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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 19,557 Week ago: 10,609 Year ago: 16,300
 Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh) Hols. Large 3

<u>Fdr. STEERS:</u>		<u>Fdr. HEIFERS:</u>		<u>Hols. STEERS</u>	
357 lbs.	160.54	357 lbs.	142.32	250 lbs.	115.26
460 lbs.	154.41	461 lbs.	137.18	454 lbs.	98.13
550 lbs.	146.16	550 lbs.	133.29	536 lbs.	101.74
651 lbs.	141.63	653 lbs.	131.89	663 lbs.	98.46
747 lbs.	135.74	734 lbs.	128.92	750 lbs.	96.43
843 lbs.	130.44	828 lbs.	118.66	836 lbs.	96.27
933 lbs.	123.72	907 lbs.	116.41	956 lbs.	90.44

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (West Plains)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 2700 Week ago: 1268 Year ago: 2950
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 529 Week Ago: 468 Year Ago: 251
 Compared to last week, steers under 700 lbs 2.00 to 4.00 higher, heifers under 650 lbs 2.00 to 6.00 higher. Steers over 700 lbs and heifers over 650 lbs steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls firm to mostly 2.00 higher.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
400-500 lbs	139.00-145.00	400-500 lbs.	130.50-140.00
500-600 lbs.	139.00-147.50	500-600 lbs.	127.00-133.00
600-650 lbs.	137.00-144.50	600-700 lbs.	119.00-132.00
650-700 lbs.	133.50-139.50		

<u>Holsteins</u>	<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>
Large 3	Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 68.00-72.50, high dressing 72.50-75.00, low dressing 58.50-63.00. Lean (85-90%) 57.00-65.50, low dressing 45.60-54.00.
Pkg 322 lbs.	107.50
Lot 437lbs.	99.00
Pkg 908 lbs.	90.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2145 lbs 82.50-88.00, high dressing 91.00, low dressing 72.50-77.50.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-7 yrs 900-1200 lbs. some bred back with babies to 350 lbs calves 1125.00-1275.00 per pair, pkg 5 yrs 900 lbs with 150 lbs calves 1375.00 per pair.

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-6 yrs 975-1370 lbs. 2nd-3rd stage 950.00-1125.00 per head. 3-5 yrs 950-1150 lbs. open or un-checked 68.00-77.00 per cwt, few heifers and heiferettes 1-3 yrs 930-1100 lbs. 92.00-97.00.

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SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 3853 Week ago: 4343 Year ago: 4811
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 1104 Week ago: 1021 Year ago: 1252
 Compared to last week steers under 700 lbs, and heifers under 600 lbs 1.00 to 5.00 higher, steers over 700 lbs and heifers over 600 lbs steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls sold 1.00 to 3.00 higher.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	155.00-162.50	300-400 lbs.	135.00-142.00
400-500 lbs.	140.50-157.50	400-500 lbs.	124.00-137.00
500-600 lbs.	131.00-150.00	500-600 lbs.	123.00-134.50
600-700 lbs.	134.00-144.00	600-700 lbs.	121.00-127.00
700-800 lbs.	130.00-134.50	700-800 lbs.	117.00-124.50
800-900 lbs.	127.50	800-900 lbs	119.00
1000-1100 lbs.	114.50		

<u>HOLSTEINS:</u>	<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>
Large Frame 3	Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 62.00-72.00, high dressing 66.50-78.00. Lean (85-90%) 47.00-62.00, low dressing 42.50-54.00.
200-300 lbs.	110.00-130.00
400-500 lbs.	100.00-103.00
500-600 lbs.	98.00-109.00
600-700 lbs.	99.00-100.00
700-800 lbs.	94.50-100.50
800-900 lbs.	94.00-97.00
900-1000 lbs.	83.00-93.50

<u>REPLACEMENT COWS:</u>	<u>COW & CALF PAIRS:</u>
Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid mouth 2nd-3rd stage 935-1350 lbs. 850.00-1110.00, some high quality 1175.00-1300.00.	Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid mouth 990-1325 lbs. with babies to 400 lbs. calves 1050.00-1250.00, from dispersals 1250.00-1460.00 per pair.

