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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts 40,844; Week ago 53,021; Year ago 51,501
 Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

Fdr. STEERS:		Fdr. HEIFERS:		Hols. STEERS	
352 lbs.	156.65	371 lbs.	132.63	374 lbs.	116.15
454 lbs.	140.11	461 lbs.	123.73	440 lbs.	108.75
549 lbs.	127.07	548 lbs.	116.38	558 lbs.	96.69
659 lbs.	116.94	656 lbs.	112.67	661 lbs.	97.18
767 lbs.	113.76	736 lbs.	110.57	736 lbs.	87.11
848 lbs.	111.04	838 lbs.	105.45		

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (West Plains, Gainesville)

Receipts: 3500; Week ago 5628; Year ago 2969
 Compared to last week, steers under 800 lbs and heifers (all weights) steady, with some 600 lbs steers steady to 2.00 higher. Steers over 800 lbs 2.00 lower. Slaughter cows and bulls steady to 2.00 higher.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	152.50-163.00	300-400 lbs.	128.00-142.50
400-500 lbs.	136.00-154.00	400-500 lbs.	114.00-130.00
500-550 lbs.	132.00-141.00	500-600 lbs.	110.00-118.00
550-600 lbs.	122.00-132.00	600-700 lbs.	104.00-115.00
600-700 lbs.	115.00-127.00	700-850 lbs.	100.00-106.50
700-765 lbs.	108.00-112.50		

Large 3 Holsteins
 400-440 lbs. 110.00-111.00

SLAUGHTER COWS:
 Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 46.00-55.50, high dressing 54.00-58.00. Lean (85-90%) 42.00-48.00, low dressing 32.50-42.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1200-2300 lbs, 57.50-64.00, high dressing 63.50-67.00, low dressing 50.00-55.50.

REPLACEMENT COWS:
 Medium and Large 1-2, 4 to 7 yrs, 1135-1475 lbs, 2nd and 3rd stage, 820.00-980.00 per head. Blacks 880.00-1060.00 per head, several 5 yrs to mostly ss 1050-1370 lbs in 2nd and 3rd stage 700.00-900.00 per head.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2, 6 to 7 yrs, 1000-1600 lbs, with baby-275 lbs calves at side, 1075.00-1250.00 per pair.

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts 5232; week ago 10,075; year ago 4619
 Cow and Bull Receipts 2033; week ago 2022; year ago 1200
 Dairy Cattle Receipts 823, (Norwood 12/08/05)
 Compared to last week, feeder steers steady, heifers under 600 lbs steady to 5.00 higher, over 600 lbs steady. Slaughter cows and bulls steady to 2.00 higher, bulls steady

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	148.00-154.00	300-400 lbs.	125.00-128.00
400-500 lbs.	128.50-151.00	400-500 lbs.	119.00-130.00
500-600 lbs.	118.00-135.00	500-600 lbs.	106.50-125.00
600-700 lbs.	112.00-119.00	600-700 lbs.	104.00-110.00
700-800 lbs.	112.00-115.75	700-800 lbs.	97.50-111.00
800-900 lbs.	110.25-112.25	800-900 lbs.	103.10-106.35
900-1000 lbs.	Scarce	900-1000 lbs.	Scarce

HOLSTEINS: Large Frame 3

200-300 lbs.	Scarce
300-400 lbs.	115.00-117.00
400-500 lbs.	105.00-111.00
500-600 lbs.	Scarce
600-700 lbs.	92.00-101.75
700-800 lbs.	87.00-88.00
800-900 lbs.	Scarce

Dairy Cattle Sales

Springer Heifers: Supreme 2000.00-2200.00, Approved 1600.00-1975.00, Bred 4-6 months: Supreme 1925.00-2350.00, Approved 1600.00-1900.00 Open Heifers; Approved 700-800 lbs 1385.00-1500.00, 600-700 lbs 1200.00-1475.00, 500-600 lbs 1075.00-1400.00, 400-500 lbs 975.00-1240.00. Baby Calves: Holstein Heifers 475.00-660.00. Bulls 160.00-210.00.

