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## MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 27,045 Week ago: 35,100 Year ago: 37,067  
 Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh) Hols. Large 3

Fdr. STEERS:		Fdr. HEIFERS:		Hols. STEERS	
368 lbs.	176.13	363 lbs.	153.73	372 lbs.	119.45
456 lbs.	170.13	454 lbs.	147.42	438 lbs.	116.31
548 lbs.	158.04	547 lbs.	143.33	563 lbs.	112.56
657 lbs.	144.37	642 lbs.	131.81	665 lbs.	111.26
746 lbs.	135.42	742 lbs.	123.83	736 lbs.	108.07
857 lbs.	127.18	828 lbs.	118.88	835 lbs.	99.04
947 lbs.	121.37			986 lbs.	92.20

## SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (West Plains)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 1892 Week ago: 3479 Year ago: 4164  
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 812 Week Ago: 790 Year Ago: 1164  
 Compared to last week, steers under 600 lbs 2.00-7.00 higher, heifer mates 4.00-8.00 higher, weights over 600 lbs steady to 2.00 higher.  
 Slaughter cows and bulls treaded steady to 2.00 higher.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	180.00-185.00	350-400 lbs.	148.00-157.50
400-450 lbs.	170.00-182.50	400-500 lbs.	145.00-156.00
450-500 lbs.	159.00-174.00	500-600 lbs.	135.00-146.00
500-600 lbs.	146.00-168.00	600-700 lbs.	119.00-137.00
600-700 lbs.	135.00-147.00	700-800 lbs.	117.00-122.00
700-755 lbs.	132.50-141.50		
Pkg 810 lbs.	123.00		

Holsteins	SLAUGHTER COWS:
Large 3	Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 72.50-84.50, high dressing 80.50-90.50, few 87.00-95.50 90.00, Lean (85-90%) 65.00-72.50, low dressing 55.50-62.50
Pkg 511 lbs.	107.00
Pkg 812 lbs.	98.50

**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield Grade 1-2 1325-2215 lbs 85.00-92.50, high dressing 98.50-100.50, low dressing 75.00-84.50.

**COW & CALF PAIRS:** Medium and Large 1-2 3-6 yrs 950-1350 lb with babies to 250 lb calves, 1250.00-1460.00 per pair. Few 4-7 yrs 1100-1130 lbs bred back with 300-350 lb calves 1525.00-1575.00 per pair.

**REPLACEMENT COWS:** Few Large 1-2 3-5 yrs 1235-1475 lbs 3rd stage 1100.00-1300.00 per head. Medium and Large 1-2 3-7 yrs 1020-1200 lbs 2en and 3rd stage 900.00-1100.00 per head several 1st stage 3-7 yrs 990-1340 lbs 925.00-1050.00.

## SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 7605 Week ago: 8262 Year ago: 6380  
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 1718 Week ago: 2322 Year ago: 1289  
 Compared to last week, feeders under 600 lbs 2.00 to 8.00 higher, over 600 lbs 2.00-5.00 higher, Holsteins steady to 10.00 higher. Slaughter cows sold 2.00-4.00 higher and slaughter bulls sold 2.00-5.00 higher.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	170.00-184.00	300-400 lbs.	146.00-158.50
400-500 lbs.	163.00-180.00	400-500 lbs.	138.50-156.00
500-600 lbs.	151.00-168.00	500-600 lbs.	134.00-150.00
600-700 lbs.	136.00-155.00	600-700 lbs.	126.00-143.00
700-800 lbs.	125.00-136.50	700-800 lbs.	116.50-127.75
800-900 lbs.	117.00-131.50	800-900 lbs.	115.00-120.75
900-1000 lbs.	115.00-127.75		

HOLSTEINS:	SLAUGHTER COWS:
Large Frame 3	Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 68.00-82.00, high dressing 74.00-96.00, Lean (85-90%) 55.00-65.00, low dressing 47.00-55.50
300-400 lbs.	115.00-124.50
400-500 lbs.	104.50-123.00
500-600 lbs.	110.00-123.00
600-700 lbs.	109.00-117.50
700-800 lbs.	109.50-114.00
800-900 lbs.	81.00-111.50
900-1000 lbs.	100.50

**REPLACEMENT COWS:** Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short solid, 2nd and 3rd stage, 945-1355 lbs most 900.00-1185.00, better quality 1325.00-1375.00.