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 2088 Week ago: 83 Year ago: 2206
 No recent comparison as the extreme heat over the last three weeks has held receipts under adequate test levels.

<u>FEEDER STEERS:</u>		<u>FEEDER HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
400-500 lbs.	153.00-170.50	400-500 lbs.	134.25-144.50
500-600 lbs.	144.00-155.50	500-600 lbs.	131.00-138.75
600-700 lbs.	144.00-152.00	600-700 lbs.	129.75-138.60
700-800 lbs.	134.75-144.00	700-800 lbs.	119.75-133.00
800-900 lbs.	123.25	800-900 lbs.	116.75
900-1000 lbs.	120.00-126.70		

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1350-2300 lbs. 78.50-85.00, high dressing 87.00-87.50, low dressing 73.00-80.00.

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 68.50-72.50 high dressing 73.50-77.00. Lean (85-90 % lean) 57.00-63.00, low dressing 45.00-55.00.

COW-CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1 4-6 yrs. 1200-1300 lbs. with 250-300 lbs. calves 1510.00.

WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Kingsville, Sedalia, Butler)

Receipts: 3058 Week Ago: 1812 Year Ago: 1180

Compared to last week, feeders firm to 10.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00-6.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

350-400 lbs.	148.00-163.50
400-500 lbs.	140.00-169.00
500-600 lbs.	123.00-159.25
600-700 lbs.	125.00-147.00
700-800 lbs.	117.00-141.25
800-900 lbs.	120.75-131.00
920-925 lbs.	124.75-125.10

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs.	134.00-150.00
400-500 lbs.	125.00-145.50
500-600 lbs.	110.00-145.00
600-700 lbs.	117.00-138.75
700-800 lbs.	111.50-127.00
800-850 lbs.	110.00-117.25

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1100-2080 lbs. 75.00-87.75, low dressing 58.00-78.50.SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 63.00-72.50, high dressing 70.00-79.00. Lean (85-90%) 52.00-66.00, low dressing 48.00-56.00.COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs - short & solid 1042-1708 lbs. with baby to 385 lbs calves 1085.00-1650.00 per pair.REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-7 yrs 900-1335 lbs. 1st-3rd stage 885.00-1175.00 per head.**EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville, Macon)

Receipts: 3586 Week ago: 896 Year ago: 2813

No good comparison to last week, prices unevenly steady. Slaughter cows steady to firm.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

350-400 lbs.	155.00-175.00
400-500 lbs.	140.00-174.00
500-600 lbs.	134.00-164.00
600-700 lbs.	130.00-153.25
700-800 lbs.	130.00-140.00
Lot 862 lbs.	132.35

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

350-400 lbs.	131.00-144.00
400-500 lbs.	130.00-144.00
500-600 lbs.	125.00-142.50
600-700 lbs.	125.00-141.00
700-800 lbs.	122.00-132.50

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: few Select and Choice 2-4 105.00-112.00SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 65.00-75.00, high dressing 80.00. Lean (85-90% lean) 55.00-70.00.COWS & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1350-2050 lbs. 78.50-88.50, few 88.50-91.00.**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 896 Week ago: 1548 Year ago: 568

Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 27 Week ago: 21 Year ago: 65

Feeder steers and heifers steady to 3.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00-3.00 higher. Slaughter steers and heifers steady.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs.	175.00-188.00
400-500 lbs.	160.00-169.00
500-600 lbs.	147.00-155.00
600-700 lbs.	137.75-148.25
700-800 lbs.	135.00-144.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	138.00-146.00
500-600 lbs.	133.50-144.00
600-700 lbs.	129.00-139.75
700-750 lbs.	124.00-131.25

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Select and Choice 2-3 1050-1400 lbs 105.00-109.00.SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 69.00-78.50, low dressing 62.00-69.00.SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Select and Choice 2-3 1000-1200 lbs 105.75-107.00.SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1450-1900 lbs 81.75-87.25.COW & CALF PAIRS: ScarceREPLACEMENT COWS: Scarce**SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Fruitland, Patton)