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 2 yrs to ss, 865-1330 lbs, 2nd and 3rd stage, 680.00-925.00, several blacks 950.00-1085.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 46.00-57.00, high dressing 52.00-61.50. Lean (85-90%) 41.00-47.50, low dressing 30.00-40.00.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2, 2 to 6 yrs, 900-1000 lbs. with 100 to 250 lb calves, 960.00-1025.00 per pair, several blk/bwf 1100.00-1200.00 per pair.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1235-2425 lbs. 57.50-63.50, high dressing 62.50-69.00, low dressing 47.50-58.50.

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts 8,623; Week ago 10,826; Year ago 7,884
 Compared to last weeks close barrows and gilts 1.00.
 Sows steady to 2.00 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS:

Base carcass meat price 51.00-53.00
 Weekly top price Monday 54.00

SOWS:

300-500 lbs 33.00-35.00
 Over 500 lbs 37.00-42.00

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WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville)

Receipts 2268; Week ago 4507; Year ago 1924

Compared to last week steers and heifers steady to 3.00 higher. Slaughter Cows firm to 3.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

300-400 lbs.	140.00-167.00
400-500 lbs.	129.00-156.00
500-600 lbs.	120.00-140.00
600-700 lbs.	110.00-117.25
700-800 lbs.	106.00-116.75
800-900 lbs.	1100.0-113.00
900-1000 lbs.	Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

300-400 lbs.	124.00-136.50
400-500 lbs.	116.50-136.00
500-600 lbs.	107.00-126.50
600-700 lbs.	106.75-117.50
700-800 lbs.	104.00-117.75
810-880 lbs.	102.50-108.75

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 2 yrs to ss, 860-1270 lbs 2nd to 3rd stage 750.00-1060.00 per head

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 45.00-55.00, high dressing 51.00-61.00, Lean (85-90%) 43.00-51.25, low dressing 40.00-45.00.**COW & CALF PAIRS:** Medium and Large 1-2, 3 yrs to ss, 1100-1210 lbs, with 195-320 lbs calves, 950.00-1250.00.**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield Grade 1-2, 1125-2175 lbs 57.00-65.00, high dressing 63.25-67.25, low dressing 50.00-57.00.**EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, and Boonville)

Receipts: 3757; Week ago 7019; Year ago; 3635

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

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

350-400 lbs.	135.00-151.00
400-500 lbs.	125.00-151.00
500-600 lbs.	115.00-139.50
600-700 lbs.	110.00-126.50
700-800 lbs.	107.00-115.25
Lot 833 lbs.	110.75

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 & 1-2

350-400 lbs.	122.00-130.00
400-500 lbs.	113.00-130.00
500-600 lbs.	105.00-122.25
600-700 lbs.	103.50-113.25
700-800 lbs.	101.00-104.00

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 89.50-94.50**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking, Boning, and Lean (70-90% lean) 43.00-53.00, high dressing 53.00-58.00, low dressing 35.00-45.00**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 89.00-94.00**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield Grade 1-2, 1400-2200 lbs, 54.00-64.00, high dressing 64.00-73.00.**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, New Cambria and Green City)

Feeder Cattle Receipts 461; week ago 2606; year ago 284

Slaughter Cattle Receipts 81; week ago 105; year ago 47

Compared to the last week steers and heifers not established. Slaughter Cows 1.00 to 2.00 higher. Slaughter steers and heifers 2.00 to 3.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	151.00-166.00
400-500 lbs.	Scarce
500-600 lbs.	120.00-126.75
600-700 lbs.	Scarce
700-800 lbs.	Scarce
800-850 lbs.	Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	126.00-136.00
400-500 lbs.	Scarce
500-600 lbs.	117.00-122.50
600-700 lbs.	Scarce
700-800 lbs.	Scarce
800-900 lbs.	Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3, 1200-1400 lbs 92.00-94.00**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 48.00-53.75, low dressing 43.00-48.00**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3, 1000-1350 lbs 90.25-91.50**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield Grade 1-2, 1400-2350 lbs. 60.00-63.50.**SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Fruitland, Patton)

