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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 29,247 Week ago: 28,562 Year ago: 26,313
 Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

Fdr. STEERS:		Fdr. HEIFERS:		Hols. STEERS	
361 lbs.	125.68	366 lbs.	108.73	354 lbs.	75.73
457 lbs.	120.59	454 lbs.	104.98	441 lbs.	75.38
550 lbs.	114.30	539 lbs.	102.03	557 lbs.	68.83
645 lbs.	107.45	645 lbs.	98.81	640 lbs.	71.41
739 lbs.	101.64	746 lbs.	93.08	762 lbs.	72.16
842 lbs.	97.36	837 lbs.	86.39	850 lbs.	68.57
921 lbs.	87.89	925 lbs.	83.64	966 lbs.	65.82

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (West Plains)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 3050 Week ago: 2750 Year ago: 2391
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 750 Week ago: 900 Year ago: 1287
 Compared to last week, feeders steady with the exception of heifers 400-600 lbs which sold 2.00-3.00 higher, Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 higher, and Bulls mostly steady.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	124.00-137.50	300-400 lbs.	104.50-115.00
400-500 lbs.	112.00-126.00	400-500 lbs.	99.00-109.50
500-600 lbs.	100.00-118.00	500-600 lbs.	95.00-112.00
600-700 lbs.	100.00-107.50	600-700 lbs.	95.00-102.00
700-750 lbs.	98.00-103.50	M and L 1-2	
M and L 1-2		700-800 lbs.	82.50-89.50
800-900 lbs	87.50-94.50	900-975 lbs.	74.00-80.00

Holsteins
 Large 3

598 lbs	65.00
650-700 lbs.	65.00-69.00
700-800 lbs.	74.00-75.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1135-1895 lbs 60.00-65.50, high dressing 65.50-68.50

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1 2-7 yrs 900-1100 lb cows with babies to 200 lb calves 900.00-1090.00 per pair, Medium and Large 1-2 4 yrs to short solids 825-1100 lbs with baby to 150 lbs calves 680.00-880.00 per pair.

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1 2-6 yrs 950-1190 lbs 3rd stage 795.00-880.00 per head, package 2-6 yrs 1151 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 810.00 per head. Medium and Large 1-2 2-7 yrs 750-1200 lbs 3rd stage 600.00-765.00 per head, short solids to broken mouthed 820-1200 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 500.00-630.00 per head.

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 7883 Week ago: 6262 Year ago: 6701
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 1425 Week ago: 1242 Year ago: 1638
 Compared to last week, steer and heifer calves steady to 2.00 lower, yearlings steady to 2.00 higher early, later sales steady to 2.00 lower. Holsteins steady, except five and eight weights 2.00 to 4.00 lower. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher bulls sold 1.00-2.00 higher.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	120.00-130.00	300-400 lbs.	103.00-113.00
400-500 lbs.	111.00-126.00	400-500 lbs.	97.00-112.00
500-600 lbs.	105.50-117.50	500-600 lbs.	92.00-107.00
600-700 lbs.	102.50-111.00	600-700 lbs.	93.75-100.00
700-800 lbs.	98.25-107.00	700-800 lbs.	85.50-92.00
800-900 lbs.	93.50-97.00	800-900 lbs.	86.50-87.50
900-1000 lbs.	86.00-90.00	900-1000 lbs.	81.25

HOLSTEINS:
 Large Frame 3

200-300 lbs.	Scarce
300-400 lbs.	75.00-81.00
400-500 lbs.	75.00-80.00
500-600 lbs.	70.00-75.00
600-700 lbs.	72.00-74.00
700-800 lbs.	64.00-70.00
800-900 lbs.	93.50-97.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 48.00-56.00, high dressing 53.00-59.00, few outstanding 60.00-61.50, Lean (85-90%) 38.00-47.00, low dressing 29.00-42.00
SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1135-2635 lbs 62.00-69.00, high dressing 67.50-73.50, low dressing 54.00-62.00

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short-solid mouth 2nd and 3rd stage 975-1365 lbs most 650.00-875.00, several better quality 900.00-910.00 per head

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short-solid mouth 1010-1345 lb cows with babies to 300 lb calves, 850.00-1050.00, ss to bm cows 725.00-750.00 per pair.

