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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts 23,235; Week ago 6624; Year ago 30,937
 Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

Fdr. STEERS:		Fdr. HEIFERS:		Hols. STEERS	
353 lbs.	136.72	357 lbs.	121.27	356 lbs.	96.39
457 lbs.	127.32	448 lbs.	118.67	446 lbs.	90.73
551 lbs.	123.76	551 lbs.	113.38	544 lbs.	85.93
646 lbs.	118.36	637 lbs.	107.70	626 lbs.	85.58
742 lbs.	113.76	743 lbs.	105.62	755 lbs.	81.48
851 lbs.	111.07	833 lbs.	98.61	874 lbs.	78.29
931 lbs.	107.28	970 lbs.	93.30	949 lbs.	78.69

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (West Plains, Gainesville)

Receipts: 5500; Week ago Holiday; Year ago 5022
 Compared to last week, steers under 700 lbs and heifers under 500 lbs and over 600 lbs 2.00 to 5.00 higher, 500 to 600 lbs heifers steady. Steers over 700 lbs 4.00 to 6.00 higher. Slaughter cows 15.0 to 2.00 higher, and bulls 2.00 higher.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	132.00-141.00	300-400 lbs.	123.00-125.00
400-500 lbs.	123.50-136.00	400-500 lbs.	115.00-122.00
500-600 lbs.	119.00-128.50	500-600 lbs.	106.50-115.00
600-700 lbs.	112.50-123.50	600-700 lbs.	100.00-109.25
700-800 lbs.	110.00-115.00	700-800 lbs.	102.00-105.50
800-900 lbs.	107.25-109.75		
900-950 lbs.	106.75-107.25		

Large 3 Holsteins

540-555 lbs.	82.50-86.00
625-665 lbs.	80.00-85.00
850-900 lbs.	75.00-80.25
920-970 lbs.	75.50-77.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2100 lbs 65.00-72.50, high dressing 72.50-75.00, low dressing 59.00-63.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 3 to 7 yrs 1000-1200 lbs 2th baby to 275 lb calves 960.00-1075.00 per pair, Medium 2 5 yrs to ss 825-1075 lbs 2th baby to 200 lbs calves 795.00-890.00 per pair..

SLAUGHTER COWS:

Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 48.00-60.00, high dressing 55.00-63.50. Lean (85-90%) 46.00-52.00, low dressing 38.00-46.00

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 4 to 7 yrs 1135-1275 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 775.00-900.00 per head, few 2nd stage 670.00-775.00, 5 yrs to mostly ss 1050-1200 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 620.00-740.00, few broken mouth 500.00-530.00 per head.

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts 7470; week ago Holiday; year ago 10,916
 Cow and Bull Receipts 1755; week ago Holiday; year ago 2317
 Compared to last week, steers and Holsteins 3.00 to 6.00 higher, heifers steady to 6.00 higher. Slaughter cows and slaughter bulls 2.00 to 3.00 higher.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
400-500 lbs.	121.00-131.00	300-400 lbs.	115.00-125.00
500-600 lbs.	117.00-129.00	400-500 lbs.	112.00-124.00
600-700 lbs.	110.00-125.00	500-600 lbs.	107.00-118.00
700-800 lbs.	107.50-116.00	600-700 lbs.	99.00-112.50
800-900 lbs.	106.75-113.35	700-800 lbs.	102.00-106.50
900-1000 lbs.	104.75-107.50	800-900 lbs.	96.50-99.00

HOLSTEINS:

Large Frame 3

300-400 lbs.	85.00-102.00
400-500 lbs.	85.00-96.00
500-600 lbs.	83.00-90.00
600-700 lbs.	79.00-90.00
700-800 lbs.	79.50-83.00
800-900 lbs.	80.50-84.00
900-1000 lbs.	77.00-81.25

SLAUGHTER COWS:

Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 53.00-60.50, high dressing 58.50-65.50
 Lean (85-90%) 45.00-51.50, low dressing 35.00-46.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1075-2425 lbs 66.00-72.00; high dressing 71.00-78.50, low dressing 55.00-66.00.