**COW & CALF PAIRS:** Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short solid, 900-1285 lbs cows w/ babies-375 lb calves, few rebred 1275.00-1450.00.

## NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 3568 Week ago: 2511 Year ago: 4610  
 Compared to last week, feeders sold firm to 5.00 higher. Slaughter cows sold 1.00 to 3.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:		FEEDER HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	180.00-188.00	300-400 lbs.	159.50-166.00
400-500 lbs.	164.00-185.00	400-500 lbs.	145.00-167.50
500-600 lbs.	154.00-170.00	500-600 lbs.	143.00-157.50
600-700 lbs.	140.00-160.50	600-700 lbs.	127.50-145.00
700-800 lbs.	127.50-145.00	700-800 lbs.	117.00-131.00
800-900 lbs.	121.00-134.00	800-900 lbs.	114.75-121.00
900-1000 lbs.	117.75-118.00		

**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield Grade 1-2 1385-2350 lbs 82.00-91.00, high dressing 93.00-99.00, low dressing 72.00-80.00

**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 74.00-82.00, high dressing 78.00-86.00, Lean 64.00-73.00

**BRED COWS:** Medium and Large 1 Scarce

**COW-CALF PAIRS:** Medium and Large 1 Scarce

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**WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Kingsville, Sedalia, Butler)

Receipts: 2809 Week Ago: 4554 Year Ago: 3756  
 Compared to last week, feeders mostly firm to 5.00 higher, except 650-750 lbs steers as much as 10.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 5.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs. 159.00-176.50  
 400-500 lbs. 156.50-171.50  
 500-600 lbs. 142.00-170.00  
 600-700 lbs. 138.00-155.00  
 700-800 lbs. 128.50-145.25  
 800-900 lbs. 121.25-129.85

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs. 143.00-155.50  
 400-500 lbs. 136.00-152.50  
 500-600 lbs. 126.50-148.75  
 600-700 lbs. 119.50-137.75  
 700-800 lbs. 118.00-131.00  
 800-850 lbs. 117.25-119.00

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 72.00-82.00, High dressing 82.00-87.75, Lean (85-90%) 64.00-76.00

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

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1085-2290 lbs 85.00-92.75; high dressing 92.00-94.00

**EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville, Macon)

Receipts: 6889 Week ago: 6000 Year ago: 9522  
 Compared to last week feeders firm-5.00 higher spots 5.00-10.00 higher. Slaughter cows firm to 5.00 higher some 10.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1&amp; 1-2

350-400 lbs. 164.00-178.00  
 400-500 lbs. 154.00-178.00  
 500-600 lbs. 145.00-166.50  
 600-700 lbs. 134.00-152.00  
 700-800 lbs. 128.00-143.00  
 800-900 lbs. 123.00-129.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1&amp; 1-2

350-400 lbs. 142.00-156.50  
 400-500 lbs. 140.00-152.50  
 500-600 lbs. 132.00-150.00  
 600-700 lbs. 122.50-144.00  
 700-800 lbs. 116.50-128.00  
 800-850 lbs. 115.50-120.25

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: Select and Choice 2-4 112.00-115.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 65.00-85.00, high dressing individuals up to 95.75, Lean 55.00-75.00

COWS & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1 30head fancy 2yrs Black 900-1000 lbs with 100-150 lb calves 1800.00-1900.00 per pair

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1350-2250 lbs 82.00-97.00, high dressing 97.00-103.50

**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 1569 Week ago: 5358 Year ago: 3181  
 Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 18 Week ago: 51 Year ago: 18  
 Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers under 600 lbs 3.00-10.00 higher, over 600 lbs steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows 3.00-5.00 higher. Slaughter steers and heifers not established.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 &amp; 1-2

