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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 10,609 Week ago: 13,231 Year ago: 26,748
 Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh) Hols. Large 3

<u>Fdr. STEERS:</u>		<u>Fdr. HEIFERS:</u>		<u>Hols. STEERS</u>	
349 lbs.	155.87	374 lbs.	135.91	352 lbs.	103.51
453 lbs.	150.34	456 lbs.	131.58	452 lbs.	100.29
554 lbs.	141.18	551 lbs.	127.71	584 lbs.	96.26
650 lbs.	137.81	661 lbs.	125.32	631 lbs.	99.90
778 lbs.	135.08	726 lbs.	121.37	857 lbs.	89.63
841 lbs.	134.47	860 lbs.	115.13		
911 lbs.	127.28	912 lbs.	105.55		

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (West Plains)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 1268 Week ago: 1916 Year ago: 2000
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 500 Week Ago: 458 Year Ago: 204
 Compared to last week, Steers 400-600 lbs. 2.00 lower, 600-700 lbs. 2.00-5.00 higher. Heifers 400-600 lbs. 2.00-4.00 lower, 600-700 lbs. 2.00-6.00 higher. Slaughter cows weak to mostly 2.00 lower. Bulls steady to 1.00 lower.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs	139.00-155.00	300-350 lbs.	122.50-125.00
450-500 lbs	140.00-146.00	400-500 lbs.	124.00-135.00
500-600 lbs.	133.50-141.00	500-600 lbs.	117.00-124.00
600-700 lbs.	126.50-139.00	600-700 lbs.	116.00-122.00

<u>Holsteins</u>	<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>
Large 3	Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 61.50-70.50, high dressing 70.00-72.50, low dressing 58.50-63.00. Lean (85-90%) 57.00-65.50, low dressing 45.60-54.00.
Pkg 285 lbs.	115.00
Lot 324 lbs.	117.50
Pkg 605 lbs.	97.00
Pkg 838 lbs.	90.00

<u>SLAUGHTER BULLS:</u>	<u>REPLACEMENT COWS:</u>
Yield Grade 1-2 1200-2235 lbs, 80.00-85.00, few low dressing 75.00-80.00.	Medium and Large 1-2 limited 2-6 yrs 1000-1200 lbs. mostly 2nd stage 800.00-1050.00 per head, 3-6 yrs. 1100 lbs. 1st stage 975.00, pkg 7 yrs to short and solid mouth 1078 lbs. 1st stage 750.00; Medium 2 2-7 yrs 825-1025 lbs. 2nd-3rd stage 700.00-800.00, 2-4 yrs 815-830 lbs 1st stage 700.00-775.00.
<u>COW & CALF PAIRS:</u> Medium and Large 1-2 few 2 yrs to short and solid mouth 950-1200 lbs. with babies to 300 lbs. calves 1025.00-1350.00 per pair	

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 4343 Week ago: 3983 Year ago: 4670
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 1021 Week ago: 1525 Year ago: 870
 Compared to last week steer and heifer calves 3.00 to 7.00 lower, yearlings steady to 3.00 lower. Slaughter cows and bulls sold steady to 1.00 lower.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
400-500 lbs.	137.00-148.00	300-400 lbs.	130.00-132.00
500-600 lbs.	126.00-142.50	400-500 lbs.	124.00-134.00
600-700 lbs.	130.00-137.50	500-600 lbs.	120.00-131.00
700-800 lbs.	128.50-133.00	600-700 lbs.	118.00-127.75
900-1000 lbs.	122.50	700-800 lbs.	118.50-125.00
		800-900 lbs	104.00-118.50
		900-1000 lbs.	100.00-108.00

