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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 16,417; Week ago: 23,746; Year ago: 28,066
 Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

Fdr. STEERS:		Fdr. HEIFERS:		Hols. STEERS	
364 lbs.	117.40	364 lbs.	100.49	361 lbs.	71.32
459 lbs.	109.81	462 lbs.	96.87	472 lbs.	81.00
545 lbs.	103.41	546 lbs.	93.26	542 lbs.	76.24
638 lbs.	101.89	646 lbs.	92.13	618 lbs.	70.89
740 lbs.	99.49	740 lbs.	92.08	731 lbs.	66.29
823 lbs.	97.40	831 lbs.	86.66	861 lbs.	66.06
967 lbs.	95.75			912 lbs.	58.20

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (West Plains)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 2250 Week ago: 2171 Year ago 3065
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 650 Week ago: 825 Year ago: 888
 Compared to last week, steers steady to 2.00 higher, with several topy calves under 450 lbs 4.00-6.00 higher than last week's sharp downturn. Heifers under 600 lbs 3.00-5.00 higher, over 600 lbs steady. Slaughter cows traded 1.00-3.00 higher, full advance on lean and boning cows.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	110.00-119.50	Pkg 359 lbs.	92.50
400-500 lbs.	107.00-116.50	400-500 lbs.	87.00-96.00
500-600 lbs.	95.00-107.50	500-600 lbs.	85.00-90.00
600-700 lbs.	100.00-105.00	600-700 lbs.	85.00-86.00
700-800 lbs.	Scarce	700-800 lbs.	85.00-88.00
800-900 lbs.	Scarce	800-900 lbs.	Scarce

Large 3 Holsteins

300-400 lbs.	65.00-68.00
535-730 lbs	60.00-63.50
Part load 860 lbs.	67.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1050-1900 lbs 62.00-65.50, some gaunt 65.00-68.00, low dressing 59.00-62.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 single and small lots 2-7 yrs 750-1100 lbs with babies to 300 lb calves 750.00-850.00 per pair, couple small pkgs 5 yrs old with 150 lb calves 985.00-1000.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS:

Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 47.50-53.00, high dressing 51.00-56.00, Lean (85-90%) 45.00-49.00, low dressing 41.00-43.50

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2 2-6 yrs 880-1240 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 675.00-825.00 per head, few 2-4 yr old blks 1025-1100 lbs 3rd stage 850.00-900.00, some scattered mostly single lots 3-7 yrs including most short-solid mouth 980-1235 lbs 2nd stage 600.00-675.00.

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts 4188; week ago 3811; year ago 6420
 Cow and Bull Receipts 1375; week ago 1001; year ago 2179
 Compared to last week, steers under 700 lbs steady to 2.00 higher, heavier weights steady to 2.00 lower. Heifers steady to 3.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls steady to 1.00 higher.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	Scarce	300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	104.00-109.50	400-500 lbs.	91.00-100.50
500-600 lbs.	96.00-105.50	500-600 lbs.	85.00-96.00
600-700 lbs.	94.50-105.50	600-700 lbs.	85.00-93.50
700-800 lbs.	93.00-98.00	700-800 lbs.	89.00-91.00
800-900 lbs.	Scarce	800-900 lbs.	Scarce
900-1000 lbs.	Scarce	900-1000 lbs.	Scarce

HOLSTEINS:

Large Frame 3	
300-400 lbs.	70.00-80.00
400-500 lbs.	81.00
500-600 lbs.	65.00-82.00
600-700 lbs.	70.00-76.50
700-800 lbs.	65.00-69.00
800-900 lbs.	62.00
900-1000 lbs.	Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 45.00-55.00, high dressing 50.00-61.00, Lean (85-90%) 35.50-45.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1125-2470 lbs 59.50-68.00, high dressing 65.00-72.50, low dressing/fleshy 49.50-62.00

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2 2-7 yrs 2nd and 3rd stage 950-1350 lbs 700.00-860.00 per head, 1st stage 1030-1300 lbs 650.00-785.00.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-6 yrs 970-1330 lbs with 150-340 lb calves 935.00-1135.00 per pair, short-solid mouth to aged 1080-1295 lbs with babies to 300 lb calves, few rebred, 600.00-885.00.

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 1168, Week ago 850, Year ago 2138
 Compared to last week, feeder cattle and calves sold steady to 4.00 lower. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00, light test of bulls trading steady.