300-400 lbs. 173.00-188.00  
 400-500 lbs. 172.00-187.00  
 500-600 lbs. 164.50-176.50  
 600-700 lbs. 143.75-149.75  
 700-800 lbs. 132.00-136.00  
 800-900 lbs. Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 &amp; 1-2

300-400 lbs. 154.00-174.00  
 400-500 lbs. 147.50-160.00  
 500-600 lbs. 139.75-153.50  
 600-700 lbs. 129.50-132.25  
 700-800 lbs. Scarce  
 800-900 lbs. Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 Pkg 1277 lbs 115.50

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 79.00-87.50, Low Dressing 70.00-78.50

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1200-1350 lbs 110.00-113.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1450-2350 lbs 83.00-94.00.

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

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 scarce

**SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Fruitland, Patton)

Receipts: 1502 Week ago: 2097 Year ago: 1417  
 Compared to last week, steers and heifers sold uneven 1.00 higher to 3.00 lower. Slaughter cows 3.00 higher, bulls 4.00 higher

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs. 150.00-170.00  
 400-500 lbs. 143.00-163.00  
 500-600 lbs. 132.00-151.00  
 600-700 lbs. 131.00-140.00  
 700-800 lbs. 115.00-134.50  
 825-900 lbs. 111.00-125.00  
 Pkg 810 lbs. 110.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

250-300 lbs. 140.00-150.00  
 300-400 lbs. 130.00-150.50  
 400-500 lbs. 128.00-149.00  
 500-600 lbs. 123.00-137.50  
 600-700 lbs. 110.50-127.50  
 700-800 lbs. 105.00-112.00  
 Pkg 810 lbs. 105.00

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 3-7 yrs 935-1310 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 970.00-1130.00 per head

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 66.50-80.50, high dressing 80.00-84.00, Lean 54.00-60.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 3-6 yrs 1020-1240 lbs with 100-170 lb calves 1000.00-1270.00 per pair

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1355-2490 lbs 80.00-91.00, high dressing 96.50-100.00

**SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 1280 Week ago: 3293 Year ago: 3242  
 Compared to last week, feeders firm to 4.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00 to 4.00 higher

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs. 165.00-185.00  
 400-500 lbs. 154.00-173.00  
 500-600 lbs. 145.00-163.50  
 600-700 lbs. 134.50-144.50  
 700-750 lbs. 133.00-134.00  
 Pkg 870 lbs. 122.10

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs. 140.00-165.00  
 400-500 lbs. 139.00-149.75  
 500-600 lbs. 131.00-143.00  
 600-700 lbs. 122.50-133.00  
 700-800 lbs. 116.00-123.00  
 800-900 lbs. Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium 1-2, 4-9 yrs 1100-1375 lbs 2nd stage and 3rd stage 1025.00-1105.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 72.00-80.00, high dressing 80-87.25, Lean (85-90%) 64.00-73.50

COW & CALF PAIRS: Scarce

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1250-2100 lbs 85.00-94.00, low dressing 63.00-82.50, high dressing 95.75-100.00

**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

Weekly Receipts: 600 Week ago: 1000 Year ago: 400  
 Compared to last week, lives sales 5.50 higher and dressed sales mostly 10.00 higher.

LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS: Over 80% Choice 120.00 FOB

DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS: 60-80% Choice 196.00-200.00

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid): Choice 3 550-950 lbs. few 197.00-200.00.

**INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS**

Weekly Receipts: 6728 Week ago: 4298 Year ago: 4220  
 Compared to last week's close barrows and gilts 1.00 to 3.00 higher, sows steady to 2.00 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: Base carcass meat price 80.00-81.00, weeks top Friday 81.00

SOWS: 300-500 lbs 50.00-54.00  
 Over 500 lbs 53.00-59.00

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

Receipts: 4946 Compared last week, weaner pigs steady to firm, feeder pigs no comparison available. (Price Per Head.)  
Early weaned pigs: 3746 head FOB the farm 0% negotiated 10 lbs base weights 34.50-44.00 weighted average 39.84 Delivered 100% negotiated 10 lbs base weights No Sales Reported  
Feeder Pigs in all lot sizes Delivered 100% negotiated 1200 head 40 lbs 80.00

