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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT WEEK ENDING

Receipts: 21,554 Week ago: 22,647 Year ago: 30,571

Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh) Hols. Large 3

<u>Fdr. STEERS:</u>		<u>Fdr. HEIFERS:</u>		<u>Hols. STEERS</u>	
362 lbs.	200.60	367 lbs.	170.84	448 lbs.	116.51
455 lbs.	185.60	456 lbs.	163.22	549 lbs.	114.22
556 lbs.	175.12	549 lbs.	158.86	648 lbs.	105.82
656 lbs.	165.18	648 lbs.	151.81	743 lbs.	104.64
751 lbs.	157.92	743 lbs.	145.00	828 lbs.	98.28
845 lbs.	150.12	848 lbs.	136.77	959 lbs.	85.00
968 lbs.	131.90	933 lbs.	129.61	1091 lbs.	95.50

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(West Plains, Ava)

Receipts: 4584 Week ago: 4198 Year ago: 6886

Compared to last week, steers and heifer mostly steady to 4.00 higher. Some uneven spots, with limited sales up to 6.00 higher, and others noted as 2.00 lower. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 higher.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	190.00-200.00	300-400 lbs.	165.00-168.00
400-500 lbs.	179.00-197.00	400-500 lbs.	154.00-173.00
500-600 lbs.	164.50-185.00	500-600 lbs.	150.00-162.50
600-700 lbs.	151.00-173.00	600-700 lbs.	142.00-159.00
700-800 lbs.	148.50-157.00	700-800 lbs.	137.00-139.00
800-900 lbs.	147.00-148.50		

<u>Holsteins:</u>		<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>	
Large Frame 3		Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 78.00-88.50, high dressing 85.00-93.00, low dressing 75.00-82.00. Lean (85-90%) 73.50-83.00, high dressing 78.50-86.00, low dressing 65.00-72.50	
100-200 lbs.	142.50		
600-700 lbs.	98.50-106.50		
700-800 lbs.	92.50-99.00		

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1215-2360 lbs 95.00-105.50, high dressing 104.00-119.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 5-7 yrs 900-1450 lbs with baby to 280 lbs calves 1525.00-1900.00

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 3-7 yrs 1080-1495 lbs 3rd stage 1425.00-1875.00, some short and solid 2nd-3rd stage 1000.00-1425.00

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 6063 Week ago: 4564 Year ago: 6921

Cow and Bull Receipts: 839 Week ago: 840 Year ago: 2006

Compared to last week, feeder calves sold steady and yearlings sold 2.00 to 5.00 higher. Holsteins sold steady to 2.00 lower. Slaughter cows and bulls 1.00 to 2.00 higher.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
400-500 lbs.	174.00-197.00	400-500 lbs.	156.00-179.00
500-600 lbs.	166.00-183.50	500-600 lbs.	149.00-164.00
600-700 lbs.	150.00-177.00	600-700 lbs.	140.50-159.50
700-800 lbs.	149.25-162.50	700-800 lbs.	134.00-148.00
800-900 lbs.	143.00-155.50	800-900 lbs.	131.50-143.25

<u>HOLSTEINS:</u>		<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>	
Large Frame 3		Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 82.00-89.00, high dressing 88.00-94.00, few up to 100.50. Lean (85-90% lean) 72.50-79.50	
400-500 lbs.	115.00-133.00		
500-600 lbs.	115.00-119.00		
600-700 lbs.	105.00-111.00		
700-800 lbs.	95.50-110.00		
800-900 lbs.	99.75		
900-1000 lbs.	85.50		

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid 2nd-3rd stage 1075-1380 lbs 1185.00-1450.00 per head

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-4 yrs 970-1130 lbs with baby to 325 lbs calves, few rebred 1600.00-1860.00 per pair

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 370 Week ago: 2019 Year ago: 1929

Compared to last week, feeders sold steady to firm. Slaughter cows sold steady.

<u>FEEDER STEERS:</u>		<u>FEEDER HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	200.00-208.50	400-500 lbs.	160.75-178.00
400-500 lbs.	188.00-200.00	500-600 lbs.	157.00-162.50
500-600 lbs.	170.50-182.00	600-700 lbs.	147.25-153.25
600-700 lbs.	166.00	700-800 lbs.	146.25
700-800 lbs.	165.25		

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1500-2200 lbs 93.00-100.00, low dressing 88.00-92.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 78.00-83.00, high dressing 84.00-85.50 Lean (85-90% lean) 73.00-78.00

BRED COWS: Scarce

COW-CALF PAIRS: Scarce

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WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville, Butler)

