenly steady, majority sales under 450 lbs from 2.00 to 4.00 lower, heavier weights steady. Slaughter cows and bulls mostly steady.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	148.00-170.00	300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	137.00-154.00	400-500 lbs.	131.00-148.00
500-600 lbs.	120.00-141.00	500-600 lbs.	114.00-138.00
600-700 lbs.	110.00-125.00	600-700 lbs.	106.00-117.50
700-750 lbs.	Scarce	700-750 lbs.	97.00-107.00

Large 3 Holsteins

Pkg 350 lbs.	112.50
Pkg 462 lbs.	111.00
500-600 lbs.	108.00-109.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1340-2050 lbs., 65.00-70.50, high dressing 74.00-76.50, low dressing 63.00-64.00.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2, 4 yrs to 7 yrs 950-1200 lbs with baby to 200 lb calves 1020.00-1175.00 per pair.

SLAUGHTER COWS:

Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 54.00-60.00, high dressing 60.00-62.50. Lean (85-90%) 54.00-59.50, low dressing 46.00-53.00.

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 3 yrs to 7 yrs, 915-1260 lbs, 2nd and 3rd stage, 800.00-1000.00 per head.

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts 9410; week ago 8320; year ago 5936

Cow and Bull Receipts 2300; week ago 2540; year ago 1500

Dairy Cattle Receipts 2123; Norwood 04/15/05

Compared to last week, feeder steers under 600 lbs 4.00 to 8.00 lower, heifers under 600 lbs steady to 3.00 lower, steers and heifers over 600 lbs steady, holsteins under 700 lbs steady to 3.00 lower, over 700 lbs steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls 2.00 to 4.00 lower.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	146.00-160.00	300-400 lbs.	134.00-148.00
400-500 lbs.	132.00-149.00	400-500 lbs.	120.00-140.00
500-600 lbs.	125.50-140.00	500-600 lbs.	114.50-130.00
600-700 lbs.	119.50-127.50	600-700 lbs.	104.00-115.00
700-800 lbs.	104.00-114.25	700-800 lbs.	100.50-108.00
800-900 lbs.	99.50-106.25	800-900 lbs.	92.00-97.50
900-1000 lbs.	94.00-101.50		

HOLSTEINS:

Large Frame 3

200-300 lbs.	120.00-135.00
300-400 lbs.	118.00-127.00
400-500 lbs.	113.00-123.50
500-600 lbs.	100.00-117.00
600-700 lbs.	95.00-107.00
700-800 lbs.	88.00-94.50

Dairy Cattle Sales

Springer Heifers: Supreme 1900.00-2275.00, Approved 1725.00-1875.00, Medium 1500.00-1725.00. Replacement Cows: Springer Supreme 1525.00-1785.00, Approved 1200.00-1400.00. Open Heifers; Approved 700-800 lbs 1400.00-1550.00, 600-700 lbs 1250.00-1535.00, 500-600 lbs 1110.00-1380.00, 400-500 lbs 1000.00-1150.00. Baby Calves: Holstein Heifers 420.00-575.00. Bulls 145.00-235.00.

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 2 yrs to ss, 900-1400 lbs, 2nd and 3rd stage, 800.00-1300.00 per head.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2, 2 yrs to ss, 900-1260 lbs. with baby-350 lb calves 1025.00-1300.00 per pair.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 58.00-64.50, high dressing 64.00-66.50, Lean (85-90%) 49.00-57.50, low dressing 43.00-50.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1300-2240 lbs. 65.50-76.00, high dressing 74.00-82.00.

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts 8203; Week ago 8024; Year ago 10,613

Compared to last weeks close barrows and gilts 1.50 to 3.00 higher. Sows 1.00 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS:

Base carcass meat prices 62.00
 Weekly top price Wednesday 64.00

SOWS:

300-500 lbs 36.00-42.00
 Over 500 lbs 43.00-44.00.

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WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Kingsville and Sedalia)

Receipts 3012; Week ago 4275; Year ago 2198
 Compared to last week feeder steers and heifers unevenly steady.
 Slaughter cows and bulls steady to 4.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

300-400 lbs 143.00-161.50
 400-500 lbs 133.00-152.00
 500-600 lbs 121.00-150.00
 600-700 lbs 115.00-129.50
 700-800 lbs 105.75-121.50
 800-850 lbs 102.00-106.75

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs 132.00-150.00
 400-500 lbs 124.50-145.00
 500-600 lbs 113.00-133.00
 600-700 lbs 104.75-121.00
 700-800 lbs 101.00-112.00
 800-850 lbs scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 2 yrs to
 ss, 885-1430 lbs, 2nd to 3rd stage,
 720.00-1120.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking

and Boning (70-85% lean) 52.00-
 59.50, high dressing 59.50-69.00,
 Lean (85-90%) 48.00-55.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium

and Large 1-2 3 yrs to ss 850-1220
 lbs with 100 to 310 lb calves,
 885.00-1175.00 per pair.

