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## MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 28,128 Week ago: 26,798 Year ago: 20,117  
 Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh) Hols. Large 3

<u>Fdr. STEERS:</u>		<u>Fdr. HEIFERS:</u>		<u>Hols. STEERS</u>	
364 lbs.	160.14	292 lbs.	156.17	278 lbs.	104.99
455 lbs.	151.08	364 lbs.	140.84	350 lbs.	103.56
548 lbs.	142.24	456 lbs.	133.21	460 lbs.	101.49
649 lbs.	141.33	545 lbs.	131.15	556 lbs.	98.76
751 lbs.	140.82	649 lbs.	130.15	657 lbs.	97.59
848 lbs.	134.85	738 lbs.	127.49	732 lbs.	96.66
908 lbs.	134.31	859 lbs.	120.53	863 lbs.	87.88

## SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (West Plains)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 3359 Week ago: 3452 Year ago: 2561  
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 750 Week Ago: 638 Year Ago: 990  
 Compared to last week, steers under 450 lbs. weak to 2.00 lower, over 450 lbs. firm to 2.00 higher with spots 2.00-4.00 higher. Heifers over 400 lbs. steady to 3.00 higher, limited supply under 400 lbs. steady. Slaughter cows steady; bulls firm to 2.00 higher.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	150.00-165.00	300-400 lbs.	125.00-140.00
500-600 lbs.	136.00-151.00	400-500 lbs.	120.00-132.50
600-700 lbs.	134.00-144.00	500-600 lbs.	117.00-132.00
700-800 lbs.	127.50-135.00	600-700 lbs.	117.50-129.00

<u>Holsteins</u>		<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>	
Large 3		Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 57.50-71.00, high dressing 65.00-73.50, low dressing 52.50-65.00. Lean (85-90%) 50.00-56.00, low dressing 43.00-47.50.	
470-500 lbs.	100.00-102.50		
Pkg 635-686 lbs.	97.00-98.00		
Lot 1124 lbs.	64.00		

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2100 lbs. 72.50-79.00, high dressing 80.00-83.00, low dressing 62.50-67.00.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 5-6 yrs 1000-1325 lbs with babies to 250 lbs calves 975.00-1185.00.

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 5-7 yrs, 900-1200 lbs. 2nd to 3rd stage, 800.00-950.00 per head. Small pkg 4-6 yrs 1017 lbs 1st stage 800.00 per head. Pkg 6-7 yrs 1118 lbs 1st stage 75.00 per cwt.

## SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 6941 Week ago: 7619 Year ago: 5042  
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 1769 Week ago: 1927 Year ago: 1556  
 Compared to last week steer and heifer calves steady to 2.00 higher; 5.00 to 7.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls 2.00 to 3.00 higher.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	149.50-169.00	300-400 lbs.	125.00-156.00
400-500 lbs.	141.00-169.00	400-500 lbs.	122.00-147.00
500-600 lbs.	131.00-148.00	500-600 lbs.	120.00-132.00
600-700 lbs.	139.00-149.00	600-700 lbs.	123.00-136.00
700-800 lbs.	131.50-143.75	700-800 lbs.	122.00-128.00
		800-900 lbs.	118.00-120.00

<u>HOLSTEINS:</u>		<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>	
Large Frame 3		Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 54.00-67.50, high dressing 63.50-76.00. Lean (85-90%) 40.50-57.00, low dressing 35.00-48.00.	
200-300 lbs.	104.00-106.00		
300-400 lbs.	101.00-107.00		
400-500 lbs.	95.00-106.00		
500-600 lbs.	95.00-103.75		
600-700 lbs.	97.00-103.50		
700-800 lbs.	93.50-100.25		

<u>REPLACEMENT COWS:</u>		<u>COW &amp; CALF PAIRS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid 2nd to 3rd stage 935-1345 lbs most 785.00-1025.00.		Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid 1070-1275 lbs with babies to 385 lbs calves 1100.00-1325.00.	