Receipts: 794 Week ago: 368 Year ago: 880

Compared to last week, steers 5.00-8.00 higher, heifers mostly 1.00-4.00 lower. Slaughter cows and bulls 3.00-4.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

250-300 lbs.	135.00-142.00
300-400 lbs.	136.00-149.50
400-500 lbs.	130.00-147.00
500-600 lbs.	122.00-140.00
600-675 lbs.	119.00-126.50
800-875 lbs.	110.00-110.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

250-300 lbs.	124.00-136.00
300-400 lbs.	121.00-135.00
400-500 lbs.	115.00-131.00
500-600 lbs.	113.00-128.00
600-700 lbs.	105.50-112.50
700-750 lbs.	106.00-116.00

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium 4-6 yrs to short and solid mouth 825-965 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 760.00-920.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 65.50-71.00, high dressing 72.50-75.00. Lean (85-90% Lean) 52.50-58.50.COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 5-7 yrs 930-1190 lbs with 90-140 lbs calves 950.00-1110.00 per pair.SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1450-1945 lbs. 78.50-85.50, high dressing 87.00.**SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 2650 Week ago: 408 Year ago: 826

Compared to last week, feeder steers under 700 lbs. 4.00-12.00 higher, feeder heifers 1.00-5.00 higher. Slaughter cows 2.00-3.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-350 lbs.	155.00-165.00
400-500 lbs.	144.00-163.00
500-600 lbs.	126.00-147.00
600-700 lbs.	121.00-132.50
700-800 lbs.	125.00-139.10

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

350-400 lbs.	137.50-140.00
400-500 lbs.	132.00-142.00
500-550 lbs.	126.00-147.00
600-700 lbs.	121.00-132.50
700-800 lbs.	121.75-129.50
Pkg 910 lbs.	113.75

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 few 2-8 yrs 1050-1275 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 875.00-1060.00 per head.SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 66.00-73.50, high dressing 70.00-78.25. Lean (85-90%) 58.00-66.00, low dressing 44.00-55.00.COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1450-1900 lbs. 77.75-83.00, high dressing 88.00, low dressing 72.00-73.00.**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

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

Trading turning moderate to active on Thursday. Compared to two weeks ago, dressed sales 5.00-10.00 higher.

LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS:

No Sales Reported

DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS:

60-80% Choice 183.00-185.00

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid):

Choice 3 550-950 lbs. 185.00-186.00.

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts: 7804 Week ago: 6186 Year ago: 4340

Compared to last weeks close barrows and gilts are 1.00 to 2.00 higher. Sow cash prices 5.00 to 7.00 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS:

Base carcass meat price 98.00, weekly top Friday 98.00.

SOWS:300-500 lbs 60.00-68.00
Over 500 lbs 65.00-70.00

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

Receipts: 6530 Compared to last week, weaner pigs steady. No comparable sales on feeders. Supply and demand moderate. Price per head. Early weaned pigs 10 lbs base weights FOB the farm 0% negotiated 2230 head 10 lbs 34.50-45.00, weighted average price 38.97; Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights delivered 0% negotiated 1500 head 10 lbs 12.00. Feeder pigs all lot sizes FOB 0% negotiated no sales reported, Feeder pigs in all lot sizes delivered 0% negotiated 2800 head 40 lbs 74.50.

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

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	327.90	372.50	352.00	202.50
St. Louis	373.00	362.50	360.00	201.50

Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards Mexico 07/28/2011

Receipts: 536 Last Week: 576 Last Year: 191

SHEEP: 371 head Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime shorn and woolled 85-110 lbs 158.00-165.00, few 120-150 lbs 158.00-165.00; Hair lambs 95 lbs 166.00, 86 lbs 143.00. Feeder Lambs: Medium and Large 1 60-80 lbs 162.00-176.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 125-210 lbs. 55.00-65.00, few 70.00-75.00. Slaughter Bucks: few Hair 145-165 lbs. 68.00-73.00. **GOATS: 165 head** Slaughter Kids: Selection 1-2 50-65 lbs 163.00-167.00, 70-75 lbs 142.00-158.00, 75-85 lbs 140.00-142.00; Selection 2 40-65 lbs 150.00-162.00 Nannies: Selection 1-2 130-160 lbs 67.00-77.00; Selection 2-3 80-130 lbs 64.00-74.00. Billies: Selection 1-2 130-160 lbs 100.00-105.00. All prices per hundred weight.

