

# Weekly Market Summary

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## MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 35,390 Week ago: 42,949 Year ago: 31,713  
 Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh) Hols. Large 3

| <u>Fdr. STEERS:</u> |        | <u>Fdr. HEIFERS:</u> |        | <u>Hols. STEERS</u> |        |
|---------------------|--------|----------------------|--------|---------------------|--------|
| 255 lbs.            | 227.28 | 268 lbs.             | 198.80 | 441 lbs.            | 123.93 |
| 358 lbs.            | 215.13 | 361 lbs.             | 185.67 | 547 lbs.            | 122.37 |
| 447 lbs.            | 200.54 | 455 lbs.             | 176.45 | 656 lbs.            | 115.89 |
| 547 lbs.            | 185.43 | 547 lbs.             | 163.16 | 759 lbs.            | 110.97 |
| 656 lbs.            | 167.09 | 645 lbs.             | 153.65 | 835 lbs.            | 106.87 |
| 748 lbs.            | 156.11 | 734 lbs.             | 143.54 |                     |        |
| 829 lbs.            | 147.77 | 814 lbs.             | 138.28 |                     |        |
| 940 lbs.            | 135.13 | 979 lbs.             | 122.71 |                     |        |

## SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (West Plains)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 4114 Week ago: 4370 Year ago: 2929  
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 822 Week Ago: 795 Year Ago: 889  
 Compared to last week steer under 450 lbs and heifers under 400 lbs were steady to 4.00 higher, steers over 450 lbs and heifers over 400 lbs steady to 5.00 lower, instances 5.00-8.00 lower, a few heifers over 800 lbs were 2.00-3.00 higher. Slaughter cows were uneven 2.00 lower to 2.00 higher; bulls firm to 4.00 higher.

| <u>STEERS:</u>     |               | <u>HEIFERS:</u>    |               |
|--------------------|---------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Medium and Large 1 |               | Medium and Large 1 |               |
| 300-400 lbs.       | 212.50-229.00 | 300-400 lbs.       | 175.00-199.00 |
| 400-500 lbs.       | 187.00-206.00 | 400-500 lbs.       | 160.00-184.00 |
| 500-600 lbs.       | 172.00-191.00 | 500-550 lbs.       | 158.00-175.00 |
| 600-700 lbs.       | 154.00-173.50 | 550-600 lbs.       | 149.00-163.00 |
| 700-800 lbs.       | 145.00-161.00 | 600-700 lbs.       | 139.00-150.00 |
| 800-850 lbs.       | 146.00-148.00 | 700-750 lbs.       | 134.50-142.00 |

| <u>Holsteins</u> | <u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>  |
|------------------|---|
| Large 3          | Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 77.50-86.00, high dressing 85.00-95.50, low dressing 70.00-76.00. Lean (85-90%) 70.00-79.00, low dressing 57.50-66.00 |
| Pkg 426 lbs.     | 116.00  |
| Pkg 817 lbs.     | 98.00   |

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1100-2050 lbs. 94.00-100.00, high dressing 105.00-110.00.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 3yrs to short and solid, 1000-1200 lbs, babies to 300 lbs calves, 1225.00-1450.00 per pair.

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1 3-7 yrs few short solids 1085-1350 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 1100.00-1285.00 per head, 3-7 yrs 1020-1225 lbs 1st stage 1000.00-1100.00 per head.

## SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 9763 Week ago: 11,081 Year ago: 11,397  
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 1672 Week ago: 1553 Year ago: 1422  
 Compared to last week, feeders steady to 2.00 lower, Holsteins steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 higher, slaughter bulls steady to 3.00 lower.

