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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 26,305 Week ago: 27,651 Year ago: 15,029
 Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh) Hols. Large 3

<u>Fdr. STEERS:</u>		<u>Fdr. HEIFERS:</u>		<u>Hols. STEERS</u>	
272 lbs.	217.53	269 lbs.	183.94	287 lbs.	136.87
365 lbs.	202.90	359 lbs.	179.73	358 lbs.	132.52
456 lbs.	191.32	451 lbs.	169.51	447 lbs.	130.85
544 lbs.	178.39	548 lbs.	159.10	540 lbs.	121.49
643 lbs.	162.82	652 lbs.	147.46	676 lbs.	118.87
744 lbs.	150.93	731 lbs.	139.95	756 lbs.	110.66
852 lbs.	141.02	850 lbs.	128.72	989 lbs.	101.75
917 lbs.	134.31	978 lbs.	110.00		

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (West Plains)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 3361 Week ago: 2351 Year ago: 537
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 1176 Week Ago: 869 Year Ago: 657
 Compared to last week, steer calves steady to 3.00 lower spots 7.00 on fleshier offerings, yearlings 2.00-3.00 higher. Heifers 2.00-5.00 lower spots 8.00 lower. Slaughter cows and bulls steady to 3.00 lower.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	195.00-215.00	300-400 lbs.	167.00-190.00
400-500 lbs.	183.00-206.00	400-500 lbs.	162.50-182.00
500-600 lbs.	164.00-189.00	500-550 lbs.	160.00-173.00
600-650 lbs.	163.50-180.00	550-600 lbs.	150.00-164.00
650-700 lbs.	155.00-162.50	600-700 lbs.	139.00-152.00
700-800 lbs.	142.00-150.00	700-800 lbs.	132.00-140.00
800-825 lbs.	141.00-144.00	800-900 lbs.	128.00-130.00

<u>Holsteins</u>	<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>
Large 3	Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 79.00-87.50, high dressing 87.00-93.00, low dressing 74.00-78.00. Lean (85-90%) 73.50-83.00, low dressing 68.00-73.00
362 lbs.	Thin 131.00
414 lbs.	122.00
512 lbs.	121.50
791 lbs.	102.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2100 lbs 98.00-106.00, high dressing 108.00-113.50, low dressing 88.00-96.00.
REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 sell outs 3-7 yrs few short and solids 1125-1335 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 11100.00-1375.00 per head. .

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 from sell outs 4-7 yrs 900-1300 lbs with babies to 300 lbs calves, 1650.00-1850.00 per pair.

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 6337 Week ago: 5979 Year ago: 2567
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 1290 Week ago: 1806 Year ago: 989
 Compared to last week, steer calves 2.00-4.00 lower, yearling steers steady to 2.00 lower, heifers unevenly steady. Slaughter cows 1.00-3.00 lower and bulls 1.00-3.00 higher.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	195.00-205.00	300-400 lbs.	179.00-194.00
400-500 lbs.	180.00-198.00	400-500 lbs.	160.00-185.00
500-600 lbs.	171.00-190.50	500-600 lbs.	149.00-176.00
600-700 lbs.	152.00-178.00	600-700 lbs.	145.00-156.00
700-800 lbs.	148.00-156.00	700-800 lbs.	129.00-142.50
800-900 lbs.	135.00-146.50	800-900 lbs.	123.00-136.50
900-1000 lbs.	134.00		

<u>HOLSTEINS:</u>	<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>
Large Frame 3	Breaking and Boning 80.00-88.50, high dressing 86.50-96.00. Lean (85-90%) 71.00-80.00, low dressing 60.00-68.00.
200-300 lbs.	134.00-139.00
300-400 lbs.	130.00-135.00
400-500 lbs.	127.50-137.00
500-600 lbs.	117.00-128.00
600-700 lbs.	118.00-119.00
700-800 lbs.	11.00-116.50
900-1000 lbs.	101.75

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid, 2nd-3rd stage 1100-1537 lbs 1100.00-1450.00.
SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1400-2345 lbs. 101.00-115.50, high dressing 107.00-120.00.
COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid, 950-1255 lbs cows with babies to 340 lbs calves, 1125.00-1575.00 per pair.