Receipts: 3367 Week Ago: 1331 Year Ago: 4823

Compared to last week, feeders steady to 5.00 higher. Slaughter cows 2.00 to 4.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

400-500 lbs.	174.25-190.00
500-600 lbs.	169.00-183.00
600-700 lbs.	161.50-174.75
700-800 lbs.	149.00-168.50
800-900 lbs.	141.75-155.85
900-1000 lbs.	131.75

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	161.00-176.00
400-500 lbs.	156.00-175.00
500-600 lbs.	152.00-168.00
600-700 lbs.	145.00-156.00
700-800 lbs.	139.00-152.50
800-900 lbs.	128.50-141.25
900-1000 lbs.	125.75-131.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield
Grade 1-2 1230-2130 lbs. 95.00-105.00, high dressing 103.00-111.00SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 81.00-89.00, high dressing 86.50-102.00 Lean (85-90) 73.00-86.00COW & CALF PAIRS: ScarceREPLACEMENT COWS:
Scarce**EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Macon, Boonville)

Receipts: 3634 Week ago: 3657 Year ago: 3058

Compared to last week steers and heifers firm to 10.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

400-500 lbs.	170.00-215.00
500-600 lbs.	165.00-195.00
600-700 lbs.	160.00-180.50
700-800 lbs.	148.00-173.00
800-850 lbs.	140.00-156.25

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

350-400 lbs.	164.00-182.00
400-500 lbs.	158.00-172.50
500-600 lbs.	148.00-168.75
600-700 lbs.	145.00-168.00
700-750 lbs.	141.00-156.00

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 124.00-127.00SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 82.50-91.50, high dressing 89.00-99.00. Lean (85-90% lean) 75.00-85.00BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1 3-7 yrs 1100-1600 lbs blk hided 2nd and 3rd stage 1500.00-2000.00 per head.SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1200-2200 lbs 97.00-107.00, high dressing 107.00-114.00**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 112 Week ago: 3427 Year ago: 1072

Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 13 Week ago: 48 Year ago: 35

Feeders not well tested. Slaughter cows steady. Slaughter steers and heifers steady

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

400-500 lbs.	Scarce
500-600 lbs.	Scarce
600-700 lbs.	Scarce
700-800 lbs.	Scarce
800-900 lbs.	Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	Scarce
500-600 lbs.	Scarce
600-700 lbs.	Scarce
700-800 lbs.	Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS:
Choice 2-3 1200-1350 lbs. 123.25-125.50SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 82.00-90.00. high dressing up to 95.50SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:
ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1450-2050 lbs 104.00-105.50COW & CALF PAIRS: ScarceREPLACEMENT COWS:
Scarce**SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Farmington, Patton)

Receipts: 1519 Week ago: 1044 Year ago: 2335

Compared to last week, feeders sold steady to 6.00 higher, except 400-500 lbs heifers sold 3.00 lower. Slaughter cows and bulls sold steady.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	180.00-215.00
400-500 lbs.	168.50-193.00
500-600 lbs.	155.00-181.00
600-700 lbs.	144.00-169.50
700-800 lbs.	141.00-150.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	160.00-176.00
400-500 lbs.	150.00-167.00
500-575 lbs.	145.00-159.00
600-700 lbs.	139.75-157.00
700-800 lbs.	135.00-144.50

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2 3 yrs to short and solid 1040-1440 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 1060.00-1490.00 per head

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 75.00-83.50, high dressing 82.00-89.50. Lean (85-90% lean) 65.50-75.00COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium 1-2 4-7 yrs 890-1220 lbs with 160-310 lbs calves 1475.00-2050.00 per pairSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1135-2135 lbs 92.50-100.00, high dressing 101.50-105.50**SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 2851 Week ago: 2130 Year ago: 4235

Compared to last week feeder steers and heifers steady to 6.00 higher with a few steers under 400 lbs 6.00 to 12.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	200.00-224.00
400-500 lbs.	175.00-199.00
500-600 lbs.	163.00-191.00
600-700 lbs.	157.50-170.00
700-800 lbs.	148.50-168.00
800-900 lbs.	144.00-154.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

350-400 lbs.	162.00-174.00
400-500 lbs.	151.50-164.50
500-600 lbs.	153.00-164.50
600-700 lbs.	144.50-165.50
700-800 lbs.	136.50-148.00

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 4 yrs to short and solid 1150-1450 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 1250.00-1535.00SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 76.50-84.00, high dressing 85.00-90.50. Lean (85-90%) 72.00-77.50COW & CALF PAIRS: ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1200-2100 lbs, 94.50-103.00**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

Weekly Receipts: 0 Week ago: 200 Year ago: 600

Compared to last week, no confirmed live or dressed sales.

LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS:

No Sales

DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS:

No Sales

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid):

No Sales

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts: 2138 Week ago: 3438 Year ago: 3493

Compared to last week, barrows and gilts 5.00 to 7.00 lower. Sow cash prices 5.00 to 7.00 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS:

Base carcass meat price 86.00-90.00, Weekly top Wed 92.00.

SOWS:300-500 lbs. 60.00-65.00
Over 500 lbs. 66.00-68.00

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

Receipts: 3250 Compared to last week, weaner pig sales were mostly steady, no feeder pig sales were reported. Supply and demand moderate. Prices per head. Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights for the farm 0% negotiated, 1270 head, 10 lbs, 36.50. Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights, delivered 46% negotiated, 2250 head 10 lbs 36.50-45.00, weighted average 41.03. No feeder pig sales reported.

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

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	451.80	372.50	451.00	130.00
St. Louis	492.00	357.50	485.00	143.50

Mexico—Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards 08/22/2013

Receipts: 737 Week Ago: 367 Last Year: 656 All Prices per cwt. Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 2-3 60-80 lbs 120.00-130.00, two pkgs 65-70 lbs 134.00; few 90-95 lbs 109.00-112.00; few 120-135 lbs 100.00-104.50. Good and Choice 1-2 pkg 60 lbs 109.00 and pkg 70 lbs 91.50. Feeder Lamb: Medium and Large 1-2 49-56 lbs 122.00-128.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 1-3 120-180 lbs 34.00-50.00. Replacement Ewes: Medium and Large 1-2 lot 2-3yrs 155 lbs 50.00 and pkg yearlings 137 lbs 68.00. Slaughter Bucks: 135-240 lbs 50.00-55.00, few 70.00-74.00. GOATS Slaughter Kids: Selection 1-2 few 60-70 lbs 154.00-162.00, few 85-95 lbs 130.00-136.00. Nannies: Selection 1-2 few 120-150 lbs 81.00-91.00 Selection 2-3 100-170 lbs 69.00-89.00. Replacement Nannies: Selection 1-3 60-90 lbs 111.00-116.00, 100-160 lbs 125.00-135.00 per head. Billies: Selection 2-3 110-210 lbs 107.00-112.00.

Norwood Producers Auction Yard Dairy sale 08/08/2013

Receipts: 217 Last Month: 374 Year Ago: 677

Springer heifers bred 7-9 Supreme Indiv 1200.00, Indiv Jersey 1090.00, Pair Crossbreds 1250.00-1310.00; Approved 925.00-1150.00, Jerseys 885.00-1080.00, Crossbreds 975.00-1050.00. Heifers bred 4-6 months: Supreme 1150.00-1170.00, Crossbreds 1000.00-1180.00, Indiv Crossbred 1300.00; Approved 835.00- 900.00, Few Crossbreds 580.00-710.00. Open heifers: Approved and Medium: 200-600 lbs Few 300.00-590.00, 600-700 lbs 620.00- 810.00, 700-800 lbs Package of 7 at 807 lbs 860.00. Fresh and open milking cows: Approved Indiv 1125.00; Medium Pair 750.00-800.00; Common 600.00- 690.00. Springer cows: Supreme 1200.00-1250.00; Approved- Few 1050.00-1125.00, Pair Crossbreds 880.00-1025.00. Baby calves: Holstein heifers 105.00-125.00; Holstein bulls 105.00-150.00, Small 40.00- 90.00; Jersey bulls 40.00-65.00; Crossbred heifers 90.00-110.00; Crossbred bulls 85.00-135.00, Pair Small 35.00- 55.00; Beef cross bulls 75.00-195.00.