| <u>STEERS:</u>     |               | <u>HEIFERS:</u>    |               |
|--------------------|---------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Medium and Large 1 |               | Medium and Large 1 |               |
| 300-400 lbs.       | 200.00-229.00 | 300-400 lbs.       | 180.00-202.50 |
| 400-500 lbs.       | 187.00-221.00 | 400-500 lbs.       | 165.00-188.00 |
| 500-600 lbs.       | 172.00-196.50 | 500-600 lbs.       | 154.00-178.00 |
| 600-700 lbs.       | 158.00-179.00 | 600-700 lbs.       | 142.00-160.00 |
| 700-800 lbs.       | 150.00-160.00 | 700-800 lbs.       | 137.00-144.00 |
| 800-900 lbs.       | 142.00-155.00 | 800-900 lbs.       | 135.00-137.00 |
| 900-1000 lbs.      | 129.50-138.50 |                    |               |

| <u>HOLSTEINS:</u> | <u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>   |
|-------------------|--|
| Large Frame 3     | Breaking and Boning 80.50-90.50, high dressing 87.00-96.00. Lean (85-90%) 70.00-80.00, low dressing 59.50-71.00. |
| 400-500 lbs.      | 128.00-133.00  |
| 500-600 lbs.      | 120.00-126.50  |
| 600-700 lbs.      | 112.00-123.00  |
| 700-800 lbs.      | 113.00-116.50  |

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid, 2nd-3rd stage 1080-1365 lbs, from dispersals 1400.00-1700.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1150-2765 lbs. 92.00-100.00, high dressing 99.00-108.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid, 1010-1300 lbs with babies to 425 lbs calves several rebred, 1600.00-1800.00, several black up to 1950.00 per pair.

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

Receipts: 1816 Week ago: 4901 Year ago: 1829  
 Compared to last week, steers steady to 5.00 higher except 600-750 lbs steady to 3.00 lower, heifers steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00 to 3.00 lower.

| <u>FEEDER STEERS:</u> |               | <u>FEEDER HEIFERS:</u> |               |
|-----------------------|---------------|------------------------|---------------|
| Medium and Large 1    |               | Medium and Large 1     |               |
| 400-500 lbs.          | 196.50-215.50 | 300-400 lbs.           | 190.00-209.00 |
| 500-600 lbs.          | 177.25-203.25 | 400-500 lbs.           | 177.25-194.00 |
| 600-700 lbs.          | 167.00-177.25 | 500-600 lbs.           | 158.75-177.50 |
| 700-800 lbs.          | 147.25-165.00 | 600-700 lbs.           | 149.50-155.75 |
| 800-900 lbs.          | 146.00        | 700-800 lbs.           | 138.00-149.50 |

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1350-2050 lbs 88.00-93.00, low dressing 82.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 84.00-89.50, high dressing 89.00-92.75. Lean (85-90% lean) 73.00-80.00.

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1 Scarce.

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

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**WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Kingsville, Sedalia, Butler)

Receipts: 3660 Week Ago: 5047 Year Ago: 4467

Compared to last week, steers steady to 7.00 higher, heifers unevenly steady to 3.00 lower with some 3 weights up to 10.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00 lower to 2.00 higher.

**FEEDER STEERS:**  
Medium and Large 1

|               |               |
|---------------|---------------|
| 300-400 lbs.  | 199.00-231.00 |
| 400-500 lbs.  | 186.00-218.25 |
| 500-600 lbs.  | 170.25-205.00 |
| 600-700 lbs.  | 158.50-185.00 |
| 700-800 lbs.  | 150.50-168.50 |
| 800-900 lbs.  | 141.10-150.00 |
| 900-1000 lbs. | 140.00-144.60 |

**FEEDER HEIFERS:**  
Medium and Large 1

|              |               |
|--------------|---------------|
| 300-400 lbs. | 168.00-220.00 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 158.50-189.75 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 148.00-177.75 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 140.00-163.00 |
| 700-800 lbs. | 138.75-145.75 |
| 800-900 lbs. | 131.75-144.00 |

**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield  
Grade 1-2 1130-2160 lbs 92.50-  
100.00, high dressing up to 111.50.**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking  
and Boning (75-85% lean)  
77.00-87.25, high dressing 85.00-  
98.00. Lean (85-90) 64.00-  
82.00.**COW & CALF PAIRS:**  
Scarce**REPLACEMENT COWS:**  
Scarce**EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville, Macon)

Receipts: 7492 Week ago: 7409 Year ago: 4562

Compared to last week, steers and heifers under 700 lbs unevenly steady and over 700 lbs mostly steady. Slaughter cows mostly steady.

