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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 21,616 Week ago: 21,140 Year ago: 22,878
 Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh) Hols. Large 3

| <u>Fdr. STEERS:</u> | | <u>Fdr. HEIFERS:</u> | | <u>Hols. STEERS</u> | |
|---------------------|--------|----------------------|--------|---------------------|--------|
| 271 lbs. | 221.78 | 368 lbs. | 181.43 | 351 lbs. | 128.59 |
| 371 lbs. | 207.47 | 458 lbs. | 170.71 | 452 lbs. | 128.25 |
| 455 lbs. | 194.73 | 543 lbs. | 160.41 | 595 lbs. | 119.00 |
| 545 lbs. | 180.56 | 648 lbs. | 148.94 | 647 lbs. | 115.93 |
| 649 lbs. | 163.87 | 738 lbs. | 136.70 | 728 lbs. | 115.68 |
| 743 lbs. | 152.14 | 836 lbs. | 129.22 | 834 lbs. | 110.74 |
| 845 lbs. | 143.27 | | | | |
| 963 lbs. | 130.25 | | | | |

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (West Plains)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 3304 Week ago: 2552 Year ago: 2580
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 1152 Week Ago: 1088 Year Ago: 868
 Compared to last week, steer calves mostly steady, yearlings 2.00-4.00 higher. Heifer calves and yearlings mostly 2.00-5.00 higher. Slaughter Cows Lean sold firm to 2.00 lower Boning and Breaking cows steady to 5.00 lower. Bulls steady to 2.00 higher.

| <u>STEERS:</u> | | <u>HEIFERS:</u> | |
|--------------------|---------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Medium and Large 1 | | Medium and Large 1 | |
| 350-400 lbs. | 196.00-210.00 | 300-400 lbs. | 175.00-187.50 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 187.00-203.00 | 400-450 lbs. | 174.00-187.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 176.50-193.00 | 450-500 lbs. | 168.00-176.00 |
| 650-700 lbs. | 152.00-160.00 | 500-600 lbs. | 158.00-167.00 |
| 700-800 lbs. | 150.00-154.00 | 600-700 lbs. | 136.00-147.00 |
| | | 700-800 lbs. | 132.75-139.00 |

| <u>Holsteins</u> | <u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u> |
|------------------|--|
| Large 3 | Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 80.00-88.00, high dressing 87.00-101.00, low dressing 75.00-80.00. Lean (85-90%) 76.50-86.50, low dressing 69.00-78.00 |
| Pkg 337 lbs. | 125.00 |
| Lot 438 lbs. | 128.50 |

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1275-2455 lbs 102.00-112.50, high dressing 110.50-117.50, couple ind's 120.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 few 2-6 yrs 1150-1300 lbs babies to 200 lb calves 1625.00-1800.00 per pair

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 4-7 yrs few short solids 950-1290 lbs 1st-3rd stage 1110.00-1325.00 per head.

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SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 5512 Week ago: 5468 Year ago: 6589
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 1545 Week ago: 1290 Year ago: 1323
 Compared to last week, steer calves steady to 5.00 higher, heifers calves steady to 2.00 higher. Yearlings steady. Slaughter cows 2.00-3.00 higher early week steady to 2.00 lower late week, bulls 2.00-3.00 higher.

| <u>STEERS:</u> | | <u>HEIFERS:</u> | |
|--------------------|---------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Medium and Large 1 | | Medium and Large 1 | |
| 300-400 lbs. | 197.00-215.00 | 300-400 lbs. | 171.00-183.00 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 179.00-210.00 | 400-500 lbs. | 158.00-180.50 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 163.50-189.00 | 500-600 lbs. | 148.00-169.50 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 155.00-182.00 | 600-700 lbs. | 140.00-150.00 |
| 700-800 lbs. | 140.00-159.00 | 700-800 lbs. | 135.00-136.00 |
| 800-900 lbs. | 133.50-144.50 | 800-900 lbs. | 125.00-130.00 |
| 900-1000 lbs. | 127.50-135.00 | | |

| <u>HOLSTEINS:</u> | <u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u> |
|-------------------|---|
| Large Frame 3 | Breaking and Boning 82.00-92.00, high dressing 87.00-107.00. Lean (85-90%) 74.00-86.50, low dressing 65.00-79.00. |
| 400-500 lbs. | 124.00-131.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 119.00 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 119.00-124.00 |
| 700-800 lbs. | 116.00-121.00 |
| 900-1000 lbs. | 110.00-115.00 |

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid, 2nd-3rd stage 1000 -1365 lbs 1110.00-1325.00 some better quality up to 1475.00 per head.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid, 915-1185 lbs cows with babies to 360 lbs calves, 1500-1650.00 per pair.