Highlandville Mo.-CRS Sale's Co. Sheep and Goat Sale for 08-15-13

Receipts: 462 Last Month: 818 Year ago: 821

Sheep- Slaughter Lambs:60-100 lbs 82.50-92.50, hair 60-70 lbs 100.00-135.00; hair 70-80 lbs 85.00-130.00; hair 80-90 lbs 87.50-100.00; 106-139 lbs 90.00-100.00. Stocker/Feeder Lambs: Medium 1-2 hair 30-40 lbs 115.00-125.00; 40-50 lbs 110.00-115.00; 50-60 lbs 90.00-127.50. Ewes: Medium and Large 1-2 hair 88-115 lbs 50.00-75.00. Replacement Ewes: Good 2-3 hair 65-115 lbs 65.00-115.00. Bucks: hair 125-140 lbs 85.00-100.00. Goats- Slaughter Classes: Kids: Selection 1 40-60 lbs 150.00-170.00; Selection 1-2 60-70 lbs 140.00 -150.00; 70-80 lbs 110.00-140.00; Selection 2 50-60 lbs 130.00-135.00; 80-90 lbs 100.00-120.00. Does/Nannies: Selection 2 80-135 lbs 85.00-115.00; Selection 3 60-85 lbs 60.00-85.00. Billies: Selection 1-2 85-105 lbs 80.00-82.50; Selection 3 80-165 lbs 50.00-70.00. Replacement Nannies: Selection 1-2 70-125 lbs 95.00-145.00. Replacement Billies: Selection 1 80-135 lbs 95.00-130.00. Feeder/stocker kids: Selection 2 20-30 lbs 155.00-185.00; 30-40 lbs 160.00-180.00; 40-50 lbs 140.00-155.00; Selection 3 20-30 lbs 105.00-135.00; 30-40 lbs 85.00-130.00; 40-60 lbs 110.00-120.00.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .55 to .82 higher, Wheat unchanged to .03, Corn .05 to .22 higher, KC Wheat .05 to .07 lower, Soybean Meal 24.40 to 32.40 higher.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
Sep	1322	1309 1/4	1333	1322	1365 1/4
Nov	1302 1/4	1290 1/2	1304	1286 3/4	1328
Jan	1304 3/4	1291 3/4	1305 1/2	1288 1/2	1328 1/2
Mar	1279	1271	1281 1/2	1269 1/4	1305 1/4
May	1251	1245 1/2	1254 1/4	1244 1/2	1275 3/4
Wheat					
Sep	641 1/2	634 1/4	638 3/4	630 1/2	634 1/2
Dec	653 1/2	646	649 1/4	640 1/2	646
Mar	666 1/4	657 1/2	660 3/4	652 1/4	658
May	672 3/4	664	667	659 1/2	665
Jul	669	661 3/4	662 1/2	655	660 1/2
Corn					
Sep	493 1/4	483 3/4	498	487 1/2	495 1/2
Dec	485 1/2	475 1/2	483 1/4	464 1/2	470
Mar	497 3/4	488 1/2	495 3/4	477	482 1/4
May	505 1/2	496 1/2	503	485	490 1/4
Jul	510 3/4	502 1/4	509	490 3/4	495 3/4
KC Wheat					
Sep	703 1/4	696 3/4	699 1/2	694 1/4	695 1/2
Dec	707 1/4	699 1/4	701 3/4	695	697 1/4
Mar	713 3/4	706 3/4	708 1/2	701 1/2	704 3/4
May	717 1/2	710 1/2	711 1/2	704 1/4	708 1/4
Jul	707 1/4	700 3/4	702	694 3/4	697 1/2
SB Meal					
Sep	420.30	413.80	421.50	413.30	433.20
Oct	407.60	404.80	409.90	402.30	421.00
Dec	404.20	402.00	408.10	400.30	419.50
Jan	402.90	400.70	406.80	399.80	418.20
Mar	392.10	391.50	396.20	392.10	407.30

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle .75 to 1.22 lower, Lean Hogs .42 to 1.62 lower, Feeder Cattle Aug .23 higher, others .78 to 1.22 lower.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Aug	123.65	123.85	124.15	123.35	123.10
Oct	128.07	128.15	127.97	127.20	126.70
Dec	130.45	130.57	130.47	129.72	129.22
Feb	132.02	132.00	131.70	131.07	130.72
Apr	132.92	132.77	132.55	131.90	131.72
Lean Hogs					
Oct	86.47	86.95	85.82	84.40	85.10
Dec	83.45	83.75	82.62	81.60	82.25
Feb	85.42	85.55	84.77	83.92	84.50
Apr	85.47	85.57	84.95	84.20	84.65
May	89.00	89.00	88.70	88.10	88.30
Fdr Cat					
Aug	154.90	155.40	155.57	155.45	155.00
Sep	157.95	158.25	157.70	157.70	156.65
Oct	160.12	160.47	160.07	160.00	158.85
Nov	160.47	160.72	160.60	160.45	159.52
Jan	159.75	159.65	159.15	158.97	158.20
Milk					
Aug	18.02	17.99	17.96	17.91	17.90
Sep	17.80	17.56	17.19	17.03	17.28
Oct	17.77	17.55	17.39	17.39	17.73

By-Product Feed Prices

Alfalfa Pellets 17%, Centerview, MO 330.00; Corn Gluten Feed pelleted, Baring, MO 200.00; Distillers Grain Dried, Kansas City, MO 222.00; Soy Hulls Mexico, MO 155.00. Prices per ton.