**FEEDER STEERS:**  
Medium and Large 1

|              |               |
|--------------|---------------|
| 350-400 lbs. | 200.00-230.00 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 190.00-227.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 170.00-211.00 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 160.00-183.00 |
| 700-800 lbs. | 148.00-168.00 |
| 800-900 lbs. | 143.75-153.75 |

**FEEDER HEIFERS:**  
Medium and Large 1

|              |               |
|--------------|---------------|
| 350-400 lbs. | 180.00-190.00 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 170.00-189.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 150.00-174.00 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 150.00-167.50 |
| 700-750 lbs. | 139.50-150.50 |

**SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS:** Choice 2-4 120.25-125.25**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking  
and Boning, (70-85% lean) 70.00-  
90.00, high dressing up to 95.50  
Lean (85-90% lean) 62.00-82.00.**COWS & CALF PAIRS:** Medium  
and Large 1-2 Scarce.**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield  
Grade 1-2 1200-2200 lbs. 92.00-  
102.00, high dressing 102.00-  
109.00.**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 2899 Week ago: 4981 Year ago: 3510

Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 24 Week ago: 22 Year ago: 14

Feeder steers and heifers steady. Slaughter cows 1.00-2.00 lower. Slaughter steers and heifers not well tested.

**FEEDER STEERS:**  
Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

|              |               |
|--------------|---------------|
| 300-400 lbs. | 205.00-234.50 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 189.00-218.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 180.00-205.00 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 164.50-182.50 |
| 700-800 lbs. | 145.00-161.50 |
| 800-900 lbs. | 142.00-150.00 |

**FEEDER HEIFERS:**  
Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

|              |               |
|--------------|---------------|
| 300-400 lbs. | 183.00-211.00 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 170.00-187.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 155.00-179.50 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 145.00-164.75 |
| 700-800 lbs. | 143.00-150.75 |

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:**  
Choice 2-3  
1200-1350 lbs 126.00-128.25**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking  
and Boning (75-85% lean) 78.00-  
88.00, low dressing 72.00-82.00.**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:**  
Choice 2-3  
Scarce**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield  
Grade 1-2 1250-2000 lbs 88.50-  
98.00**COW & CALF PAIRS:**  
Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce.**REPLACEMENT COWS:**  
Medium and Large 1-2 3-6 yrs  
1100-1400 lbs 3rd stage 1425.00-  
1625.00 per head.**SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Farmington, Patton)

Receipts: 2832 Week ago: 2746 Year ago: 833

Compared to last week, steers and heifers 300-400 lbs steady, others 3.00-6.00 lower. Slaughter cows 2.00 lower, bulls 2.00 higher.

**FEEDER STEERS:**  
Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

|              |               |
|--------------|---------------|
| 300-400 lbs. | 187.00-230.00 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 166.00-202.50 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 153.00-194.50 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 141.00-167.50 |
| 700-800 lbs. | 131.00-156.00 |
| 800-900 lbs. | 125.00-142.50 |

**FEEDER HEIFERS:**  
Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

|              |               |
|--------------|---------------|
| 300-400 lbs. | 169.00-200.50 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 150.00-182.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 140.00-165.00 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 125.00-161.50 |
| 700-725 lbs. | 121.00-141.00 |
| 800-825 lbs. | 120.00-129.00 |

**REPLACEMENT COWS:**  
Medium and Large 1-2 6 yrs to  
short solid 980-1390 lbs 2nd-3rd  
stage 960.00-1330.00 per head.**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking  
and Boning (75-85% lean) 76.50-  
82.50, high dressing 84.00-  
89.50. Lean (85-90% Lean)  
50.50-67.00.**COW & CALF PAIRS:** Medium  
and Large 1-2 5-8 yrs 1020-1300  
lbs with 150-380 lbs calves 1500.00  
-1700.00 per pair.**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield  
Grade 1-2 1345-2140 lbs. 88.50-  
94.50, high dressing 95.00-  
100.50.**SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 2471 Week ago: 2471 Year ago: 2909

Steers and heifers steady to 5.00 lower except steers 700-800 lbs 1.00-2.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher.