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 2434 Week ago: 4340 Year ago: 1794
 Compared to last week, steers under 650 lbs and heifers under 600 lbs steady to 5.00 lower, heavier weights sold with a firm to higher undertone. Slaughter cows traded 3.00-5.00 lower.

<u>FEEDER STEERS:</u>		<u>FEEDER HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	205.00-213.00	300-400 lbs.	180.00-185.00
400-500 lbs.	190.00-202.00	400-500 lbs.	162.75-176.00
500-600 lbs.	178.25-188.25	500-600 lbs.	152.75-169.50
600-700 lbs.	164.00-175.00	600-700 lbs.	144.50-155.00
700-800 lbs.	150.50-159.10	700-800 lbs.	136.00-148.25
800-900 lbs.	139.75-146.75	800-900 lbs.	126.75
900-1000 lbs.	135.85		

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1350-2350 lbs 95.00-100.00, high dressing 103.00-105.00
SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 80.00-88.50, high dressing 87.00-92.50. Lean (85-90% lean) 77.00-85.00.

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1 3-5 yrs top quality 1100-1250 2nd and 3d stage 1500.00-1685.00 per pair
COW-CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1 2yrs top quality 1100-1200 lbs with 150 lbs calves 2450.00 per pair

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WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Kingsville, Sedalia, Butler)

Receipts: 3875 Week Ago: 3382 Year Ago: 2737

Compared to last, week feeder steers and heifers steady to 6.00 lower. Slaughter cows 3.00 lower to 2.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1&1-2

300-400 lbs.	188.00-224.00
400-500 lbs.	180.00-208.00
500-600 lbs.	160.00-186.00
600-700 lbs.	142.50-168.50
700-800 lbs.	152.00-156.00
800-900 lbs.	136.00-144.75

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs.	163.00-182.00
400-500 lbs.	156.50-181.00
500-600 lbs.	145.00-172.00
600-700 lbs.	140.00-153.25
700-800 lbs.	134.00-144.00
800-850 lbs.	126.50-132.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1220-2455 lbs 94.00-107.00, high dressing 106.00-112.50, low dressing 89.00-95.00.SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 77.00-86.50, high dressing 85.00-97.50. Lean (85-90) 74.00-83.50.COW & CALF PAIRS:

Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Scarce

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville, Macon)

Receipts: 4878 Week ago: 5311 Year ago: 3146

Compared to last week, feeder calves unevenly steady and yearlings not well tested. Slaughter cows steady to 5.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	200.00-226.00
400-500 lbs.	180.00-208.00
500-600 lbs.	160.00-193.00
600-700 lbs.	148.00-177.00
700-800 lbs.	136.00-158.00
800-900 lbs.	131.50-137.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	165.00-185.00
400-500 lbs.	160.00-174.00
500-600 lbs.	145.00-166.00
600-700 lbs.	136.50-154.50
700-800 lbs.	Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 115.00-124.00SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 75.00-88.00, high dressing 96.00. Lean (85-90% lean) 70.00-87.00.COWS & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 very high quality 2-5 yrs 900-1200 lbs with 100-200 lbs calves 2400.00-2800.00.SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1200-2000 lbs 95.00-103.00, high dressing 103.00-114.00.**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 1760 Week ago: 4032 Year ago: 2090

Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 17 Week ago: 36 Year ago: 0

Feeder steers under 700 lbs steady, over 700 lbs 2.00-6.00 lower. Feeder heifers steady. Slaughter cows steady. Slaughter steers and heifers steady.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	204.00-210.00
400-500 lbs.	185.00-205.00
500-600 lbs.	170.00-191.50
600-700 lbs.	166.00-178.50
700-800 lbs.	144.00-152.50
800-900 lbs.	140.00-143.10