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

Receipts: 1585 Week ago: 1702 Year ago: 998  
 Compared to last week, yearlings 2.00 to 4.00 higher. Steer and heifers calves 3.00 to 6.00 higher. Slaughter cows 2.00 to 3.00 higher.

<u>FEEDER STEERS:</u>		<u>FEEDER HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
400-500 lbs.	154.50-169.50	350-400 lbs.	143.00-150.50
500-600 lbs.	139.00-156.00	400-450 lbs.	145.00-152.00
600-700 lbs.	142.00-149.75	500-600 lbs.	133.00-145.00
700-800 lbs.	138.75-144.35	600-700 lbs.	133.00-139.25
800-850 lbs.	134.00-141.50	700-800 lbs.	123.00-129.25

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1415-2285 lbs 72.00-76.00, low dressing 68.00-70.00.

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 58.00-63.00, high dressing 63.00-65.00. Lean (85-90% lean) 48.50-55.00.

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

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**WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Kingsville, Sedalia, Butler)

Receipts: 3964 Week Ago: 3538 Year Ago: 2785

Compared to last week, feeders steady to 5.00 lower. Slaughter cows 2.00 to 5.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs.	151.00-169.50
400-500 lbs.	140.00-168.75
500-600 lbs.	130.00-151.00
600-700 lbs.	130.00-143.25
700-800 lbs.	123.00-141.75
800-900 lbs.	123.25-138.75

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs.	130.00-156.00
400-500 lbs.	122.00-145.00
500-600 lbs.	120.00-147.00
600-700 lbs.	116.50-134.75
700-755 lbs.	119.25-132.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1160-2160 lbs. 66.00-81.00, high dressing 76.00-85.00.SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 56.00-68.75, high dressing 64.50-75.25. Lean (85-90%) 51.00-62.00, low dressing 44.00-53.00.COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-7 yrs 900-1400 lbs with babies to 450 lbs calves 1175.00-1625.00 per pair.REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce**EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville, Macon)

Receipts: 4613 Week ago: 3981 Year ago: 3398

Compared to last week feeder calves unevenly steady, yearlings steady to firm. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1&amp; 1-2

350-400 lbs.	155.00-182.00
400-500 lbs.	135.00-175.00
500-600 lbs.	130.00-155.00
600-700 lbs.	128.00-148.50
700-800 lbs.	128.00-143.85
Load 880 lbs.	128.60

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1&amp; 1-2

350-400 lbs.	130.00-161.00
400-500 lbs.	125.00-149.00
500-600 lbs.	120.00-143.00
600-700 lbs.	120.00-136.50
Load 710 lbs.	136.50
850-900 lbs.	118.25-122.50

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: few Select and Choice 2-3 105.50-116.50SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 57.00-69.00, high dressing ind's 76.50. Lean (85-90% lean) 47.00-62.00.COWS & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1400-2100 lbs. 70.00-77.00. few 77.00-80.00.**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 4603 Week ago: 2489 Year ago: 1965

Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 27 Week ago: 11 Year ago: 16

Steer and heifer calves under 500 lbs. steady to 5.00 higher, over 500 lbs steady to firm. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter steers and heifers 4.00 to 5.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 &amp; 1-2

300-400 lbs.	170.00-200.00
400-500 lbs.	154.00-174.00
500-600 lbs.	138.00-147.25
600-700 lbs.	135.00-147.25
700-800 lbs.	137.50-148.75
800-900 lbs.	138.75-140.00
Lot 908 lbs.	135.85

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 &amp; 1-2

300-400 lbs.	145.50-158.00
400-500 lbs.	136.00-150.00
500-600 lbs.	130.00-142.00
600-700 lbs.	128.00-142.25
700-800 lbs.	122.75-129.00
Lot 857 lbs.	122.50

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Select and Choice 2-3 1200-1400 lbs 117.00-119.50.SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 63.00-68.50, low dressing 55.50-64.00.SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Select and Choice 2-3 1100-1300 lbs 118.75-119.25.SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1350-1950 lbs. 72.50-77.00.COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-6 yrs 1150-1500 lbs with babies to 250 lbs calves 1260.00-1450.00 per pair.REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 3-6 yrs 1200-1400 lbs 3rd stage 1150.00-1225.00 per head.**SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Fruitland, Patton)