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

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	339.60	295.00	380.00	170.00
St. Louis	366.00	275.00	387.50	145.50

**Midwest Exchange Sheep and Goat Market (3/31/11)**

Receipts: 279 Week Ago: 206 Year Ago: 401  
**Sheep:** Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 2-3 pkg 122 lbs 228.00, hair lambs lot Choice 68 lbs 222.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 1-3 130-200 lbs 60.00-70.00, few 70.00-80.00. Replacement Ewes: Not tested. Slaughter Bucks: 190-240 lbs 58.00-69.00 **Goats:** Slaughter Kids: Selection 1 pkg 70 lbs 226.00, Selection 1-2 lot 49 lbs 239.00, Selection 1-3 pkg 56 lbs 238.00. Nannies Selection 2-3 pkg 78 lbs 93.00, Selection 3 85-130 lbs 79.00-90.00, few replacement 99.00-100.00. Billies: Selection 3 140-190 lbs 91.00-97.00. (All classes sold per cwt)

**Springfield Livestock Marketing Center Special Dairy Sale 03/22/11**

Receipts: 811 Month Ago: 515 Year Ago: 546  
Springer Heifers bred seven to nine months: Supreme 1285.00-1530.00, Crossbreds 1275.00-1225.00. Approved 1125.00-1350.00, Crossbreds 1030.00-1225.00. Medium 775.00-1080.00, Crossbreds 780.00-900.00. Common 650.00-985.00, Crossbreds 625.00-850.00. Heifers three to six months: Supreme 1335.00-1525.00, Crossbreds 1230.00-1275.00. Approved 1125.00-1350.00, Crossbreds 975.00-1150.00. Medium 700.00-1025.00, Crossbreds 750.00-925.00. Common 690.00-1090.00, Crossbreds 525.00-800.00. Open Heifers Approved 200-250 lbs 400.00-405.00; 300-400 lbs 490.00-610.00, pkg Jerseys 395 lbs 575.00; 400-500 lbs 680.00-795.00; 525-575 lbs Crossbreds 610.00-670.00; 550-600 lbs 740.00-795.00, Jerseys 770.00; 625-700 lbs 820.00-880.00, Crossbreds 730.00; 700-725 lbs 980.00. Replacement Cows: Fresh and Milking Approved 1300.00-1425.00. Medium ind. 835.00. Common ind. 770.00, Crossbreds 400.00-780.00. Baby Calves: Holstein heifers 185.00-240.00, Small 130.00-160.00. Crossbred heifers 110.00-190.00. Holstein bulls 130.00-160.00. Crossbred bulls 135.00-150.00, ind. Small 80.00. Jersey bulls 55.00-65.00.

**Koshkonong- Oregon Country Sheep and Goat Market (03/26/11)**

Receipts: 116 Last month: 52 Year ago: 212  
**Goats:** Slaughter classes: Kids: Selection 1 45-60 lbs 230.00; 61-80 lbs 200.00. Selection 2 45-60 lbs 210.00; 61-80 lbs 180.00. Selection 3 45-60 lbs 140.00. Feeder Kids: Selection 1 20-40 lbs 140.00. Slaughter Does/ Nannies: Selection 1-2 95.00. Selection 3 65.00. yearling does any grade 105.00. Slaughter Bucks: Selection 1-2 90.00. yearling any grade 105.00. aged wethers any grade 100 lbs and over 90.00. **Sheep:** Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 1-3 hair 80 lbs and under 180.00-200.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 1-2 60.00. Slaughter Rams: aged 55.00. all prices per cwt.

**WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS**

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .35 to .39 higher, Wheat .26 to .30 higher, Corn .28 to .47 higher, KC Wheat .47 to .52 higher, SB Meal 3.70 to 5.90 higher.