<u>HOLSTEINS:</u>	<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>
Large Frame 3	Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 59.00-69.00, high dressing 65.50-76.50. Lean (85-90%) 45.50-59.00, low dressing 37.50-51.00.
300-400 lbs.	85.00-114.00
400-500 lbs.	94.50-107.00
500-600 lbs.	95.00-97.50
600-700 lbs.	86.00-103.25
900-1000 lbs.	88.00-90.00
<u>REPLACEMENT COWS:</u>	<u>SLAUGHTER BULLS:</u>
Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid mouth 1060-1375 lbs. 2nd-3rd stage 850.00-1075.00, ind. 3rd stage 1300.00 per head.	Yield Grade 1-2 1220-2350 lbs. 74.00-82.50, high dressing 83.00-88.00, low dressing 66.00-73.50.
	<u>COW & CALF PAIRS:</u> Medium and Large 1-2 3-7 yrs. 1000-1425 lbs. with baby to 300 lbs. calves, some rebred 1050.00-1300.00, short and solid to aged with 160-175 lbs calves 850.00-875.00.

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 30 Week ago: 984 Year ago: 578
 Prices are from two weeks ago. Not enough sales for market test due to the extreme heat.

<u>FEEDER STEERS:</u>		<u>FEEDER HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
600-700 lbs.	150.00	700-800 lbs.	121.00
800-900 lbs.	133.00-138.00	800-900 lbs.	115.25
900-1000 lbs.	120.10-125.00		

<u>SLAUGHTER BULLS:</u>	<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>
Yield Grade 1-2 1650-2200 lbs. 77.00-85.00.	Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 63.50-65.50, high dressing 66.50-68.50. Lean (85-90 % lean) 54.00-60.50, low dressing 43.00-50.00.
<u>BRED COWS:</u> Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce	<u>COW-CALF PAIRS:</u> Medium and Large 1 4-7 yrs. Scarce

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WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Kingsville, Sedalia, Butler)

Receipts: 1812 Week Ago: 2173 Year Ago: 1666

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

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs.	144.00-178.00
400-500 lbs.	134.50-163.50
500-600 lbs.	131.00-160.50
600-700 lbs.	127.00-146.50
700-800 lbs.	121.50-137.75
800-900 lbs.	123.25-128.50
Lot 955 lbs.	122.85

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs.	133.00-155.50
400-500 lbs.	123.75-146.00
500-600 lbs.	120.75-143.75
600-700 lbs.	118.00-137.75
700-755 lbs.	122.25-125.00
815-900 lbs.	109.75-116.35

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1265-2185 lbs. 76.50-86.50, high dressing 94.50, low dressing 63.00-72.00.SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 60.00-69.75, high dressing 68.00-76.75. Lean (85-90%) 52.00-61.25, low dressing 55.00-58.25.COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 ScarceREPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce**EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville, Macon)

Receipts: 896 Week ago: 2148 Year ago: 2054

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers poorly tested on very light receipts. Slaughter cows steady to 5.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

350-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	143.00-159.00
500-600 lbs.	134.00-150.00
600-700 lbs.	129.00-134.50
700-800 lbs.	Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

350-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	130.00-143.00
500-600 lbs.	125.00-130.00
600-700 lbs.	121.50-127.50
700-800 lbs.	Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: few Select and Choice 2-4 101.00-110.00.SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 65.00-76.00, high dressing 81.25. Lean (85-90% lean) 55.00-67.00.COWS & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1450-1950 lbs. 74.50-84.50.**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 1548 Week ago: 85 Year ago: 3334

Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 21 Week ago: 24 Year ago: 11

Feeder steers and heifers steady to 5.00 higher. Slaughter cows mixed, 2.00 lower to 2.00 higher. Slaughter steers and heifers steady.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	153.00-177.00
500-600 lbs.	139.75-155.00
600-700 lbs.	140.00-144.50
700-800 lbs.	132.50-137.70
800-900 lbs.	134.00-136.50
Lot 901 lbs.	133.30

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	136.00-140.00
500-600 lbs.	132.00-139.00
600-700 lbs.	127.75-133.50
700-800 lbs.	121.00-126.75