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	178.50-189.00
400-500 lbs.	173.00-180.00
500-600 lbs.	156.00-161.00
600-700 lbs.	140.60-147.25
700-750 lbs.	143.85

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 1250-1350 lbs 117.00-118.75SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 83.50-89.50, low dressing 77.00-84.00.SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1150-1250 lbs 119.75-121.50SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1400-2200 lbs 95.00-102.50.COW & CALF PAIRS:

Medium 2 2 yrs 800-900 lbs with baby to 250 lbs calves 1675.00-1885.00 per pair.

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce.

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Farmington, Patton)

Receipts: 1773 Week ago: 1747 Year ago: 380

Compared to last week, 400-500 lbs heifers steady to 1.00 higher, rest of the offering 3.00-10.00 lower. Slaughter cows steady and bulls 1.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

250-300 lbs.	182.00-201.00
300-400 lbs.	177.00-211.00
400-500 lbs.	170.00-203.00
500-600 lbs.	159.00-183.00
600-700 lbs.	150.75-169.00
700-775 lbs.	135.00-151.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

250-300 lbs.	163.00-187.50
300-400 lbs.	160.00-187.50
400-500 lbs.	145.00-179.00
500-600 lbs.	139.00-161.00
600-700 lbs.	131.00-144.25
700-775 lbs.	120.00-132.50

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2 4-7 yrs 985-1385 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 1040.00-1275.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 83.00-87.50, high dressing 88.50-98.50. Lean (85-90% Lean) 68.00-75.50.COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 4-7 yrs 1150-1500 lbs with 110-200 lbs calves 1220.00-1600.00 per pair.SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1250-1850 lbs 96.50-103.00, high dressing 104.50-106.00.**SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 2403 Week ago: 1944 Year ago: 806

Compared to last week, steers and heifers under 450 lbs 2.00-12.00 lower, over 450 lbs steady to 4.00 lower although a few near 500 lbs firm to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 3.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	191.00-216.00
400-500 lbs.	176.00-208.00
500-600 lbs.	166.00-191.00
600-700 lbs.	155.00-170.00
700-800 lbs.	Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	167.50-188.00
400-500 lbs.	163.00-180.00
500-600 lbs.	156.00-170.00
600-700 lbs.	138.00-156.00
800-900 lbs.	118.50-132.00

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 3-8 yrs 1000-1375 lbs 1st-3rd stage 1000.00-1320.00 per head.SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 78.00-87.00, high dressing 83.00-92.25. Lean (85-90%) 70.00-83.00, low dressing 55.00-72.00COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 5-8 yrs 1000-1075 lbs bred back with 200-400 lbs calves 1460.00-1725.00 per pair.SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2175 lbs 95.50-106.50, high dressing 109.00-113.00**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

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

Trading inactive as of 8:00am Friday. Compared to last week no confirmed live or dressed sales as producers passing lower bids.

LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS:

60-80% Choice No Sales

DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS:

60-80% Choice No Sales

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid):

Choice 3 550-950 lbs No Sales

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts: 2794 Week ago: 4133 Year ago: 5602

Compared to last week, barrows and gilts 2.00 lower to 1.00 higher, sows 2.00 lower to 1.00 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS:

Base carcass meat price 74.00-78.00. Weekly top Fri. 78.00.