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Weekly Trends: Soybeans .49 to .69 higher, Wheat .03 to .04 higher, Corn .22 to .60 higher, Grain Sorghum .10 to .24 higher.

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City				
Friday**	14.24	6.26-6.31	5.49-5.54	8.29
Monday	14.58	6.37-6.42	5.78	8.68
Tuesday	14.41	6.29-6.34	5.69	8.50
Wednesday	14.54	6.34-6.39	5.83	8.63
Thursday	14.37	6.26-6.31	5.73	8.30
Friday	14.78	6.30-6.35	5.81-5.82	8.39
St. Louis				
Friday**	13.39-13.42	6.21	5.14-5.33	8.53
Monday	13.44-13.83	6.31	5.36-5.53	9.07
Tuesday	13.31-13.78	6.29	5.26-5.43	8.75
Wednesday	13.87-13.92	6.28	5.60	9.00
Thursday	13.70-13.82	6.20	5.49-5.67	8.67
Friday	14.03-14.11	6.24	5.74-5.75	8.77
Central				
Friday**	13.74-13.89	6.11-6.19	5.64-5.84	n/a
Monday	14.23-14.33	6.22-6.27	5.93-6.03	n/a
Tuesday	14.11-14.21	6.14-6.19	5.84-5.94	n/a
Wednesday	14.14-14.24	6.19-6.24	5.98-6.18	n/a
Thursday	13.97-14.07	6.11-6.16	5.88-6.08	n/a
Friday	14.38-14.48	6.15-6.20	5.96-6.16	n/a
S.E. MO				
Friday**	11.80-13.44	5.98-6.18	4.29-4.95	n/a
Monday	12.25-13.88	6.10-6.29	4.50-5.18	n/a
Tuesday	12.12-13.77	6.02-6.22	4.41-5.09	n/a
Wednesday	12.22-13.90	6.07-6.24	4.55-5.23	n/a
Thursday	12.64-13.62	5.99-6.19	4.48-5.09	n/a
Friday	12.50-14.03	5.94-6.23	4.59-5.11	n/a

(PRICES PER BU. EXCEPT GR. SORG. PER CWT)
 *NEW CROP **PREVIOUS WEEK'S PRICES

Crop Progress and Condition Week Ending August 18, 2013

Agricultural Summary Unseasonably cool temperatures continue across the state for the fourth straight week. There were 5.6 **days suitable for fieldwork**. The southeast district reported 3.5 days suitable for fieldwork. **Topsoil moisture supply** was 15 percent very short, 26 percent short, 52 percent adequate and 7 percent surplus. The north-central, northeast, and northwest districts were rated 87 percent, 79 percent, and 73 percent short and very short. **Subsoil moisture supply** was 10 percent very short, 27 percent short, 59 percent adequate and 4 percent surplus. **Field Crops Report** Seventy-five percent of **corn** was in the dough stage, 22 days behind last year and 4 days behind normal (5-year average). Corn dented was 34 percent complete, 28 days behind last year and 9 days behind normal. Corn mature was 2 percent, 24 days behind last year and 22 days behind normal. Corn in the southeast district was 13 percent mature. Corn condition was 6 percent very poor, 14 percent poor, 33 percent fair, 39 percent good, and 8 percent excellent. **Soybeans** blooming were 82 percent complete, 15 days behind last year and 5 days behind normal. Soybeans setting pods was 49 percent complete, 10 days behind last year and 5 days behind normal. Soybean condition was 5 percent very poor, 11 percent poor, 35 percent fair, 42 percent good, and 7 percent excellent. **Sorghum** headed was 73 percent complete, 9 days behind last year and 3 days behind normal. Fourteen percent of sorghum was turning color and beyond, 17 days behind last year and 11 days behind normal. Sorghum condition was 2 percent very poor, 6 percent poor, 37 percent fair, 51 percent good, and 4 percent excellent. **Alfalfa hay** 3rd cutting was 61 percent, 13 days behind last year but the same as normal. **Pasture & Livestock Pasture** conditions were 2 percent very poor, 8 percent poor, 35 percent fair, 43 percent good, and 12 percent excellent. **Supply of hay and other roughages** was 6 percent short, 80 percent adequate and 14 percent surplus. **Stock water supplies** were 1 percent very short, 7 percent short, 85 percent adequate and 7 percent surplus. **Weather Summary Temperatures** were 6 to 10 degrees below average across the state. Precipitation averaged 0.35 of an inch statewide. The southeast district reported 0.73 inches. Schuyler County reported 2.00 inches.