Receipts: 1235 Week ago: 1262 Year ago: 1474

Compared to last week, steers and heifers steady to 5.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls 1.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

250-300 lbs.	129.00-145.00
300-400 lbs.	128.00-150.00
400-500 lbs.	124.00-146.00
500-600 lbs.	120.00-134.00
600-700 lbs.	120.00-129.00
750-775 lbs.	115.00-127.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

250-300 lbs.	125.00-137.00
300-400 lbs.	123.00-136.00
400-500 lbs.	117.00-136.00
500-600 lbs.	115.00-128.00
600-675 lbs.	110.00-121.00
700-800 lbs.	102.00-122.00

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 2 3-7 yrs, 875-1230 lbs., 2nd-3rd stage, 610.00-910.00 per head.SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 55.50-63.00, high dressing 63.25-67.50. Lean (85-90% Lean) 45.50-51.00.COW & CALF PAIRS: ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1165-2400 lbs. 65.50-72.75, high dressing 73.50.**SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 2653 Week ago: 2755 Year ago: 1987

Steers 450-600 lbs. uneven, 3.00 lower to 2.00 higher, other weights and heifers steady. Slaughter cows 3.00 to 5.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1&amp;1-2

350-400 lbs.	145.00-150.00
400-500 lbs.	138.00-164.00
500-600 lbs.	133.50-149.00
600-700 lbs.	135.50-141.50
700-800 lbs.	133.50-139.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1&amp;1-2

300-400 lbs.	133.00-143.00
400-500 lbs.	125.00-142.00
500-600 lbs.	125.00-132.00
600-700 lbs.	119.50-129.50
700-850 lbs.	120.00-124.50

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1 7 yrs to short and solid 1050-1275 lbs 2nd stage 800.00-885.00 per head.SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 57.00-65.50, high dressing 63.00-71.25. Lean (85-90%) 51.00-61.00, low dressing 40.00-53.00.COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 6 yrs to short and sold 1175-1225 lbs with 150-300 lbs calves 975.00-1275.00.SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1200-2500 lbs 67.00-78.75, high dressing 75.50-80.00.**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT  
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**Weekly Receipts: 400 Week ago: 400 Year ago: 200  
Trading active mid-week with live sales 1.00 to 2.00 lower. Few dressed sales on a Grid basis were steady.LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS:  
60-80% Choice 1250-1350 lbs  
119.00-120.00DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS:  
60-80% Choice No SalesGRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid):  
Choice 3 550-950 193.00**INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS**Weekly Receipts: 3720 Week ago: 4352 Year ago: 4411  
Compared to last week, barrows and gilts steady to 1.00 higher. Sows 3.00 to 7.00 lower.BARROWS AND GILTS:  
Base carcass meat price 86.00.  
Weekly top Friday 86.00.SOWS:  
300-500 lbs 52.00-54.00  
Over 500 lbs 55.00-57.00

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

Receipts: 7370 Compared to last week, weaner pig prices are firm, no good comparison on feeder pigs. Price per head. Early weaned pigs 10 lbs. base weights FOB the farm 0% negotiated 1260 head 10 lbs. 34.50; Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights delivered 100% negotiated 5660 head 10 lbs. 24.00-37.50 weighted average price 29.36. Feeder pigs delivered 100% negotiated 450 head 40 lbs. 47.00.

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

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	297.10	282.50	272.00	222.00
St. Louis	321.00	377.50	322.50	206.00

**Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards Mexico 10/13/2011**

Receipts: 305 Last Week: 469 Last Year: 475

**SHEEP: 219 head** Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 1-3 70-80 lbs. 178.00-201.00, 90-120 lbs 167.00-176.00; wooled 86-96 lbs 155.00-164.00; hair lambs 50-66 lbs 187.00-206.00, 70-90 lbs 162.00-188.00. Feeder Lambs Medium and Large 1 35-45 lbs 196.00-197.00; Medium and Large 1-2 50-68 lbs 170.00-190.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 1-3 95-155 lbs 64.00-76.00. Slaughter Bucks: 90-140 lbs 112.00-116.00.  
**GOATS: 86 head** Slaughter Kids: Selection 1-2 50-70 160.00-169.00; Selection 2-3 55-85 lbs 130.00-154.00. Nannies: Selection 1-3 60-75 lbs 71.00-110.00, 95-135 lbs 72.00-104.00. Billies: Selection 1-3 85-95 lbs 98.00-100.00. All prices per hundred weight.

