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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 29,893 Week ago: 35,360 Year ago: 37,757
 Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh) Hols. Large 3

Fdr. STEERS:		Fdr. HEIFERS:		Hols. STEERS	
357 lbs.	173.86	366 lbs.	151.67	344 lbs.	121.80
449 lbs.	162.45	449 lbs.	145.20	452 lbs.	120.05
549 lbs.	153.19	539 lbs.	139.30	550 lbs.	115.74
640 lbs.	142.51	652 lbs.	130.58	677 lbs.	109.24
750 lbs.	133.26	756 lbs.	122.64	761 lbs.	103.01
844 lbs.	126.99	845 lbs.	118.85	886 lbs.	99.98
940 lbs.	118.30	924 lbs.	110.12	966 lbs.	103.10

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (West Plains)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 2500 Week ago: 2733 Year ago: 3830
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 775 Week Ago: 700 Year Ago: 1083
 Compared to last week, steers 3.00-6.00 lower some 450-550 lbs steady to 2.00 lower, heifers under 500 lbs sold steady to 3.00 lower over 500 lbs mostly steady. Slaughter cows steady to 3.00 lower. Slaughter bulls steady to firm.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	162.00-180.00	300-400 lbs.	145.00-153.00
400-500 lbs.	154.00-170.00	400-500 lbs.	136.00-147.00
500-550 lbs.	148.00-159.00	500-600 lbs.	129.00-143.50
550-600 lbs.	138.00-148.00	600-700 lbs.	120.00-129.50
600-700 lbs.	132.00-141.00	Pkg 824 lbs.	117.50
750-800 lbs.	123.00-124.00		

Holsteins	SLAUGHTER COWS:
Large 3	Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 68.00-76.00, high dressing 75.00-81.50, Lean (85-90%) 60.00-68.00, low dressing 48.00-55.00
Few 425-550 lbs.	114.00-116.00
Pkg 772 lbs.	100.00
2 pot loads 753 lbs.	108.00
61 head 899 lbs.	102.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS:	REPLACEMENT COWS:
Yield	Medium and Large 1-2 4-6 few
Grade 1-2 1400-2200 lbs 85.00-90.50, couple high dressing 100.00-103.00, few low dressing 75.00-80.00	7 yrs 1030-1200 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 935.00-1125.00 per head, small pkg Large 1 6-7 yrs blk 1375 lbs 3rd stage 1175.00, some 4-6 yrs blk 925-1090 lbs 1st stage 850.00 to mostly 900.00. Several singles 2 yrs to short-solid mouth 865-1150 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 850.00-975.00 per head.
COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 few scattered 5-7 yrs 950-1190 lbs with babies to 250 lbs calves 1000.00-1110.00 per pair, lot 10 pair 5-7 yrs blk 1100 lbs most bred-back 1st stage with 200-400 lb Char-cross calves 1475.00	

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 6627 Week ago: 8232 Year ago: 9952
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 1885 Week ago: 1838 Year ago: 2252
 Compared to last week, steer and heifer calves steady to 4.00 lower, yearlings steady to 2.00 lower, Holsteins under 600 lbs steady to 4.00 higher, over steady to 2.00 lower, slaughter cows and bulls steady to 2.00 higher.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	167.00-185.00	300-400 lbs.	145.00-158.00
400-500 lbs.	155.00-169.00	400-500 lbs.	137.00-156.00
500-600 lbs.	140.00-159.00	500-600 lbs.	129.50-145.00
600-700 lbs.	136.00-151.00	600-700 lbs.	123.00-135.00
700-800 lbs.	130.00-136.00	700-800 lbs.	114.50-125.00
800-900 lbs.	125.50-127.75	800-900 lbs.	111.00-119.60
Pkg 912 lbs.	123.00	900-1000 lbs.	110.00-110.50

HOLSTEINS:	SLAUGHTER COWS:
Large Frame 3	Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 71.00-79.00 high dressing 77.00-93.00, Lean (85-90%) 59.50-69.00, low dressing 50.00-63.00
300-400 lbs.	113.00-129.00
400-500 lbs.	116.00-124.00
500-600 lbs.	113.50-123.00
600-700 lbs.	101.00-115.50
700-800 lbs.	96.50-109.00
800-900 lbs.	84.00-103.00

REPLACEMENT COWS:	COW & CALF PAIRS:
Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to 6 yrs 900-1375 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 1000.00-1260.00 per head	Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short solid, 1050-1425 lb with baby to 300 lb calves and some cows bred back in 1st and 2nd stage 1150.00-1550.00 per pair.