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 1779 Week ago: 2943 Year ago: 1225
 Compared to last week, steers steady, heifers steady to 5.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls mostly 2.00 higher.

| <u>FEEDER STEERS:</u> | | <u>FEEDER HEIFERS:</u> | |
|-----------------------|---------------|------------------------|---------------|
| Medium and Large 1 | | Medium and Large 1 | |
| 300-400 lbs. | Scarce | 300-400 lbs. | 181.00-190.00 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 190.00-212.00 | 400-500 lbs. | 163.00-185.75 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 177.00-190.00 | 500-600 lbs. | 150.50-167.00 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 158.25-168.00 | 600-700 lbs. | 145.50-158.40 |
| 700-800 lbs. | 147.25-158.00 | 700-800 lbs. | 145.00-148.50 |
| 800-900 lbs. | 144.25 | 800-900 lbs. | 137.00 |

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1100-2350 lbs 98.00-103.00, high dressing 105.00-112.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 82.00-86.25, high dressing 86.50-91.00. Lean (85-90% lean) 74.00-80.00.

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 7 yrs to short solid 1100-1300 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 1200.00-1375.00 per head.

COW-CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1 1200-1250 lbs first calf heifers 150-200 lb calves 2000.00 per pair.

WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Kingsville, Sedalia, Butler)

Receipts: 2992 Week Ago: 2316 Year Ago: 3455

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

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1&1-2

| | |
|--------------|---------------|
| 300-400 lbs. | 192.00-237.50 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 182.00-211.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 159.00-193.50 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 152.00-174.50 |
| 700-800 lbs. | 146.00-160.75 |
| 835-885 lbs. | 141.25-142.85 |

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

| | |
|--------------|---------------|
| 300-400 lbs. | 177.00-205.00 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 158.00-183.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 143.00-177.00 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 141.00-155.00 |
| 700-800 lbs. | 134.50-147.50 |
| 800-850 lbs. | 130.00-132.00 |

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1150-2305 lbs 98.00-108.00, high dressing 108.50-117.50, low dressing 68.00-97.50.**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 82.00-90.00, high dressing 89.00-100.00. Lean (85-90) 73.50-88.00.**COW & CALF PAIRS:**

Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Scarce

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville, Macon)

Receipts: 3178 Week ago: 3614 Year ago: 3461

Compared to last week, feeders steady to 5.00 higher, spots 5.00-10.00 higher on 500-700 lbs. calves. Slaughter cows steady to 5.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

| | |
|--------------|---------------|
| 350-400 lbs. | 201.00-223.00 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 185.00-217.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 165.00-193.00 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 155.00-173.00 |
| 700-750 lbs. | 147.00-157.25 |

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

| | |
|--------------|---------------|
| 300-400 lbs. | 172.00-192.00 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 165.00-179.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 150.00-173.00 |
| 600-650 lbs. | 141.00-152.50 |
| 775-835 lbs. | 136.00-136.85 |

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 120.50-124.75**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 82.00-92.00, high dressing 97.00. Lean (85-90% lean) 77.00-87.00.**COWS & CALF PAIRS:** Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2200 lbs 97.00-107.00, high dressing 107.00-117.00.**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 2197 Week ago: 4344 Year ago: 2536

Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 11 Week ago: 17 Year ago: 34

Feeder steers and heifers steady on available comparisons. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 lower. Slaughter steers steady to 1.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

| | |
|---------------|---------------|
| 300-400 lbs. | Scarce |
| 400-500 lbs. | 195.50-205.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | Scarce |
| 600-700 lbs. | Scarce |
| Load 749 lbs. | 151.00 |
| 800-900 lbs. | 148.25-148.35 |

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

| | |
|--------------|---------------|
| 300-400 lbs. | Scarce |
| 400-500 lbs. | Scarce |
| 500-600 lbs. | 162.25-167.75 |
| 600-700 lbs. | Scarce |
| 700-800 lbs. | 135.50-142.60 |
| 800-900 lbs. | Scarce |

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 1000-1300 lbs 114.25-118.75**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 84.50-90.00, low dressing 77.00-84.00.**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:**

Choice 2-3 Scarce

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2300 lbs 93.00-110.50.**COW & CALF PAIRS:**

Medium and Large 1-2 3-6 yrs 1050-1250 lbs with baby to 200 lb calves 2000.00-2125.00 per pair.

