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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 31,453 Week ago: 32,050 Year ago: 33,155
 Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

Fdr. STEERS:		Fdr. HEIFERS:		Hols. STEERS	
369 lbs.	125.99	258	113.04	341 lbs.	74.47
450 lbs.	119.34	362 lbs.	108.16	440 lbs.	75.65
552 lbs.	113.07	452 lbs.	104.19	552 lbs.	69.05
653 lbs.	106.50	553 lbs.	99.75	668 lbs.	65.02
747 lbs.	99.31	646 lbs.	93.63	759 lbs.	66.73
833 lbs.	92.31	736 lbs.	88.25	858 lbs.	63.73
930 lbs.	87.64	841 lbs.	82.79	965 lbs.	62.89

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (West Plains)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 3000 Week ago: 2414 Year ago: 2967
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 800 Week Ago: 843 Year Ago: 1194
 Compared to last week, steers over 450 lbs and heifers all weights 2.00 to 5.00 higher, steers under 450 lbs steady, Slaughter cows steady to weak, and slaughter bulls steady to 1.00 lower.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	117.00-130.00	350-400 lbs.	104.00-111.00
400-500 lbs.	110.00-119.00	400-500 lbs.	97.00-107.00
500-600 lbs.	99.50-114.00	500-600 lbs.	88.00-98.50
600-700 lbs.	97.00-111.00	600-700 lbs.	88.00-95.00
700-800 lbs.	90.00-104.00	700-800 lbs.	83.00-92.00
800-900 lbs.	86.50-90.50	800-900 lbs.	80.00-84.50

Large 3 Holsteins

Lot 336 lbs.	68.00
Pkg 623 lbs.	64.00
865-875 lbs.	64.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1250-2150 lbs 59.00-64.00, high dressing 66.00-68.00, few low dressing 54.00-57.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 few 5 yrs to short solid mouth 1050-1250 lbs with babies to 275 lb calves 950.00-1000.00 per pair, some 7 yrs to ss 1050-1200 lbs with baby to 250 lbs calves 800.00-900.00 per pair.

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-7 yrs 950-1325 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 720.00-830.00 per head, mostly 2nd stage 620.00-750.00, lot 16 head fairly fancy blacks 5-6 yrs 1260 lbs 2nd stage 790.00, few 4-6 yrs 1050-1250 lbs 1 stage 670.00-745.00, couple lots 5 yrs to ss 1035-1135 lbs 1st and 2nd stage 585.00-610.00 per head.

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 9781 Week ago: 6681 Year ago: 9097
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 1499 Week ago: 1415 Year ago: 1754
 Compared to last week, steers and heifers steady to 2.00 lower, except 500-550 lb steers and 550-650 lb heifers steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows sold 1.00-2.00 higher early, steady to 2.00 lower late.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	120.00-135.00	300-400 lbs.	98.00-115.00
400-500 lbs.	109.00-122.00	400-500 lbs.	94.00-108.00
500-600 lbs.	105.00-121.00	500-600 lbs.	92.00-103.00
600-700 lbs.	100.00-113.00	600-700 lbs.	86.00-97.50
700-800 lbs.	92.00-103.00	700-800 lbs.	82.00-93.00
800-900 lbs.	88.00-96.75	800-900 lbs.	78.50-85.00
900-1000 lbs.	84.00-84.75	900-1000 lbs.	Scarce

HOLSTEINS: Large Frame 3

200-300 lbs.	75.00-80.50
300-400 lbs.	69.00-79.00
400-500 lbs.	70.00-82.00
500-600 lbs.	64.00-74.00
600-700 lbs.	60.00-71.00
700-800 lbs.	61.50-69.50
800-900 lbs.	65.00-67.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 45.00-52.00, high dressing 50.00-54.50, outstanding ind. 58.50, Lean (85-90%) 36.00-44.00, low dressing 27.50-38.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1360-2540 lbs 58.00-66.00; high dressing 64.50-71.00; low dressing 51.00-58.00

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short-solid mouth 2nd and 3rd stage 950-1360 lbs most 610.00-850.00 per head, some more attractive blks 875.00-930.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 3-7 yrs 950-1250 lb cows with baby to 275 lb calves 950.00-1175.00 per pair; short solid to aged cows with babies to 350 lb calves 650.00-860.00