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Select and Choice 2-3 Pkg 1245 lbs. 109.50.SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 63.50-73.25, low dressing 57.50-68.00.SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Select and Choice 2-3 1200-1300 lbs. 104.25-107.00.SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2050 lbs. 74.00-84.00.COW & CALF PAIRS: ScarceREPLACEMENT COWS: Scarce**SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Fruitland, Patton)

Receipts: 368 Week ago: 734 Year ago: 700

Compared to last week, steers and heifers uneven from 1.00 higher to 3.00 lower on a light test. Slaughter cows and bulls 2.00-3.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

250-300 lbs.	140.00-141.00
300-400 lbs.	130.00-144.00
400-500 lbs.	129.00-139.00
500-550 lbs.	127.00-134.00
550-600 lbs.	120.00-125.00
600-700 lbs.	121.00-125.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

250-300 lbs.	126.00
300-350 lbs.	120.00-128.00
400-500 lbs.	121.00-135.00
500-575 lbs.	115.00-129.00
Pkg 635 lbs.	108.50

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium 2 very few 6 yrs. To short and solid mouth 845-995 lbs. 2nd-3rd stage 710.00-790.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 58.50-67.50, high dressing 68.50. Lean (85-90% Lean) 52.00-56.00.COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 7 yrs. To short and solid mouth 965-1085 lbs. with 110-200 lbs. calves 700.00-730.00 per pair.SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1605-2210 78.50-82.50, low dressing 58.00-59.50.**SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 391 Week ago: 1369 Year ago: 779

Compared to last week, steers and heifers 1.00-3.00 lower on a limited market test.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

350-400 lbs.	138.00-146.00
400-500 lbs.	135.00-144.50
500-600 lbs.	125.25-139.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

400-500 lbs.	122.00-131.00
500-550 lbs.	125.00-126.00
600-700 lbs.	117.50-121.50

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 few 5-6 yrs 1400-1500 lbs. 2nd-3rd stage 990.00-1090.00 per head.SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 63.00-69.00. Lean (85-90%) 53.50-60.00, low dressing 49.50.COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1300-1600 lbs. 76.00-79.00, low dressing 62.50.**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

Weekly Receipts: 0 Week ago: 400 Year ago: 200

Trading was inactive as of 8:00 a.m. Friday. No confirmed live sales or dressed sales.

LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS:

No Sales Reported

DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS:

60-80% Choice 174.00-175.00 late last Friday.

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid):

Choice 3 550-950 lbs. few 177.00 late last Friday.

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts: 6387 Week ago: 4305 Year ago: 3956

Compared to last weeks close barrows and gilts are 4.00 to 6.00 higher. Sow cash prices 3.00 to 4.00 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS:

Base carcass meat price 96.00-97.00, weekly top Wed. 98.00.

SOWS:300-500 lbs 54.00-61.00
Over 500 lbs 59.00-65.00

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

Receipts: 6994 Compared to last week, weaner pigs steady to 4.00 higher. No sales reported on feeders. Supply and demand moderate. Price per head. Early weaned pigs 10lb. base weights FOB the farm 0% negotiated 1294 head 10 lbs 34.50-45.00, weighted average price 35.24; Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights delivered 0% negotiated 5700 head 10 lbs 12.00-26.00 weighted average price 22.31. Feeder pigs all lot sizes FOB or Delivered, 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	348.60	365.00	360.00	207.50
St. Louis	381.00	347.50	372.50	195.00

Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards Mexico 07/28/2011

Receipts: 576 Last Week: 323 Last Year: 371

SHEEP: 425 head Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime shorn and woolled 65-125 lbs. 166.00-179.00, lot 52 lbs. 185.00; Pkgs Choice 78-108 lbs. 158.00-168.00. Feeder Lambs: Small and Medium 1-2 45-60 lbs. 156.00-166.00, Hair lambs 45-60 lbs. 142.00-152.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 120-190 lbs. 61.00-78.00, mostly 66.00-76.00, Replacement 72.00-76.00. Slaughter Bucks: few Hair 215-235 lbs. 58.00-68.00.
GOATS: 151 head Slaughter Kids: Selection 1-2 55-65 lbs. 170.00-175.00, 70-80 lbs. 142.00-158.00, 80-100 lbs. 120.00-142.00; Selection 2 50-70 lbs. 164.00-169.00. Nannies: Selection 1-2 125 lbs 70.00, replacement 110-140 lbs. 74.00-82.00. All prices per hundred weight.

Springfield Livestock Marketing Center Dairy Sale 07/26/2011

Receipts: 500 Last Special: 701 Year ago: 410

Springer Heifers: bred seven to nine months: Supreme: 1330.00-1510.00. Approved: 1050.00-1325.00, Crossbreds 900.00-1020.00. Medium: 775.00-990.00, Crossbreds 700.00-850.00. Common: 525.00-830.00, Crossbreds 550.00-620.00. Heifers bred three to six months: Supreme: 1375.00-1460.00, Reg Swiss 1400.00-1850.00. Approved: 1000.00-1300.00, Crossbreds 885.00-1030.00. Medium: 775.00-975.00. Open Heifers: Supreme Ind Reg Swiss 1165 lbs. 1300.00. Approved: 400-500 lbs. 515.00-640.00, Jerseys 700.00; 500-600 lbs. 640.00, Crossbreds 610.00-670.00; pkg 611 lbs. 770.00; 700-750 lbs. 940.00, crossbreds 760.00-790.00; 800-900 lbs. 940.00-1020.00. Replacement Cows: Fresh Heifers and Cows: Supreme ind 1475.00. Approved: 1120.00-1325.00, ind Crossbred 1200.00. Medium: 825.00-985.00, ind Jersey 650.00. Baby Calves: Holstein heifers: 160.00-290.00. Crossbred heifers: small 55.00-65.00. Holstein bulls: 60.00-130.00, small 50.00-70.00. Crossbred bulls: 110.00-130.00, ind 75.00. Jersey bulls: 70.00-100.00.

**Koshkonong-Oregon County Goat and Sheep Market
Monthly Sheep and Goat Auction 07/30/2011**

Receipts: 487 Last Month: 486 Year Ago: 428

Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 1-3 hair 80 lbs. and under 130.00-140.00, 80-110 lbs. 130.00, 110-140 lbs. wool 110.00; Good and Choice 1-2 under 80 lbs. 120.00. Feeder/Stocker Lambs: Scarce. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 1-3 60.00, Cull 1-2 30.00. Slaughter Rams: Aged Rams 50.00. **Goats:** Slaughter Classes: Kids: Selection 1: 45-60 lbs. 150.00, 61-80 lbs. 135.00. Selection 2: 45-60 lbs. 120.00; Selection 1-2: 81 lbs. and over 70.00-75.00. Selection 3: 45-60 lbs. 110.00. Stocker/Feeder Kids: Selection 1-2: 20-40 lbs. 110.00. Slaughter does/nannies: Selection 1-2 65.00, over 120 lbs. 50.00; Selection 3 50.00; Yearling Does any grade 70.00. Slaughter Bucks: Selection 1-2 70.00; yearling bucks any grade 80.00; Aged Wethers 100 lbs. and over any grade 50.00. All prices per cwt unless noted.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .20 to .23 lower, Wheat .07 to .14 higher, Corn .28 to .35 higher, KC Wheat .10 to .13 higher, SB Meal 6.10 to 6.50 lower.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
Aug	1358 3/4	1373	1364	1339 1/4	1331 1/2
Sep	1353 1/4	1370	1363 3/4	1336 1/4	1325
Nov	1362	1379 3/4	1373	1345 1/4	1336
Jan	1373	1390 1/4	1383 1/2	1356 1/4	1347 1/4
Mar	1380	1396 1/4	1389 3/4	1363 1/2	1354
Wheat					
Sep	676 1/2	718	710 1/2	681 3/4	679
Dec	720 3/4	758 3/4	750	725 1/2	723
Mar	751 3/4	788	780	757 1/2	760 1/4
May	770 1/4	805 3/4	795 3/4	772 1/2	776 1/2
Jul	784 1/4	818	807 1/4	782 3/4	784 3/4
Corn					
Sep	681 1/4	711 1/4	706	693 3/4	693
Dec	685 3/4	715 3/4	713	701 1/2	703
Mar	698 1/2	727 1/4	725 1/2	714 1/4	716
May	704 1/2	731 3/4	730	718 3/4	721
Jul	709	735 1/4	733 3/4	722 1/4	724
KC Wheat					
Sep	771 1/4	808	798	771	780 1/4
Dec	797 1/4	833 1/2	822 1/4	796	803 1/2
Mar	811 1/4	848	836 1/4	810 1/2	818
May	815 1/4	853	840 3/4	814 1/2	824 3/4
Jul	814 3/4	852	838 1/4	813 1/2	821 3/4
SB Meal					
Aug	352.70	357.20	353.00	347.60	345.20
Sep	354.30	359.10	355.20	349.40	346.90
Oct	356.10	361.00	357.30	351.50	348.60
Dec	360.00	365.20	361.60	355.70	352.50
Jan	362.00	367.20	363.50	357.70	354.60

