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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 15,891; Week ago: 23,723; Year ago: 20,607
 Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

Fdr. STEERS:		Fdr. HEIFERS:		Hols. STEERS	
359 lbs.	128.56	368 lbs.	115.71	493 lbs.	75.20
438 lbs.	130.48	449 lbs.	109.48	569 lbs.	69.10
563 lbs.	122.14	558 lbs.	109.80	646 lbs.	74.19
658 lbs.	117.62	646 lbs.	108.70	736 lbs.	70.09
748 lbs.	116.00	744 lbs.	105.70	869 lbs.	76.26
834 lbs.	112.31				
925 lbs.	108.19				

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(West Plains)

Receipts: 2530, Week ago 4048, Year ago 5212
 Compared to last week, steer and heifer calves under 650 lbs steady, few front end calves under 550 lbs steady to 2.00 higher, steers and heifers over 650 lbs steady to 2.00 lower.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
Pkg 388 lbs.	131.00	300-400 lbs.	106.00-107.00
400-500 lbs.	122.00-123.00	400-500 lbs.	104.50-111.00
500-600 lbs.	114.00-125.50	500-600 lbs.	100.00-111.00
600-700 lbs.	109.00-111.00	600-700 lbs.	100.00-108.00
700-800 lbs.	Scarce	Pkg 719 lbs.	100.50
Lot 851 lbs.	106.75	800-900 lbs.	Scarce

Large 3 Holsteins

Pkg 493 lbs.	73.00
525-575 lbs.	68.00-73.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1550-2350 lbs 65.00-72.50, few high dressing 73.00-74.50, low dressing 63.50

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 Virtually absent

SLAUGHTER COWS:

Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 50.00-60.00, high dressing 57.00-62.00, Lean (85-90%) 46.00-52.00, low dressing 40.00-45.00

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2 Mostly singles 3-7 yrs 1050-1450 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 800.00-960.00 per head, few thinner/plainer quality 3-5 yrs 900-1075 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 700.00-775.00.

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts 1197; week ago 6803; year ago 1778
 Cow and Bull Receipts 700; week ago 1530; year ago 850
 Compared to last week, steers steady to 2.00 higher, heifers under 500 lbs steady to 3.00 lower, over 500 lbs 1.00 to 3.00 higher. Slaughter cows sold 1.00-2.00 lower and bulls steady on a light test.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	Scarce	300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	Scarce	400-500 lbs.	101.00-108.00
500-600 lbs.	114.00-115.50	500-600 lbs.	103.50-110.00
600-700 lbs.	111.50-113.50	600-700 lbs.	103.00-109.50
700-800 lbs.	111.00-114.00	700-800 lbs.	105.00-105.50
800-900 lbs.	Scarce	800-900 lbs.	Scarce
900-1000 lbs.	Scarce	900-1000 lbs.	Scarce

HOLSTEINS:

Large Frame 3

300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	Scarce
500-600 lbs.	Scarce
600-700 lbs.	76.50-80.00
700-800 lbs.	Scarce
800-900 lbs.	76.75
900-1000 lbs.	Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS:

Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 49.00-58.00, high dressing 55.00-63.00, Lean (85-90%) 42.00-47.00, low dressing 32.50-39.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1325-2405 lbs 69.00-75.00, high dressing 74.00-78.50, low dressing 58.50-68.00

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short-solid mouth 2nd and 3rd stage 950-1355 lbs most 700.00-910.00 per head, several more attractive 950.00-1000.00.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short-solid mouth 1060-1275 lb cows with babies to 265 lb calves, several rebred, 900.00-1050.00.

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 2293, Week ago 1820, Year ago 1632
 Compared to last week, feeders under 700 lbs sold steady to weak, over 700 lbs not well tested. Slaughter cows not tested.