Receipts 1396; Week ago 2073; Year ago 1777

Compared to last week steers steady to 2.00 lower, heifers under 600 lbs 3.00 to 4.00 higher, over 600 lbs 4.00 lower. Slaughter cows 4.00 higher and bulls 1.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	125.00-157.00
400-450 lbs.	120.00-151.00
450-500 lbs.	114.00-131.00
500-550 lbs.	110.00-128.00
550-600 lbs.	108.00-124.00
600-700 lbs.	108.00-1116.50
850-900 lbs.	102.00-105.00
950-975 lbs.	94.00-96.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

275-300 lbs.	134.00-139.00
300-400 lbs.	117.00-144.00
400-450 lbs.	112.00-133.00
500-600 lbs.	100.00-122.00
600-675 lbs.	97.50-108.50
700-775 lbs.	95.50-102.50
Pkg. 828 lbs.	96.50

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2, 2 to 7 yrs 870-1360 lbs in 2nd to 3rd stage 565.00-850.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 42.50-50.50, high dressing 49.25-52.50, Lean (85-90%) 34.50-37.50.**COW & CALF PAIRS:**

Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield

Grade 1-2, 1570-2100 lbs 54.75-57.75.

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts 1598; Week ago 3842; Year ago 1656

Compared to last week steers and heifers under 500 lbs steady to 4.00 higher, over 500 lbs steady to 2.00 lower. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	129.50-150.00
500-600 lbs.	116.00-132.00
600-700 lbs.	115.00-123.50
700-800 lbs.	110.00-113.35
800-850 lbs.	Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	118.00-136.25
500-600 lbs.	105.00-118.00
600-700 lbs.	101.50-106.50
700-800 lbs.	Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1, Package Medium 1-2 950-1000 lbs 2nd stage 920.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 46.00-52.75, High dressing 55.00, Lean (85-90%) 42.00-48.50, low dressing 35.00-43.50.**COW & CALF PAIRS:** Medium and Large 1-2, Scarce.**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield Grade 1-2, 1400-2450 lbs, 56.00-63.00. Low dressing 48.00-55.50**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

Weekly Receipts 400; Week ago 1400; Year ago 800

Compared to last week, trade rather slow, No confirmed live sales and dressed sales on grid basis few steady to 5.00 higher. Demand and seller interest moderate to good.

STEERS: No Sales**STEERS AND HEIFERS:**

Carcass sales: 2 loads over 80% Choice 151.00 picked up.

HEIFERS: No Sales**GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid):**

Choice 3 550-950 lbs 154.00-163.00. Select 3 550-950 lbs. 144.00-153.00.

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

Receipts: 13,648

Compared to last week, weaner steady to 1.00 lower. No feeder pigs to report. USDA National Feeder Pig report indicates weaner and feeder pigs steady with last week. Good demand for moderate supply.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights
Delivered, 76% formulated. (5500 head AR to NB & Ill
14,526 head 10 lbs 32.50-46.00 weighted average 10 lbs 36.24

Feeder pigs in all lot sizes
Delivered 0% formulated
No feeder pigs to report.