Norwood-Producers Auction Yards 08/11/2011

Receipts: 1099 Last Special: 963 Year ago: 775

Springer Heifers bred 7-9 mos: Supreme 1375.00-1535.00, Crossbreds 1275.00-1380.00; Approved 1125.00-1400.00, Crossbreds 1035.00-1200.00, Jersey 1225.00; Medium 775.00-1125.00, Crossbreds 700.00-975.00, Jerseys 1025.00-1100.00; Common 500.00-825.00, Crossbreds 600.00-700.00. Heifers bred 4-6 mos: Supreme 1300.-1535, Crossbreds 1225.00-1325.00; Approved 1000.00-1325.00, Crossbreds 1000.00-1200.00; Medium 750.00-1050.00, Crossbreds 800.00-950.00; Common 460.00-850.00, Crossbreds 675.00-800.00. Heifers bred 1-4 mos: Supreme 1200.00-1340.00; Approved 1085.00-1210.00, Crossbreds 900.00-1100.00; Medium Crossbreds 800.00-1000.00; Common 450.00-650.00, Crossbreds 575.00-785.00. Open Heifers: Approved 200-300 lbs. 450.00-490.00, 300-400 lbs. 540.00-580.00, 400-500 lbs. 635.00-700.00, 500-600 725.00-840.00, 700-740 lbs. 980.00-1040.00. Replacement Cows: Fresh Cows Approved 1125.00-1375.00; Medium 775.00-1100.00. Baby Calves: Holstein heifers 155.00-185.00, Holstein bulls 90.00-110.00, Jersey heifers 130.00-140.00, Jersey bulls 45.00-65.00.