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 3236 Week ago: 2407 Year ago: 3317
 Compared to last week, feeder calves steady to 3.00 lower, yearlings steady. Slaughter Cows firm to 1.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:		FEEDER HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	134.00	300-400 lbs.	109.75
400-500 lbs.	120.00-132.00	400-500 lbs.	102.00-114.50
500-600 lbs.	111.00-125.00	500-600 lbs.	99.00-110.00
600-700 lbs.	106.00-121.00	600-700 lbs.	92.50-96.25
700-800 lbs.	101.40-103.25	700-800 lbs.	91.00-97.25
800-900 lbs.	98.00	800-900 lbs.	84.10-89.10

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1420-2250 lbs 56.00-64.00, high dressing 65.75-66.00, low dressing 53.00-56.75

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 3-7 yrs 1295-1400 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 950.00-1000.00 per head

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 45.00-50.00, high dressing 49.50-54.50, lean 36.00-44.00

COW/CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 4-5 yrs 1100 lbs 100-150 lb calves 1250.00 per pair.

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WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville, Passaic)

Receipts: 4135 Week Ago: 3677 Year Ago: 4665
 Compared to last week, feeder sold uneven from 5.00 lower to 4.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs. 117.00-122.50
 400-500 lbs. 112.50-126.00
 500-600 lbs. 104.00-121.50
 600-700 lbs. 97.00-111.75
 700-800 lbs. 92.00-105.00
 800-900 lbs. 93.00-98.60
 900-1000 lbs. Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs. 102.00-113.00
 400-500 lbs. 96.00-108.00
 500-600 lbs. 90.00-106.00
 600-700 lbs. 88.50-103.00
 700-800 lbs. 85.00-99.75
 800-900 lbs. Scarce
 900-1000 lbs. Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 49.00-54.00, High dressing 53.50-60.75, Lean (85-90%) 45.00-51.00, low dressing 32.00-45.50.

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

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1355-2145 lbs 56.25-71.00; high dressing 72.00-75.00; low dressing 48.50-58.00

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville, Macon)

Receipts: 5039 Week ago: 5693 Year ago: 5642
 Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to weak.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

300-400 lbs. 116.00-135.00
 400-500 lbs. 111.00-127.75
 500-600 lbs. 103.50-125.00
 600-700 lbs. 95.00-114.50
 700-800 lbs. 91.75-106.50
 800-900 lbs. 84.25-95.20
 900-1000 lbs. 70.25-89.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

300-400 lbs. 100.50-120.00
 400-500 lbs. 92.50-110.50
 500-600 lbs. 90.50-106.10
 600-700 lbs. 88.75-100.50
 700-750 lbs. 80.25-94.75
 800-900 lbs. 82.00-82.25
 900-1000 lbs. Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: High Select and Choice 2-3 1100-1400 lbs 81.25-86.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 44.50-57.25, high dressing 51.00-63.25, Lean 38.00-46.50

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

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1175-2200 lbs 56.00-60.00, few 62.25-66.00

NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 2225 Week ago: 4467 Year ago: 854
 Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 20 Week ago: 22 Year ago: 52
 Compared to last week, feeder under 600 lbs steady over 2.00-5.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter steers and heifers steady.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs. 124.50-125.25
 400-500 lbs. 119.00-126.25
 500-600 lbs. 111.75-123.25
 600-700 lbs. 107.25-118.50
 700-800 lbs. Scarce
 800-850 lbs. 104.00-105.35

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs. 109.25-117.00
 400-500 lbs. 103.75-115.50
 500-600 lbs. 100.75-110.75
 600-700 lbs. 100.75-111.60
 700-800 lbs. 98.10
 800-900 lbs. 92.35

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 1300-1525 lbs 82.25-83.75

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 46.50-54.25; low dressing 42.25-49.00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1050-1200 lbs 82.25-83.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1450-2200 lbs 55.75-62.75

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

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Fruitland, Patton)

Receipts: 1345 Week ago: 1158 Year ago: 1145
 Compared to last week steers and heifers sold uneven, 3.00 higher to 2.00 lower. Slaughter cows 1.00 higher and, bulls steady.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs. 110.00-121.00
 400-500 lbs. 105.00-116.00
 500-600 lbs. 100.00-110.50
 600-700 lbs. 95.00-104.00
 700-800 lbs. 88.50-96.00
 800-850 lbs. 87.00-89.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs. 99.00-115.00
 400-500 lbs. 91.00-106.00
 500-600 lbs. 86.50-99.00
 600-700 lbs. 82.00-92.50
 700-800 lbs. 82.00-90.00
 Pkg 803 lbs. 80.00

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2 3-7 yrs 840-1335 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 540.00-720.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and boning (75-85% lean) 46.75-52.00, high dressing 53.00-55.25; Lean 37.50-42.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-6 yrs old 970-1385 lbs with 70-245 lb calves, 710.00-940.00 per pair

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 few 1660-2470 lbs 58.00-62.00, high dressing 63.75-65.00, low dressing 50.00.