SOWS:300-500 lbs. 41.00-43.00
Over 500 lbs. 46.00-49.00

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

Receipts: 4964 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 4964 head, 10 lbs, 34.50-45.00, weighted average price 42.43; Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights delivered 100% 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	395.70	280.50	435.00	117.50
St. Louis	420.00	272.50	457.50	120.00

Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards Mexico 04/20/2012

Receipts: 290 Week Ago: 556 Last Year: 206 All Prices per cwt.
SHEEP: 173 head (prices per hundred weight) Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 1-2 pkg shorn 130 lbs 153.00, pkg and lot 52-60 lbs 232.00-234.00, pkg 72 lbs 210.00; Choice 2 pkgs 47-51 lbs 212.00-217.00. Feeder Lambs: Medium and Large 1 pkg 54 lbs 228.00; pkg 78 lbs 206.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 120-220 lbs 66.00-76.00 Slaughter Bucks: 125-260 lbs 62.00-92.00 **GOATS:** 117 head Slaughter Kids: Selection 1-2 pkg 47 lbs 252.00; Selection 3 42-47 lbs 204.00-228.00, two pkgs 32-37 lbs 160.00-168.00. Replacement Kids: Selection 3 thin pkg 37 lbs 140.00, pkg 48 lbs 96.00. Nannies: Selection 2-3 few 85-95 lbs 110.00-112.00; few 110-120 lbs 92.00-94.00, Nannies and Kids Units: few 58.00-84.00 per head.

**Springfield Livestock Marketing Center
Special Dairy Sale 4/24/2012**

Receipts: 412 Last Month: 712 Last Year: 783
Springer heifers bred 7-9 mos: Supreme 1250.00-1460.00; Approved 1120.00-1250.00; Medium 800.00-1075.00, Crossbred 825.00. Heifers bred 3-6 mos: Supreme 1290.00-1350.00; Approved 1000.00-1190.00, Crossbred 1175.00; Medium 925.00-990.00, Crossbred 775.00-1050.00. Heifers bred 1-3 mos: Approved 1000.00, Crossbred 1085.00; Medium 885.00. Open Heifers: Approved 100-170 lbs Crossbred 230.00-330.00, 150-190 lbs Jersey 270.00-370.00, 200-260 lbs 355.00-440.00, 330-370 lbs 480.00-530.00, 440-470 lbs 590.00-620.00, 500-600 lbs 630.00-680.00, Crossbred 550.00-640.00. Replacement Cows: Fresh Heifers and Cows Approved 1100.00; Medium 820.00-875.00, Crossbred 850.00-875.00. Springer Cows: Approved 1075.00-1160.00, Crossbred 1175.00; Medium Crossbred 935.00-1010.00, Jersey 810.00-930.00. Baby Calves: Holstein heifers 290.00, Crossbred heifer 230.00-240.00, Holstein bulls 170.00-200.00, Crossbred bulls 140.00-175.00, Jersey bulls 60.00-90.00.