FEEDER STEERS:		FEEDER HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
400-500 lbs.	131.00-137.50	300-400 lbs.	114.00-129.00
500-600 lbs.	124.00-130.00	400-500 lbs.	105.00-112.00
600-700 lbs.	116.20-122.00	500-600 lbs.	108.00-118.35
700-800 lbs.	112.75-116.00	600-700 lbs.	Scarce
800-900 lbs.	109.25-114.20	700-800 lbs.	104.25-106.00
900-1000 lbs.	104.10-110.00	800-900 lbs.	Scarce

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2270 lbs 63.00-73.00, high dressing 73.50-76.00, low dressing 56.50-63.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 53.00-59.50, high dressing 60.00-66.00, lean 48.00-52.25

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-4 yrs 875-1050 lbs 1st stage 1050.00-1100.00 per head

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: No Sales

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WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville, Passaic)

Receipts 2830 Week Ago 2177; Year Ago: 2109

Compared to last week feeder steers mostly steady to 3.00 lower, feeder heifers unevenly steady. Slaughter cows 4.00 lower to 1.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs.	120.00-130.00
400-500 lbs.	116.50-126.00
500-600 lbs.	114.00-125.00
600-700 lbs.	104.00-120.25
700-800 lbs.	106.00-117.00
800-900 lbs.	104.00-113.00
900-1000 lbs.	103.85-110.10

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs.	107.50-113.00
400-500 lbs.	104.50-113.50
500-600 lbs.	101.00-113.25
600-700 lbs.	102.50-112.00
700-800 lbs.	99.50-109.50
800-900 lbs.	102.50-106.00

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 3 yrs to ss, 1140-2110 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 800.00-1150.00 per headSLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 49.00-58.00, High dressing 54.00-62.75 Lean (85-90%) 45.00-55.25COW & CALF PAIRS: Mostly Large 1 3-7 yrs, 1085-1625 lbs, with baby to 150 lb calves, 985.00-1200.00 per pair.SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1140-2110 lbs 61.00-70.00, low dressing 54.50-63.00**EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville)

Receipts: 4008; Week ago 3633; Year ago 5207

Compared to last week, feeder calves under 550 lbs not well tested, over 550 lbs steady. Slaughter cows steady to 3.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	118.50-128.50
500-600 lbs.	115.00-125.50
600-700 lbs.	111.00-123.50
700-800 lbs.	111.00-122.00
800-900 lbs.	113.00-114.25

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

300-400 lbs.	110.00-127.00
400-500 lbs.	105.00-115.00
500-600 lbs.	104.50-113.50
600-700 lbs.	103.50-113.50
700-800 lbs.	105.50-110.50
800-900 lbs.	Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: few high Select and Choice 2-3 92.50-97.50SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking, Boning, (70-85% lean) 55.00-65.00, high dressing 62.00-69.00, Lean 45.00-55.00SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1350-1950 lbs 65.00-75.00, ind. High dressing 79.25**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, Macon, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts 1700; week ago 1540; year ago 2964

Slaughter Cattle Receipts 37; week ago 65; year ago 137

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers under 600 lbs steady over 600 lbs steady to 2.00 lower. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 lower. Slaughter steers and heifers 1.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	130.00-141.50
500-600 lbs.	117.50-128.00
600-700 lbs.	114.75-122.75
700-800 lbs.	112.00-122.10
800-900 lbs.	114.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	119.00-128.50
500-600 lbs.	109.50-118.00
600-700 lbs.	108.00-116.50
700-800 lbs.	104.50-115.00
800-900 lbs.	Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 1150-1350 lbs 96.00-97.40SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 54.00-61.00, low dressing 49.00-54.00SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 pkg 1285 lbs 95.00SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1400-2100 lbs 64.00-72.50COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 4-5 yrs 1100-1200 lbs with 200 lb calves 1400.00-1475.00 per pairREPLACEMENT COWS: Scarce**SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Fruitland, Patton)