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 2689 Week ago: 2058 Year ago: 2306
 Compared to last week steers and heifers steady. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs. 117.00-128.00
 400-500 lbs. 115.00-126.50
 500-600 lbs. 108.75-118.00
 600-700 lbs. 105.00-109.75
 700-800 lbs. 104.00
 800-900 lbs. 93.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs. 102.00-109.50
 400-500 lbs. 99.00-108.00
 500-600 lbs. 94.75-106.00
 600-700 lbs. 94.00-101.00
 700-800 lbs. 82.50-89.00
 800-900 lbs. 80.00-85.75

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 4 yrs to short and solid mouth 1000-1250 lbs 1st and 2nd stage 675.00-775.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 48.00-53.50, high dressing 52.50-59.25, Lean (85-90%) 43.00-49.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 5-7 yrs 925-1200 lbs 125-300 lb calves 860.00-950.00 per pair

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1125-2000 lbs 59.00-65.50, high dressing 70.00-72.00

**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

Weekly Receipts: 400 Week ago: 500 Year ago: 400
 No confirmed live sales and few dressed sales on grid basis 1.00 to 2.00 higher

STEERS AND HEIFERS:

Choice 2-4 No sales

DRESSED STEERS:

No sales

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid):

Choice 3 550-950 lbs 139.00-140.00

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts: 7403 Week ago: 6395 Year ago: 7054
 Compared to last week's close barrows and gilts 8.00 to 11.00 higher, sows 4.00 to 6.00 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS:

Base carcass meat price 54.00-60.00, weekly top Friday 60.00

SOWS:

300-500 lbs 32.00-44.00
 Over 500 lbs 45.00-50.00

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

Receipts: 16,742 (5-15-09)
Compared to two weeks ago, weaner pigs steady, feeder pigs no comparison available.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights
100% formulated
16,742 head 10 lbs 34.50-37.68 weighted average 10 lbs 36.80

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	368.20	247.50	380.00	105.50
St. Louis	382.00	237.50	393.50	95.00

Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards, Mexico, MO 4-14-09
Receipts: 333 Last Week: 277 Last Year: 271

Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 45-105 lbs 135.00-145.00, 56 lbs 151.00, Choice 45-75 lbs 129.00-139.00. Feeder Lambs Medium 1-2 35-45 lbs 120.00-127.00. Slaughter Ewes Good and Choice 1-3 125-175 lbs 41.00-48.00, Utility and Good 1-2 105-175 lbs 36.00-41.00. Slaughter Bucks 200-210 lbs 39.00-40.00. **Goats:** Slaughter Kids Selection 1 70 lbs 94.00; Selection 1-2 43 lbs 60.00; Selection 3 54 lbs 74.00, 64 lbs 87.50, 25-40 lbs 17.00-32.00. Nannies Selection 3 90-95 lbs 72.00-75.00; 55 lbs 50.00. Billies Selection 1-2 85-90 lbs 77.50-92.50; Selection 2-3 175 lbs 140.00. (Sheep prices per cwt, Goat prices per head.)

Norwood Special Dairy Heifers Sale 05/15/2009
Receipts: 1544 Last month: 1323 Last year: 825

Springer heifers bred seven to nine months: Supreme 1350.00-1550.00, Approved 1025.00-1300.00, Crossbreds 900.00-1260.00, Medium 800.00-975.00. Bred three to six months Supreme 1350.00-1450.00, Crossbreds 1200.00-1325.00, Approved 1000.00-1350.00, Crossbreds 1000.00-1200.00. one to three Approved 1000.00-1285.00 Crossbreds 1040.00-1075.00. Open Heifers Approved 200-300 lbs 550.00-675.00, 300-400 lbs 600.00-760.00, Jersey 560.00-700.00, 400-500 lbs 650.00-800.00, 500-600 lbs 735.00-835.00, 600-700 lbs 800.00-960.00, 700-800 lbs 850.00-1000.00. Replacement Cows: fresh and open milking cows: Supreme 1450.00-1525.00, Approved 1325.00-1375.00, Medium 1100.00-1275.00. Springer cows Supreme 1325.00, Approved 1075.00 Jerseys 900.00-950.00. Bred Cows Approved 1025.00-1100.00, Indv Crossbred 1100.00, Medium 850.00-900.00, Common 500.00-550.00. Baby Calves: Holstein heifers 350.00-385.00, small 320.00-335.00, Holstein bulls 75.00-120.00, small 45.00-70.00, Jersey heifers 225.00, Jersey bulls 45.00-80.00, Crossbred bulls 80.00-110.00, small 40.00-65.00, Crossbred heifers 210.00-230.00, small 105.00-180.00.