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2 3-6 yrs 1050-1350 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage, 1225.00-1425.00 per head.

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Farmington, Patton)

Receipts: 1451 Week ago: 1562 Year ago: 757

Compared to last week, feeders uneven from 5.00 lower to 5.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls steady.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

| | |
|--------------|---------------|
| 300-400 lbs. | 208.00-235.00 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 173.00-214.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 171.00-201.00 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 160.00-185.50 |
| 700-800 lbs. | 143.00-164.50 |
| 825-850 lbs. | 131.50-151.50 |

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

| | |
|--------------|---------------|
| 250-300 lbs. | 178.00-189.00 |
| 300-400 lbs. | 154.50-192.00 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 155.00-180.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 140.00-161.00 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 125.00-153.00 |
| 700-775 lbs. | 121.50-138.00 |

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2 4-7 yrs 975-1565 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 1085.00-1320.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 79.50-88.50, high dressing 88.50-95.00. Lean (85-90% Lean) 70.00-75.50.**COW & CALF PAIRS:** Medium and Large 1-2 4-6 yrs 1135-1450 lbs 110-190 lb calves 1425.00-1700.00 per pair.**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield Grade 1-2 1145-2290 lbs 98.00-102.50, high dressing 105.50-115.00.**SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 2201 Week ago: 1684 Year ago: 2125

Compared to last week, steers under 500 lbs steady to 4.00 lower, steers over 500 lbs and all heifers steady to 5.00 higher. Slaughter cows sold steady.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

| | |
|--------------|---------------|
| 300-400 lbs. | 204.00-219.00 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 185.00-213.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 166.00-190.00 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 157.00-180.00 |
| 700-800 lbs. | 147.50-159.50 |

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

| | |
|--------------|---------------|
| 300-400 lbs. | 175.00-186.00 |
| 400-500 lbs. | 164.00-181.00 |
| 500-600 lbs. | 156.00-174.00 |
| 600-700 lbs. | 149.00-163.00 |

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-5 yrs 1100-1400 lbs 1st-2nd stage 1150.00-1260.00 per head.**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 79.00-88.00, high dressing 86.00-90.00. Lean (85-90%) 74.00-84.00, low dressing 52.50-75.00.**COW & CALF PAIRS:** Medium and Large 1-2 scarce**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2200 lbs 104.00-110.00, high dressing 113.00-115.00.**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 waiting for higher bids.

LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS:

60-80% Choice 122.50 fob late last Friday.

DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS:

60-80% Choice few 191.00-193.00 late last Friday.

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid):

Choice 3 550-950 lbs No Sales.

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts: 2607 Week ago: 2714 Year ago: 4961

Compared to last week, barrows and gilts 1.00-4.00 lower, sows 1.00-2.00 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS:

Base carcass meat price 70.00-74.00. Weekly top Friday 74.00.

SOWS:300-500 lbs. 41.00-44.00
Over 500 lbs. 46.00-47.00

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

Receipts: 4750 Weaner prices steady. No feeder pig sales reported. Supply and demand moderate. Price per head. Early weaned pigs 10 lb. base weights for the farm 0% negotiated 3950 head, 10 lbs, 34.50-45.00, weighted average price 41.18; Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights delivered 100% negotiated, no sales reported. Feeder pigs in all lot sizes, delivered 100% negotiated, 800 head, 40 lbs, 55.00. 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 | 403.30 | 300.00 | 457.00 | 130.00 |
| St. Louis | 449.50 | 307.50 | 465.00 | 140.00 |

Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards Mexico 05/03/2012

Receipts: 569 Week Ago: 391 Last Year: 273 All Prices per cwt.
SHEEP: Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 1-3 105-115 lbs 140.00-154.00, Non-Traditional 70-90 lbs 154.00-174.00, 50-70 lbs 174.00-194.00, 40-50 lbs 178.00-198.00, pkg 48 lbs 200.00. Feeder Lambs: Small and Medium 1-2 lot 45 lbs 200.00; two pkgs 30 lbs 170.00-200.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 2-3 few 125-150 lbs 54.00-72.00 Replacement Ewes: two pkgs 130-160 lbs 60.00-68.00, pkg Hair 123 lbs 148.00. Slaughter Bucks: few 180-245 lbs 60.00-68.00. **GOATS:** Slaughter Kids: Selection 1-2 few 45-55 lbs 180.00, pkg 74 lbs 192.00 Selection 2-3 40-45 lbs 152.00-162.00, pkg 47 lbs 168.00. Nannies: Selection 2-3 80-120 lbs 95.00-98.00, lot 148 lbs 86.00 Selection 3 thin 80-90 lbs 83.00-90.00 Billies: Selection 2-3 few 165-195 lbs 81.00-91.00.

**Norwood-Producers Auction Yard
Special Dairy Sale 5/10/2012**

Receipts: 529 Last Month: 1061 Last Year: 996
 Springer Heifers bred 7-9 months: Supreme -1500.00-1550.00, Crossbreds 1400.00-1450.00; Approved 1300.00-1450.00, Crossbreds ind 1325.00; Medium 1100.00-1275.00, Crossbreds 950.00-1175.00, Jerseys 875.00-1050.00. Heifers bred 4-6 months: Supreme 1400.00-1475.00; Approved 1185.00-1425.00; Medium 1075.00-1225.00. Heifers bred 1-4 months: Supreme couple 1370.00; Approved 1175.00-1300.00. Open Heifers: Approved 300-400 lbs 570.00-650.00, 400-425 lbs 600.00-685.00, 500-570 lbs 700.00-735.00, 600-700 lbs 800.00-860.00, 700-800 lbs 850.00-945.00. Replacement Cows: Fresh Cows: Approved ind 1185.00, ind Crossbred 1250.00; Medium ind 1050.00. Baby Calves: Crossbred heifers - 200.00-240.00, small 170.00-220.00, Jersey heifers - ind 195.00; small ind 130.00, Holstein bulls - 165.00-230.00, small 160.00-170.00, Crossbred bulls - 160.00-200.00, ind 240.00, small 85.00-115.00, Jersey bulls - 75.00-100.00, ind 180.00

Diamond- TS Whites

Monthly Sheep and Goat Auction 05/03/2012

Receipts: 1426 Last Month: 1943 Year Ago: 1015
Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice 2-3 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 200.00-240.00; 70-80 lbs 212.50-215.00; 80-90 lbs 187.50-205.00. Feeder/stocker Lambs: Medium and Large 1-2 woolled 30-50 lbs 212.50-250.00. Hair 30-40 lbs 212.50-235.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 2-3 woolled 145-225 lbs 60.00-90.00. Hair Ewes: 85-150 lbs 76.00-116.00. Bucks: woolled few at 180-215 lbs 52.00-60.00. Hair bucks: horned 95-125 lbs 100.00-140.00. Replacement Ewes: Medium and Large 1-2 woolled 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. Selection 3 73-108 lbs 60.00-105.00. Billies: Selection 1-2 few at 98-200 lbs 100.00-120.00. Selection 3 75-130 lbs 82.50-115.00. 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 .45 to .72 lower, Wheat .11 to .13 lower, Corn .19 to .54 lower, KC Wheat .12 to .17 lower, Soybean Meal 9.60-24.10 lower.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