**Daily Grain Futures Closes**

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
May	1348 1/2	1361 1/2	1372	1410 1/4	1393 3/4
Jul	1359 1/4	1372 1/4	1382 3/4	1421	1404 1/4
Aug	1358 1/4	1371 3/4	1381 3/4	1419 1/4	1404 1/2
Sep	1350	1363 1/4	1372 1/2	1406 1/4	1397
Nov	1342	1354 1/4	1363 1/2	1395	1389 1/4
Wheat					
May	725 1/4	737 1/4	737 1/4	763 1/4	759 1/4
Jul	761	772 3/4	763 1/4	799 1/4	796
Sep	798 3/4	810 1/4	801 1/4	838	834 1/4
Dec	825 1/2	836	828 3/4	866 1/2	863 1/2
Mar	845 1/4	856 3/4	848 3/4	888 3/4	888
Corn					
May	671	671 3/4	663 1/4	693 1/4	736
Jul	678	378 3/4	671	701	743
Sep	631 1/4	632 1/2	625 1/4	655 1/4	681 1/2
Dec	597	600 1/4	595 1/2	625 1/4	637 1/4
Mar	605 1/4	609 1/2	605 1/4	635 1/4	646
KC Wheat					
May	848 1/2	867	862	908	906 1/2
Jul	859 1/4	877 1/2	872 3/4	918 1/2	917 1/4
Sep	872 1/2	891 3/4	887	931 1/2	931 1/2
Dec	892	910 1/2	905	948 1/2	948 1/4
Mar	900 1/2	918 1/2	913	954 1/2	954 1/4
SB Meal					
May	353.60	358.60	360.50	370.70	360.90
Jul	358.20	363.00	365.20	375.10	366.20
Aug	359.50	364.00	366.20	375.50	367.20
Sep	358.70	363.30	365.20	374.10	367.00
Oct	354.80	359.50	360.70	370.40	364.20

**WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND**

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle 2.67 to 3.50 higher, Lean Hogs .73 to 1.75 higher except Jun .13 lower, Pork Bellies May 3.00 higher others unch, Feeder Cattle 2.35 to 3.47 higher.

**Daily Futures Closes**

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Apr	117.95	118.37	120.55	121.55	122.07
Jun	116.97	117.90	119.57	120.97	121.25
Aug	118.40	119.20	120.30	122.17	122.60
Oct	121.60	122.12	123.17	125.40	126.00
Dec	122.30	122.62	123.37	125.72	126.70
Lean Hogs					
Apr	92.60	93.60	93.55	93.72	94.22
May	101.87	102.40	120.50	103.07	103.07
Jun	103.25	103.47	103.15	103.87	103.57
Jul	102.57	103.22	103.15	103.75	103.40
Aug	102.12	102.80	102.45	103.15	103.40
Prk Bel					
Mar	126.00	—	—	—	—
May	118.00	118.00	118.00	118.00	118.00
Jul	111.50	111.50	111.50	111.50	111.50
Aug	105.50	105.50	105.50	105.50	105.50
Feb	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00
Fdr Cat					
Mar	132.30	132.70	133.55	134.02	—
Apr	134.90	135.70	137.47	137.80	138.10
May	137.17	137.57	138.80	139.37	139.40
Aug	138.90	139.32	140.57	141.22	141.87
Sep	138.10	138.90	140.27	140.42	141.37
Milk					
Mar	19.44	19.46	19.46	19.46	—
Apr	17.04	16.76	16.79	16.71	16.65
May	17.44	16.84	16.84	16.70	16.58

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**MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS**