Buffalo Livestock Market

Monthly Sheep and Goat Auction 04/24/2012

Receipts: 744 Last Month: 1053 Year Ago: 861
Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice 2-3 wooled nontraditional 50-60 lbs 210.00-240.00; 60-70 lbs 225.00-245.00; 70-80 lbs 202.00-205.00. Hair lambs: 50-60 lbs 205.00-235.00; 60-70 lbs 200.0-240.00; 70-80 lbs 212.50-215.00; 80-90 lbs 187.50-205.00. Feeder/stocker Lambs: Medium and Large 1-2 wooled 30-50 lbs 212.50-250.00. Hair 30-40 lbs 212.50-235.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 2-3 wooled 145-225 lbs 60.00-90.00. Bucks: wooled few at 180-215 lbs 52.00-60.00. Replacement Ewes: Medium and Large 1-2 wooled 125-205 lbs 65.00-100.00 Hair ewes: 100-175 lbs 94.00-135.00. **Goats:** Slaughter Classes: Kids: Selection 1 40-50 lbs 252.00-260.00; 50-60 lbs 260.00-265.00. Selection 2 40-50 lbs 225.00-240.00; 70-80 lbs 150.00-155.00. Selection 3 50-60 lbs 160.00-180.00. Does/Nannies: Selection 2 90-155 lbs 80.00-105.00. Billies: Selection 1-2 few at 98-200 lbs 100.00-120.00. Selection 3 75-130 lbs 82.50-115.00. Replacement Classes: Does/Nannies: Selection 1-2 few at 100-110 lbs 92.50-125.00. Stocker/Feeder Kids: Selection 2 15-19 lbs 114.00-255.00; 20-40 lbs 195.00-240.00. Selection 3 30-40 lbs 198.00-207.00; 40-50 lbs 192.50-225.00. Per cwt unless noted.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .06 to .50 higher, Wheat .21 to .27 higher, Corn .02 to .41 higher, KC Wheat .20 to .25 higher, Soybean Meal 4.40 to 21.40 higher.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
May	1437 1/4	1461 1/4	1473 1/2	1481 1/4	1496 3/4
Jul	1441	1465	1476	1480 1/4	1493 1/2
Aug	1426 1/2	1450 1/2	1458 1/2	1453 1/4	1466 3/4
Sep	1381 3/4	1398 3/4	1411	1402 1/4	1410
Nov	1341 3/4	1352	1370 1/2	1358 3/4	1362
Wheat					
May	625	624 1/2	616 1/2	626	642 1/4
Jul	632 1/2	632 1/2	626 1/2	635 1/2	650
Sep	648 1/4	647 1/2	641 3/4	648 3/4	662 3/4
Dec	672	671 1/4	665 3/4	671 3/4	684 1/4
Mar	691	689 1/2	683 1/4	688 1/2	700 1/4
Corn					
May	622 1/2	618 1/4	611	624	653
Jul	612 1/2	608	601	607 1/2	625 1/2
Sep	554 3/4	555 1/2	549	548 1/2	551
Dec	545 1/2	541 1/2	538	535	538 3/4
Mar	557	553	549 1/2	546 3/4	550 1/4
KC Wheat					
May	634	633	632	639 1/4	646 1/2
Jul	644 1/4	642 1/2	642	650	659
Sep	660	658 1/4	657 3/4	666	674 3/4
Dec	682 3/4	681 1/4	681 1/2	689 3/4	698 1/2
Mar	701	696 3/4	697	705	713
SB Meal					
May	399.80	412.10	413.90	419.60	427.40
Jul	403.40	415.70	417.20	421.80	428.40
Aug	398.40	410.80	712.00	412.30	418.00
Sep	381.90	390.60	394.80	392.80	397.60
Oct	361.40	368.20	373.20	371.00	373.90

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle 2.10 to 3.88 lower, Lean Hogs .20 to .80 lower, Feeder Cattle May .17 higher, others .325-3.90 lower.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Apr	119.80	116.80	118.50	118.07	118.45
Jun	114.57	111.57	112.27	112.37	112.85
Aug	118.60	115.60	116.00	115.45	115.55
Oct	124.45	121.45	121.85	120.52	120.72
Dec	127.02	124.02	124.35	122.95	123.45
Lean Hogs					
May	88.02	86.60	87.12	86.80	85.50
Jun	87.80	86.55	87.57	87.42	86.60
Jul	88.15	87.92	88.47	88.47	87.52
Aug	88.95	88.15	81.32	88.65	88.00
Oct	81.80	80.90	81.32	81.20	80.35
Fdr Cat					
Apr	149.42	148.40	148.85	149.10	148.77
May	150.85	147.85	148.60	148.57	152.07
Aug	154.22	151.22	152.17	151.55	153.20
Sep	155.92	152.92	153.62	152.97	154.47
Oct	156.75	153.77	154.80	154.05	155.97
Milk					
Apr	15.73	15.76	15.74	15.73	15.73
May	14.79	15.01	14.98	14.85	14.88
Jun	14.15	14.53	14.29	14.18	14.20