**FEEDER STEERS:**  
Medium and Large 1

|              |               |
|--------------|---------------|
| 300-400 lbs. | 210.00-234.00 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 184.00-214.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 170.00-197.00 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 150.50-171.50 |
| 700-800 lbs. | 142.50-158.75 |
| 800-850 lbs. | 140.50-146.85 |

**FEEDER HEIFERS:**  
Medium and Large 1

|              |               |
|--------------|---------------|
| 300-400 lbs. | 174.00-200.00 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 161.00-181.50 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 146.50-172.00 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 140.00-160.00 |
| 700-850 lbs. | 128.00-146.50 |

**REPLACEMENT COWS:** Medium  
and Large 2 3-7 yrs thin 800-1150 lbs  
2nd-3rd stage 1085.00-1350.00 per  
head.**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Break-  
ing and Boning (70-85% lean)  
80.00-85.50, high dressing 86.00-  
92.25. Lean (85-90%) 70.00-  
77.00, low dressing 57.00-69.50.**COW & CALF PAIRS:** Medium and  
Large 2 2yrs to short and solid 700-  
1000 lbs with baby to 175 lbs calves  
1250.00-1450.00 per pair.**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield  
Grade 1-2 1500-2150 lbs 1200-  
2150, high dressing 104.00, low  
dress 78.00-89.50.**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT  
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

Weekly Receipts: 800 Week ago: 400 Year ago: 600

Trading turned moderate to active late Thursday. Live sales 1.00-2.00 higher and dressed sales 2.00-4.00 higher.

**LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS:**  
60-80% Choice 2-3 128.00-  
129.50.**DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS:**  
60-80% Choice 2-3 203.00-  
204.00.**GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid):**  
Choice 3 550-950 lbs 207.00-  
207.00.**INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS**

Weekly Receipts: 3176 Week ago: 3252 Year ago: 3749

Compared to last week, barrows and gilts 2.00 to 4.00 higher. Sows 1.00 to 2.00 higher.

**BARROWS AND GILTS:**  
Base carcass meat price 81.00-  
82.00. Weekly top Friday 82.00.**SOWS:**  
300-500 lbs. 51.00-52.00  
Over 500 lbs. 56.00-58.00

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

Receipts: 6124 Weaner prices steady, no feeder pig sales reported. Supply and demand moderate. Price per head. Early weaned pigs 10 lb. base weights fob the farm 0% negotiated 6124 head, 10 lbs, 34.50-45.00 weighted average 42.22; Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights delivered 0% negotiated no sales reported. Feeder pigs in all lot sizes, delivered 100% negotiated, no sales reported. Prices per head.

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

| Area        | Soybean Meal 48% Solvent | Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent | Meat Meal | Wheat Middlings |
|-------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------------|
| Kansas City | 333.50                   | 227.50                      | 297.50    | 187.50          |
| St. Louis   | 370.50                   | 217.50                      | 308.50    | 149.00          |

**Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards Mexico 03/02/2012**

Receipts: 278 Weeks Ago: 230 Last Year: 262 All Prices per cwt.

**SHEEP: 87 head** Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 2-3 non-traditional 52-65 lbs 230.00-240.00 lot 77 lbs 201.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 1-2 120-190 lbs 72.00-85.00. Slaughter Bucks: 255-280 lbs 69.00.  
**GOATS: 113 head** Slaughter Kids: Selection 1-2 49-58 lbs 232.00-241.00, pkg 58 lbs 246.00. Nannies: Selection 2-3 90-135 lbs 105.00-120.00. Replacement Selection 1-2 pkg 77 lbs 177.00. Bred 108 lbs 170.00 and 142 lbs 111.00. Billies Selection 1-2 105-145 lbs 117.00-124.00.