MIDWEST SHEEP REVIEW

Slaughter Receipts: 50,000; Week ago 53,000; Year ago 45,000

Slaughter Lambs 1.00-2.00 lower Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good
Slaughter Ewes not tested 1-3 40.00-50.00, Cull 1 25.00-
Feeder Lambs not tested 40.00. (Latest sales)

Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Feeder Lambs: Medium and Large
Prime 2-3 90-150 lbs shorn 80.00- 1-2 50-70 lbs 110.00-125.00, 70-90
82.00, woolled 77.00-80.00. lbs 95.00-110.00. (Latest sales)

Missouri Weekly Hay Summary

The hay market is at a standstill with producers sticking by their guns and lowering prices, and buyers only buying hand to mouth at the present time. The cold weather this past week forced most cattle producers to supplemental feed something to their cattle. The cheap grain markets allowing most to add energy to their rations, with cheap corn or grain sorghum. This then allows them to feed a lower quality hay for their forage need. Demand still best from dairy and horse interests for higher quality forages, even though they are in tight supply. Hay supply and demand is moderate, prices are steady. The Missouri Department of Agriculture has a hay hotline available for buyers and sellers. To be listed, or for a directory, call 1-800-877-4HAY(4429).(All prices per ton unless specified) Supreme quality Alfalfa(RFV>185) 120.00-145.00 premium quality Alfalfa(RFV170-180) 90.00-125.00 Fair to Good quality Alfalfa(RFV130-170) Round bales 30.00-80.00 Small, Big squares 70.00-110.00 Good quality mixed Alfalfa and grass small square bales 2.50-3.50 per bale 25.00-50.00 per large round bale Fair to good quality Prairie hay 40.00-60.00 Premium Quality Brome large Squares 90.00-100.00 Good quality Brome 40.00-70.00 Fair quality Brome and mixed with grass round bales 15.00-30.00 per bale Good quality Timothy Hay 3.00-4.50 per small square bale Good quality Red Clover hay 25.00-50.00 Good quality Mixed Grass hay 20.00-35.00 per round bale Fair quality large round bales Fescue 15.00-25.00 per bale Wheat hay 40.00-60.00 Wheat straw 2.50-3.50 per small bale.

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER

CATTLE HOGS SHEEP

Week to date	605,000	2,052,000	50,000
Last week	632,000	2,555,000	53,000
Last Year	495,000	1,709,000	45,000
2005 yr. to date	31,256,000	100,720,000	2,500,000
2004 yr. to date	31,600,000	100,551,000	2,634,000

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

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	200.80	208.75	145.00	100.50
St. Louis	206.50	195.00	153.25	98.75

MIDWEST EGG REVIEW

Large .15 higher, Medium steady, and Small steady. IOWA-MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN: Prices paid to producers. (cents per dz.) Large .58-.67, Medium .27-.33, Small .18-.22.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .21 to .24 higher, Wheat .15 higher, Corn .04 to .07 higher, KC Wheat .12 to .14 higher, Soybean Meal 8.90 to 11.70 higher.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
Soybeans					
Jan	608 1/2	605 1/4	606 1/2	612 3/4	613
Mar	620 1/2	616 1/2	619	625 1/4	625
May	628 1/4	626	627	634 1/4	634 1/4
Jul	634 1/2	632 1/2	633 1/2	640 3/4	640 3/4
Aug	629	632	634	640 1/2	641
Wheat					
Mar	323 1/4	328	327 1/2	330 3/4	334 1/2
May	332	337 1/4	337	340 1/4	343
Jul	341 3/4	346 3/4	347 1/2	349 3/4	353 1/4
Sep	350 1/4	355 3/4	354 1/2	358 1/4	361 1/2
Dec	360 3/4	365 3/4	363 3/4	367 3/4	371
Corn					
Mar	208 3/4	209 3/4	210	212 3/4	214
May	217 3/4	218 3/4	219	221 1/2	222 3/4
Jul	226 3/4	227 1/4	227 3/4	229 3/4	230 3/4
Sep	235	234 3/4	235 3/4	237 1/2	238 1/2
Dec	245 1/2	246 1/4	246	247 3/4	248 1/2
KC Wheat					
Mar	371	374 1/2	371 1/2	376	380 1/2
May	362 3/4	366	365	369	372 1/2
Jul	359	363 1/4	361 1/4	365	369 1/2
Sep	363	367 1/2	365	369	375
Dec	374	379	377 1/2	380	385 3/4
SB Meal					
Jan	198.60	197.80	200.90	203.60	203.40
Mar	199.20	198.60	201.20	203.60	203.40
May	199.00	199.10	201.40	204.00	203.90
Jul	201.00	200.50	202.50	204.90	205.10
Aug	201.50	201.00	201.50	205.70	205.50