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 2 yrs to ss, 2nd and 3rd stage 1000-1400 lbs 660.00-910.00 per head..

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2, 2 to 7 yrs, 900-1200 lbs. with 200 to 350 lb calves, 1050.00-1350.00, 40 head 2 yrs 950-1100 lbs with 100-200 lbs calves 1400.00-1460.00 per pair.

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 2106, Week ago Holiday, Year ago 1650
 Compared to last week feeder steers 3.00 to 8.00 higher, heifers over 600 lbs 2.00 to 5.00 higher, under 600 lbs steady to 5.00 lower, Slaughter cows and bulls 1.00 to 2.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	133.50-144.00
500-600 lbs.	131.00
600-700 lbs.	121.50-126.50
700-800 lbs.	108.50-116.85
800-900 lbs.	107.75-116.10
900-1000 lbs.	109.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	118.00-125.50
500-600 lbs.	115.00-123.00
600-700 lbs.	106.00-117.50
700-800 lbs.	105.75-111.10
800-900 lbs.	Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1 5 to 6 yrs 1345 lbs good quality blacks 3rd stage 900.00 per head.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 48.00-55.00, high dressing 53.00-58.00, Lean (85-90%) 42.00-46.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1555-2320 lbs. 60.00-66.00, high dressing 68.00-68.50.

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WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville, Passaic)

Receipts 2500; Week ago 717; Year ago 3574
 Compared to light receipts last week feeders had a higher undertone.
 Slaughter cows 1.00 lower to 1.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs.	124.00-136.00
400-500 lbs.	119.00-136.50
500-600 lbs.	116.50-135.00
600-700 lbs.	113.00-124.60
700-800 lbs.	107.00-119.50
800-900 lbs.	107.00-112.75

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

330-400 lbs.	118.50-136.00
400-500 lbs.	105.50-120.00
500-600 lbs.	105.00-121.00
600-700 lbs.	102.00-115.50
700-800 lbs.	100.75-107.75
800-850 lbs.	97.00-103.75

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to ss,
 1100-1670 lbs, 2nd-3rd stage,
 825.00-960.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking
 and Boning (75-85% lean) 49.00-
 55.00, High dressing 53.75-62.25,
 Lean (85-90%) 45.00-51.50, low
 dressing 35.00-47.00.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium
 and Large 1-2 few 4 yrs to ss,
 1000-1150 lbs, with baby to 260
 lbs calves, 1000.00-1100.00 per
 pair

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield
 Grade 1-2, 1230-2070 lbs 61.50-
 68.25, high dressing 69.00-72.00
 low dressing 60.00.

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville)

Receipts: 1500; Week ago 713; Year ago 1611
 Compared to last week, undertone on feeders steady to higher. Supply
 mostly 400-650 lb feeders. Slaughter cows mostly steady.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

350-400 lbs.	121.00-137.00
400-500 lbs.	117.00-132.00
500-600 lbs.	118.00-125.75
600-750 lbs.	113.00-124.00
2 pot loads 910- 950 lbs	106.80-107.40

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

350-400 lbs.	119.00-121.00
400-500 lbs.	110.00-122.00
500-600 lbs.	108.50-115.50
600-650 lbs	107.00-112.00
700-750 lbs	103.50-107.75

SLAUGHTER STEERS: hi Select
 and Choice 2-3 86.00-89.50, hi dress
 90.00-92.50

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking,
 Boning, and Lean (70-90% lean)
 44.00-54.00, high dressing 52.00-
 57.00, low dressing 35.00-45.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: hi Select
 and Choice 2-3 86.00-89.00, hi dress
 89.50-91.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield
 Grade 1-2, 1400-1900 lbs 61.50-
 65.50, high dressing 67.00.

NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Palmyra, Green City, New Cambria, Macon)

Feeder Cattle Receipts 315; week ago 5194; year ago 860
 Slaughter Cattle Receipts 32; week ago 28; year ago 133
 Feeder steers and heifers not tested on light supply Slaughter cows
 2.00 to 3.00 higher. Slaughter steers and heifers 2.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	132.00
400-500 lbs.	Scarce
500-600 lbs.	
600-700 lbs.	117.50-127.75
700-800 lbs.	118.25
800-900 lbs.	Scarce
900-950 lbs.	Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	124.00
400-500 lbs.	114.00-122.00
500-600 lbs.	115.50
600-700 lbs.	115.00
700-800 lbs.	Scarce
800-850 lbs.	Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice
 2-3 1150-1130 lbs. 86.5-89.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking
 and Boning (75-85% lean) 52.25-
 59.50, low dressing 47.50-52.00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice
 2-3 1050-1100 lbs 85.25

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield
 Grade 1-2, 1400-2200 lbs 64.50-
 70.00.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium
 and Large 1-2 Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS: Me-
 dium and Large 1-2 Scarce

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Fruitland, Patton)

Receipts 1536; Week ago: Holiday; Year ago 1471
 No sale last week, feeder steers and heifers undertone higher.
 Slaughter cows 2.00 higher, bulls 1.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	118.00-132.00
400-500 lbs.	108.00-125.00
500-600 lbs.	105.00-120.50
600-700 lbs.	103.00-114.00
Pkg. 707 lbs.	107.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	105.00-118.50
400-500 lbs.	100.00-121.00
500-600 lbs.	90.25-108.50
600-650 lbs.	90.25-101.00
700-750 lbs.	95.50-98.00

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 4 to 7 yrs
 895-1415 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage
 630.00-870.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking
 and boning (75-85% lean) 46.50-
 51.00; high dressing 52.00-54.25,
 Lean 36.50-40.50.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium
 and Large 1-2 4 to 7 yrs 970-1435
 lbs with 70-180 lb calves 765.00-
 1005.00 per pair.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield
 Grade 1-2, 1500-2290 lbs, 57.50-
 62.75, high dressing 65.75.

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 2667, Week ago 0, Year ago 4614
 Compared to last week feeder steers and heifers 3.00 to 8.00 higher
 except some heifers under 450 lbs steady. Slaughter cows steady.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

400-500 lbs.	121.00-137.75
500-600 lbs.	121.25-131.50
600-700 lbs.	114.00-125.00
700-800 lbs.	112.00-116.85
800-900 lbs.	104.00-108.75

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	119.00-125.00
400-500 lbs.	114.00-122.50
500-600 lbs.	112.75-119.75
600-700 lbs.	105.00-106.00
700-780 lbs.	101.00-107.50

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium
 and Large 1-2, 5 yrs to ss, 1050-1400
 lbs, 2nd-3rd stage, 735.00-920.00 per
 head

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking
 and Boning (70-85% lean) 48.00-
 54.00, high dressing 53.00-58.00,
 Lean (85-90%) 43.00-49.50, low
 dressing 36.00-43.50

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and
 Large 1-2 few 2-5 yrs, 800-1000 lbs,
 with 200-300 lb calves, 920.00-
 1075.00 per pair

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield
 Grade 1-2, 1350-2150 lbs 59.00-
 65.00, high dressing 67.50
 low dressing 52.00-58.00.

**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

Weekly Receipts 800; Week ago 400; Year ago 200
 Compared to last week live sales 3.00 higher, and dressed sales on
 grid basis 4.00 to 6.00 higher.

STEERS: 40-50% Choice 1200-
 1300 lbs 89.00-90.00 late last
 Friday

STEERS: Carcass sales: No
 Sales.

HEIFERS: No Sales.