**Springfield—Springfield Livestock Marketing Center  
Special Dairy Sale 2/28/2012**

Receipts: 629 Last Month: 720 Last Year: 500  
Springer Heifers: bred 7-9 mos: Supreme 1340.00-1460.00, Crossbreds 1300.00-1325.00. Approved 1150.00-1360.00, Crossbreds 1010.00-1125.00. Medium 850.00-1210.00, Crossbreds 910.00-1000.00. Common 670.00-935.00, Crossbreds 750.00. bred 3-6 mos: Supreme 1280.00-1425.00. Approved 1000.00-1300.00, Crossbreds 1010.00-1050.00. Medium 790.00-1000.00, Crossbreds 825.00-960.00, Jerseys 835.00. Open Heifers: Approved 350-400 lbs Crossbreds 440.00-490.00; 400-500 lbs 680.00-740.00; Crossbreds 470.00-570.00; Jerseys 570.00-650.00; 500-600 lbs 710.00-790.00; 600-700 lbs 790.00-895.00; 700-800 lbs 840.00-880.00; pkg 833 lbs 910.00. Replacement Cows Fresh heifers and Cows Approved 1100.00-1450.00. Medium 850.00-975.00. Common 700.00-950.00. Springer Cows Supreme 1335.00-1500.00. Approved 1150.00-1335.00. Baby Calves: Holstein bulls 140.00-190.00. Crossbred bulls 160.00-220.00. Jersey 75.00-100.00. Prices are per head.

**Buffalo—Buffalo Livestock Market  
Monthly Sheep and Goat Auction 2/28/2012**

Receipts: 911 Last Month: 826 Year Ago: 533

**Sheep** Slaughter Lambs: Choice 2-3 woolled 80-125 lbs 160.00-197.50. hair 50-60 lbs 220.00-237.50; 60-70 lbs 235.00-240.00; 70-80 lbs 222.50-240.00; 80-90 lbs 190.00-200.00; 90-100 lbs 170.00-190.00. Feeder and stocker lambs: Medium and Large 1-2 Hair 30-40 lbs 210.00-235.00; 40-50 lbs 215.00-237.50. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 1-3 143-265 lbs 50.00-115.00. hair ewes 93-150 lbs 80.00-100.00. Bucks woolled 160-180 lbs 87.50-105.00; hair 90-170 lbs 75.00-115.00. Replacement Ewes Medium and Large 1-2 79-150 lbs 105.00-126.00 per cwt. hair 150.00-280.00 per head. **Goats** Slaughter Classes: Kids: Selection 1-2 40-50 lbs 227.50-247.00; 50-60 lbs 235.00-250.00; 60-70 lbs 222.50-239.00. Selection 3 50-60 lbs 200.00-240.00. Does/Nannies Selection 1-2 61-145 lbs 85.00-117.00. Billies Selection 1 165-215 lbs 95.00-122.00. Selection 2 90-125 lbs 112.00-155.00. Selection 3 95-160 lbs 94.00-116.00. Replacement Nannies and Does Selection 1 155.00-185.00 per head 70-80 lbs 250.00-300.00 per cwt. Stocker/Feeder Kids Selection 2 13-18 lbs 175.00-265.00; 20-30 lbs 175.00-211.00; 30-40 lbs 255.00-295.00. All prices per cwt. unless noted.

**WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS**

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .34 to .49 higher, Wheat .28 to .33 higher, Corn .10 to .19 higher, KC Wheat .27 to .33 higher, SB Meal 18.40 to 23.70 higher.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