Receipts 336; Week ago: 1637; Year ago 603

Compared to last steers and heifers sold 1.00-6.00 lower. Slaughter cows and bulls 5.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	120.00-127.00
400-500 lbs.	103.00-112.50
500-600 lbs.	105.00-107.50
Pkg 685 lbs.	105.00
Pkg 751 lbs.	105.75
800-900 lbs.	Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	100.00-111.00
400-500 lbs.	98.00-111.00
500-600 lbs.	99.00-104.00
600-700 lbs.	94.00-101.00
700-800 lbs.	101.25-103.00
800-900 lbs.	Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 8 yrs to short-solid mouth 980-1345 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 530.00-650.00SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and boning (75-85% lean) 48.50-54.00, high dressing 54.25-59.00, Lean ScarceCOW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, few 1520-2060 lbs 65.50-67.75**SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 1502, Week ago 3628, Year ago 2092

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers steady to 2.00 lower. Slaughter cows 1.00-2.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	126.00-128.00
400-500 lbs.	115.00-122.50
500-600 lbs.	113.00-121.00
600-700 lbs.	112.00-119.50
700-800 lbs.	110.00-112.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	113.00-116.50
400-500 lbs.	105.00-113.50
500-600 lbs.	102.50-112.75
600-700 lbs.	101.00-107.25
700-800 lbs.	Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1 ScarceSLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 51.00-55.50, high dressing 55.00-58.50, Lean (85-90%) 46.00-51.50COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-7 yrs 1000-1225 lbs open and first stage cows with 300-475 lb calves 1150.00-1410.00 per pairSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2000 lbs 67.00-71.50, high dressing 72.00-75.25, low dressing 52.00-57.50**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

Weekly Receipts 600; Week ago 600; Year ago 400

Compared to last week, trade rather slow no confirmed live sales and dressed few 1.00 lower.

STEERS: no reported salesSTEERS AND HEIFERS:

No Sales

HEIFERS: no reported salesGRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid): Choice 3 550-950 lbs few 156.00-158.00**INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS**

Weekly Receipts 4343; Week ago 9054; Year ago 11,209

Compared to last weeks close barrows and gilts 6.00-7.00 lower, sows 2.00 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS:

Base carcass meat price 65.00-66.00, weekly top Friday 66.00

SOWS:300-500 lbs 41.00-46.00
Over 500 lbs 46.00-51.00

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

Receipts: 6730 (9-05-08)
Compared to last week, weaner pigs steady to 1.50 higher and feeder pigs no comparison available.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights
1000% formulated
6730 head 10 lbs 33.83-43.94, weighted average 10 lbs. 39.88

Feeder pigs
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	375.40	335.00	372.50	137.50
St. Louis	392.00	310.00	385.00	137.50

**Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards, Mexico, MO
09/04/08 Receipts: 160, Last Week: 256**

Sheep: Choice and Prime shorn 2-3 100-135 lbs 96.00-98.00, two pkgs 140-150 lbs 89.00-90.00. hair lambs pkg 68 lbs 81.00. Feeder Lambs: Medium and Large 1-2 55-75 lbs 90.00-92.00; pkg hair lambs 46 lbs 73.00. Slaughter Ewes: Absent. Replacement Ewes: Absent. Slaughter Bucks: Absent. **Goats:** Slaughter Kids: Selection 1-2 50-60 lbs 47.00-58.00. Selection 2-3 35-40 lbs 36.00-37.00. Selection 3 30-40 lbs 25.00-30.00. Feeder/Replacement Kids: Selection 3 pkg 23 lbs 15.00. Nannies: Selection 1-2 pkg 105 lbs 49.00; Selection 2-3 85-115 lbs 36.00-39.00. Billies: Selection 2 Ind 130 lbs 53.00.

