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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts 32,956; Week ago 27,211; Year ago 28,433 Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

Fdr. STEERS:		<u>Fdr. HEIFERS:</u>		Hols. STEERS	
354 lbs.		372 lbs.		466 lbs.	117.55
465 lbs.	140.46	456 lbs.	131.18	547 lbs.	112.02
557 lbs.	134.14	550 lbs.	124.10	675 lbs.	94.00
643 lbs.	124.74	642 lbs.	117.60	731 lbs.	90.49
741 lbs.	115.62	745 lbs.	108.59	805 lbs.	86.43
850 lbs.	108.20	826 lbs.	101.96	967 lbs.	81.62
926 lbs.	102.47			: :	

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(West Plains, Gainesville)

Receipts: 7450; Week ago 7964; Year ago 6659

Compared to last week, steers and heifers mostly steady. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher, bulls steady to 2.00 higher.

STEERS: Medium and Large 1		<u>HEIFERS</u> : Medium and Large 1		
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs.	146.00-163.00 134.00-144.00 125.00-138.50 117.00-129.00 108.00-120.50 103.75-108.25	400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-725 lbs.	Scarce 127.00-138.00 115.00-126.00 107.50-125.50 101.25-108.00 100.00	
Large 3 Ho 460-560 lbs. 685-775 lbs.	blsteins 115.00-122.00 89.50-94.00	SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 54.00-64.00, high dressing 60.00-67.00. Lean (85-90%) 50.00-56.50, low dressing 44.00-50.50.		
SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1150-2150 lbs., 68.50-75.50, high dressing 75.00-81.50. COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2, 3-7 yrs few short solids, 950-1350 lbs with baby to		REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2, 2-7 yrs. 1000-1385 lbs, 2nd and 3rd stage, 800.00-960.00 per head, few sales young 1100-1350 lbs 3rd stage blacks 1000.00-1010.00 per head.		

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300 lb calves 1100.00-1300.00 per

pair.

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts 15,925; week ago 8915 year ago 12,000 Cow and Bull Receipts 1531; week ago 2234; year ago 800 Dairy Cattle Receipts 1281: Norwood 06/09/05

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers steady to 3.00 higher, with full advance on value added cattle or those with thin condition. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher.

<u>STEERS:</u> Medium and Large 1		<u>HEIFERS</u> : Medium and Large 1		
	300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs. 900-1000 lbs. HOLSTE Large Fra	Scarce 136.00-156.00 124.50-148.00 115.50-133.00 110.00-123.75 103.00-112.10 101.70-108.25 EINS: ame 3	300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs. Dairy Catt Springer Heifers: \$1900.00-2125.00,	134.00-139.00 124.00-138.00 115.00-133.00 110.00-127.75 102.50-119.75 98.85-103.85
	200-300 lbs. 300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs.	Scarce 134.00-139.00 124.00-138.00 115.00-133.00 110.00-127.75 102.50-119.75 98.85-103.85	1725.00-1875.00, Medium 1400.00-1675.00. Bred 4-6 months: Supreme 1900.00- 2225.00, Approved 1700.00- 1890.00 Open Heifers; Appro	
REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2, 2 yrs to 7 yrs, 950-130 lbs, 2nd and 3rd stage, 825.00-950.00 few to 1100.00 per head.		SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 56.00-68.50, high dressing 63.00-68.50, Lean (85-90%) 52.00-59.00, low dressing 43.50-53.00.		
and Large 1-2, 2 yrs to 7 yrs, 900-		<u>SLAUGHTER BULLS:</u> Yield Grade 1-2, 1275-2260 lbs. 70.00- 78.00, high dressing 77.00-86.50,		

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts 5951; Week ago 6684; Year ago 8827 Compared to last weeks close barrows and gilts 4.00-5.00 lower. Sows 2.00 to 3.00 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS:

1000.00-1210.00 per pair.

Base carcass meat prices 59.00-

Weekly top price Monday 64.00

300-500 lbs 37.00-42.00 Over 500 lbs 43.00-45.00

low dressing 69.00-72.00.

WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Kingsville and Sedalia)

Receipts 1947; Week ago 1580; Year ago 2075 Compared to last week feeder steers and heifers steady, with some 600 lbs heifers lower undertone. Slaughter cows and bulls steady.

	R STEERS: d Large 1& 1-2		HEIFERS: Large 1 & 1-2
300-400 lbs 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs.	150.00-170.00 135.00-155.00 126.00-145.00 117.00-134.00 109.00-12250	400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs.	144.00-150.00 125.00-146.00 116.00-133.50 106.00-125.00 102.00-112.00
800-875 lbs. REPLACEMEN Medium and La yrs 875-1355 lb 900.00-1000.00	rge 1-2, few 2-5 s 2nd-3rd stage	SLAUGHTER (and Boning (70-	102.00-103.50 <u>COWS:</u> Breaking 85% lean) 55.00- sing 60.50-66.75, 51.00-55.50
COW & CALF and Large 1-2, f 1050-1300 lbs v calves 990.00-1	vith 225-295 lb		

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

FEEDER HEIFERS:

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, and Boonville) Receipts 2307; Week ago 4906; Year ago; 2263 Compared to last week feeder steers and heifers mostly steady. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and	Large 1& 1-2	Medium and Large 1 & 1-2		
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-775 lbs. 800-900 lbs.	140.00-160.00 134.00-148.00 125.00-139.00 115.50-133.50 111.50-115.00 108.75-114.75	400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs.	130.00-145.00 121.00-133.50 112.50-133.50 108.00-123.50 100.00-106.50	
<u>SLAUGHTER STEERS:</u> Choice 2-3 79.50-82.25.		SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking, Boning, and Lean (70-90% lean) 52.00-62.00, high dressing 57.50-66.00, low dressing 42.00-52.00		
2-3 78.25-81.25.		SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1400-2300 lbs, 67.50-72.50, high dressing 74.00-76.00.		

NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Palmyra, New Cambria and Green City) (w/e 05/27/05)
Feeder Cattle Receipts 1400; week ago 379; year ago 3079
Slaughter Cattle Receipts 59; week ago 109; year ago 100
Compared to the last week steers and heifers steady to 5.00 lower.
Slaughter cows steady, Slaughter steers and heifers 2.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1-2		<u>FEEDER HEIFERS</u> : Medium and Large 1-2		
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs. 900-950 lbs.	Scarce 143.50-152.00 132.50-148.00 120.00-136.50 111.00-120.00 110.25-114.00 Scarce	500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs.	138.75-152.00 127.50-139.50 118.00-130.75 108.50-120.00 Scarce Scarce	
SLAUGHTER S 2-3, 1050-1250 I		SLAUGHTER C and Boning (75- 64.00, low dress)	85% lean) 58.00-	
<u>SLAUGHTER H</u> 2-3, 1050-1150 I	IEIFERS: Choice bs 80.25-80.75	SLAUGHTER B Grade 1-2, 1050-		

76.25

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Patton Junction and Fruitland)

Receipts 1146; Week ago 1267; Year ago 1117

FEEDER STEERS:

Compared to last week steers and heifers steady to 4.00 lower, Slaughter cows and bulls steady to 1.00 lower.

FEEDER HEIFERS:

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

Medium and Large 1-2		Medium and Large 1-2		
200-300 lbs.	153.00-175.00	250-300 lbs.	142.00-150.00	
300-400 lbs.	135.00-163.00	300-400 lbs.	121.00-148.00	
475-500 lbs.	118.00-137.50	400-500 lbs.	115.50-129.00	
500-600 lbs.	112.50-125.50	500-600 lbs.	104.50-120.00	
600-700 lbs.	110.00-118.25	600-675 lbs.	106.50-115.00	
700-775 lbs.	107.25-109.25	Pkg 865 lbs.	85.25	
Pkg 813 lbs.	105.75	Pkg 949 lbs	85.25	
REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2, 2 to 7 yrs		SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 48.25-		
975-1380 lbs in 2	2nd to 3rd stage	56.50, high dress	sing 54.50-63.00,	
780.00-925.00 per head.		Lean (85-90%) 3	35.50-42.25.	
COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2, 2 to 7 yrs, 995-1410 lbs with 90-235 lb calves 975.00-1275.00 per pair.		SLAUGHTER E Grade 1-2, 1245- 70.50, high dress low dressing 62.	-2045 lbs 65.50- sing 70.50-72.75,	

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba and Vienna)

Receipts 3435; Week ago 3147; Year ago 2901

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

Compared to last week steers and heifers steady to 4.00 lower, except steers 500-575 lbs firm to 3.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher.