Diamond-White's Sheep and Goat Sale 05/08/09

Receipts: 1263 Month Ago: 1458 Year Ago: 1298

Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice 1-2 Woolled and shorn new crop 40-50 lbs 102.50-133.00; 50-60 lbs 116.00-128.00; 60-70 lbs 123.00-132.50. Hair lambs: 50-60 lbs 86.00-130.00; 60-70 lbs 100.00-112.50; 70-80 lbs 105.00-115.00. Feeder/Stocker Lambs: woolled new crop 30-40 lbs 115.00-117.50. Hair lambs 20-30 lbs 95.00-102.50; 30-40 lbs 92.50-121.00; 40-50 lbs 102.50-112.50. Slaughter ewes: Woolled 1-3 105-186 lbs 32.00-39.00. Hair ewes: 103-108 lbs 51.00-57.00. Pairs: hair 20.00-47.50 per head. **Goats:** Slaughter Classes: Kids: Selection 1 40-50 lbs 142.50-165.00; 50-60 lbs 159.00-166.50. Selection 2 40-50 lbs 122.50-135.00; 50-60 lbs 120.00-153.00; Does/Nannies Selection 2-3 40-115 lbs 36.00-54.00. Billies: Selection 1 165-190 lbs 77.00-83.00. Replacement Classes: Does/Nannies: Selection 1 Reg Boer 60.00-110.00 per head; Selection 2 50-120 lbs 31.00-75.00 cwt. Pairs: Selection 1 35.00-52.50 per head. Billies: Selection 1 Reg Boer 130.00-230.00 per head.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .02 to .19 higher, except Nov .04 lower, Wheat .13 to .14 lower, Corn .01 to .04 lower, KC Wheat .03 to .06 lower, SB Meal 11.20 to 19.20 higher.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
May	1130	1137 1/2	1150	1166	_____
Jul	1116	1117 1/2	1128	1147 1/2	1130 1/2
Aug	1076	1075	1085	1098 1/2	1085
Sep	1025	1023 1/4	1027	1040 1/2	1023 1/4
Nov	983	979 1/2	981 1/2	992	975 3/4
Wheat					
May	580 1/2	582 1/2	578 3/4	581 1/2	_____
Jul	590 3/4	592 3/4	588 3/4	593 1/4	577 1/2
Sep	617	619 1/2	615 1/4	619 3/4	604
Dec	639 1/4	641 3/4	637 1/2	642	626 1/4
Mar	654	656 3/4	652	657	641 1/4
Corn					
May	413 1/2	419 1/2	419 1/2	421 1/2	_____
Jul	421 1/4	427 1/2	426 1/2	428 1/4	417 1/4
Sep	429 1/2	436 1/4	435 1/2	437 1/2	426 3/4
Dec	440 1/4	448	447 1/4	449 1/4	438 1/2
Mar	450 3/4	458 3/4	457 3/4	460 1/4	449
KC Wheat					
May	629 1/2	634	635	640 3/4	_____
Jul	634	637 1/2	638	643 3/4	630 1/2
Sep	644 1/4	647 3/4	648	653 3/4	640 1/4
Dec	659 3/4	662 3/4	663 1/4	669	655 1/4
Mar	673 1/4	676 3/4	676 1/4	681 1/2	667 3/4
SB Meal					
May	362.40	366.20	378.50	381.50	_____
Jul	344.40	346.70	352.50	362.30	358.20
Aug	326.40	328.20	333.50	343.10	339.20
Sep	308.40	310.20	314.00	323.30	319.20
Oct	287.60	287.40	291.70	301.10	296.70

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle nearby .60 to 1.08 lower, others .05 to .40 higher, Lean Hogs 1.68 to 2.32 lower, Pork Bellies nearby 4.30 to 7.65 lower, others .10 to .90 higher, Feeder Cattle nearby .05 to .35 lower, others 1.32 to 1.90 higher.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Jun	83.27	83.20	82.50	82.80	82.37
Aug	83.90	83.57	82.82	82.85	82.52
Oct	88.70	88.70	88.25	88.25	88.02
Dec	90.82	90.90	90.77	90.90	90.52
Feb	92.30	92.32	92.10	92.15	91.82
Lean Hogs					
May	61.10	61.75	61.57	62.12	66.52
Jun	67.77	68.92	67.95	67.00	68.57
Jul	69.75	70.60	69.47	68.65	68.75
Aug	70.25	70.85	69.37	68.52	63.50
Oct	65.72	66.70	65.45	64.17	63.57
Prk Bel					
May	78.00	78.00	76.80	74.10	73.70
Jul	79.05	78.55	75.55	73.55	73.10
Aug	80.60	80.40	77.40	75.40	73.80
Feb	91.00	91.25	90.10	90.10	90.10
Mar	91.50	91.75	91.75	90.60	90.60
Fdr Cat					
May	99.55	99.32	98.95	99.25	99.00
Aug	101.60	101.45	101.22	101.65	101.65
Sep	101.87	101.55	101.55	101.90	101.97
Oct	102.75	102.05	101.75	102.17	102.15
Nov	102.15	102.12	101.95	101.10	102.72
Milk					
May	9.78	9.78	9.83	9.82	9.83
Jun	10.65	10.55	10.67	10.41	10.32
Jul	11.98	12.04	12.38	12.06	11.85