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 1867 Week ago: 1870 Year ago: 2041
 Compared to last week, steer calves under 450 lbs and heifers under 400 lbs steady to 3.00 higher, heavier calves 2.00-5.00 lower with instances 10.00 lower. Slaughter cows steady-2.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:		FEEDER HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
350-400 lbs.	179.00-183.00	300-400 lbs.	153.00-167.00
400-500 lbs.	160.00-178.00	400-500 lbs.	140.00-156.50
500-600 lbs.	148.25-163.00	500-600 lbs.	132.75-148.50
600-700 lbs.	141.00-150.25	600-700 lbs.	125.50-140.00
700-800 lbs.	133.00-134.50	700-800 lbs.	Scarce
Pkg 820 lbs.	126.60	800-900 lbs.	Scarce
Pkg 910 lbs.	115.60		

SLAUGHTER BULLS:	SLAUGHTER COWS:
Yield	Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 72.00-92.75, high dressing 92.75-95.25, low dressing 79.50
Grade 1-2 1320-1935 lbs 83.50-92.75, high dressing 92.75-95.25, low dressing 79.50	81.25 high dressing 81.00-84.75, Lean 58.00-67.50

BRED COWS:	COW-CALF PAIRS:
Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce	Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce

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WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Kingsville, Sedalia, Butler)

Receipts: 4253 Week Ago: 5118 Year Ago: 5043
 Compared to last week, calves mostly steady to 5.00 lower, yearlings steady to weak. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs. 164.00-179.00
 400-500 lbs. 144.00-170.00
 500-600 lbs. 142.00-163.75
 600-700 lbs. 130.00-152.50
 700-800 lbs. 124.00-137.50
 848-900 lbs. 122.75-123.00
 Load 996 lbs. 117.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs. 142.00-165.50
 400-500 lbs. 128.00-152.00
 500-600 lbs. 122.00-149.75
 600-700 lbs. 118.00-138.00
 700-800 lbs. 114.00-126.50
 800-900 lbs. 110.00-118.00

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 73.00-82.00, High dressing 81.50-89.00, Lean (85-90%) 63.75-72.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1230-2100 lbs, 84.00-95.00; high dressing 95.00-100.50

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville, Macon)

Receipts: 5851 Week ago: 7547 Year ago: 5574
 Compared to last week feeders steady to 5.00 lower. Slaughter cows mostly steady.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

300-400 lbs. 164.00-188.00
 400-500 lbs. 154.00-179.00
 500-600 lbs. 140.00-160.00
 600-700 lbs. 135.00-150.00
 700-800 lbs. 120.00-140.00
 800-900 lbs. 118.00-126.40

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

300-400 lbs. 142.00-163.00
 400-500 lbs. 135.00-155.00
 500-600 lbs. 125.00-149.00
 600-700 lbs. 121.00-136.50
 700-750 lbs. 118.00-123.00

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: few Choice 2-4 113.50-116.75

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 63.00-85.00, high dressing individuals up to 92.00, Lean 54.00-77.00

COWS & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1 Scarce

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1350-2350 lbs 83.00-93.00, high dressing 94.50-105.00

NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 5333 Week ago: 4208 Year ago: 6966
 Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 11 Week ago: 15 Year ago: 20
 Compared to last week, feeder steers 4.00-10.00 lower, heifers steady to 5.00 lower. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 lower. Slaughter steers and heifers not tested.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs. 158.00-180.00
 400-500 lbs. 153.00-175.00
 500-600 lbs. 148.00-162.00
 600-700 lbs. 134.50-152.25
 700-800 lbs. 130.00-140.50
 800-850 lbs. 130.00-132.85