By-Product Feed Prices

Alfalfa Pellets 17%, St. Louis, MO 310.00; Corn Gluten Feed pelletted, 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 .38 to .55 higher
 Wheat .26 to .27 higher
 Corn .20 to .60 higher
 Grain Sorghum .63 to .72 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soy-beans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City				
Monday	14.44	6.05-6.10	6.44	10.41
Tuesday	14.68	6.05-6.10	6.39	10.32
Wednesday	14.79	5.97-6.02	6.29	10.20
Thursday	14.86	6.06-6.11	6.36	10.43
Friday	15.01	6.22-6.27	6.54	10.95
St. Louis				
Monday	14.60-14.62	6.48	6.50	10.76
Tuesday	14.85	6.48	6.44-6.45	10.70
Wednesday	14.97	6.40	6.36-6.39	10.46
Thursday	15.05-15.07	6.50	6.51-6.54	10.70
Friday	15.23	6.66	6.82-7.00	11.21
Central				
Monday	14.12-14.27	5.58-5.75	6.18-6.23	n/a
Tuesday	14.36-14.51	5.58-5.78	6.13-6.18	n/a
Wednesday	14.47-14.64	5.52-5.72	6.06-6.28	n/a
Thursday	14.51-14.68	5.76-5.81	6.13-6.15	n/a
Friday	14.65-14.72	5.90-5.95	6.31-6.33	n/a
S.E. MO				
Monday	14.51-14.55	6.30-6.40	6.34-6.43	n/a
Tuesday	14.74-14.81	6.30-6.39	6.29-6.38	n/a
Wednesday	14.75-14.98	6.22-6.31	6.22-6.31	n/a
Thursday	15.01	6.35-6.39	6.42-6.46	n/a
Friday	15.11-15.17	6.47-6.55	6.64-6.78	n/a

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

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Agricultural Summary Week Ending April 22, 2012

Cooler temperatures with scattered frost slowed all planting progress except rice remained well ahead of last year and the 5-year average (normal). State-wide there were 4.1 days **suitable for fieldwork**. **Topsoil moisture supply** was 1 percent very short, 10 percent short, 78 percent adequate, and 11 percent surplus. Although the southeast district received some much needed rainfall, it remained 44 percent short and very short compared to 37% short and very short last week. **Ground worked spring tillage** was 77 percent, 28 days ahead of last year, and 32 days ahead of normal. **Field Crops Report** Corn planted was 50 percent, 2 weeks ahead of last year, and 15 days ahead of normal. Corn emergence was 21 percent, 13 days ahead of last year, and 1 week ahead of normal. **Soybeans** planted were 4 percent, 13 days ahead of last year, and 12 days ahead of normal. **Cotton** planting was 6 percent, 17 days ahead of last year, and 2 days ahead of normal. **Rice** planting was 78 percent, 35 days ahead of last year, and 28 days ahead of normal. Likewise, at 45 percent rice emergence was 34 days ahead of last year, and 20 days ahead of normal. **Sorghum** planting was 9 percent complete, 22 days ahead of last year and 16 days ahead of normal. The south-central district was 69 percent complete, and the southeast was 27 percent complete. Winter **wheat headed and beyond** was 69 percent, 21 days ahead of last year, and 25 days ahead of normal. Winter wheat condition was 1 percent very poor, 4 percent poor, 25 percent fair, 52 percent good, and 18 percent excellent. The first cutting for **alfalfa hay** was 9 percent complete, 36 days ahead of last year and 23 days ahead of normal. **Other hay** was 5 percent cut, 26 days ahead of normal. **Pasture & Livestock Pasture condition** declined slightly from last week to 1 percent very poor, 4 percent poor, 26 percent fair, 56 percent good, and 13 percent excellent. **Weather Summary** **Temperatures** dropped 1 to 5 degrees below average. Weekly extreme highs hovered in the high 70's and nighttime average lows were in the 40's. **Precipitation** averaged 0.67 of an inch across the state. While the northern portion received a sprinkling, the southern half of the state received some much needed rainfall.