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid):
 Choice 3 550-950 lbs. 142.00-
 145.00

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts 8803, Week ago 7149; Year ago 9486
 Compared to last weeks close barrows and gilts 3.00-5.00 lower,
 Sows 4.00 lower to 1.00 higher

BARROWS AND GILTS:
 Base carcass meat price 62.00-
 64.00. Weeks top Wed 65.00

SOWS:
 300-500 lbs 32.00-35.00
 Over 500 lbs 36.00-39.00

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

Receipts: 13,452 (07-13-07)
Compared to last week, weaner pigs steady and feeder pigs no tested.
Supply and Demand Moderate.
All pig prices based on a delivered basis including freight and fees.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights
Delivered 98% Formulated
13,452 head 10 lbs 18.00-37.63, weighted average 10 lbs 34.03

Feeder pigs 40-50 base weights
Delivered 0 % formulated
No sales reported

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

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	238.40	163.75	230.00	56.00
St. Louis	259.00	159.50	241.00	56.00

Missouri Weekly Hay Summary

Cooler weather has come as quite a relief to the state. Areas in the north central and northwest parts of the state are becoming dry as most rains have missed those areas in the past few weeks. Southwest and west central areas are still waiting for flood waters to reside in many areas. Haying has been difficult for many farmers struggling with the weather. Supply is moderate, demand is light and prices are steady. 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) 150.00-180.00 premium quality Alfalfa (RFV170-180) 140.00-175.00 Fair to Good quality Alfalfa (RFV130-170) Round bales 80.00-140.00 Small, Big squares 90.00-160.00 Good quality mixed Alfalfa and grass small square bales 3.00-6.50 per bale, 40.00-75.00 per large round bale, Good to Premium quality Prairie hay small squares 80.00-125.00, Fair to good quality Prairie hay 50.00-75.00, Premium Quality Brome large Squares 80.00-130.00 Good quality Brome 70.00-120.00 Fair quality Brome and mixed with grass round bales 35.00-50.00. Good quality Timothy Hay 3.00-4.50 per small square bale, Good quality Mixed Grass hay 30.00-60.00 per round bale. Fair to good quality bluestem 40.00 per round bale, Fair to good quality millet/sudan grass round bale 50.00-55.00, Fair to good quality Bermuda grass 65.00 per round bale Wheat hay 50.00-70.00, Wheat straw 1.75-3.50 per small bale.

Norwood Dairy Sale 07/12/07

Receipts: 1252 Last Month: 2103 Year Ago: 820
Springer heifers: Bred 7-9 months: Supreme 2000.00-2325.00; Crossbreds 2100.00-2225.00; Approved 1750.00-1975.00; Crossbreds 1525.00-1850.00. Bred 3-6 months: Supreme 2000.00-2350.00. Crossbreds 1725.00-2150.00; Approved 1800.00-2000.00; Jerseys 1500.00-1675.00. Open Heifers Approved 300-400 lbs 900.00-1075.00; 400-500 lbs 1050.00-1240.00; Crossbreds 800.00-935.00. 500-600 lbs 1200.00-1350.00; Crossbreds 925.00-1050.00; 600-700 lbs 1350.00-1470.00; 700-800 lbs 1375.00-1640.00. Springer Cows 7-9 months Supreme 1600.00-1875.00; Crossbreds 1625.00-1725.00. Baby Calves: Holstein heifers 550.00-650.00; bulls 100.00-180.00.