Pkg 337 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 900-950 lbs.	148.50 131.00-147.00 125.00-148.00 115.00-131.00 109.50-118.25 95.00-102.00	500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs.	Scarce 122.75-134.25 116.00-131.50 107.50-126.00 98.00
REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2, 4 to 6 yrs old, 1200-1500 lbs 2nd to 3rd stage pregnancy 935.00-1060.00 per head.		SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 56.00-63.00, Lean (85-90%) 51.50-57.50, low dressing 46.00-51.00	
COW & CALF I and Large 1-2 6 950-1375 lbs wit calves 1000.00-1	yrs to short solid, th 125-300 lbs	,	0-2200 lbs, 65.00- sing 74.75-76.00,

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT

Weekly Receipts 1200; Week ago 400; Year ago 800 Compared to last week, trade moderate to active mid-week. No recent comparison on live sales and dressed sales on grid basis steady to 2.00

STEERS: 50-70% Choice 1200-	STEERS AND HEIFERS:
1250 lbs. 82.00	Carcass sales: No Sales

lower. Demand and seller interest moderate.

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid): HEIFERS: no sales Choice 3 550-950 lbs 130.00-134.00 Select 3 550-950 lbs. 126.00-129.00.

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT WEANER AND FEEDER PIG REPORT

Receipts: 16,599 (FOB 945 Delivered 15,654)

Compared to last week, weaner and feeder pigs 1.00 to 2.00 lower. USDA National Feeder Pig Report indicates weaner pigs steady and feeders pigs 2.00 to 4.00 lower.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights. Fob the farm, 0.% negotiated. 945 head 10 lbs 26.78-33.00 weighted average 10 lbs 31.06

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights. Delivered, 21.73% negotiated.

11,507 head 10 lbs 27.00-36.85 weighted average 10 lbs 30.97

Feeder pigs in all lot sizes. Delivered 78.37% negotiated

4147 head 40 to 50 lbs 45.00-50.00 weighted average 40.22 lbs 42.73

MIDWEST SHEEP REVIEW

Slaughter Receipts: 48,000; Week ago 48,000; Year ago 45,000

Slaughter Lambs 4.00 lower	Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good
Slaughter Ewes steady	1-3 35.00-45.00, Cull 1 25.00-
Feeder Lambs steady	35.00.

Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Feeder Lambs: Medium and Large Prime 2-3 110-120 lbs 110.00-1-2 50-70 lbs 125.00-140.00, 70-90 120.00, 120-140 lbs 112.00-114.00. lbs 110.00-125.00.

Missouri Weekly Hay Summary

Hay farmers continue to have good weather for hay baling. The good old Missouri humidity has shown up so curing is taking a bit longer. Hay cuttings continue to show up short but overall quality is much better than the previous couple years. Quite a bit of new crop straw is showing up in the market as wheat harvest is moving along good. The moisture level is still frustrating farmers as most areas still need more rain on hay fields and pastures. There are just a few in the northwest that have a surplus of moisture. Hay supply and demand is moderate; prices are reported as steady to firm The Missouri Department of Agriculture has a hay hotline available for buyers and sellers. To be listed, or for a directory, call 1-800-877-4HAY(4429) (All prices per ton unless specified) Supreme quality Alfalfa(RFV>185) 115.00-135.00 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 70.00-100.00 Good quality mixed Alfalfa and grass small square bales 2.50-3.00 per bale 20.00-50.00 per large round bale Fair to good quality Prairie hay 35.00-60.00 Good quality Brome 40.00-70.00 Fair quality Brome and 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 10.00-30.00 per round bale 1.25 2.50 per small square Fair quality large round bales Fescue 10.00-25.00 per bale Wheat hay 40.00-60.00 Wheat straw 1.50-3.00 per small bale.