SLAUGHTER BULLS:

Yield Grade 1-2, 1340-2375 lbs
 64.00-71.75, high dressing 72.25-
 73.75, low dressing 59.00-63.00.

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, and Boonville)

Receipts 6116; Week ago 6638; Year ago; 5389
 Compared to last week feeder steers and heifers steady.
 Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

300-400 lbs 145.00-165.00
 400-500 lbs 135.00-150.00
 500-600 lbs 123.00-143.00
 600-700 lbs 114.50-134.50
 700-800 lbs 107.50-119.75
 800-900 lbs Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs 132.00-152.00
 400-500 lbs 120.00-140.00
 500-600 lbs 115.00-132.00
 600-700 lbs 103.50-123.50
 700-750 lbs 100.00-107.50
 800-900 lbs Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few
 High Select and Choice 2-3 88.00-
 92.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking,
 Boning, and Lean (70-90% lean)
 48.00-59.00, high dressing 54.00-
 66.75, low dressing 38.00-50.00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few
 High Select and Choice 2-3 87.00-
 91.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield
 Grade 1-2, 1450-2150 lbs, 62.50-
 72.50, high dressing 77.50-80.50.

NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Palmyra, New Cambria and Green City)

Feeder Cattle Receipts 464; Week ago 6314; Year ago 386
 Slaughter Cattle Receipts 72; Week ago 115; Year ago 39
 Compared to last week feeder steers and heifers not established.
 Slaughter cows 2.00 to 3.00 lower. Slaughter steers and heifers 3.00 to
 4.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs 150.00-151.00
 400-500 lbs Scarce
 500-600 lbs 124.50-134.00
 600-700 lbs Scarce
 700-800 lbs 115.00
 800-900 lbs 103.25

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs 132.00-141.00
 400-500 lbs Scarce
 500-600 lbs Scarce
 600-700 lbs Scarce
 700-800 lbs Scarce
 800-900 lbs Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice
 2-3, 1100-1450 lbs 88.75-91.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking
 and Boning (75-85% lean) 55.00-
 61.75, low dressing 50.00-55.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice
 2-3, 1000-1300 lbs 87.00-88.70

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield
 Grade 1-2, 1300-2000 lbs 64.75-
 70.75

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Patton Junction and Fruitland)

Receipts 1627; Week ago 1557; Year ago 1300
 Compared to last week steers under 600 lbs 2.00 to 3.00 lower, over
 600 lbs 1.00 to 3.00 higher, heifers 2.00 to 4.00 lower. Slaughter cows
 and bulls 1.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

200-300 lbs 159.00-180.00
 300-400 lbs 139.00-162.50
 400-500 lbs 126.00-145.00
 500-600 lbs 116.00-137.00
 600-700 lbs 103.00-115.00
 700-800 lbs 104.00-114.00
 Pkg 868 lbs 92.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

200-300 lbs 131.00-197.50
 300-400 lbs 126.00-145.00
 400-500 lbs 116.00-129.00
 500-600 lbs 105.00-122.00
 600-700 lbs 101.00-111.00
 700-750 lbs 97.00-105.00

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 2 to 7 yrs
 920-1725 lbs in 2nd to 3rd stage
 780.00-1200.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking

and Boning (70-85% lean) 48.50-
 56.50, high dressing 55.50-64.50,
 Lean (85-90%) 39.00-42.75.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium

and Large 1-2, 2 to 7 yrs, 835-
 1520 lbs with 100-240 lb calves
 810.00-1200.00 per pair.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield

Grade 1-2, 1450-2070 lbs 64.50-
 70.50, high dressing 70.00-75.00,
 low dressing 57.00-62.50.

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba and Vienna)

Receipts 3944; Week ago 3768; Year ago 2914
 Compared to last week steers and heifers mostly steady. Slaughter
 cows steady to 3.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs 147.00-168.00
 400-500 lbs 135.00-155.00
 500-600 lbs 124.50-141.50
 600-700 lbs 117.25-138.00
 700-870 lbs 106.50-118.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs 135.00-140.00
 400-500 lbs 122.50-139.00
 500-600 lbs 116.00-127.50
 600-700 lbs 105.00-121.25
 700-800 lbs 102.00-109.00

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 5 yrs to ss
 1075-1400 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage
 900.00-1075.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking

and Boning (70-85% lean) 52.50-
 59.00, high dressing 59.00-63.75,
 Lean (85-90%) 49.00-54.00, low
 dressing 43.00-48.00.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium

and Large 1-2, Package blacks 5
 yrs to 7 yrs 1100-1200 lbs with
 150-200 lb calves 1450.00 per
 pair.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield

Grade 1-2, 1400-2100 lbs, 62.00-
 69.00, high dressing 71.75,
 low dressing 55.00-62.00.

