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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 9611 Week ago: 30,632 Year ago: 26,046
 Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh) Hols. Large 3

<u>Fdr. STEERS:</u>		<u>Fdr. HEIFERS:</u>		<u>Hols. STEERS</u>	
356 lbs.	244.10	366 lbs.	209.81	253 lbs.	160.00
465 lbs.	230.38	459 lbs.	198.04		
555 lbs.	215.19	556 lbs.	183.33		
645 lbs.	194.49	653 lbs.	172.73		
752 lbs.	174.74	728 lbs.	163.44		
835 lbs.	164.14	833 lbs.	156.73		
950 lbs.	150.25				

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(West Plains, Ava)

Receipts: 290 Week ago: 6593 Year ago: 5606
 Compared to last week, not enough on hand for a market trend.
 Slaughter cows sold mostly 3.00 higher.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1 & 1-2		Medium and Large 1 & 1-2	
400-500 lbs.	215.00	300-400 lbs.	195.00-200.00
700-800 lbs.	163.50	400-500 lbs.	152.50-162.50
		500-600 lbs.	156.00-167.50

<u>Holsteins:</u>		<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>	
Large Frame 3		Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean)	
500-600 lbs.	Scarce	90.00-102.50, high dressing	
700-800 lbs.	Scarce	100.00-108.00, low dressing	
800-900 lbs.	Scarce	85.00-89.00 Lean (85-90%)	
		80.00-92.00	

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 895-2075 lbs 96.00-102.00, high dressing 112.00-125.00
REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 5-7 yrs 1205-1360 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 1375.00-1575.00 per head

COW & CALF PAIRS: no sales reported

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 785 Week ago: 8205 Year ago: 4917
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 1236 Week ago: 1702 Year ago: 446
 Compared to last week, steers and heifers steady to 3.00 higher on a limited test. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 lower and bulls uneven 2.00 lower to 1.00 higher.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	Scarce	300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	215.00-228.00	400-500 lbs.	193.50-194.50
500-600 lbs.	202.00-210.50	500-600 lbs.	175.00-187.50
600-700 lbs.	173.00-206.50	600-700 lbs.	160.00-171.50
700-800 lbs.	164.50-173.50	700-800 lbs.	Scarce
800-900 lbs.	155.00-163.50	800-900 lbs.	150.50

<u>HOLSTEINS:</u>		<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>	
Large Frame 3		Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean)	
400-500 lbs.	Scarce	97.00-104.00, high dressing	
500-600 lbs.	Scarce	104.00, high dressing	
600-700 lbs.	Scarce	115.00, Lean (85-90% lean)	
700-800 lbs.	Scarce	87.00-96.00	
800-900 lbs.	Scarce	<u>SLAUGHTER BULLS:</u> Yield	
900-1000 lbs.	Scarce	Grade 1-2 1525-2580 lbs 107.00-114.00, high dressing	
		115.00, low dressing	
		125.00, low dressing	

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid 2nd-3rd stage 1085-1360 lbs 1400.00-1700.00, fancy red hide ind 2000.00 per head
COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid, 1090-1300 lbs cows with babies to 265 lbs calves, 1700.00-2300.00 per pair

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 894 Week ago: 2127 Year ago: 2705
 Compared to two weeks ago, feeders steers 400-800 lbs and heifers 450-700 lbs mostly steady to 5.00 higher instances of 10.00 higher on 6 weight heifers. Slaughter cows scarce.

<u>FEEDER STEERS:</u>		<u>FEEDER HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
400-500 lbs.	225.00-250.00	400-500 lbs.	195.50-214.00
500-600 lbs.	207.00-232.25	500-600 lbs.	179.00-197.75
600-700 lbs.	187.00-205.00	600-700 lbs.	164.50-180.50
700-800 lbs.	168.00-191.75	700-800 lbs.	164.00-171.25

SLAUGHTER BULLS: none reported
SLAUGHTER COWS: none reported

BRED COWS: none reported
COW-CALF PAIRS: none reported

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WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville, Passaic)

Receipts: 661 Week Ago: 4299 Year Ago: 2596

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

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	245.00
400-500 lbs.	226.00-240.00
500-600 lbs.	206.00-218.00
600-700 lbs.	195.75-207.00
700-800 lbs.	177.75

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	203.00-212.00
400-500 lbs.	205.50-208.00
500-600 lbs.	176.00-195.50
600-700 lbs.	170.00-173.25