|                 | Mon.     | Tues.    | Wed.     | Thu.     | Fri.     |
|-----------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| <b>Soybeans</b> |          |          |          |          |          |
| Mar             | 1293 3/4 | 1305 1/4 | 1313 1/2 | 1316 3/4 | 1328 1/4 |
| May             | 1302 1/2 | 1312 1/2 | 1320     | 1322 1/2 | 1330     |
| Jul             | 1310 1/2 | 1319 3/4 | 1327 3/4 | 1329 1/2 | 1340 1/4 |
| Aug             | 1303 1/2 | 1312 1/2 | 1316     | 1320 1/2 | 1330 1/2 |
| Sep             | 1291     | 1298 1/2 | 1300 1/2 | 1305 1/4 | 1312 1/4 |
| <b>Wheat</b>    |          |          |          |          |          |
| Mar             | 645 3/4  | 662 1/2  | 664 1/4  | 659 1/4  | 671      |
| May             | 652 3/4  | 668 1/4  | 668      | 664      | 675 1/2  |
| Jul             | 663 1/2  | 679 1/2  | 680 1/2  | 676      | 687 1/2  |
| Sep             | 678 1/4  | 693 1/2  | 696 1/2  | 691 1/4  | 702 1/4  |
| Dec             | 695 1/2  | 709 3/4  | 713 1/2  | 707      | 718      |
| <b>Corn</b>     |          |          |          |          |          |
| Mar             | 644 1/2  | 653 1/2  | 656 1/2  | 653 3/4  | 659      |
| May             | 648 1/2  | 657 1/4  | 658      | 654      | 655      |
| Jul             | 650 3/4  | 658 3/4  | 660 1/2  | 655 1/2  | 656 1/4  |
| Sep             | 587 1/2  | 595 3/4  | 600 3/4  | 598      | 604 1/2  |
| Dec             | 557      | 563 1/2  | 568 1/2  | 566 3/4  | 570      |
| <b>KC Wheat</b> |          |          |          |          |          |
| Mar             | 685      | 699 1/2  | 699      | 697      | 710 1/2  |
| May             | 693 1/2  | 710      | 708 1/2  | 706      | 719      |
| Jul             | 702 1/4  | 718 3/4  | 717      | 714 1/2  | 727 1/2  |
| Sep             | 715      | 731      | 729 1/2  | 727      | 739      |
| Dec             | 732 1/2  | 748 1/2  | 747      | 744 1/2  | 756 1/2  |
| <b>SB Meal</b>  |          |          |          |          |          |
| Mar             | 340.90   | 346.50   | 351.20   | 353.70   | 357.30   |
| May             | 343.60   | 349.30   | 352.90   | 355.50   | 359.10   |
| Jul             | 345.50   | 350.70   | 353.60   | 356.30   | 359.90   |
| Aug             | 344.40   | 349.10   | 351.70   | 354.60   | 358.00   |
| Sep             | 342.30   | 346.30   | 348.10   | 351.20   | 353.90   |

**WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND**

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle Apr .45 higher others .17 to .55 lower, Lean Hogs .33 to 1.12 higher except May .17 lower, Feeder Cattle .43 to 1.05 higher.

Daily Futures Closes

|                  | Mon.   | Tues.  | Wed.   | Thu.   | Fri.   |
|------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| <b>Cattle</b>    |        |        |        |        |        |
| Feb              | 127.55 | 127.35 | 127.65 | —      | —      |
| Apr              | 128.62 | 128.27 | 129.75 | 130.95 | 129.95 |
| Jun              | 126.70 | 126.20 | 127.22 | 128.12 | 127.27 |
| Aug              | 129.30 | 128.77 | 129.67 | 130.30 | 129.65 |
| Oct              | 133.20 | 132.88 | 134.05 | 134.95 | 134.32 |
| <b>Lean Hogs</b> |        |        |        |        |        |
| Apr              | 88.65  | 88.02  | 89.42  | 90.20  | 90.42  |
| May              | 97.70  | 96.77  | 97.75  | 98.22  | 98.55  |
| Jun              | 98.07  | 97.72  | 98.65  | 99.30  | 99.50  |
| Jul              | 98.45  | 98.15  | 99.10  | 99.67  | 99.75  |
| Aug              | 98.05  | 97.93  | 99.00  | 99.85  | 99.97  |
| <b>Fdr Cat</b>   |        |        |        |        |        |
| Mar              | 156.45 | 155.75 | 157.22 | 158.57 | 158.10 |
| Apr              | 159.52 | 158.65 | 160.17 | 161.77 | 161.32 |
| May              | 160.70 | 160.12 | 161.87 | 163.17 | 162.85 |
| Aug              | 162.35 | 161.45 | 163.05 | 164.30 | 164.02 |
| Sep              | 161.80 | 161.05 | 162.67 | 163.50 | 163.50 |
| <b>Milk</b>      |        |        |        |        |        |
| Feb              | 16.07  | 16.07  | 16.07  | —      | —      |
| Mar              | 15.40  | 15.40  | 15.54  | 15.48  | 15.36  |
| Apr              | 15.28  | 15.20  | 15.49  | 15.60  | 14.99  |

**By-Product Feed Prices**

Alfalfa Pellets 17%, St. Louis, MO 305.00; Corn Gluten Feed pelleted, Baring, MO 190.00; Distillers Grain Dried, Kansas City, MO 220.00; Soy Hulls Mexico, MO 140.00. Prices per ton.