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs. 141.00-163.00
 400-500 lbs. 140.00-161.00
 500-600 lbs. 135.00-151.50
 600-700 lbs. 129.35-141.00
 700-800 lbs. 122.75-128.75
 800-900 lbs. Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 1300-1475 lbs 113.75-116.75

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 73.00-82.00, Low Dressing 65.00-72.50

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1050-1100 lbs 110.00-113.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1350-2150 lbs 88.00-94.50

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 3-6 yrs 1100-1450 lbs with baby to 250 lb calves 1800.00-2150.00 per pair.

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 4 yrs 900-1050 lbs 1st and 2nd stages of preg 1420.00-1460.00; 5-6 yrs 2nd stage of preg 1380.00-1470.00 per head.

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Fruitland, Patton)

Receipts: 1682 Week ago: 1884 Year ago: 1842
 Compared to last week, steers and heifers sold uneven, from 2.00 higher to 4.00 lower. Slaughter cows and bulls sold steady.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs. 149.00-172.00
 400-500 lbs. 140.00-155.00
 500-600 lbs. 132.50-151.00
 600-700 lbs. 122.00-132.50
 700-800 lbs. 122.00-130.00
 800-900 lbs. 108.00-117.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs. 140.00-156.00
 400-500 lbs. 125.25-157.00
 500-600 lbs. 115.00-136.00
 600-700 lbs. 110.00-126.00
 700-800 lbs. 110.00
 800-900 lbs. 104.50-105.50

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 3-7 yrs old, 910-1315 lbs, 2nd and 3rd stage, 930.00-1075.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 70.00-79.00, high dressing 77.00-85.00, Lean 57.00-65.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 few 4-8 yrs old, 990-1320 lbs with 90-240 lbs calves, 1010.00-1400.00 per pair.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 Few 1430-2050 lbs, Bulk 80.50-90.00; High dressing 90.25-95.00

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 2030 Week ago: 2682 Year ago: 3786
 Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers steady to 5.00 lower. Slaughter cows steady to 3.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs. 160.00-178.00
 400-500 lbs. 150.00-170.00
 500-600 lbs. 141.00-156.00
 600-700 lbs. 131.00-142.00
 700-800 lbs. 123.75-133.60
 800-900 lbs. Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs. 140.00-159.00
 400-500 lbs. 135.00-154.00
 500-600 lbs. 128.00-143.00
 600-710 lbs. 121.50-133.50
 700-800 lbs. Scarce
 800-900 lbs. Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 blacks, 2-8 years, 925-1250 lbs, second to third stage 1000.00-1335.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 73.00-81.00, high dressing 80.00-88.00, Lean (85-90%) 64.00-72.00

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

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1200-2100 lbs 89.00-94.75, low dressing 74.00-85.50, high dressing 96.00-100.75

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT

Weekly Receipts: 200 Week ago: 200 Year ago: 200
 Trading inactive to slow. Compared to last week, trade mostly inactive to slow. Few dressed sales are steady to 2.00 lower.

LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS:

Choice 2-3 few 1300 lbs 119.00

DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS:

60-80% Choice few 190.00

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid):

Choice 3 550-950 lbs. few 192.00-194.00

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts: 3707 Week ago: 4857 Year ago: 2955
 Compared to last week's close barrows and gilts steady, sows steady.

BARROWS AND GILTS:

Base carcass meat price 86.00, weeks top Friday 86.00

SOWS:300-500 lbs 45.00-51.00
Over 500 lbs 50.00-54.00

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

Receipts: 6187 Compared last week, weaner pigs steady to firm, no good comparison on feeder pigs. (Price Per Head.) Early weaned pigs: 3780 head FOB the farm 0% negotiated 10 lbs base weights 34.50-41.00 weighted average 38.79 Delivered 0% negotiated 10 lbs base weights 2000 head 42.00 Feeder Pigs in all lot sizes Delivered 100% negotiated 405 head 40 lbs 72.00.