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield
Grade 1-2 1115-2080 lbs 106.00-110.50, high dressing 114.50SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 92.00-100.00, high dressing 101.50-108.00 Lean (85-90) 85.00-93.00COW & CALF PAIRS: ScarceREPLACEMENT COWS: Scarce**EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Macon, Boonville)

Receipts: 4253 Week ago: 5539 Year ago: 3601

Compared to last week, feeders steady to 5.00 higher spots 5.00-10.00 higher on calves. Slaughter cows firm to 3.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs.	240.00-250.00
400-500 lbs.	217.00-242.50
500-600 lbs.	190.00-233.00
600-700 lbs.	175.00-211.00
700-800 lbs.	162.00-181.25
800-900 lbs.	160.00-167.25

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs.	197.00-220.00
400-500 lbs.	184.00-220.00
500-600 lbs.	168.00-194.00
600-700 lbs.	158.00-179.50
700-800 lbs.	150.00-172.25

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: few Choice 3-4 135.00-140.00SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 92.00-100.00, high dressing 100.00-110.00. Lean (85-90% lean) 83.00-98.00REPLACEMENT COWS: none reportedSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1350-2250 lbs 104.00-114.00, high dressing 114.50-118.50**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 2808 Week ago: 1302 Year ago: 1839

Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 0 Week ago: 12 Year ago: 17

Feeder steers and heifers 400-750 lbs 5.00-12.00 higher other weights not well tested. Slaughter cows 1.00-3.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs.	232.00-248.50
400-500 lbs.	225.50-244.50
500-600 lbs.	210.00-236.00
600-700 lbs.	190.00-210.00
700-800 lbs.	181.50-195.25
800-900 lbs.	155.00-158.75

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs.	213.50-222.00
400-500 lbs.	194.50-218.00
500-600 lbs.	177.50-199.50
600-700 lbs.	173.50-185.00
700-800 lbs.	166.25-173.00
Load 835 lbs.	158.00

SLAUGHTER STEERS: ScarceSLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 93.00-107.00SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2300 lbs 103.50-116.50COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 3-6 yrs with baby to 300 lb calves 2400.00-2650.00 per pairREPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 4-7 yrs 1st-3rd stages 1200-1400 lbs 2350.00-2400.00 per head**SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Farmington, Patton)

Receipts: 218 Week ago: 2742 Year ago: 1503

Compared to last week, not enough sales for a market test.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	227.50-237.00
400-500 lbs.	Scarce
500-600 lbs.	187.50-201.00
600-700 lbs.	Scarce
700-750 lbs.	157.50-169.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	190.00-200.00
400-500 lbs.	184.00-190.00
500-600 lbs.	170.00-183.00
600-700 lbs.	158.00
700-800 lbs.	150.00

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 4-7 yrs, 1050-1328 lbs, 1st and 2nd, 1170.00-1875.00 per headSLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) Scarce Lean (85-90% lean) 75.00-83.00COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 few 5-6 yrs, 1070-1270 lbs, with 190-300 lbs calves 2050.00-2350.00 per pairSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1325-2115 lbs, 100.00-100.50, low dressing 85.00-88.00**SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Cuba, Vienna) (week ending 3/1/14)

Receipts: 1983 Week ago: 3510 Year ago: 70

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers unevenly steady. Slaughter cows steady.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

350-400 lbs.	226.00-241.00
400-500 lbs.	209.00-232.00
500-600 lbs.	192.00-212.00
600-700 lbs.	174.50-198.00
700-800 lbs.	156.75-172.10

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	194.50-213.00
400-500 lbs.	190.00-203.00
500-600 lbs.	169.00-194.00
600-700 lbs.	152.00-169.75
700-750 lbs.	151.75-157.00

REPLACEMENT COWS: ScarceSLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 89.00-96.00. Lean (85-90%) 80.00-92.00COW & CALF PAIRS: ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1400-2000 lbs 98.00-111.50**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT****SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

Weekly Receipts: 0 Week ago: 400 Year ago: 200

No confirmed live sales or dressed sales as of 8:00 am Friday. Market undertone is lower.

LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS:

No Sales Reported

DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS:

No Sales Reported

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid):

No Sales Reported

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts: 1736 Week ago: 2747 Year ago: 2801

Compared to last week, barrows and gilts 4.00 to 8.00 higher. Sow cash prices 2.00 to 10.00 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS:

Base carcass meat price 92.00-97.00, Weekly top Fri 97.00

SOWS:300-500 lbs. 64.00-68.00
Over 500 lbs. 67.00-71.00

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

Receipts: 643 Compared to last week, weaner pig prices are 1.00 lower on a limited test. No feeder pig sales reported. Prices per head. Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights, fob the farm 0% negotiated, no sales reported. Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights, delivered 100% negotiated, 643 head, 10 lbs, 74.00. Feeder pigs delivered 100% negotiated, 40 lbs, no 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	492.25	445.00	470.00	190.00
St. Louis	525.50	430.00	480.00	162.50

**Mexico - Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards
Sheep and Goat Auction 03/06/2014**

Receipts: 346 Last week: 249 Last year: 534

SHEEP: 208 head (prices per hundred weight) Slaughter Lambs: non-traditional markets, Choice and Prime 2-4 pkg 48 lbs 210.00, lot 52 lbs 225.00 and lot 71 lbs 244.00; few pkgs 90-100 lbs 170.00-180.00. Feeder Lambs: pkg Small and Medium 1-2 hair 35 lbs 187.50. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 1-3 few 120-130 lbs 53.00-70.00, few 160-200 lbs 40.00-45.00. Slaughter Bucks: few 160-330 lbs 45.00-77.00. GOATS: 138 head Slaughter Kids: Selection 1-2 few 40-70 lbs 250.00-270.00. Selection 2-3 50-75 lbs 237.00-250.00. Selection 3 40-50 lbs 155.00-180.00. Nannies: Selection 1-3 70-90 lbs 100.00-127.00. Selection 3 few 120-135 lbs 70.00-75.00. Billies: Selection 2-3 65-170 lbs 115.00-125.00.

**Springfield Livestock Marketing Center
Special Dairy Sale 02/25/2014**

Receipts: 514 Last Special: 576 Last Year: 135

Springer heifers bred seven to nine months: Supreme 1625.00-1810.00, ind 1900.00. Approved 1400.00-1625.00, Crossbreds 1225.00-1425.00, Jerseys 1200.00-1450.00. Medium 1040.00-1200.00, Crossbreds 1050.00-1150.00, Jerseys 1060.00-1150.00. Common 900.00-1200.00. Heifers bred three to six months: Supreme 1625.00-1810.00. Approved 1325.00-1575.00, Crossbreds 1290.00-1400.00, ind Jersey 1425.00. Medium 950.00-1300.00, Crossbreds 1050.00-1225.00, Jerseys 950.00-1000.00. Heifers bred one to three months: Supreme ind 1450.00. Approved 1275.00-1325.00. Open Heifers: Approved/Supreme mixed pkg 685 lbs 960.00; pkg 814 lbs 1100.00. Approved 255-285 lbs 390.00-420.00; 300-360 lbs 460.00-480.00, 350 lbs Crossbreds 460.00, 345-360 lbs Jerseys 420.00-440.00; 435-500 lbs Crossbreds 590.00-690.00; 535-545 lbs 730.00-780.00; 650-670 lbs 900.00-910.00; pkg 934 lbs 1190.00. Replacement Cows: Fresh: Approved 1310.00-1650.00, ind Jersey 1100.00. Medium couple 1150.00-1175.00. Springer Cows: Medium 1300.00-1425.00, couple Crossbreds 950.00-1050.00, ind Jersey 1085.00. Baby Calves: Holstein heifers and small 240.00. Holstein bulls 160.00-220.00, small 105.00-130.00. Crossbred bulls 150.00-250.00, small 55.00-120.00. Jersey bulls 40.00-50.00.