Missouri Regional Fescue Seed Prices - Week ending 06/24/05

The fescue seed harvest has turned out to be a huge disappointment this The tescue seed narvest has turned out to be a huge disappointment unsyear. That isn't do to a storm resulting in seed loss either. Plain and simple there is no seed to be harvested. Farmers are covering lots of ground to make a hopper full. The general feelings are that the crop is running about a 1/3 of normal. So if you take 70 million lbs average that figures to about 23 million lbs a few positive thinkers are guessing closer to 25-27 million, not a good year for fescue seed farmers or seed dealers. Many buying stations are talking about closing up shop after this weekend, one of the shortest harvests any one can remember. The only exception to this would be a small number of stations in the northern part of the state that might be just a bit later with harvest. Prices are generally about .05 higher than last week.

(Dry: Moisture 12-14% - Wet Moisture over 14%) (prices per lb.) South Central and Central: .33 wet, .35 dry; Southwest: .33-.38 wet, .35-.40 dry; Northwest: .25-.33 wet, .30-.37 dry; Southeast .34 wet, .36 dry; Northeast .28 wet, .30 dry.

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER

	<u>CATTLE</u>	<u>HOGS</u>	<u>SHEEP</u>
Week to date	643,000	1,879,000	48,000
Last week	665,000	1,917,000	48,000
Last Year	668,000	1,869,000	45,000
2005 yr. to date	15,117,000	48,564,000	1,236,000
2004 yr. to date	15,756,000	48,803,000	1,302,000

MIDWEST EGG REVIEW

Large .06 higher, Medium .steady, and Small steady. IOWA-MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN: Prices paid to producers. (cents per dz.) Large .22-.31, Medium .07-.11, Small .05-.07.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .20 to .26 higher, Wheat .12 to .17 higher, Corn .03 to .04 higher, KC Wheat .08 to .19 higher, Soybean Meal 2.20 to 5.10 higher.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
Soybeans Jul Aug Sep Nov Jan	739 744 1/2 750 757 1/2 757 1/2	735 1/4 739 744 1/2 753 754 1/2	737 740 744 1/2 754 755	725 3/4 730 1/2 734 1/2 745 1/2 748 1/2	744 1/2 748 1/4 756 765 3/4 768 1/2
Wheat Jul Sep Dec Mar May	339 348 1/2 359 3/4 370 371	335 345 356 1/2 367 1/2 370	336 345 3/4 358 1/4 369 1/4 372	331 3/4 342 1/4 354 1/4 365 1/2 368	339 1/2 350 1/4 362 1/2 373 1/2 377
Corn Jul Sep Dec Mar May	235 1/2 245 1/4 255 3/4 262 1/4 264 1/2	232 1/4 242 252 1/4 259 261	229 1/2 238 3/4 249 3/4 256 1/2 258 1/2	226 1/2 235 3/4 246 3/4 254 256 1/4	232 3/4 242 252 3/4 259 1/2 261
KC Wheat Jul Sep Dec Mar May	342 3/4 350 1/2 360 1/2 370 373	338 1/4 346 1/4 357 366 3/4 375	337 3/4 346 3/4 357 1/2 368 373	335 343 1/4 355 365 369 1/2	339 349 360 3/4 371 373 1/2
SB Meal Jul Aug Sep Oct Dec	232.40 233.50 234.50 235.40 238 60	231.60 232.40 233.50 233.80 237.40	230.70 231.60 232.90 233.90 237.20	228.40 229.60 230.70 232.10 235.60	231 20 233.00 234.00 235.00 239.10

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle uneven .17 lower to .91 higher, Lean Hogs .30 to 1.95 lower, Pork Bellies 2.70 to 4.45 lower, Feeder Cattle .80 to 1.55 lower.