| | Mon. | Tues. | Wed. | Thu. | Fri. |
|-----------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Soybeans | | | | | |
| May | 1463 1/2 | 1437 3/4 | 1427 3/4 | 1452 1/4 | 1404 |
| Jul | 1465 3/4 | 1438 1/4 | 1430 1/4 | 1455 1/4 | 1406 |
| Aug | 1448 3/4 | 1425 1/4 | 1416 1/4 | 1441 3/4 | 1393 1/2 |
| Sep | 1386 1/2 | 1371 1/4 | 1363 | 1387 | 1350 3/4 |
| Nov | 1353 1/2 | 1340 1/2 | 1333 1/2 | 1359 | 1350 3/4 |
| Wheat | | | | | |
| May | 606 1/4 | 609 | 591 1/4 | 594 3/4 | 592 3/4 |
| Jul | 612 | 615 | 600 | 601 1/4 | 597 |
| Sep | 626 3/4 | 629 | 614 3/4 | 616 1/2 | 611 3/4 |
| Dec | 651 | 652 1/2 | 639 | 640 3/4 | 635 1/2 |
| Mar | 673 1/2 | 673 3/4 | 661 1/2 | 663 1/4 | 657 1/2 |
| Corn | | | | | |
| May | 665 | 666 | 641 1/4 | 625 1/2 | 608 |
| Jul | 620 | 623 | 604 1/4 | 587 1/2 | 581 |
| Sep | 533 1/4 | 538 | 527 | 513 1/2 | 511 1/4 |
| Dec | 524 3/4 | 528 | 516 3/4 | 507 1/4 | 505 1/4 |
| Mar | 536 3/4 | 539 1/2 | 527 3/4 | 519 | 517 |
| KC Wheat | | | | | |
| May | 619 1/4 | 625 | 608 | 609 1/2 | 601 |
| Jul | 631 1/2 | 636 | 619 | 617 1/2 | 610 |
| Sep | 647 | 651 1/2 | 634 1/4 | 633 1/4 | 626 |
| Dec | 670 1/4 | 675 1/4 | 658 | 657 1/2 | 650 1/2 |
| Mar | 686 1/4 | 689 1/2 | 672 1/2 | 672 3/4 | 665 1/2 |
| SB Meal | | | | | |
| May | 425.20 | 416.60 | 414.90 | 423.90 | 411.00 |
| Jul | 426.50 | 417.30 | 416.00 | 424.60 | 408.50 |
| Aug | 418.20 | 408.90 | 406.50 | 416.60 | 401.00 |
| Sep | 395.70 | 389.50 | 387.50 | 397.90 | 389.00 |
| Oct | 378.20 | 374.30 | 375.60 | 385.80 | 376.30 |

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle .22 to 1.65 lower, Lean Hogs uneven from .28 lower to 1.80 higher, Feeder Cattle .17 to 2.85 lower.

Daily Futures Closes

| | Mon. | Tues. | Wed. | Thu. | Fri. |
|------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Cattle | | | | | |
| Jun | 116.27 | 115.77 | 116.60 | 115.85 | 115.15 |
| Aug | 118.80 | 118.45 | 118.92 | 118.60 | 117.70 |
| Oct | 124.15 | 123.65 | 124.22 | 123.37 | 122.60 |
| Dec | 127.47 | 126.82 | 127.17 | 126.52 | 125.50 |
| Feb | 128.87 | 128.10 | 128.65 | 128.05 | 127.10 |
| Lean Hogs | | | | | |
| May | 80.05 | 80.25 | 80.07 | 79.80 | 79.52 |
| Jun | 84.40 | 84.30 | 84.85 | 84.50 | 85.30 |
| Jul | 85.20 | 84.57 | 85.25 | 87.77 | 85.15 |
| Aug | 79.75 | 85.60 | 85.75 | 85.30 | 85.65 |
| Oct | 78.22 | 78.95 | 79.37 | 78.75 | 79.15 |
| Fdr Cat | | | | | |
| May | 152.77 | 151.37 | 150.65 | 150.35 | 149.70 |
| Aug | 159.45 | 158.77 | 158.90 | 158.90 | 157.47 |
| Sep | 160.55 | 159.77 | 159.82 | 159.97 | 158.62 |
| Oct | 161.66 | 160.92 | 160.95 | 161.35 | 160.00 |
| Nov | 161.90 | 161.60 | 161.37 | 162.17 | 160.57 |
| Milk | | | | | |
| May | 15.17 | 15.09 | 15.12 | 15.24 | 15.26 |
| Jun | 14.26 | 14.25 | 14.38 | 14.42 | 14.89 |
| Jul | 14.27 | 14.27 | 14.35 | 14.54 | 14.89 |

By-Product Feed Prices

Alfalfa Pellets 17%, St. Louis, MO 303.00; Corn Gluten Feed pelleted, Baring, MO 190.00; Distillers Grain Dried, Kansas City, MO 222.00; Soy Hulls Mexico, MO 150.00. Prices per ton.