**Norwood Producers Auction Yards  
Special Dairy Sale 10/13/2011**

Receipts: 885 Last Month: 1215 Last Year: 1238

Springer Heifers bred 7-9 mos: Supreme 1300.00-1625.00; Approved 1100.00-1300.00; Medium 800.00-1025.00, Crossbreds 600.00-900.00. Heifers bred 4-6 mos: Supreme 1250.00-1500.00; Approved 1100.00-1310.00; Medium 700.00-1050.00, Crossbreds 600.00-900.00. Heifers bred 1-4 mos: Supreme 1125.00-1210.00; Approved 910.00-1140.00; Medium 640.00-850.00. Open Heifers: Approved 425-490 lbs 560.00-590.00, 500-570 lbs 640.00-675.00, 600-670 lbs 725.00-785.00, 730-770 lbs 875.00-890.00; Medium 500-565 lbs Crossbreds 350.00-450.00, 620-650 lbs 670.00-690.00, 725-755 lbs 625.00-725.00. Replacement Cows: Fresh Cows: Approved 1250.00; Medium 750.00-1025.00. Milking Cows: Approved 1150.00; Medium 725.00-800.00. Springer Cows bred 7-9 mos: Supreme 1375.00; Approved 1175.00-1250.00; Medium Crossbreds 850.00. Baby Calves: Holstein Heifers 220.00; Crossbred 105.00-135.00; Beef Cross Heifers 155.00-190.00; Holstein Bulls 85.00-140.00, Beef Cross Bulls 150.00-195.00. Prices per head.

**Diamond—TS Whites Sheep and Goat Sales  
Monthly Sheep and Goat Auction 10/06/2011**

Receipts: 1628 Last Month: 1398 Year Ago: 1878

**Sheep:** Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 2-3 wooled and shorn 130-140 lbs. 151.00-160.00; with some non-traditional lambs 50-80 lbs. 172.50-180.00; 90-100 lbs. 156.00-166.00. Hair lambs 50-60 lbs. 152.00-172.00; 60-70 lbs. 171.00-175.00; 70-80 lbs. 169.00-176.00; 80-90 lbs. 100.00-150.00; 105-125 lbs. 92.50-130.00. Slaughter Ewes: wooled Utility and Cull 1-3 wooled 95-168 lbs. 46.00-67.00. Hair 75-160 lbs. 57.00-80.00. Bucks: hair 100-235 lbs. 60.00-107.00. **Goats:** Slaughter Classes: Kids: Selection 1 50-60 lbs. 155.00-165.00; 60-70 lbs. 145.00-161.00; 70-80 lbs. 136.00-141.00. Selection 1-2 40-50 lbs. 150.00-170.00; 80-90 lbs. 115.00-140.00; 90-100 lbs. 101.00-136.50; 100-125 lbs. 111.00-126.00. Selection 2 50-60 lbs. 125.00-135.00; 60-70 lbs. 125.00-145.00; 70-80 lbs. 110.00-131.00. Selection 3 60-70 lbs. 136.00. Does/Nannies: Selection 1-2 85-175 lbs. 51.00-84.00. Selection 3 55-110 lbs. 51.00-64.00. Billies: Selection 1-2 90-145 lbs. 66.00-100.00. Selection 2-3 aged wethers 75-170 lbs. 70.00-115.00. Selection 3 57-113 lbs. 55.00-83.00. Feeder/Stocking Kids: Selection 2 20-30 lbs. 135.00-150.00; 30-40 lbs. 140.00-170.00. 40-50 lbs. 111.00-140.00.  
All prices per cwt unless noted.

**WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS**

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans unchanged to .12 higher, Wheat .11 to .16 higher, Corn .30 to .40 higher, KC Wheat .23 to .25 higher, SB Meal 20.20 to 28.30 higher.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
Nov	1177 1/2	1235 1/2	1239 1/2	1257	1270
Jan	1188 3/4	1246 1/4	1249 1/2	1266 3/4	1278 1/2
Mar	1197 3/6	1255	1257	174	1285 3/4
May	1205 1/2	1261 1/4	1262 1/2	1276 3/4	1289
Jul	1213 1/2	1269	1270 1/4	1283 3/4	1295 1/2
Wheat					
Dec	611 1/2	660 3/4	626 3/4	618	622 3/4
Mar	647 3/4	695	663 1/4	653 1/2	656 1/2
May	671 1/2	716 1/2	687 1/2	677 3/4	679 3/4
Jul	683	728 1/4	706 1/4	695 1/4	697 1/4
Sep	702 1/4	744 1/2	725 1/2	712 3/4	712 1/4
Corn					
Dec	605	645	640 3/4	638 1/4	640
Mar	617 1/2	657 1/2	652 3/4	649 3/4	651 1/2
May	624 3/4	664 3/4	660	656 1/2	658 3/4
Jul	629 1/4	669 1/4	664 1/4	661 1/4	663 1/4
Sep	597 1/4	629 1/4	621 3/4	621 3/4	623 1/4
KC Wheat					
Dec	686	729 3/4	711	701	707 1/2
Mar	702	746	727 1/4	718 1/4	723 1/2
May	711	754 1/4	737 3/4	727 1/2	732 3/4
Jul	718 1/2	761 1/4	746 1/4	736	741
Sep	731 1/2	774 3/4	760 1/4	749 1/2	753
SB Meal					
Oct	304.70	316.90	320.10	325.20	328.40
Dec	305.50	320.60	322.70	326.70	327.60
Jan	310.80	323.00	325.00	328.70	329.70
Mar	314.30	326.40	328.20	331.60	332.00
May	316.40	328.50	329.90	332.80	332.80

**WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND**

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle Oct .32 lower, others 1.35 to 3.97 higher, Lean Hogs Oct 1.10 lower, others .23 to 1.00 higher, Feeder Cattle .28 to 2.80 higher.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Oct	120.02	121.37	120.47	121.05	121.65
Dec	120.35	121.62	121.22	122.85	123.20
Feb	122.85	123.65	122.95	124.52	125.37
Apr	126.32	127.35	126.62	127.85	128.15
Jun	124.50	125.30	124.97	125.72	126.22
Lean Hogs					
Oct	93.02	92.12	92.12	93.00	93.57
Dec	87.75	86.77	87.45	88.02	90.07
Feb	91.17	91.00	90.97	90.85	92.55
Apr	94.25	94.07	93.75	93.75	94.45
May	98.35	98.40	98.10	97.90	99.10
Fdr Cat					
Oct	139.00	138.47	138.22	138.70	139.90
Nov	143.12	143.12	143.32	143.45	144.42
Jan	145.15	145.35	145.85	146.40	147.47
Mar	146.10	146.07	146.22	147.07	147.82
Apr	146.55	146.50	147.35	147.20	148.25
Milk					
Oct	17.92	17.92	17.90	17.94	17.92
Nov	17.19	17.10	16.97	17.38	17.02
Dec	16.28	16.40	16.45	16.84	16.75

**By-Product Feed Prices**

Soy Hulls Mexico, MO 255.00; Alfalfa Pellets 17%, St. Louis, MO 255.00; Distillers Grain Dried, Kansas City, MO 210.00; Corn Gluten Feed pelleted, Baring, MO 210.00. Prices per ton.