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle .60 to 1.50 higher, Lean Hogs .23 to 2.15 higher except October .55 lower, Pork Bellies unchanged, Feeder Cattle 2.00 to 3.65 lower.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Aug	113.30	112.55	113.12	112.65	114.12
Oct	117.80	118.05	118.27	117.67	118.60
Dec	120.77	120.70	121.02	120.10	120.70
Feb	123.80	123.80	123.77	123.05	123.80
Apr	126.10	126.30	126.12	124.90	125.80
Lean Hogs					
Aug	103.10	103.80	104.65	105.55	104.92
Oct	93.00	92.67	92.25	92.75	91.85
Dec	89.25	89.45	89.32	89.30	88.75
Feb	91.15	91.15	91.37	91.40	91.25
Apr	92.55	92.45	92.92	92.82	93.02
Prk Bel					
Jul	121.00	121.00	121.00	121.00	121.00
Aug	106.50	106.50	106.50	106.50	106.50
Feb	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00
Mar	120.50	120.50	120.50	120.50	120.50
May	121.50	121.50	121.50	121.50	121.50
Fdr Cat					
Aug	136.82	135.00	134.35	133.15	133.70
Sep	138.72	136.60	135.47	134.40	134.97
Oct	140.07	138.17	136.72	135.52	136.30
Nov	140.67	139.00	137.52	136.45	137.27
Jan	140.80	139.30	138.10	137.32	138.20
Milk					
Aug	21.50	21.43	21.45	21.45	21.50
Sep	20.80	20.42	20.31	20.14	20.35
Oct	19.89	19.61	19.53	19.27	19.25