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .63 to .90 lower
 Wheat .08 to .13 lower
 Corn .34 to .53 lower
 Grain Sorghum .70 to .75 lower

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

| Area | #1 Soy-beans | #2 Soft Wheat | #2 Corn | #2 Grain Sorghum |
|--------------------|--------------|---------------|-----------|------------------|
| Kansas City | | | | |
| Monday | 14.62 | 5.87 | 6.53 | 10.36 |
| Tuesday | 14.34 | 5.90 | 6.61 | 10.41 |
| Wednesday | 14.26 | 5.75 | 6.45 | 10.26 |
| Thursday | 14.51 | 5.76 | 6.26 | 9.76 |
| Friday | 14.02 | 5.72 | 6.19 | 9.66 |
| St. Louis | | | | |
| Monday | 14.88-14.89 | 6.28 | 6.80-6.88 | 10.53 |
| Tuesday | 14.61-14.62 | 6.30 | 6.88-6.91 | 10.59 |
| Wednesday | 14.50 | 6.15 | 6.65-6.66 | 10.30 |
| Thursday | 14.71 | 6.17 | 6.36-6.37 | 9.89 |
| Friday | 14.11-14.21 | 6.17 | 6.26-6.29 | 9.80 |
| Central | | | | |
| Monday | 14.37-14.51 | *5.37-5.57 | 6.38-6.45 | n/a |
| Tuesday | 14.09-14.28 | *5.40-5.60 | 6.41-6.48 | n/a |
| Wednesday | 14.01-14.20 | *5.25-5.45 | 6.25-6.32 | n/a |
| Thursday | 14.26-14.45 | *5.26-5.46 | 6.06-6.13 | n/a |
| Friday | 13.77-13.96 | *5.22-5.42 | 5.99-6.06 | n/a |
| S.E. MO | | | | |
| Monday | 14.75-14.83 | 6.11-6.21 | 6.51-6.67 | n/a |
| Tuesday | 14.48-14.55 | 6.18-6.24 | 6.54-6.70 | n/a |
| Wednesday | 14.40-14.44 | 6.03-6.10 | 6.38-6.52 | n/a |
| Thursday | 14.55-14.69 | 6.11-6.16 | 6.12-6.16 | n/a |
| Friday | 13.96-14.11 | 6.04-6.12 | 6.05-6.15 | n/a |

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Agricultural Summary-Week ending 05/06/2012

Spring showers poured down on the western and northern districts, halting fieldwork and reducing the state-wide days suitable for fieldwork to 3.4. Although the dry south-central and southeast districts had nearly a week suitable for fieldwork, inundated by rain, the northeast had no days suitable, and the north-central district had only 1.5 days suitable. **Topsoil moisture** supply was 5 percent very short, 12 percent short, 58 percent adequate, and 25 percent surplus. The northeast district reported 65 percent surplus, but the south-central and southeast districts were over 70 percent short and very short. **Ground worked spring tillage** was 88 percent, nearly a month ahead of last year and normal (5-year average). **Field Crops Report Corn** planted increased 9 points from last week to 84 percent, 13 days ahead of last year, and 18 days ahead of normal. Corn emergence was 60 percent, 13 days ahead of last year, and 17 days ahead of normal. **Soybeans** planted were 16 percent, 1 week ahead of last year, and 10 days ahead of normal. Soybean emergence was 5 percent, 12 days ahead of last year and normal. **Cotton** planted was 49 percent, 11 days ahead of last year, and 6 days ahead of normal. **Rice** planting was nearly complete, one month ahead of last year and normal. Emergence was 81 percent, 1 month ahead of last year, and over 3 weeks ahead of normal. Rice condition was 7 percent poor, 34 percent fair, and 59 percent good. **Sorghum** planted was 26 percent, 23 days ahead of last year, and 17 days ahead of normal. **Winter wheat** headed and beyond was 94 percent, 22 days ahead of last year, and 25 days ahead of normal. Wheat turning color was 15 percent, 13 days ahead of last year, and 17 days ahead of normal. All districts developed well ahead of historic norms. **Wheat** condition was 1 percent very poor, 6 percent poor, 24 percent fair, 52 percent good, and 17 percent excellent. Hot, dry conditions in the southeast district reduced wheat condition. **Alfalfa hay** 1st cutting was 32 percent, 26 days ahead of last year and 22 days ahead of normal. Other hay cut was 14 percent, 26 days ahead of last year, and 20 days ahead of normal. High humidity slowed hay drying across some parts of the state. **Pasture & Livestock** Pasture condition was 1 percent very poor, 5 percent poor, 27 percent fair, 54 percent good, and 13 percent excellent. **Weather Summary** Hot weather returned across the state with average temperatures 12 to 15 degrees above normal. Precipitation averaged 1.63 inches with Monroe, Vernon, Howard, and Barton counties receiving over 4.00 inches.