Springfield Dairy Sale 08/26/08

Receipts: 646 Last month: 631 Last year: 876

Springer heifers bred seven to nine months: Supreme 1800.00-2150.00, Crossbreds 1700.00-1950.00; Approved 1500.00-1775.00, Crossbreds 1400.00-1650.00; Medium 1200.00-1500.00, Crossbreds 1050.00-1375.00. Heifers bred three to six months: Supreme 1700.00-2085.00, Crossbreds 1675.00-1930.00; Approved 1500.00-1675.00, Crossbreds 1400.00-1500.00; Medium 1200.00-1475.00, Crossbreds 1050.00-1375.00. Heifers bred one to three months: Supreme ind. 1675.00; Approved 1400.00-1600.00. Open Heifers: Approved 200-300 lbs 660.00-830.00; 300-500 lbs 930.00-1050.00, pkg 4 Jerseys 439 lbs 1140.00, few Crossbreds 710.00-790.00; 500-600 lbs 1125.00-1290.00; 600-700 lbs 1100.00-1430.00. Replacement Cows: Fresh and Milking Cows: Approved 1460.00-1725.00; Medium 790.00-935.00. Springer Cows bred seven to nine months: Approved 1450.00-1760.00; Medium 1000.00-1325.00, Crossbreds 1175.00-1275.00. Cows bred one to six months: Medium few 1175.00-1225.00. Baby calves: Holstein heifers: 510.00-620.00; Holstein bulls: 65.00-90.00; Jersey Heifers: 350.00-430.00; Crossbred heifers 120.00-510.00; Crossbred bulls: 30.00-70.00.

**Koshkonong, MO—Oregon County Goat and Sheep Market
08/30/08**

Receipts: 430 Last Month: 352 Last Year: 351

Slaughter Classes: Goats: Kids: Selection 1 45-60 lbs 125.00; 61-80 lbs 105.00. Selection 2 45-60 lbs 115.00. Feeder Kids: Any grade 20-44 lbs 85.00 per cwt. Slaughter Does/Nannies: Selection 1-2 30.00-40.00, Selection 3 25.00 per cwt. Yearling does any grade 55.00 per cwt. Selection 1 over 120 lbs 40.00. Slaughter Bucks: yearling any grade 60.00. Pygmy bucks any grade 35.00. Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Woolled Lambs Good and Choice 1-3 under 80 lbs 80.00; Choice and Prime 2-4 over 80 lbs 70.00. Hair Lambs Good and Choice 1-3 80 lbs and under 55.00-70.00. Choice and Prime 2-4 81 lbs and over 70.00; Good and Choice 1-3 50.00-60.00.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans 1.47 to 1.52 lower, Wheat .49 to .70 lower, Corn .36 to .37 lower, KC Wheat .43 to .45 lower, Soybean Meal 26.40 to 31.90 lower.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
Sep	Holiday	1301 1/2	1251	1234	1180
Nov		1298 1/2	1251 1/2	1235	1177
Jan		1315 1/2	1268 1/2	1252	1193 3/4
Mar		1237 3/4	1280 3/4	1264 1/2	1206 3/4
May		1335 1/2	1288 1/2	1272 1/2	1215 1/2
Wheat					
Sep	Holiday	744 1/4	752 1/4	755 1/4	729 3/4
Dec		766 3/4	774 3/4	777	751 1/2
Mar		790 3/4	798 1/2	800 3/4	774 3/4
May		805	813 1/4	815 1/2	788 1/2
Jul		816 3/4	825	828 1/4	801 3/4
Corn					
Sep	Holiday	553	546 1/2	549 1/4	531 1/2
Dec		569 1/4	562 1/4	564 1/2	548 1/2
Mar		588	581	583 1/4	567 1/4
May		600 1/4	593	595 1/4	579 1/4
Jul		610	602 3/4	605	589
KC Wheat					
Sep	Holiday	792 3/4	799	800 1/4	773
Dec		811 1/4	819	819	795
Mar		831 3/4	840 1/4	840 1/4	816 1/2
May		841 1/4	851	852 3/4	829
Jul		841 1/4	851	852 3/4	830
SB Meal					
Sep	Holiday	364.90	353.10	355.40	341.00
Oct		355.60	343.10	342.20	327.20
Dec		355.40	342.00	342.00	327.00
Jan		358.10	344.50	344.20	328.80
Mar		362.30	348.50	348.10	332.80