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 2500 Week ago: 4590 Year ago: 1365
 Compared to last week, steers under 600 lbs steady to 5.00 higher, heavier weights firm to 3.00 higher, heifers steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows firm to 2.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:		FEEDER HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
400-500 lbs.	117.25-126.00	300-400 lbs.	109.00
500-600 lbs.	108.00-119.25	400-500 lbs.	103.25-109.50
600-700 lbs.	103.50-110.50	500-600 lbs.	96.25-106.25
700-800 lbs.	96.00-103.50	600-700 lbs.	90.00-97.25
800-900 lbs.	89.00-96.25	700-800 lbs.	84.00-92.10
900-1000 lbs.	87.00-90.00	800-900 lbs.	80.00-84.25

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1390-2365 lbs 55.25-60.00, low dressing 50.00-53.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 42.00-50.00, high dressing 47.00-53.00, lean 35.00-39.00

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1 Scarce

COW/CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1 Scarce

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WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville, Passaic)

Receipts: 3726 Week Ago: 2157 Year Ago: 4146

Compared to last week, steers and heifers over 400 lbs mostly steady to 4.00 higher with 700-800 steers and 500-700 lb heifers instances up to 6.00 higher. Slaughter cows 3.00 lower to 1.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs. 117.00-134.75
 400-500 lbs. 107.00-126.00
 500-600 lbs. 104.00-120.50
 600-700 lbs. 94.50-113.00
 700-800 lbs. 90.50-103.50
 800-900 lbs. 86.50-94.00
 900-1000 lbs. 86.00-87.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs. 103.00-112.50
 400-500 lbs. 93.50-110.00
 500-600 lbs. 89.75-109.50
 600-700 lbs. 87.50-97.75
 700-800 lbs. 83.00-91.75
 800-900 lbs. 80.75-85.50
 900-1000 lbs. Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 ScarceSLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 46.00-53.00, High dressing 50.00-59.25, Lean (85-90%) 42.00-48.00, low dressing 35.00-43.00.COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1180-2235 lbs 56.75-63.00; high dressing 64.00-67.00; low dressing 46.00-57.00**EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville, Macon)

Receipts: 5498 Week ago: 6882 Year ago: 4460

Compared to last week, feeders firm to 5.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 3.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

300-400 lbs. 125.00-135.00
 400-500 lbs. 114.00-126.00
 500-600 lbs. 108.50-118.50
 600-700 lbs. 95.00-112.00
 700-800 lbs. 93.00-103.00
 800-900 lbs. 88.00-94.00
 900-1000 lbs. Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

300-400 lbs. 100.00-115.00
 400-500 lbs. 95.00-115.00
 500-600 lbs. 90.00-110.00
 600-700 lbs. 84.50-98.50
 700-800 lbs. 84.50-93.00
 800-900 lbs. Scarce
 900-1000 lbs. Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: few High Select and Choice 2-4 77.00-83.00.SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 43.00-53.00, high dressing 53.00-58.00, Lean 40.00-50.00COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 blk heifers 900-1000 lbs with baby to 200 lb calves 1425.00-1590.00 per pairSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1200-2200 lbs 55.00-65.00, few 65.00-71.00**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 1825 Week ago: 6759 Year ago: 2855

Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 18 Week ago: 15 Year ago: 55

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers 2.0-4.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 lower. Slaughter steers and heifers trend not established.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs. 125.00-139.00
 400-500 lbs. 117.50-135.00
 500-600 lbs. 106.25-126.50
 600-700 lbs. 102.50-112.75
 700-800 lbs. 99.25-105.60
 800-900 lbs. 95.00-98.25

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs. 104.00-113.00
 400-500 lbs. 104.00-115.00
 500-600 lbs. 94.00-108.00
 600-700 lbs. 94.00-101.00
 700-800 lbs. 93.10-98.00
 800-900 lbs. Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 ScarceSLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 45.00-51.00; low dressing 40.50-45.00SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1150-1300 lbs 80.00-80.25COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 ScarceREPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce**SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Fruitland, Patton)

Receipts: 1833 Week ago: 1288 Year ago: 1795

Compared to last week, steers and heifers uneven, 2.00 lower to 4.00 higher. Slaughter cows 2.00 higher, bulls 1.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs. 105.00-127.00
 400-500 lbs. 90.00-117.00
 500-600 lbs. 90.50-110.50
 600-700 lbs. 89.25-100.25
 700-800 lbs. 78.00-92.25
 800-900 lbs. 75.00-87.25

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

250-300 lbs. 102.00-112.00
 300-400 lbs. 95.00-108.00
 400-500 lbs. 90.00-106.00
 500-600 lbs. 80.00-96.00
 600-700 lbs. 79.00-93.00
 700-800 lbs. 75.25-79.50

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2 3-7 yrs 825-1340 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 580.00-750.00 per head