Diamond - TS White's Sheep and Goat Sale 03/6/2014

Receipts: 876 Last Month: 1062 Year Ago: 1702

Sheep Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 2-3 woolled few non-traditional 50-70 lbs 170.00-22.00; 80-90 lbs 90-100 lbs 140.00-150.00; traditional 110-210 lbs 110.00-145.00. Hair: 60-70 lbs 205.00-235.00; 70-80 lbs 175.00-235.00; 70-80 lbs 150.00-190.00; 80-90 lbs 150.00-180.00; 90-100 lbs 150.00-180.00. Feeder/Stocker Lambs: Medium and Large 1-2 hair 30-50 lbs 200.00-237.50; 50-60 lbs 195.00-235.00. Ewes: Utility and Good 1-3 woolled: 115-200 lbs 58.00-110.00. Hair: 90-145 lbs 50.00-85.00. Bucks: hair 145-185 lbs 52.50-72.50. Replacement Sheep: Ewes: Medium and Large 1-2 woolled ewe lambs few 120-170 lbs 150.00-175.00. Hair: 108-170 lbs 60.00-85.00 cwt. Bucks: woolled 180-210 lbs 53.00-72.50 cwt. Goats Slaughter Classes: Kids Selection: 1 40-50 lbs 270.00-302.00; 50-60 lbs 285.00-302.50; 70-80 lbs 225.00-272.50; 100-110 lbs 140.00-180.00; Selection 1-2 60-70 lbs 290.00-295.00; 80-90 lbs 197.50-220.00. Selection 2 50-60 lbs 265.00-285.00; 70-80 lbs 235.00-257.50. Selection 3 60-70 lbs 200.00-252.50; 70-80 lbs 170.00-210.00; 80-100 lbs 155.00-180.00. Does/Nannies: Selection 1 100-200 lbs 75.00-137.50. Selection 2 75-130 lbs 100.00-145.00. Selection 3 80-125 lbs 87.50-120.00. Billies: Selection 1-2 120-260 lbs 115.00-130.00. Selection 3 90-145 lbs 105.00-140.00. Stocker/Feeder Kids: Selection 2 20-30 lbs 205.00-245.00; 30-40 lbs 205.00-255.00; 40-50 lbs 220.00-265.00. Selection 3 30-50 lbs 240.00-252.50; 50-60 lbs 250.00-252.50; 60-70 lbs 130.00-162.50

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .22 to .43 higher, Wheat .47 to .52 higher, Corn .13 to .26 higher, Kansas City Wheat .38 to .53 higher, Soybean Meal Mar 2.90 lower others .10 to 1.80 higher.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
Mar	1407 1/4	1418	1420	1437 1/2	1457 1/4
May	1409 1/4	1423	1420 1/2	1438	1457 3/4
Jul	1381 1/2	1396 1/2	1395 1/4	1409 1/2	1424 3/4
Aug	1330 3/4	1345	1346	1358 1/4	1373
Sep	1235 3/4	1247 3/4	1244 3/4	1251 1/4	1255 1/2
Wheat					
Mar	626 3/4	639 3/4	637 1/4	641 1/2	646 1/4
May	631 1/2	643 1/2	642 1/2	646	654
Jul	635 3/4	647	646	649 1/2	659
Sep	643 1/4	654 1/2	653 3/4	657	666 1/4
Dec	655 1/4	666 3/4	665 3/4	668 3/4	678
Corn					
Mar	464	476 3/4	475 1/4	485 3/4	481
May	470 1/2	484 1/4	482	491	489
Jul	474 3/4	488 1/4	486 1/4	495 1/4	493
Sep	474	485 1/4	482 3/4	490 1/2	487 1/2
Dec	476 1/2	486 1/2	483 1/4	489 1/4	484 3/4
KC Wheat					
Mar	701 1/4	704 1/4	703 1/4	706 1/4	715 1/4
May	700	709 1/2	710 1/4	713 1/4	721 1/4
Jul	694 3/4	702 1/4	703	705 3/4	715
Sep	699 3/4	707 3/4	708 1/2	711 1/4	720 3/4
Dec	710 3/4	719 1/4	718 3/4	722	731 1/4
SB Meal					
Mar	431.30	458.80	457.70	458.40	465.00
May	450.50	449.70	449.60	450.90	457.80
Jul	436.80	437.30	438.80	439.60	445.00
Aug	419.40	419.60	421.10	421.50	426.00
Sep	394.10	393.40	395.50	396.00	399.10