**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

Weekly Receipts 1000; Week ago 600; Year ago 600
 Compared to last week, trade rather slow. No confirmed live sales and
 dressed sales on grid basis 1.00 to 2.00 higher. Demand and seller interest
 moderate

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

Carcass sales: No Sales

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

Choice 3 550-950 lbs 145.00-
 150.00, few 152.00. Select 3 550-
 950 lbs. 135.00-140.00.

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

Receipts: 17,960 (FOB 4287 Delivered 13,673)
Compared to last week, weaner pigs and feeder pigs steady to 1.00 lower.
Good demand for moderate supply.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights.
Fob the farm, 11% negotiated.
4287 head 10 lbs 32.00-38.00 weighted average 10 lbs 34.05.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights.
Delivered, 14% negotiated.
11,863 head 32.50-52.50 weighted average 10 lbs 38.41

Feeder pigs in all lot sizes.
Delivered 11% negotiated
1810 head 40 lbs 72.00-85.50 weighted average 84.00

MIDWEST SHEEP REVIEW

Slaughter Receipts: 47,000; Week ago 46,000; Year ago 44,000

Slaughter Lambs steady Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good
Slaughter Ewes steady - 5.00 lower 1-3 35.00-42.00, Cull 1 25.00-
Feeder Lambs steady 30.00.

Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Feeder Lambs: Medium and Large
Prime 2-3 90-150 lbs shorn 104.00- 1-2 60-80 lbs 125.00-140.00, 80-
106.00, woolled 102.00-104.00. 100 lbs 110.00-125.00.

Missouri Weekly Hay Summary

Several people wondering now who will be the first to cut hay this year. With all the reports of weevils that have been in the fields some producers may chose to cut rather than spray a second time which is a valid concern with how early spraying started this season. A little discussion going on about the cost of new hay but as with every year until it starts moving the best we can do is guess about what the prices will be. 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.

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

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	187.80	131.50	200.00	49.00
St. Louis	195.50	128.00	245.00	51.50

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER

	<u>CATTLE</u>	<u>HOGS</u>	<u>SHEEP</u>
Week to date	586,000	1,993,000	47,000
Last week	582,000	1,984,000	46,000
Last Year	595,000	1,969,000	44,000
2005 yr. to date	8,736,000	29,781,000	759,000
2004 yr. to date	9,101,000	30,162,000	845,000

MIDWEST EGG REVIEW

Large steady, Medium .02 to .03 higher, and Small steady. IOWA-MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN: Prices paid to producers. (cents per dz.) Large .18-.27, Medium .08-.14, Small .06-.10.

By-Product Feed Prices

Soy Hulls Mexico, MO 60.00, Alfalfa Pellets 17% St Louis, MO 135.00, Distillers Grain dried, Macon, MO 84.00, Corn Gluten Feed pelleted, Decatur, Il 65.00, Brewers Grain pressed 70% moisture, St Louis, MO 33.00. Prices per ton.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .01 to .04 higher, Wheat .05 to .08 lower, Corn .01 to .02 higher, KC Wheat .03 to .06 lower, Soybean Meal nearby .70 to 1.90 higher, others .10 to 1.20 lower.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
Soybeans					
May	616 3/4	617 1/2	623 1/4	617	616 1/4
Jul	624 1/2	624 1/2	630	623	622
Aug	622 3/4	622 1/2	628	621	620
Sep	617 1/2	613 1/4	615	611	608
Nov	612 1/2	608 1/4	610	606	603
Wheat					
May	313 1/2	311	310 1/2	309	305 1/4
Jul	323 1/2	321 1/4	320 1/2	318 1/4	314 1/4
Sep	329 1/2	328 1/2	327	325	320 1/2
Dec	339 1/2	337 3/4	337	335	331 1/2
Mar	346 1/2	345	344 1/2	342 1/2	340 1/4
Corn					
May	205 3/4	206 3/4	205 3/4	207 1/2	206 1/4
Jul	214	215 1/4	214 1/4	215 3/4	214 1/4
Sep	221 1/4	222 1/4	221 1/4	222 1/2	222 1/4
Dec	230 3/4	231	230 1/4	231 1/2	230 1/4
Mar	237 3/4	238	237 1/4	238 1/4	237 1/4
KC Wheat					
May	320 1/2	322 1/2	321 1/4	322	315 1/4
Jul	320	321	320	317 1/2	311 1/2
Sep	327 1/4	328	326	324 1/4	319
Dec	337 1/2	337	336	336	329
Mar	344 3/4	345	343 1/2	343 1/2	339
SB Meal					
May	187.50	187.30	189.30	188.30	187.40
Jul	188.20	187.90	190.10	189.10	187.70
Aug	188.90	188.50	190.50	189.00	187.90
Sep	188.80	187.30	187.70	186.70	186.50
Oct	187.50	184.50	184.70	185.00	184.30