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .12 to .34 lower
 Wheat .01 to .06 higher
 Corn .07 to .29 higher
 Grain Sorghum .16 to .41 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City				
Monday	13.76	6.77	7.16-7.21	12.50
Tuesday	13.94	7.13-7.18	7.41-7.46	13.04
Wednesday	13.87	7.06-7.11	7.36-7.41	12.82
Thursday	13.59	6.77-6.82	7.29	12.63
Friday	13.50	6.74-6.79	7.13	12.64
St. Louis				
Monday	13.76-13.88	6.72	7.17-7.23	12.23
Tuesday	13.86-14.02	6.94	7.50-7.51	12.50
Wednesday	13.81-13.84	6.85	7.44-7.47	12.41
Thursday	13.54-13.55	6.57	7.34-7.36	12.07
Friday	13.48-13.50	6.69	7.33	12.08
Central				
Monday	13.34-13.42	6.57-6.67	7.26-7.31	n/a
Tuesday	13.55-13.60	6.98-7.08	7.46-7.58	n/a
Wednesday	13.48-13.53	7.01	7.36-7.53	n/a
Thursday	13.11-13.25	6.62-6.72	7.11-7.14	n/a
Friday	13.10-13.16	6.69	7.10-7.13	n/a
S.E. MO				
Monday	13.28-13.48	6.62-6.73	6.73-6.94	11.71-12.14
Tuesday	13.65-13.70	6.68-6.90	7.05-7.24	11.26-12.67
Wednesday	13.58-13.63	6.60-6.68	6.94-7.19	12.10-12.62
Thursday	13.29-13.39	6.34-6.40	6.87-7.09	12.44
Friday	13.20-13.35	6.29-6.37	6.86-7.18	12.01-12.46

(PRICES PER BU. EXCEPT GR. SORG. PER CWT)

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Week Ending July 31, 2011 Agricultural Summary Spotty precipitation provided little relief as high temperatures baked the state, drying crops and pastures. There were 6.3 **days suitable for fieldwork** statewide. Although **topsoil moisture** improved 2 points from last week in the adequate category to 31 percent very short, 38 percent short, 29 percent adequate, and 2 percent surplus, this was hardly enough to improve or halt declining conditions for corn, soybeans, sorghum, and pastures. Topsoil moisture in 7 of the 9 crop districts was greater than 75 percent short and very short. **Field Crops Report** **Corn** silked and beyond was 92 percent, 1 day ahead of last year, and 2 days ahead of normal (5-year historic average). Corn in the dough stage and beyond was 47 percent, 2 days behind last year, but 1 day ahead of normal. Corn dented was 12 percent, 2 days ahead of last year, and 1 day ahead of normal. Corn condition was 13 percent very poor, 15 percent poor, 26 percent fair, 38 percent good, and 8 percent excellent. The southwest district suffered from the continued heat reporting 84 percent very poor which is defined as extreme degree of loss to yield potential, complete or near crop failure. **Soybeans** blooming and beyond were 66 percent, 1 day ahead of last year, and 3 days ahead of normal. Soybeans setting pods and beyond were 26 percent, 1 day behind last year, but 1 day ahead of normal. Soybean condition was 5 percent very poor, 14 percent poor, 34 percent fair, 40 percent good, and 7 percent excellent. Soybean condition in the southwest district was 91 percent poor defined as heavy degree of loss of yield potential. **Sorghum** headed and beyond was 29 percent, 11 days behind last year, and 10 days behind normal. Sorghum turning color and beyond was 2 percent, 15 days behind last year, and 11 days behind normal. Sorghum condition was 1 percent very poor, 10 percent poor, 49 percent fair, 38 percent good, and 2 percent excellent. **Alfalfa hay** 2nd cutting was 96 percent complete, 13 days ahead of last year, and 10 days ahead of normal. Alfalfa hay 3rd cutting was 35 percent done, 1 day behind last year, but 3 days ahead of normal. **Other hay** cut moved 1 point from last week to 95 percent complete, 1 week ahead of last year, and 6 days ahead of normal. **Pasture & Livestock** **Pasture condition** continued to decline with 12 percent very poor, 28 percent poor, 37 percent fair, 22 percent good, and 1 percent excellent. **Hay and other roughage supply** was 5 percent very short, 23 percent short, 69 percent adequate, and 3 percent surplus. Some producers in the west-central, central, southwest, and south-central districts started to feed hay **Weather Summary** Precipitation averaged 0.66 of an inch statewide although Andrew and Livingston Counties received more than 3 inches. **Temperatures** were 3 to 4 degrees above average in the southeast district with the rest of the state 6 to 10 degrees above normal.