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

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	331.40	277.50	395.00	184.50
St. Louis	372.50	280.00	427.50	171.00

Midwest Exchange Sheep and Goat Market 4/22/11

Receipts: 348 Week Ago: 778 Year Ago: 209
Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice 2-3 few 45-75 lbs 184.00-212.00, few pkg 98 lbs 192.00. Good 2-3 40-80 lbs 152.00-178.00, 90-115 lbs 150.00-176.00. Feeder Lambs 30-35 lbs 144.00-154.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 1-3 105-225 lbs 50.00-73.00. Slaughter Bucks 110-200 lbs 60.00-79.00. **Goats:** Slaughter Kids: Selection 1-2 35-65 lbs 184.00-206.00. Selection 2-3 35-80 lbs 130.00-180.00. Nannies Selection 1-2 70-130 lbs 70.00-79.00. Selection 2-3 102-165 lbs 52.00-66.00. Billies: Selection 1-2 60-130 lbs 71.00-80.00. (All classes sold per cwt)

Norwood—Producers Auction Yards Special Dairy Sale 04/14/11

Receipts: 1925 Month Ago: 1202 Year Ago: 1406
 Springer Heifers bred seven to nine months: Supreme 1325.00-1510.00, Approved 1125.00-1375.00, Crossbreds 1075.00-1250.00. Medium 900.00-1175.00, Crossbreds 800.00-1025.00, Jerseys 700.00-900.00. Common 600.00-925.00, Crossbreds 400.00-700.00. Bred four to six months: Supreme 1300.00-1500.00, Crossbreds 1175.00-1325.00. Approved 1025.00-1325.00, Crossbreds 1000.00-1175.00, Jerseys 990.00-1135.00. Medium 775.00-1050.00, Crossbreds 750.00-1000.00, Jerseys 850.00-900.00. Common 625.00-910.00, Crossbreds 410.00-675.00. Open Heifers Approved 300-400 lbs 500.00-585.00; 400-500 lbs 600.00-695.00, Crossbreds 500.00-610.00, Jerseys 670.00-760.00; 500-600 lbs 700.00-750.00; 600-700 750.00-850.00, Crossbreds 675.00-750.00; 700-800 lbs 850.00-950.00. Replacement Cows: fresh Approved 1200.00-1400.00, Crossbreds 1325.00-1350.00; Medium 975.00-1200.00, Crossbreds 850.00-1225.00; Common 700.00-1000.00, Crossbreds 725.00-925.00. Baby Calves: Holstein heifers 130.00-220.00. Crossbreds heifers 175.00-225.00, small 110.00-160.00. Holstein bulls 110.00-180.00, small 65.00-125.00. Crossbred bulls 100.00-165.00, small 75.00-85.00. Jersey bulls 40.00-65.00.

Diamond—TS Whites Sheep and Goat Sale (04/07/11)