Soybeans .19 to .36 higher  
 Wheat .29 to .47 higher  
 Corn .45 to .56 higher  
 Grain Sorghum .82 to 1.23 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
<u>Kansas City</u>				
Monday	13.54	6.55	6.53-6.55	11.09
Tuesday	13.67	6.67	6.56	11.11
Wednesday	13.77	6.57	6.47-6.48	10.95
Thursday	14.15	6.93	6.77-6.79	11.48
Friday	13.99	7.10	7.20-7.22	12.25
<u>St. Louis</u>				
Monday	13.56-13.58	7.35	6.71-6.75	11.12
Tuesday	13.61-13.64	7.55	6.69-6.74	11.14
Wednesday	13.70-13.74	7.45	6.60-6.66	11.00
Thursday	14.02-14.07	7.78	6.91-6.92	11.41
Friday	13.84-13.92	7.74	7.36-7.40	12.71
<u>Central</u>				
Monday	13.18-13.34	6.57-6.61	6.44-6.51	n/a
Tuesday	13.30-13.47	6.68-6.73	6.45-6.52	n/a
Wednesday	13.40-13.57	6.58-6.63	6.36-6.43	n/a
Thursday	13.78-13.95	6.63-6.99	6.67-6.83	n/a
Friday	13.62-13.79	6.60-6.96	6.99-7.06	n/a
<u>S.E. MO</u>				
Monday	13.45-13.46	7.43-7.49	6.51-6.66	9.58-10.89
Tuesday	13.45-13.57	7.59-7.61	6.51-6.67	9.64-10.92
Wednesday	13.52-13.65	7.43-7.51	6.43-6.55	9.55-10.50
Thursday	13.90-13.98	7.80-7.86	6.73-6.87	10.00-11.03
Friday	13.79-13.81	7.69-7.81	7.26-7.32	10.21-11.85

(PRICES PER BU. EXCEPT GR. SORG. PER CWT)  
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**Missouri Weekly Hay Summary Week ending 4/01/11**

(All prices fob. and per ton unless specified and on most recent reported sales prices listed as round bales based generally on 5x6 bales with weights of approximately 1200-1500 lbs) Supreme quality Alfalfa (RFV>185) 150.00-170.00 Premium quality Alfalfa (RFV170-180) 140.00-160.00 Fair to Good quality Alfalfa (RFV130-170) large round bales 75.00-120.00 Small, Large squares 90.00-140.00 Good quality mixed Alfalfa and grass small square bales 3.50-5.00 per bale; 30.00-60.00 per large round bale. Good to Premium quality Prairie hay mostly small squares 80.00-120.00 Fair to good quality Prairie hay mostly large round bales 35.00-75.00 Good to Premium quality Brome 90.00-150.00 Good quality Brome 60.00-120.00 Fair quality Brome some mixed with grass 25.00-50.00 per large round bale Good to Premium Mixed Grass hay 60.00-100.00 Good quality Mixed Grass hay 40.00-70.00 Fair to Good quality Mixed Grass hay 20.00-40.00 per large round bale Good quality Bermuda grass 80.00-120.00 a ton Premium to Supreme Quality Timothy 5.00-6.50 per small square bale Good quality Timothy Hay 3.50-5.00 per small square bale Wheat straw 2.00-5.00 per bale

**Missouri** farmers reported their planting intentions for the upcoming growing season in an annual survey conducted by the Missouri Agricultural Statistics Service. "Missouri's farmers are responding to prices and expect to plant more corn and soybean acres than last year," said Gene Danekas, Director, Missouri Agricultural Statistics. "Furthermore, they intend for cotton and wheat acreages to near normal acreage levels while sorghum acreage would be the lowest on record." **Corn** acreage planted by **Missouri** farmers is expected to be 3.30 million acres in 2011, up 5 percent from the 3.15 million acres planted for all purposes last year and 10 percent more than the 2009 level. This is the highest planted acreage since 2007 and the second largest since 1971. **Soybean** planted acres in **Missouri** are expected to total 5.30 million acres, 3 percent above last year's but down 1 percent from 2009. **Sorghum** is expected to be planted on 40,000 acres in **Missouri**, down 20 percent from 2009 and 56 percent less than acres planted in 2008. If realized, this would be the smallest acreage since records began in 1929. **Winter wheat** plantings in **Missouri** are estimated at 830,000 acres, up 125 percent from 2010 and 11 percent above the December forecast. **Hay** is expected to be harvested from 3.80 million acres in **Missouri**, a decrease of 1 percent from last year and 2 percent below 2009.