Daily Futures Closes

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	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.		
Cattle Jun Aug Oct Dec Feb	82.05 80.25 82.47 84.52 86.40	81.72 79.72 82.27 83.85 86.05	82.05 80.00 82.32 84.00 86.10	82.10 79.97 82.47 84.17 86.25	82.17 79.87 82.35 84.10 86.25		
Lean Hogs Jun Jul Aug Oct Dec	66.25 65.80 55.85 53.90 56.60	66.10 65.45 55.72 64.02 56.62	66.12 64.80 54.80 53.00 55.92	66.65 65.20 55.07 53.30 56.30	65.65 64.55 53.92 52.20 55.55		
Prk Bel Jul Aug Feb Mar May	64.12 62.40 79.95 79.75	63.75 63.42 79.90 79.75	61.80 62.50 78.50 79.70	62.32 62.67 77.82 79.00	60.00 59.75 75.55 86.25		
Fdr Cat Aug Sep Oct Nov Jan	108.65 107.60 106.62 105.72 102.50	108.55 107.55 106.52 105.50 102.55	108.80 107.70 106.50 105.50 102.75	108.90 108.10 107.05 106.00 103.50	108.45 107.77 106.70 105.50 102.80		
Milk Jun Jul Aug	13.97 13.96 14.46	13.97 14.17 14.69	13.97 14.24 14.90	13.97 14.19 14.62	13.95 14.44 14.99		

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .20 to .28 higher Wheat .07 to .19 higher Corn unchanged to .08 higher Grain Sorghum .05 to .18 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soybean	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum	
Kansas City Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	7.24-7.27 7.20-7.23 7.22-7.25 7.18 7.37	3.58 3.53 3.68-3.71 3.50 3.54	2.16-2.18 2.10-2.12 2.08-2.10 2.05-2.07 2.11-2.13	3.79-3.82 3.71-3.75 3.68-3.71 3.63-3.66 3.84	
St. Louis Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	7.34 7.31-7.32 7.36-7.37 7.25-7.25 7.42-7.44	3.40 3.37 3.38 3.36 3.52	2.34-2.36 2.34-2.36 2.31-2.35 2.31-2.33 2.36-2.38	4.58 4.53 4.50 4.41 4.51	
Central Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	7.08-7.19 7.04-7.17 7.06-7.19 6.95-7.08 7.14-7.27	3.14-3.29 3.15-3.35 3.31-3.36 3.27-3.32 3.55-3.40	2.08-2.13 2.04-2.10 2.02-2.10 1.99-2.07 2.05-2.11	3.44 3.39 3.35 3.30 3.41	
S.E. MO Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	7.30-7.32 7.27-7.30 7.29-7.31 7.16-7.19 7.34-7.37	3.34-3.41 3.29-3.35 3.33-3.36 3.29-3.36 3.42-3.44	2.30 2.26-2.29 2.22-2.26 2.24-2.27 2.33-2.34	4.33-4.51 4.24-4.41 4.16-4.37 4.10-4.30 4.25-4.41	

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

Northeast Missouri Delivered Saw Logs *								
Doyle Scale			cttnwd	per log	sft mpl	per log	sycmr	per log
	Length DIB***		avg.	avg.	avg.	avg.	avg.	avg.
	ft.	in.	\$/MBF	\$/MBF	\$/MBF	\$/MBF	\$/MBF	\$/MBF
grade saw	10	12	180.00	7.20	325.35	13.01	180.00	7.20
logs*****	10	16	185.50	16.70	485.20	43.67	215.75	19.42
	10	20	235.85	37.74	573.50	91.76	241.15	38.58
	8	16	182.50	13.14	395.65	28.49	182.50	13.14
below grade logs								
Ties	10	13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
blocking	8	12	182.50	5.70	184.00	5.78	182.50	5.70
pallet	8	12	182.50	5.70	184.00	5.77	182.50	5.70

*This is a <u>delivered</u> log report. It <u>does not</u> 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

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but not limited to: ring size, frost cracks, sweep, stain, back thickness, scars, crook, and color.

To realize the most from the sale of timber, it is recommended to seek the advice of a professional forester. For more information call 1-800-328-1165.