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle .33 to 1.35 lower, Lean Hogs .23 to .73 higher, Pork Bellies unchanged to .95 lower, except Mar .10 higher, Feeder Cattle .12 to .53 lower.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
Cattle					
Dec	95.77	96.62	95.50	94.77	94.80
Feb	96.80	97.27	96.17	95.55	97.72
Apr	94.62	95.02	94.32	93.80	93.92
Jun	86.85	87.15	86.70	86.35	86.57
Aug	86.02	86.30	85.92	85.62	85.77
Lean Hogs					
Dec	64.55	65.15	65.27	65.27	65.25
Feb	67.27	67.80	67.42	67.50	67.45
Apr	69.22	69.72	69.62	69.45	69.65
May	70.90	71.50	71.47	71.27	71.32
Jun	67.90	68.45	68.50	68.17	68.15
Prk Bel					
Feb	83.62	84.17	83.90	83.25	83.60
Mar	83.25	84.02	84.00	83.75	83.70
May	85.47	85.55	85.60	85.45	85.40
Jul	86.85	86.82	86.85	86.87	86.90
Aug	86.30	86.55	86.55	86.55	86.55
Fdr Cat					
Jan	114.57	115.05	114.07	113.60	114.07
Mar	114.07	114.75	113.95	113.32	113.42
Apr	113.57	114.42	113.52	112.95	113.15
May	112.90	113.50	112.60	112.40	112.55
Aug	113.70	113.95	113.35	112.82	113.22
Milk					
Dec	13.41	13.41	13.40	13.38	13.40
Jan	13.53	13.48	13.55	13.34	13.28
Feb	12.92	12.79	12.87	12.80	12.82

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .14 to .19 higher
 Wheat .13 to .16 higher
 Corn .07 to .11 higher
 Grain Sorghum .10 to .22 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soybean	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City				
Monday	5.97	3.56	1.84	3.37
Tuesday	5.90	3.60	1.85	3.39
Wednesday	5.93	3.57	1.86	3.39
Thursday	6.00	3.61	1.88	3.44
Friday	5.99	3.66	1.89	3.46
St. Louis				
Monday	6.14	3.12	2.09	3.75
Tuesday	5.98-6.08	3.15	2.06-2.10	3.73
Wednesday	6.08-6.10	3.14	2.10-2.15	3.78
Thursday	6.16-6.17	3.20	2.16-2.18	3.86
Friday	6.17-6.19	3.25	2.17-2.20	3.89
Central				
Monday	5.83-5.84	2.86	1.89	3.01
Tuesday	5.79-5.80	2.91	1.90	3.03
Wednesday	5.81-5.82	2.91	1.90	3.03
Thursday	5.84-5.88	2.91-2.94	1.93	3.09
Friday	5.84-5.87	2.95-2.98	1.93	3.09
S.E. MO				
Monday	6.04-6.25	3.06-3.20	1.99-2.15	3.62-3.85
Tuesday	5.94-6.11	3.10-3.25	1.98-2.16	3.67-3.89
Wednesday	6.03-6.17	3.13-3.24	2.01-2.16	3.69-3.89
Thursday	6.10-6.22	3.19-3.29	2.09-2.20	3.75-3.95
Friday	6.07-6.22	3.23-3.33	2.08-2.20	3.84-3.95

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

MERRY CHRISTMAS

FRED FERRELL
 MATT BOATRIGHT
 TONY STAFFORD

LOYD WILSON
 MIKE DAVIS
 TONY HANCOCK
 STAN COOK
 DAVID SMITH
 ROGER PARKER
 STEVE DISSELHORST
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