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle .20 to 1.18 higher, Lean Hogs May .37 lower others .15 to .57 higher, Pork Bellies .55 to 6.83 lower, Feeder Cattle .35 to 1.42 higher.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
Cattle					
Apr	88.02	89.02	89.02	89.92	89.45
Jun	83.67	84.67	84.27	84.85	84.42
Aug	82.97	83.70	83.62	83.80	83.50
Oct	84.10	84.55	84.40	84.80	84.52
Dec	85.30	85.80	85.72	86.17	85.85
Lean Hogs					
Apr	68.97	69.70	69.82	69.67	---
May	76.57	76.07	75.62	75.35	75.85
Jun	77.92	77.65	77.32	77.25	77.90
Jul	78.50	78.42	77.90	77.57	78.10
Aug	75.80	75.67	75.25	75.22	75.77
Prk Bel					
May	91.87	91.25	88.25	85.87	86.97
Jul	93.15	92.32	89.32	87.47	88.50
Aug	88.05	88.00	85.50	85.12	86.05
Feb	90.00	89.70	88.50	86.85	88.70
Mar	90.05	90.05	89.50	89.50	89.50
Fdr Cat					
Apr	108.47	109.17	108.95	109.30	109.70
May	104.97	106.15	105.80	106.25	106.22
Aug	106.87	108.05	107.62	107.77	107.57
Sep	105.57	106.45	106.60	106.50	106.35
Oct	104.85	105.45	105.45	105.50	105.35
Milk					
Apr	14.54	14.59	14.58	14.56	14.60
May	14.35	14.61	14.39	14.15	14.18
Jun	14.45	14.60	14.40	14.14	14.10

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .09 to .12 higher
 Wheat .05 lower to .01 higher
 Corn .02 to .05 higher
 Grain Sorghum .03 lower to .06 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soybean	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City				
Monday	6.07	3.16	1.86	3.23
Tuesday	6.08	3.18	1.87	3.25
Wednesday	6.18	3.16	1.86-1.89	3.23
Thursday	6.12	3.20	1.88-1.91	3.27
Friday	6.11	3.10	1.86-1.89	3.23
St. Louis				
Monday	6.19-6.21	3.22	2.17-2.18	3.71
Tuesday	6.23-6.24	3.21	2.19	3.71
Wednesday	6.28-6.32	3.20	2.18-2.19	3.71
Thursday	6.28	3.20	2.21	3.75
Friday	6.23-6.26	3.14	2.18-2.19	3.69
Central				
Monday	5.88-5.92	2.84-2.91	1.75-1.78	3.00
Tuesday	5.89-5.96	2.81-2.98	1.78-1.82	3.03
Wednesday	5.94-6.01	2.81-2.88	1.77-1.81	3.02
Thursday	5.88-5.95	2.79-2.86	1.79-1.86	3.05
Friday	5.89-5.94	2.80-2.82	1.79-1.84	2.96
S.E. MO				
Monday	6.14-6.17	3.06-3.18	2.07-2.13	3.58
Tuesday	6.16-6.21	3.04-3.16	2.10-2.14	3.60
Wednesday	6.25-6.27	3.03-3.17	2.11-2.13	3.46-3.64
Thursday	6.20-6.22	3.02-3.15	2.12-2.14	3.60-3.66
Friday	6.19-6.21	2.98-3.11	2.11-2.13	3.58-3.62

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

Northeast Missouri Delivered Saw Logs *

Doyle Scale	wht. oak		rd. oak		Blk. WInt.			
	Lengt h	DIB**	\$/mbf***	avg.****	\$/mbf	avg.	\$/mbf	avg.
grade saw	10	12	384.25	15.37	310.15	12.41	715.65	28.63
logs*****	10	16	659.35	59.34	591.85	53.27	1255.65	113.01
	10	20	738.56	118.17	709.20	113.47	1327.80	212.45
	8	16	610.35	43.95	567.35	40.85	1183.60	85.22
stave logs	8.5	20	691.60	94.06				
below grade logs								
tie logs	10	13	223.65	10.89	217.25	10.76	0.00	0.00
blocking	8	12	195.25	6.26	193.15	6.12	186.25	5.88
pallet	8	12	190.50	6.10	190.50	6.02	186.25	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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