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle Mar 1.72 lower, others 1.23 to 1.67 higher, Lean Hogs 5.67 to 8.28 higher, Feeder Cattle .50 to 1.27 higher.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Apr	144.15	145.62	143.67	143.15	143.25
Jun	134.90	137.00	135.77	135.47	135.87
Aug	133.25	134.70	133.40	133.15	133.85
Oct	136.25	137.72	137.02	136.67	137.35
Dec	137.47	139.20	138.27	138.02	138.65
Lean Hogs					
Apr	108.67	111.67	110.72	112.40	113.00
May	111.55	114.55	115.70	116.85	117.75
Jun	112.75	115.75	117.75	119.35	120.50
Jul	111.40	114.40	116.32	118.00	118.55
Aug	111.35	114.35	115.65	116.45	116.77
Fdr Cat					
Mar	171.77	172.90	172.22	171.40	172.37
Apr	173.07	174.35	174.00	172.80	173.65
May	173.72	175.15	174.70	173.45	174.40
Aug	175.57	176.85	176.42	175.42	176.07
Sep	175.05	176.42	176.17	175.02	175.62
Milk					
Feb	23.20	23.18	—	—	—
Mar	21.89	22.10	22.20	22.60	22.65
Apr	20.26	20.26	20.54	21.21	21.25

By-Product Feed Prices

Alfalfa Pellets, St. Louis MO 310.00; Corn Gluten Feed pelleted, Baring, MO 215.00; Distillers Grain Dried, Kansas City, MO 240.00; Soy Hulls Mexico, MO 200.00. Prices per ton.

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Weekly Trends: Soybeans .30 to .53 higher, Soft Wheat .52 to .55 higher, Corn .15 to .35 higher, Sorghum .47 to .57 higher.

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City				
Friday**	14.07-14.12	5.74-5.87	4.55-4.60	746-8.26
Monday	13.84-14.04	6.01-6.16	4.64-4.70	7.57-8.33
Tuesday	14.12-14.13	6.19-6.28	4.77-4.83	7.92-8.64
Wednesday	14.00-14.22	6.17-6.27	4.70-4.77	7.76-8.60
Thursday	14.18-14.40	6.21-6.31	4.79-7.84	8.05-8.76
Friday	14.37-14.59	6.29-6.39	4.77-4.81	8.00-8.73
St. Louis				
Friday**	14.20-14.29	6.22-6.29	4.68-4.72	9.50
Monday	14.13-14.29	6.46-6.56	4.72-4.82	9.62
Tuesday	14.41	6.63	4.97	
Wednesday	14.31-14.34	6.62-6.70	4.92-4.95	9.96
Thursday	14.48-14.57	6.66-6.73	5.04-5.09	10.10
Friday	14.73-14.77	6.74-6.81	5.03-5.07	10.07
Central				
Friday**	13.94-14.04	5.62	4.52-4.59	n/a
Monday	13.84-13.94	5.88-5.92	4.60-4.93	n/a
Tuesday	14.01-14.08	6.00-6.04	4.67-4.74	n/a
Wednesday	13.95-14.06	5.99-6.03	4.65-4.72	n/a
Thursday	14.13-14.23	6.03-6.06	4.74-4.81	n/a
Friday	14.38-14.47	6.11-6.14	4.72-4.79	n/a
S.E. MO				
Friday**	14.11-14.12	6.09-6.19	4.64-4.70	8.62
Monday	14.08-14.28	6.32-6.50	4.61-4.87	7.96
Tuesday	14.21-14.36	6.45-6.67	4.77-4.95	8.69
Wednesday	14.29-14.34	6.39-6.66	4.85-4.93	8.19
Thursday	14.51-14.65	6.51-6.69	4.94-5.04	9.01
Friday	14.66-14.71	6.62-6.77	4.95-5.13	8.92

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

Missouri Weekly Hay Summary Week ending 03/07/2014

March came in like a lion, but luckily for most of Missouri, this lion was more growl than bite. More moderate temperatures are currently in place and hopefully record low temperatures are behind us. The gray of winter is beginning to fade and the bright smell of spring is creeping in, as well as the brighter color of growth. And now we wait; wait to see how initial pasture conditions will look, how the farmland acres of Missouri will be used and how much old crop hay can be sold before new crop is baled. Hay supply is heavy, demand is light and the prices are steady. The 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).

Supreme quality Alfalfa (RFV >185) 225.00-275.00
 Premium quality Alfalfa (RFV 170-180) 175.00-250.00
 Good quality Alfalfa (RFV 150-170) 160.00-200.00
 Fair quality Alfalfa (RFV 130-150) 100.00-170.00

Good quality Mixed Grass hay 75.00-100.00
 Fair to Good quality Mixed Grass hay 50.00-75.00
 Fair quality Mixed Grass hay 30.00-45.00 per large round bale

Fair to Good quality Bromegrass 50.00-70.00

Wheat straw 3.00-5.00 per small square bale