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking

and boning (75-85% lean) 43.50-48.75, high dressing 49.50-54.00; Lean 26.50-39.50

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium

and Large 1-2 few 3-7 yrs 830-1330 lbs with 70-370 lb calves 710.00-905.00 per pair

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield

Grade 1-2 few 1140-2565 lbs 53.00-59.00, high dressing 60.50

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 2711 Week ago: 2656 Year ago: 1765

Compared to last week feeder steers and heifers steady to 5.00 higher with advance mostly on weights over 500 lbs. Slaughter cows steady to 3.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs. 119.00-128.00
 400-500 lbs. 111.00-123.50
 500-600 lbs. 105.50-114.00
 600-700 lbs. 104.00-114.00
 700-800 lbs. 97.10-102.75
 800-900 lbs. 85.50-90.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs. 99.00-113.00
 400-500 lbs. 93.50-108.00
 500-600 lbs. 90.25-104.50
 600-700 lbs. 90.00-98.00
 700-800 lbs. Scarce
 800-900 lbs. 82.25-85.50

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 ScarceSLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 42.00-51.00, high dressing 51.25-55.25, Lean (85-90%) 37.00-45.00COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1400-2150 lbs 56.00-62.00, low dressing/fleshy 48.00-55.75**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

Weekly Receipts: 1600 Week ago: 800 Year ago: 400

Compared to last week, trade turned active on Wednesday and Thursday. No good recent comparison for live sales, dressed sales 3.00-5.00 higher.

STEERS AND HEIFERS: Five

loads over 80% Choice 1250-1300 lbs 85.50 picked up

DRESSED STEERS AND HEIFERS:

60-80% Choice 1150-1350 lbs 137.00; few 138.00

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid):

Choice 3 550-950 lbs 138.00-139.00, few 141.00

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts: 5303 Week ago: 5029 Year ago: 8098

Compared to last week's close barrows and gilts 1.00-2.00 lower. Sows steady to 1.00 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS:

Base carcass meat price 51.00-52.00, weekly top Tuesday 53.00

SOWS:

300-500 lbs 30.00-40.00 Over 500 lbs 41.00-47.00

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

Receipts: 9237 (4-10-09)

Compared to last week, weaner pigs steady to 2.00 lower, feeder pigs no comparison available.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights

73% formulated

9237 head 10 lbs 32.50-38.41 weighted average 10 lbs 36.23

Feeder pigs 40-50 lbs base weights

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	304.30	240.00	335.00	82.50
St. Louis	341.50	227.50	330.00	70.00

Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards, Mexico, MO 4-92-09

Receipts: 190 Last Week: 294 Last Year: 68

Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime new crop 40-50 lbs 115.00-120.00; 50-100 lbs 115.00-123.00. Slaughter ewes: Utility to Choice 1-3 125-225 lbs 20.00-28.00. Replacement ewes: few pkgs 2-4 yrs 80-100 lbs 28.00-39.00. Slaughter bucks: few 190-290 lbs 22.00. **Goats:** Selection 1 few 60-70 lbs 80.00-82.00, pkg 72 lbs 100.00. Feeder/Replacement Kids: Selection 3 pkg thin 27 lbs 22.00. Nannies: Selection 2-3 few 90-120 lbs 42.00-50.00, Selection 3 pkg thin 70 lbs 30.00. Billies: Absent. (Sheep prices per cwt, Goat prices per head.)

Norwood Special Dairy Heifers Sale 04/09/2009

Receipts: 1323 Last month: 1242 Last year: 1601

Springer heifers bred seven to nine months: Supreme 1400.00-1675.00; Approved 1150.00-1385.00, Crossbreds 985.00-1350.00; Medium 800.00-1025.00, Crossbreds 660.00-900.00. Heifers bred three to six months: Supreme 1375.00-1600.00; Approved 1000.00-1350.00, Crossbreds 950.00-1150.00; Medium 850.00-1000.00, Crossbreds 625.00-785.00. Heifers bred one to three months: Approved 1100.00-1290.00; Open Heifers: 300-400 lbs 700.00-810.00, Crossbreds 600.00-760.00; 400-500 lbs 770.00-875.00, Crossbreds 600.00-700.00; 500-600 lbs 775.00-950.00, Crossbreds 575.00-820.00; 600-700 lbs 875.00-1000.00, 700-800 lbs 925.00-1080.00. Replacement cows: Fresh and open milking cows: Supreme pair 1500.00; Approved 1200.00-1350.00; Springer Cows: Approved 1075.00-1325.00. Baby calves: Holstein heifers 360.00-460.00; Holstein bulls 65.00-105.00; Jersey bulls 60.00-95.00; Crossbred heifers 140.00-250.00, Crossbred bulls 60.00-130.00.