**Diamond, MO-TS White's Sheep and Goat Sale
Monthly Sheep and Goat Auction 08/04/2011**

Receipts: 1189 Last Month: 2098 Year Ago: 1110

Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: woolled and shorn 40-80 lbs. 161.00-180.00, 90-100 lbs. 154.00-185.00, 100-115 lbs. 153.00-169.00; hair lambs 50-60 lbs. 163.00-176.00, 60-70 lbs. 144.00-167.00, 70-80 lbs. 173.00-178.00, 80-90 lbs. 168.00-179.00, 90-100 lbs. 156.00-160.00, 100-108 lbs. 116.00-162.00. Feeder/Stocking Lambs: hair 30-40 lbs. 151.00-166.00, 40-50 lbs. 130.00-164.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 1-3 woolled 93-190 lbs. 55.00-99.00, hair 75-152 lbs. 61.00-90.00. Slaughter Rams: woolled 155-225 lbs. 52.00-62.50. Replacement pairs: hair 32.50-70.00 per pair. **Goats:** Slaughter Classes: Kids: Selection 1: 40-50 lbs. 156.00-166.00, 50-60 lbs. 156.00-170.00, 70-80 lbs. 165.00-181.00, 90-103 lbs. 131.00-145.00; Selection 1-2: 60-70 lbs. 154.00-175.00, 80-90 lbs. 140.00-163.00; Selection 2: 50-60 lbs. 150.00-161.00, 70-80 lbs. 146.00-163.00; Selection 3: 60-80 lbs. 128.00-165.00, 70-80 lbs. 116.00-155.00. Does: Selection 1-2 69-118 lbs. 51.00-81.00; Selection 3 Dairy 86-143 lbs. 46.00-67.00. Billies: Selection 1-2 75-185 lbs. 73.00-116.00; Selection 3 65-145 lbs. 91.00-128.00. Stocker/Feeder Kids: Selection 2 20-30 lbs. 136.00-155.00, 30-40 lbs. 140.00-160.00, 40-50 lbs. 121.00-150.00. All prices per cwt unless noted.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans nearby .02 to .06 higher others .02 lower, Wheat .05 to .23 higher except July .01 lower, Corn .08 to .11 higher, KC Wheat .07 to .16 higher, SB Meal nearby .20 to 3.40 higher others .20 to .40 lower.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
Aug	1309 1/4	1298 3/4	1300 3/4	1333 3/4	1337
Sep	1304 1/2	1293 1/4	1295 1/2	1324 3/4	1326 3/4
Nov	1311 1/2	1299 3/4	1301 1/2	1331 3/4	1334 3/4
Jan	1322 3/4	1311	1312 3/4	1342 3/4	1345 3/4
Mar	1329 1/2	1318	1320 1/4	1348 3/4	1352 1/2
Wheat					
Sep	656 1/2	671 3/4	685	701 1/4	702 1/2
Dec	694 3/4	703 3/4	719 1/4	733	732 1/4
Mar	732 1/2	740 3/4	755 1/4	769 3/4	765 1/2
May	751	760 1/4	773 1/4	788 1/4	781
Jul	758 3/4	766	777 1/4	791 3/4	783 1/4
Corn					
Sep	675 1/4	678 1/4	678	702 1/2	701 3/4
Dec	686	688 1/2	688 1/2	714	714 1/2
Mar	699 1/2	702	701 1/2	726 3/4	727 1/2
May	705	707 1/2	706 1/2	731	732
Jul	708 1/4	710 1/4	708 1/4	733	734 1/2
KC Wheat					
Sep	755 1/4	763	785	808	796
Dec	778 1/4	786 3/4	808 3/4	833	820 1/4
Mar	793 1/4	801 1/2	822 1/2	846 1/4	831 3/4
May	799 1/4	806 3/4	827 1/4	849 1/2	835
Jul	795 1/4	801 1/2	819	841	828
SB Meal					
Aug	340.10	338.00	339.10	347.20	348.60
Sep	341.70	339.40	340.50	348.40	347.10
Oct	343.10	340.30	342.60	350.60	349.20
Dec	346.50	343.60	345.60	353.70	352.10
Jan	348.70	345.90	347.90	355.90	354.40

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle .90 to 3.78 higher, Lean Hogs August 2.53 higher, others 2.02 to 2.68 lower, Feeder Cattle 1.75 to 2.55 higher.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Aug	114.10	114.72	114.30	116.45	117.90
Oct	117.60	117.82	117.45	119.52	120.45
Dec	119.55	119.90	119.55	121.60	122.67
Feb	122.75	123.12	122.72	124.47	124.70
Apr	124.75	125.40	125.02	126.70	127.27
Lean Hogs					
Aug	104.92	105.40	106.27	107.20	107.45
Oct	90.32	89.12	88.85	88.10	89.47
Dec	87.10	85.85	83.65	85.00	86.20
Feb	89.90	88.67	86.27	87.92	88.57
Apr	92.22	91.12	88.75	90.32	91.00
Fdr Cat					
Aug	132.57	133.22	133.30	134.60	135.85
Sep	133.65	134.75	135.10	136.30	137.52
Oct	134.47	135.70	135.90	137.32	138.70
Nov	136.00	137.17	136.95	138.47	139.60
Jan	136.40	137.40	137.67	138.87	136.95
Milk					
Aug	21.55	21.56	21.62	21.50	21.56
Sep	20.25	20.17	19.87	19.12	19.49
Oct	19.05	18.95	18.69	18.04	18.45