Diamond, MO- White's Sheep and Goat Sale 07/05/07

Receipts: 1350 Last Month: 2686
Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice, few Prime 2-3 woolled/shorn new crop 50-60 lbs 90.00-115.00; 60-80 lbs 92.00-97.00; 80-90 lbs 90.00-92.00; 90-110 lbs. 72.50-82.50. Feeder/Stocker Lambs: Medium and Large 1-2 new crop woolled 40-50 lbs 80.00-85.00; Haired Lambs- 30-40 lbs few at 110.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 1-3 160-190 lbs 21.00-32.00. Slaughter Bucks: 175-275 lbs 25.00-31.00. Replacement Ewes: Medium to mostly Large 1-2 Woolled 140-160 lbs 25.00-38.00. **Goats:** Slaughter Classes- Kids: Selection 1-2 50-60 lbs 108.00-126.00; 60-70 lbs 108.00-119.00; few 70-100 lbs 80.00-95.00. Does/Nannies: Selection 2-3 44.50-68.00 per head due to computer problems. Billies: Selection 2-3 67.00-75.00 per head due to computer problems. Replacement Classes- Does/Nannies: Selection 1 one lot at 185.00. Selection 2-3 67.50-75.00; young nannies 57.00-67.50 per head. Stocker/Feeder Kids: Selection 2-3 30-40 lbs 90.00-97.00; 40-50 lbs 95.00-119.00 cwt; lightweights up to 25 lbs 15.00-30.00 per head, with bottle kids 12.50-22.00 per head.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .49 to .55 higher, Wheat .10 to .14 higher, Corn .07 to .16 higher, KC Wheat unchanged to .10 higher, except Jul .03 lower, Soybean meal 19.40 to 22.10 higher.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
Jul	870	889	891	910	913
Aug	875 1/2	893 1/2	896	914 1/2	921 3/4
Sep	885	903	905	923 1/2	931 1/4
Nov	902	920 1/2	922 3/4	941 1/2	948 3/4
Jan	914 3/4	934 1/4	937 1/4	955 1/4	963 1/4
Wheat					
Jul	588 1/2	592	611	611 1/2	614
Sep	599 1/2	601 3/4	622	621 1/2	620 3/4
Dec	613	615 3/4	634	636 3/4	635 1/4
Mar	615	619 1/2	635	641	640 1/4
May	603	613	625	631	628
Corn					
Jul	332 1/2	338	336	344	341 1/2
Sep	339 1/4	345 1/2	343	351 1/2	354 3/4
Dec	350 1/4	357	355 1/2	365 1/4	368 1/2
Mar	363 3/4	371	369 1/2	375	381 3/4
May	374	380 3/4	379 3/4	387 1/2	390 3/4
KC Wheat					
Jul	598	600	613	621	608 1/2
Sep	590 3/4	590	604	611	609
Dec	605 1/2	603 1/2	619	627 3/4	627 1/4
Mar	611 1/2	611	625	636	633
May	603	603	603	603	603
SB Meal					
Jul	236.90	244.30	246.40	253.70	253.30
Aug	237.90	244.90	246.40	253.70	255.50
Sep	240.20	247.40	249.30	255.90	258.50
Oct	242.10	250.00	251.90	258.60	261.70
Dec	246.00	253.60	255.80	263.20	265.50

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle .12 to .88 lower, Lean Hogs 3.35 to 5.10 higher, except Jul 2.30 lower, Pork Bellies 1.83 to 3.48 higher, Feeder Cattle .48 to .85 lower.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Aug	92.52	91.75	92.25	92.15	91.62
Oct	97.17	96.50	96.75	96.52	96.30
Dec	97.77	97.47	97.92	97.95	97.85
Feb	98.62	98.27	98.52	98.50	98.37
Apr	99.37	98.97	99.12	99.00	99.00
Lean Hogs					
Jul	70.55	70.32	69.82	69.65	69.02
Aug	69.85	70.80	71.07	74.07	73.45
Oct	64.75	65.32	65.62	68.55	68.72
Dec	62.85	63.80	64.15	67.00	67.65
Feb	66.47	67.35	67.90	70.50	70.75
Prk Bel					
Jul	85.97	86.35	88.50	91.50	92.00
Aug	86.77	86.25	86.95	89.95	90.20
Feb	89.40	89.50	90.50	92.10	92.20
Mar	89.65	90.00	90.50	92.00	92.10
May	90.65	91.00	91.50	93.00	93.10
Fdr Cat					
Aug	114.47	114.02	114.62	114.30	113.85
Sep	115.37	115.17	115.60	114.70	114.67
Oct	115.35	115.20	115.50	115.00	114.87
Nov	115.12	114.95	115.45	114.92	114.52
Jan	113.32	112.92	113.40	113.00	112.97
Milk					
Jul	21.29	21.23	21.07	21.04	21.17
Aug	19.46	19.56	19.05	19.05	18.98
Sep	19.45	19.55	19.00	18.93	18.84