Diamond-White's Sheep and Goat Sale-04/02/09

Receipts: 1423 Last month: 1266 Last year: 1078

Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice 1-2 Woolled old and new crop 50-60 lbs 132.50-162.50; 60-70 lbs 130.00-150.00; 70-80 lbs 132.50-140.00; 80-90 lbs 93.00-130.00. Hair lambs: 50-60 lbs 105.00-147.00; 60-70 lbs 116.00-153.00; 70-80 lbs 105.00-127.50; 80-90 lbs 80.00-105.00. Feeder/Stockier Lambs: Woolled new crop 30-40 lbs 115.00-125.00; 40-50 lbs 115.00-140.00. Hair lambs: 20-30 lbs 102.50-105.00; 30-40 lbs 100.00-112.50; 40-50 lbs 102.50-120.00. Slaughter ewes: Woolled 1-2 122-175 lbs 30.00-49.00. Hair ewes: 52-130 lbs 35.00-58.00. Bucks: Hair 80-110 lbs 47.50-50.00. Replacement ewes: Woolled 1-2 120-185 lbs 34.00-54.00. Hair ewes: 65-138 lbs 30.00-49.00. Hair bucks: 115-125 lbs 37.00-39.00. Pairs: Hair 75.00-85.00. **Goats:** Slaughter Classes: Kids: Selection 1 40-50 lbs 142.50-170.00; 50-7 lbs 162.50-190.00; 70-80 lbs 142.50-145.00; Selection 2 40-50 lbs 125.00-145.00; 50-60 lbs 147.50-160.00; 60-70 lbs 140.00-168.00; 70-80 lbs 120.00-138.00. Does/Nannies: Selection 2 70-150 lbs 41.00-67.50. Billies: Selection 1 145-205 lbs 67.00-71.00; Selection 2 85-165 lbs 50.00-76.00. Replacement Classes: Does/Nannies: Selection 1 118-150 lbs 50.00-140.00; Selection 2 67-160 lbs 47.00-65.00. Stocker/Feeder Kids: Selection 2 22-28 lbs 100.00-135.00 cwt.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans nearby .04 to .12 higher, others .01 to .02 lower, Wheat .39 to .42 lower, Corn .13 to .15 lower, KC Wheat .35 to .37 lower, SB Meal nearby 1.50 to 5.20 higher, others .50 to 1.00 lower..

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
May	994	989 1/2	1006	1007	Holiday
Jul	993 1/2	988	1001 1/2	1002	
Aug	971	965	977	980	
Sep	937	931	941	944	
Nov	912	908 1/2	916	922	
Wheat					
May	557	539 3/4	532	522	Holiday
Jul	569	552	543 3/4	533 1/2	
Sep	594 1/4	577 1/2	570 1/2	560 1/4	
Dec	616 3/4	599	592 1/2	583 1/2	
Mar	631	612 3/4	606 3/4	598 1/4	
Corn					
May	405 1/2	396 1/4	397	390 1/4	Holiday
Jul	415 3/4	406 1/2	406 3/4	399 3/4	
Sep	424 3/4	416	416 1/4	409 1/2	
Dec	436 3/4	427 1/2	427 3/4	421 3/4	
Mar	448	439	438 1/2	433 1/4	
KC Wheat					
May	603	590	580	570 1/2	Holiday
Jul	613 3/4	600 3/4	589 3/4	580	
Sep	623 3/4	611	600 3/4	591	
Dec	638 1/4	625 1/4	616	606 1/2	
Mar	649 3/4	637 1/2	628	619 1/2	
SB Meal					
May	306.40	306.20	312.30	311.20	Holiday
Jul	303.10	302.20	307.50	306.40	
Aug	293.90	292.50	297.00	296.60	
Sep	280.80	279.20	282.50	283.30	
Oct	266.60	265.80	268.20	269.80	