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle .92 to 1.45 lower, Lean Hogs .17 to 1.00 higher except Dec 1.38 lower, Pork Bellies 4.00 to 6.85 lower, Feeder Cattle .03 to .28 lower except Jan .77 higher.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Oct	Holiday	103.75	103.15	103.30	102.95
Dec		106.10	105.47	105.30	104.95
Feb		106.75	105.82	106.10	105.80
Apr		107.25	106.60	106.32	106.12
Jun		103.90	103.25	103.10	102.52
Lean Hogs					
Oct	Holiday	69.55	68.65	69.02	69.42
Dec		69.95	68.75	68.40	68.17
Feb		77.00	76.80	76.22	76.15
Apr		82.25	82.10	82.37	81.92
May		87.25	86.95	87.30	86.97
Prk Bel					
Feb	Holiday	92.75	90.30	87.42	86.10
Mar		93.50	91.80	88.80	87.30
May		95.00	94.00	91.00	90.00
Jul		96.00	95.00	92.00	91.00
Aug		96.00	96.00	93.00	92.00
Fdr Cat					
Sep	Holiday	111.77	110.55	110.77	111.12
Oct		111.72	110.27	110.37	110.67
Nov		111.27	110.05	109.97	110.22
Jan		110.70	109.65	109.87	110.27
Mar		110.80	109.95	111.00	110.47
Milk					
Sep	Holiday	15.76	15.73	16.09	16.10
Oct		16.08	16.01	16.60	16.68
Nov		16.40	16.16	16.56	16.59

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans 1.20 to 2.09 lower
 Wheat .21 to .49 lower
 Corn .30 to .45 lower
 Grain Sorghum .37 to .91 lower

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soy-beans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
<u>Kansas City</u>				
Monday	Holiday			
Tuesday	13.24	5.76	5.36-5.39	8.64
Wednesday	12.77	5.94	5.32-5.34	8.52
Thursday	12.60	5.94	5.35-5.37	8.57
Friday	12.02	5.70	5.19-5.21	8.29
<u>St. Louis</u>				
Monday	Holiday			
Tuesday	12.27-13.28	5.17	5.29-5.34	8.28
Wednesday	11.90-12.19	5.35	5.23-5.28	8.07
Thursday	11.90-12.03	5.37	5.35-5.50	8.62
Friday	11.32-11.45	5.22	5.14-5.15	7.66
<u>Central</u>				
Monday	Holiday			n/a
Tuesday	12.81-12.84	5.45	5.16-5.31	n/a
Wednesday	12.34-12.37	5.53	5.09-5.24	n/a
Thursday	12.20	5.55	5.12-5.27	n/a
Friday	11.62	5.30	4.96-5.04	n/a
<u>S.E. MO</u>				
Monday	Holiday			
Tuesday	12.23-12.53	5.26-5.52	5.02-5.21	8.62-8.75
Wednesday	11.86-12.17	5.34-5.56	5.02-5.14	8.51-8.62
Thursday	11.72-11.97	5.41-5.58	5.00-5.16	8.55-8.66
Friday	11.20-11.53	5.20-5.32	4.82-4.96	7.75-8.26

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

Missouri Weekly Hay Summary

Rains fell throughout nearly all the state this past week bringing a halt to any field work. Despite putting work on hold many farmers were gladly welcoming rains, which should be enough to finish out most grain crops for the year. Fall pastures will also get a boost from the moisture and see a bit more growth before the first frost of the season arrives which according to averages is just a bit over a month away. Hay movement remains slow. Hay prices remain steady to firm, the supply moderate to heavy and demand is light to moderate. (All prices per ton unless specified) Supreme quality Alfalfa(RFV>185) 160.00-190.00 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 3.50-6.50 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 40.00-75.00, Premium Quality Brome large Squares 80.00-130.00 Good quality Brome 60.00-120.00 Fair quality Brome and mixed with grass round bales 30.00-50.00. Good quality Timothy Hay 3.00-4.50 per small square bale, Good quality Mixed Grass hay 30.00-50.00 per round bale. Fair to good quality bluestem 40.00 per round bale, Fair to good quality Bermuda grass 50.00-65.00 per round bale, or 70.00 to 80.00 per ton, Wheat hay 50.00-70.00, Wheat straw 2.00-3.50 small bale.