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .01 to .14 lower
 Wheat .13 to .24 higher
 Corn .06 lower to .02 higher
 Grain Sorghum .07 to .22 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
<u>Kansas City</u>				
Monday	13.26	6.52-6.57	6.85-6.90	12.34
Tuesday	13.14	6.67-6.72	6.88-6.91	12.39
Wednesday	13.16	6.80-6.85	6.88-6.91	12.39
Thursday	13.46	6.96-7.01	7.08-7.13	12.84
Friday	13.49	6.98-7.03	7.07-7.12	12.86
<u>St. Louis</u>				
Monday	13.20-13.24	6.47	7.13-7.14	11.78
Tuesday	13.11-13.15	6.61	7.16	11.83
Wednesday	13.07-13.11	6.72	7.08-7.13	11.73
Thursday	13.31-13.44	6.81	7.33	12.01
Friday	13.34-13.47	6.82	7.29-7.30	12.03
<u>Central</u>				
Monday	12.87-12.92	6.37-6.47	6.92-6.95	n/a
Tuesday	12.75-12.80	6.52-6.62	6.95-6.98	n/a
Wednesday	12.72-12.77	6.65-6.75	6.95-6.98	n/a
Thursday	13.02-13.07	6.81-6.91	7.08-7.20	n/a
Friday	13.05-13.10	6.83-6.93	7.07-7.12	n/a
<u>S.E. MO</u>				
Monday	12.97-13.13	6.06-6.16	6.67-7.01	11.71-12.17
Tuesday	12.85-12.96	6.02-6.26	6.70-6.97	11.83
Wednesday	12.87-12.97	6.35-6.38	6.70-6.95	11.48-11.83
Thursday	13.17-13.22	6.48-6.53	6.95-7.17	11.85
Friday	13.20-13.27	6.50-6.55	6.94-7.16	11.87-12.30

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

Week Ending August 7, 2011 Agricultural Summary The heat continued accompanied by high winds and spotty rainshowers. There were 5.7 **days suitable for fieldwork**. Statewide **topsoil moisture** continued to improve, increasing 5 points in the adequate category to 25 percent very short, 39 percent short, 34 percent adequate, and 2 percent surplus. Although the south-central and southeast districts experienced gains in topsoil moisture, the northeast shifted downward to 91 percent short and very short, followed by the west-central district holding fairly constant from last week with 87 percent short and very short. **Field Crops Report** **Corn** silked and beyond was 98 percent, 1 week ahead of last year and normal (5-year historic average). Corn in the dough stage and beyond was 65 percent, the same as last year and normal. Corn dented was 27 percent with the southwest 86 percent followed by the southeast district (Bootheel) at 38 percent. This was 1 day ahead of last year, but the same as normal. Corn condition was 15 percent very poor, 17 percent poor, 25 percent fair, 36 percent good, and 7 percent excellent, increasing 4 points in the very poor and poor categories. **Soybeans** blooming and beyond were 79 percent, 2 days ahead of last year, and 4 days ahead of normal. The northeast district and west-central districts were over 90 percent bloomed. Soybean condition was 9 percent very poor, 15 percent poor, 32 percent fair, 37 percent good, and 7 percent excellent. The southwest district was 76 percent poor and very poor, improving 15 points from last week. **Cotton** finished setting bolls. Cotton condition improved slightly to 4 percent very poor, 4 percent poor, 32 percent fair, 55 percent good, and 5 percent excellent. **Sorghum** headed and beyond was 49 percent, 9 days behind last year and normal. The northwest district was 96 percent headed followed by the west-central district at 83 percent. Sorghum turning color and beyond was 7 percent, 11 days behind last year, and 8 days behind normal. Sorghum condition was 2 percent very poor, 20 percent poor, 42 percent fair, 35 percent good, and 1 percent excellent. **Alfalfa hay 3rd cutting** was 53 percent, 1 day ahead of last year, and 4 days ahead of normal. **Pasture & Livestock Pasture condition** continued to decline with 16 percent very poor, 30 percent poor, 36 percent fair, and 18 percent good. Across the state, some producers fed hay. **Weather Summary** **Precipitation** averaged 0.86 of an inch statewide although Phelps and Laclede Counties received more than 3 inches. **Temperatures** were 3 to 4 degrees above average in the Bootheel with the rest of the state 5 to 8 degrees above normal.