Receipts: 1500 Last month: 1042 Year ago: 1845
Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice 1-3 woolled 40-50 lbs 215.00-250.00; 50-60 lbs 155.00-215.00; 60-70 lbs 162.50-220.00; 70-80 lbs 185.00-222.00; 90-100 lbs 165.00-170.00, hair 40-50 lbs 200.00-210.00; 50-60 lbs 195.00-212.50; 60-70 lbs 175.00-220.00; 70-80 lbs 165.00-215.00; 80-100 lbs 170.00-185.00; 105-150 lbs 140.00-180.00. Feeder Lambs: hair 30-40 lbs 205.00-250.00. Slaughter Ewes: woolled 123-195 lbs 61.00-85.00; hair 63-190 lbs 70.00-110.00. Slaughter Bucks: woolled 175-230 lbs 52.50-72.50, hair 110-120 lbs 80.00-125.00. Replacement Ewes: woolled 130-145 lbs 83.00-101.00. **Goats:** Kids: Selection 1 40-50 lbs 215.00-260.00; 50-60 lbs 20.00-265.00; 60-70 lbs 220.00-245.00; 70-80 lbs 200.00-235.00. Selection 2 40-50 lbs 190.00-220.00; 50-60 lbs 215.00-230.00; 60-70 lbs 180.00-190.00; 70-80 lbs 180.00-205.00; 80-90 lbs 167.50-185.00. Slaughter Does/Nannies: Selection 1-2 80-145 lbs 60.00-110.00; young nannies 60-115 lbs 105.00-145.00. Selection 3 Dairy 64-185 lbs 50.00-115.00. Slaughter Billies: Selection 1 155-240 lbs 90.00-95.00. Selection 2 83-180 lbs 80.00-100.00 Selection 3 60-185 lbs 67.50-115.00; Pygmy Billies 43-150 lbs 90.00-140.00. Replacement Nannies: Selection 1-2 80-170 lbs 75.00-125.00, young nannies 56-100 lbs 145.00-166.00. Selection 3 80-113 lbs 100.00-160.00. Stocker/Feeder Kids: Selection 2 20-40 lbs 190.00-250.00; 40-50 lbs 180.00-245.00 all prices per cwt.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .43 to .50 higher, Wheat .54 to .67 higher, Corn May and Jul .05 lower, others .03 to .09 higher, KC Wheat .67 to .69 higher, SB Meal 13.20 to 13.60 higher.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
May	1344 1/4	1342	1357 3/4	1380 1/2	Holiday
Jul	1355 3/4	1354	1369 1/4	1389 3/4	
Aug	1356 3/4	1357 1/2	1371 1/4	1389 1/2	
Sep	1352 3/4	1355	1368 1/2	1385 1/4	
Nov	1349 1/4	1354	1366	1382 1/2	
Wheat					
May	775	785 3/4	785	799 1/2	Holiday
Jul	810 3/4	821	820 3/4	834 3/4	
Sep	846 3/4	858 3/4	859 3/4	875	
Dec	876 1/2	892 3/4	896 1/4	911 1/4	
Mar	899 1/2	918 3/4	924 3/4	937 3/4	
Corn					
May	751 3/4	749	732 3/4	737 1/4	Holiday
Jul	759 1/2	757	740 1/2	744 1/2	
Sep	712	715 1/2	697 1/4	704 1/4	
Dec	668 1/4	676	655 1/2	665 1/2	
Mar	676 1/2	684 1/4	663 1/4	673 1/4	
KC Wheat	896				
May	906 1/2	926	920	932 1/2	Holiday
Jul	920	936 3/4	930 3/4	943	
Sep	936 3/4	950 3/4	945	958 1/4	
Dec	946 3/4	969 3/4	964 1/4	976 3/4	
Mar	936 3/4	980	974 3/4	988 1/4	
SB Meal					
May	347.80	346.40	349.20	358.80	Holiday
Jul	353.20	351.90	354.60	363.90	
Aug	354.70	353.60	355.90	365.20	
Sep	353.80	353.50	355.30	364.30	
Oct	350.40	351.70	353.00	361.40	

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle unch to .58 lower except Apr 1.00 higher, Lean Hogs .37 to 1.10 lower, Pork Bellies unch to .60 higher, Feeder Cattle uneven from .53 lower to 1.30 higher.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Apr	118.17	119.25	119.00	118.40	Holiday
Jun	115.80	117.17	116.50	115.22	
Aug	117.30	118.17	117.70	116.67	
Oct	122.15	122.97	122.50	121.47	
Dec	123.32	123.97	123.62	122.87	
Lean Hogs					
May	102.60	103.02	102.90	102.05	Holiday
Jun	101.27	102.02	101.40	100.05	
Jul	101.12	101.72	101.17	100.32	
Aug	101.55	101.90	101.27	100.25	
Oct	92.25	92.82	92.85	92.05	
Prk Bel					
May	126.50	126.50	126.50	126.50	Holiday
Jul	121.00	121.00	121.00	121.00	
Aug	106.50	106.50	106.50	106.50	
Feb	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00	
Mar	120.50	120.50	120.50	120.50	
Fdr Cat					
Apr	132.62	132.85	132.70	132.27	Holiday
May	133.22	134.47	134.30	132.97	
Aug	136.87	138.22	138.47	136.95	
Sep	137.25	138.92	139.07	138.10	
Oct	137.32	139.00	138.85	138.20	
Milk					
Apr	16.74	16.74	16.74	16.80	Holiday
May	16.35	16.36	16.36	16.27	
Jun	16.93	16.97	16.97	16.88	