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**MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS**

Soybeans .40 to .49 higher  
 Wheat .24 to .37 higher  
 Corn .10 to .13 higher  
 Grain Sorghum .18 higher

**Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids**

| Area               | #1 Soy-beans | #2 Soft Wheat | #2 Corn   | #2 Grain Sorghum |
|--------------------|--------------|---------------|-----------|------------------|
| <u>Kansas City</u> |              |               |           |                  |
| Monday             | 13.04        | 6.36          | 6.49      | 11.38            |
| Tuesday            | 13.15        | 6.52          | 6.70-6.74 | 11.54            |
| Wednesday          | 13.21        | 6.53          | 6.77      | 11.54            |
| Thursday           | 13.23        | 6.44-6.49     | 6.73      | 11.46            |
| Friday             | 13.33        | 6.55-6.60     | 6.69-6.74 | 11.48            |
| <u>St. Louis</u>   |              |               |           |                  |
| Monday             | 13.18-13.20  | 6.62          | 6.67      | 11.25            |
| Tuesday            | 13.30-13.33  | 6.78          | 6.75-6.77 | 11.39            |
| Wednesday          | 13.36-13.38  | 6.80          | 6.78-6.81 | 11.35            |
| Thursday           | 13.43-13.48  | 6.81          | 6.76-6.78 | 11.32            |
| Friday             | 13.54-13.60  | 6.94          | 6.77-6.78 | 11.34            |
| <u>Central</u>     |              |               |           |                  |
| Monday             | 12.69-12.79  | 5.89-5.96     | 6.45-6.53 | n/a              |
| Tuesday            | 12.80-12.87  | 6.05-6.12     | 6.49-6.57 | n/a              |
| Wednesday          | 12.87-13.00  | 6.06-6.18     | 6.50-6.62 | n/a              |
| Thursday           | 12.90-13.03  | 6.01-6.14     | 6.49-6.58 | n/a              |
| Friday             | 13.00-13.08  | 6.11-6.25     | 6.50-6.55 | n/a              |
| <u>S.E. MO</u>     |              |               |           |                  |
| Monday             | 13.14-13.21  | 6.55-6.56     | 6.60-6.64 | n/a              |
| Tuesday            | 13.25-13.31  | 6.69-6.72     | 6.68-6.74 | n/a              |
| Wednesday          | 13.33-13.38  | 6.74-6.79     | 6.71-6.76 | n/a              |
| Thursday           | 13.34-13.45  | 6.74-6.78     | 6.66-6.72 | n/a              |
| Friday             | 13.45-13.55  | 6.80-6.85     | 6.70-6.75 | n/a              |

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

**Missouri Weekly Hay Summary Week ending 03/02/12**

The hay market remains steady with little trade as most winter activity is over and the wait is on for the 2012 crop. The calendar may say it is winter but the arrival of March means spring to most. Hay demand is light, supplies are light and prices are steady. Missouri Department of Agriculture has a hay directory available for both buyers and sellers. To be listed or for a directory, visit <http://mda.mo.gov/abd/haydirectory/> or for current listings of hay <http://agebb.missouri.edu/haylst/> (All prices f.o.b. 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)

Fair to Good quality Alfalfa (RFV130-170) 150.00-250.00  
 Good quality mixed Alfalfa and grass 100.00-185.00

Good to Premium quality Mixed Grass hay 100.00-180.00  
 Good quality Mixed Grass hay 85.00-130.00  
 Fair to Good quality Mixed Grass hay 50.00-85.00

Fair to Good quality Bermuda grass 100.00-150.00

Wheat straw 3.00-6.00 per small square bale