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**October 14, 2011**

**MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS**

Soybeans 1.20 to 1.27 higher  
 Wheat .15 to .21 higher  
 Corn .30 to .44 higher  
 Grain Sorghum .73 to .89 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
<u>Kansas City</u>				
Monday	11.59	5.87	6.00-6.05	10.45
Tuesday	11.99	6.26-6.31	6.40	11.07
Wednesday	12.03	5.92-5.97	6.28-6.33	11.00
Thursday	12.20	5.83-5.88	6.28-6.33	10.95
Friday	12.40	5.88-5.93	6.30-6.35	11.07
<u>St. Louis</u>				
Monday	11.60-11.73	5.84	6.15-6.17	10.26
Tuesday	12.23	6.33	6.53-6.57	10.98
Wednesday	12.24-12.27	6.00	6.48-6.53	10.91
Thursday	12.51-12.54	5.97	6.48-6.53	10.85
Friday	12.64-12.67	6.02	6.50-6.55	10.89
<u>Central</u>				
Monday	11.07-11.13	5.67	5.85-5.90	n/a
Tuesday	11.66-11.71	6.16	6.25-6.30	n/a
Wednesday	11.70-11.75	5.80-5.82	6.21-6.26	n/a
Thursday	11.90-11.97	5.73	6.18-6.23	n/a
Friday	12.07-12.15	5.78	6.23-6.25	n/a
<u>S.E. MO</u>				
Monday	11.57-11.61	5.17-5.98	5.85-6.11	9.82-10.14
Tuesday	12.15-12.22	5.66-6.47	6.25-6.48	10.53-10.85
Wednesday	12.24-12.30	5.32-6.11	6.21-6.44	10.46-10.78
Thursday	12.49-12.60	5.23-6.02	6.19-6.45	10.73-10.76
Friday	12.66-12.73	5.29-6.16	6.21-6.47	10.44-10.89

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

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**Week Ending October 9, 2011 Agricultural Summary** Warm, dry weather across the State allowed farmers to make significant harvest progress with over 1.6 million acres harvested. Statewide there were 7.0 **days suitable for fieldwork** with all districts reporting a full week except the east-central district at 6.7 days suitable. **Topsoil moisture** continued to decline from last week to 39 percent very short, 41 percent short and 20 percent adequate. All districts except the southeast district are rated 69 percent or more in the short and very short category. **Fall tillage** was 28 percent complete same as last year, and 13 days ahead of the historic 5-year average (normal). **Off-farm storage availability** was 8 percent short, 86 percent adequate, and 6 percent surplus. **On-farm storage availability** was 11 percent short, 80 percent adequate, and 9 percent surplus. **Field Crops Report** Corn harvested was 78 percent, 4 days ahead of last year, and 23 days ahead of normal. The dry weather lowered **corn moisture at harvest** to 15.5 percent statewide, ranging from 10.5 percent in the southwest to 16.8 percent in the southeast district. **Soybeans** turning color and beyond were 95 percent, same as last year, but 2 days ahead of normal. Soybeans dropping leaves and beyond were 79 percent, 1 day behind of last year but 1 day ahead of normal. Soybeans mature were 62 percent, 1 day behind last year and 2 days ahead of normal. Soybeans harvested advanced 24 points to 35 percent, 1 day ahead of last year and 4 days ahead of normal. Soybean condition was 13 percent very poor, 22 percent poor, 30 percent fair, 27 percent good, and 8 percent excellent. **Winter wheat** planted was 22 percent, 2 days behind last year, but 1 day ahead of normal. Winter wheat emerged was 3 percent, 4 days behind last year and 5 days behind normal. **Pasture & Livestock** The prolonged dry weather is deteriorating **pasture conditions** with 29 percent very poor, 32 percent poor, 29 percent fair, and 10 percent good. Last year at this time pasture conditions were 8 percent very poor, 10 percent poor, 34 percent fair, 43 percent good, and 5 percent excellent. Some producers are using rural water for livestock as some creeks and ponds are very low or going dry. **Weather Summary** The state averaged no **precipitation** with only Cape Girardeau county reporting rainfall of 0.01 of an inch. **Temperatures** were 3 to 5 degrees above normal in the southeast district while the rest of the state was 6 to 11 degrees above normal.