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle .47 to 1.47 higher, Lean Hogs nearby .42 to 2.27 lower, others .62 to .97 higher, Pork Bellies unch to 1.57 higher except May 1.82 lower, Feeder Cattle 1.70 to 3.65 higher.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Apr	86.52	86.27	86.05	87.52	Holiday
Jun	84.37	83.75	83.77	84.60	
Aug	85.07	84.67	84.67	85.27	
Oct	88.70	88.72	88.80	89.47	
Dec	90.15	90.25	90.47	90.87	
Lean Hogs					
Apr	59.72	59.17	58.37	58.00	Holiday
May	72.70	73.22	72.75	73.45	
Jun	72.75	73.45	73.35	74.27	
Jul	73.82	74.22	74.50	75.05	
Aug	73.77	74.32	74.42	75.07	
Prk Bel					
May	89.80	89.67	88.05	87.00	Holiday
Jul	86.55	88.42	86.75	87.22	
Aug	82.05	85.05	83.50	83.50	
Feb	91.80	91.80	91.80	91.80	
Mar	92.30	92.30	92.30	92.30	
Fdr Cat					
Apr	95.95	96.22	96.57	98.15	Holiday
May	97.45	97.12	97.37	98.92	
Aug	99.60	99.42	99.75	100.90	
Sep	100.20	99.90	100.35	101.40	
Oct	100.60	100.17	100.80	101.85	
Milk					
Apr	11.03	10.81	10.81	10.78	Holiday
May	11.45	10.99	11.01	10.87	
Jun	12.30	11.61	11.66	11.68	

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .69 to .81 higher
Wheat .58 to .63 higher
Corn .15 to .19 higher
Grain Sorghum .32 to .59 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soy-beans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
<u>Kansas City</u>				
Monday	9.94	4.03-4.08	3.94-3.96	6.09
Tuesday	9.90	3.90-3.95	3.84-3.86	5.91
Wednesday	10.06	3.80-3.85	3.85-3.87	5.93
Thursday	10.07	3.71-3.76	3.78-3.80	5.80
Friday	Holiday			
<u>St. Louis</u>				
Monday	10.04-10.14	4.82	4.10	5.94
Tuesday	10.00-10.10	4.55	4.00-4.03	5.73
Wednesday	10.16-10.26	4.42	4.01-4.04	5.75
Thursday	10.19-10.27	4.32	3.94-3.97	5.62
Friday	Holiday			
<u>Central</u>				
Monday	9.54-9.59	3.87	3.86-3.88	n/a
Tuesday	9.50-9.55	3.70	3.76-3.81	n/a
Wednesday	9.66-9.71	3.62	3.77-3.82	n/a
Thursday	9.67-9.72	3.52	3.70-3.75	n/a
Friday	Holiday			
<u>S.E. MO</u>				
Monday	10.01-10.03	4.85-4.95	3.97-4.03	5.83-6.07
Tuesday	9.95-10.00	4.67-4.72	3.88-3.96	5.67-5.89
Wednesday	10.15-10.16	4.60-4.64	3.89-3.97	5.69-5.91
Thursday	10.15-10.16	4.49-4.51	3.82-3.90	5.57-5.76
Friday	Holiday			

Missouri Weekly Hay Summary

Cool and wet weather has many farmers now playing the waiting game. Equipment has been greased and re-greased as the farmers wait for the hay to grow and the soil temperatures to rise. Corn planting increased ever so slightly and reached a whopping 2 percent complete, 11 percent behind normal pace. Recalling last year when framers planted, flooded, replanted, and re-flooded only to plant a third time in some cases, many aren't that nervous about not having crops in the ground yet. The slow start to grass growth has resulted in a longer feeding season as several farmers are still feeding in order to prevent yield loss in pastures due to over grazing before the grass gets off to a good start. Hay demand is light, supply is moderate to heavy, prices mostly steady. The Missouri Department of Agriculture has a hay hotline available for both buyers and sellers. To be listed, or for a directory, call 1-800-877-4HAY (4429) or visit <http://www.mda.mo.gov/pdf/MOHayDirectory.pdf>. (All prices per ton unless specified) Supreme quality Alfalfa (RFV>185) 170.00-200.00 premium quality Alfalfa (RFV170-180) 150.00-175.00 Fair to Good quality Alfalfa (RFV130-170) Round bales 80.00-150.00 Small, Big squares 100.00-160.00 Good quality mixed Alfalfa and grass small square bales 3.50-6.50 per bale, 30.00-80.00 per large round bale, Good to Premium quality Prairie hay small squares 80.00-125.00, Fair to good quality Prairie hay 35.00-75.00, Premium Quality Brome large Squares 80.00-150.00 Good quality Brome 50.00-120.00 Fair quality Brome and mixed with grass round bales 25.00-50.00. Good quality Timothy Hay 3.00-5.00 per small square bale, Good Quality mixed grass 50.00-90.00 per ton, Fair to Good quality Mixed Grass hay 25.00-50.00 per round bale. Fair to good quality bluestem 40.00 per round bale, Fair to good quality Bermuda grass 70.00-100.00 per ton, Wheat straw 2.00-4.00 small bale.

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