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .53 to .59 higher
 Wheat .49 to .56 higher
 Corn unchanged to .09 lower
 Grain Sorghum .07 to .09 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
<u>Kansas City</u>				
Monday	13.74	7.25	7.40-7.47	12.63
Tuesday	13.67	7.36	7.34-7.37	12.57
Wednesday	13.93	7.35	7.18-7.21	12.29
Thursday	14.16	7.50	7.22-7.25	12.36
Friday	Holiday	Holiday	Holiday	Holiday
<u>St. Louis</u>				
Monday	13.56-13.60	7.81	7.62-7.64	12.33
Tuesday	13.55-13.61	7.88	7.60-7.61	12.26
Wednesday	13.72-13.77	7.84	7.42-7.45	11.82
Thursday	13.98-14.04	7.99	7.52-7.53	11.94
Friday	Holiday	Holiday	Holiday	Holiday
<u>Central</u>				
Monday	13.24-13.44	7.06-7.11	7.24-7.32	n/a
Tuesday	13.22-13.42	7.16-7.21	7.21-7.29	n/a
Wednesday	13.38-13.58	7.16-7.21	7.05-7.13	n/a
Thursday	13.60-13.86	7.30-7.35	7.09-7.17	n/a
Friday	Holiday	Holiday	Holiday	n/a
<u>S.E. MO</u>				
Monday	13.49-13.56	7.80-7.86	7.44-7.58	11.94
Tuesday	13.50-13.55	7.94-8.00	7.42-7.55	11.08-11.89
Wednesday	13.66-13.73	7.96-8.00	7.25-7.41	10.71-11.62
Thursday	13.92-13.95	8.10-8.14	7.32-7.47	10.89-11.69
Friday	Holiday	Holiday	Holiday	Holiday

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

Crop Progress and Condition Week Ending April 17, 2011
Agricultural Summary Spring is in the air with warm temperatures one day and cool temperatures the next. Rain, hail, wind, and overcast conditions allowed only 3.4 **days suitable for fieldwork**. The west-central district fared best with 4.4 days suitable for fieldwork compared to the southeast district with 1.4 days. Rainy conditions increased **topsoil moisture** supply to 2 percent rated short, 73 percent rated adequate, and 25 percent rated surplus. Although the south-central district topsoil moisture continued to be the driest, 2.18 inches of rain greatly improved pasture conditions and increased the topsoil moisture rating to 1 percent very short, 12 percent short, 78 percent adequate, and 9 percent surplus. **Spring tillage** continued with 47 percent complete, 4 days ahead of average but about the same as last year. **Field Crops Report** Corn planting was 26 percent complete, 10 points behind 2010, and 2 points ahead of normal. The west-central district led the pack with 47 percent complete, but heavy rain and low-elevation flooding may necessitate some replanting. The east-central district made little progress with corn planting rated 8 percent complete. Continued rain in the southeast prevented **rice** planting, so only 7 percent was complete. The **winter wheat** condition held steady from last week with 3 percent rated poor, 26 percent fair, 59 percent good, and 12 percent excellent. Winter wheat heading was 1 percent complete. **Pasture & Livestock Pasture** condition improved slightly to 1 percent very poor, 10 percent poor, 41 percent fair, 41 percent good, and 7 percent excellent. The south-west district fared best with 78 percent in the good and excellent categories. Pasture conditions were poorest in the north-central district due to continued cool temperatures and overcast skies, rating 1 percent very poor, 6 percent poor, 61 percent fair, 28 percent good, and 4 percent excellent. **Weather Summary** Precipitation averaged 1.62 inches state-wide with the southeast district averaging 2.38 inches and the northeast district 0.88 of an inch. Although **temperatures** were 1 to 2 degrees above average, overcast conditions slowed fieldwork.