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .15 to .33 higher
 Wheat .15 lower to .02 higher
 Corn .03 to .09 lower
 Grain Sorghum .05 to .07 lower

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City				
Monday	11.11-11.13	4.49	4.07-4.11	6.36
Tuesday	11.11-11.15	4.53	4.14-4.18	6.48
Wednesday	11.21-11.25	4.53	4.13-4.17	6.46
Thursday	11.41-11.45	4.59	4.14-4.18	6.48
Friday	11.23-11.28	4.46	4.02-4.07	6.29
St. Louis				
Monday	11.35-11.44	5.04	4.11-4.24	6.62
Tuesday	11.45-11.51	5.06	4.29	6.75
Wednesday	11.56-11.61	5.02	4.13-4.17	6.75
Thursday	11.80-11.85	5.02	4.30-4.31	6.78
Friday	11.64-11.69	4.93	4.20-4.21	6.57
Central				
Monday	10.86-10.91	4.24	3.98-4.01	n/a
Tuesday	10.88-10.93	4.26	4.05-4.08	n/a
Wednesday	10.98-11.03	4.22	4.04-4.05	n/a
Thursday	11.18-11.23	4.26	4.03-4.06	n/a
Friday	11.01-11.06	4.11	3.92-3.95	n/a
S.E. MO				
Monday	11.36-11.41	4.98-5.07	4.09-4.18	6.00-6.73
Tuesday	11.37-11.41	4.97-5.09	4.15-4.22	6.10-6.83
Wednesday	11.48-11.52	4.96-5.02	4.14-4.21	6.08-6.82
Thursday	11.69-11.76	4.98-5.09	4.16-4.23	6.12-6.91
Friday	11.54-11.56	4.82-4.92	4.05-4.10	5.92-6.51

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

Missouri Weekly Hay Summary

Farmers continue to struggle with wet conditions and are now cleaning up damage after a couple rounds of severe storms, hay and planting progress is slow and generally falling farther behind each day. A very small amount of first cutting Alfalfa has been baled. Grass and Brome fields are looking good but some concern with weeds. Farmers are very hopeful to get some hay put up that will reach up in the higher end of the quality scale as that seems to be about the only type of hay currently able to find any decent amount of demand. Hay supply is currently the second largest on record but that supply is made up of mostly lower quality hay in large round bales. Hay prices steady to weak. (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 25.00-40.00 per round bale. Wheat straw 2.00-4.00 small bale. **Missouri Crop Progress and Condition May 10, 2009 Topsoil moisture** is 41 percent adequate and 59 percent surplus. **Spring tillage** is 55 percent complete, a 4 point increase from last week but 21 days behind the normal of 76 percent. There were 1.6 **days suitable for fieldwork** with the northwest district reporting over 3 days suitable. **Field Crops Report** **Corn** planting is 39 percent complete compared to 32 percent last year. Corn planting is 22 days behind the normal pace of 75 percent complete. Good planting progress was made across the northwest, north-central and southwest districts. Corn emergence is at 21 percent, a 15 point increase from last week but 17 days behind normal. **Soybean** planting is 5 percent complete, 12 days behind the normal pace of 19 percent. **Sorghum** planting is at 3 percent, 25 days behind normal. **Wheat** heading is at 33 percent, a week behind the normal of 61 percent. Heading is nearly complete in the southeast district. Condition is rated 1 percent very poor, 8 percent poor, 40 percent fair, 44 percent good, and 7 percent excellent. The first cutting of **alfalfa** is 1 percent complete, 14 days behind the normal of 10 percent. **Other hay** is 1 percent cut, on par with last year. **Pasture & Livestock** **Pasture** condition is rated 4 percent poor, 33 percent fair, 56 percent good, and 7 percent excellent.