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .30 to .48 higher
 Wheat .06 lower to .06 higher
 Corn unchanged to .20 higher
 Grain Sorghum .09 to .12 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soy-bean	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
<u>Kansas City</u>				
Monday	8.31	5.46	3.27-3.29	5.36
Tuesday	8.45	5.45	3.41	5.48
Wednesday	8.47	5.59	3.38	5.46
Thursday	8.66	5.66	3.47-3.48	5.63
Friday	8.73	5.64	3.50-3.51	5.79
<u>St. Louis</u>				
Monday	8.26-8.42	5.50	3.46-3.49	5.71
Tuesday	8.22-8.27	5.50	3.51-3.59	5.83
Wednesday	8.31-8.34	5.70	3.45-3.46	5.73
Thursday	8.53-8.55	5.63	3.52-3.55	5.98
Friday	8.55-8.66	5.53	3.51-3.52	6.10
<u>Central</u>				
Monday	7.92-7.96	5.13-5.20	3.24	4.89
Tuesday	8.10-8.14	5.15-5.22	3.31	5.01
Wednesday	8.09-8.11	5.37-5.42	3.28	4.96
Thursday	8.27-8.30	5.37-5.42	3.37	5.12
Friday	8.24-8.37	5.36-5.41	3.40	5.17
<u>S.E. MO</u>				
Monday	8.16-8.20	5.48-5.54	2.92-3.41	5.35-6.10
Tuesday	8.14-8.32	5.51-5.57	2.98-3.47	5.48-6.12
Wednesday	8.29-8.24	5.68-5.74	2.93-3.45	5.44-6.07
Thursday	8.44-8.52	5.61-5.64	3.07-3.47	5.60-6.16
Friday	8.40-8.55	5.55-5.64	3.09-3.47	5.55-6.19

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Weekly Crop Report

Farmers utilized 5.7 days suitable for fieldwork to make good progress with hay harvest. Crop conditions remain mostly fair to good around the state with the exception of some dry pockets across the northwest, north-central, and east-central districts. Row crops in the drier areas are showing signs of stress, while hay yields have been somewhat short. Meanwhile, counties in the west-central district along the Kansas border have struggled with the effects of last week's heavy rains. Flooding caused some crop losses to corn, soybeans, and hay where fields were completely drowned out. A dry week caused moderate deterioration in topsoil moisture from last week, with the state rated 6 percent very short, 20 percent short, 63 percent adequate, and 11 percent surplus, a drop of 7 points in adequate and surplus. The corn crop is 62 percent silked, slightly ahead of the 5-year average of 61 percent. The percentage of the crop entering the dough stage is on track with last year and normal, with 7 percent at the state level. Among the major corn districts, the central already has 24 percent in dough stage. The crop is rated 3 percent very poor, 5 percent poor, 26 percent fair, 51 percent good, and 15 percent excellent, stable from last week. Ninety-seven percent of the soybean crop is planted, with 94 percent emerged. Only the wettest areas of the west-central and southwest districts remain to be planted. Soybean blooming is at 16 percent, 4 days behind last year and 2 days behind normal. Three percent of the crop is setting pods. Soybean condition is rated 3 percent very poor, 5 percent poor, 33 percent fair, 52 percent good, and 7 percent excellent, a slight improvement from last week. Sorghum heading is at 19 percent, about 6 days ahead of last year and average. Sorghum condition is rated 1 percent very poor, 4 percent poor, 35 percent fair, 54 percent good, and 6 percent excellent. Wheat harvest is 83 percent complete, nearly 2 weeks behind last year and 1 week behind normal. All districts are at least 81 percent complete except the southwest at 40 percent and the west-central at 53 percent. Good progress was made in the alfalfa harvest, advancing to 64 percent complete, but still 1 week behind last year and 5 days behind average. Other hay is 84 percent cut, 8 days behind last year and 4 days behind average.