FEEDER STEERS:		FEEDER HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	125.25	300-400 lbs.	94.50
400-500 lbs.	105.00	400-500 lbs.	87.50-100.00
500-600 lbs.	105.25-112.25	500-600 lbs.	93.00-95.00
600-700 lbs.	102.00-108.00	600-700 lbs.	92.50-95.25
700-800 lbs.	100.50-101.50	700-800 lbs.	Scarce
800-900 lbs.	Scarce	800-900 lbs.	88.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2095 lbs 60.00-65.00, low dressing 58.00-60.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 46.00-51.75, high dressing 49.00-54.75, lean 40.00-47.25

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 few 7-8 yrs 1000-1100 lb mixed colored 2nd stage 630.00-640.00 per head

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: No sales

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WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville, Passaic)

Receipts 2259 Week Ago 1607; Year Ago: 3493

Compared to last week feeders sold with a higher undertone. Slaughter cows 3.00 lower to 3.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

350-400 lbs.	106.00-120.00
400-500 lbs.	100.00-118.00
500-600 lbs.	96.00-107.00
600-700 lbs.	96.00-106.50
700-800 lbs.	94.50-105.10
800-900 lbs.	96.00-102.60

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

350-400 lbs.	90.00-106.00
400-500 lbs.	89.00-103.50
500-600 lbs.	87.00-99.75
600-700 lbs.	83.50-97.75
700-800 lbs.	87.75-96.50
800-900 lbs.	85.00-87.25

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 ScarceSLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 46.00-53.00, High dressing 52.00-62.50, Lean (85-90%) 40.00-52.50COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1295-1900 lbs 56.00-65.00, low dressing 45.00-54.25**EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville)

Receipts: 3087; Week ago 2745; Year ago 5186

Compared to last week, feeders unevenly steady. Slaughter cows steady to 3.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

300-400 lbs.	119.00
400-500 lbs.	100.00-118.00
500-600 lbs.	96.00-108.50
600-700 lbs.	94.50-104.50
700-800 lbs.	93.50-103.50
800-900 lbs.	93.00-96.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

300-400 lbs.	94.50-106.50
400-500 lbs.	90.00-106.50
500-600 lbs.	85.00-101.00
600-700 lbs.	85.00-99.00
700-800 lbs.	85.00-95.00
800-900 lbs.	Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: few high Select and Choice 2-3 83.00-88.00SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking, Boning, (70-85% lean) 45.00-55.00, high dressing 55.00-60.00, Lean 40.00-50.00SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1200-2200 lbs 55.00-65.00**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, Macon, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts 1681; week ago 2640; year ago 2730

Slaughter Cattle Receipts 18; week ago 47; year ago 25

Compared to last week, no trend established. Slaughter cows 2.00-4.00 lower. Slaughter steers and heifers 2.00-3.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	118.00-121.00
400-500 lbs.	108.00-119.00
500-600 lbs.	100.00-111.25
600-700 lbs.	96.00-101.25
700-800 lbs.	94.25-100.00
800-900 lbs.	Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	97.00-106.00
400-500 lbs.	95.00-109.75
500-600 lbs.	91.00-99.00
600-700 lbs.	83.25-93.00
700-800 lbs.	Scarce
800-900 lbs.	87.75-94.60

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 1100-1400 lbs 84.00-86.00SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 45.00-51.50, low dressing 40.00-44.50SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1050-1300 lbs 83.25-84.75SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1350-2000 lbs 56.50-66.50COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 ScarceREPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 Heifers to 4 yrs 900-1350 lbs 2nd stage 900.00-1035.00 per head**SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Fruitland, Patton)

Receipts 804; Week ago: 835; Year ago 2058

Compared to last week steers sold 1.00-2.00 lower, heifers 2.00-4.00 higher on a limited test. Slaughter cows 2.00 lower, bulls 5.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	102.00-117.00
400-500 lbs.	90.00-109.00
500-600 lbs.	82.75-97.50
600-700 lbs.	89.00-95.50
700-800 lbs.	80.25-93.75
800-900 lbs.	85.00-87.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	84.00-99.00
400-500 lbs.	78.50-94.00
500-600 lbs.	80.00-90.00
600-700 lbs.	77.50-85.00
700-800 lbs.	75.50-79.00
Pkg 803 lbs.	75.50

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 4-7 yrs 920-1245 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 600.00-730.00SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and boning (75-85% lean) 44.25-49.75, high dressing 50.25-55.00, Lean 34.50-40.75COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 8 yrs to short-solid mouth 980.00-1320 lbs with 90-165 lb calves 710.00-790.00 per pair.SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1545-1825 lbs 55.00-58.50**SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 1936, Week ago 1720, Year ago 3749

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers 2.00-5.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	116.00-125.00
400-500 lbs.	108.00-121.50
500-600 lbs.	96.00-114.00
600-700 lbs.	95.00-105.75
700-800 lbs.	96.00-98.75

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	99.00-108.50
400-500 lbs.	93.00-101.00
500-600 lbs.	90.00-98.25
Pkg 633 lbs.	93.50
700-800 lbs.	86.00-88.50

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 ScarceSLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 43.00-52.00, high dressing 50.00-55.75, Lean (85-90%) 37.00-47.50COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 141300-2100 lbs 59.00-68.00, high dressing 72.50, low dressing 50.00-58.75**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

Weekly Receipts 400; Week ago 500; Year ago 600

Compared to last week, trade very slow. Few live sales 8.00 lower and dressed sales on grid basis 4.00 lower.

STEERS: 60-70% Choice 1300 lbs 84.00STEERS AND HEIFERS: No salesHEIFERS: no salesGRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid): Choice 3 550-950 lbs few 143.00**INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS**

Weekly Receipts 5816; Week ago 6676; Year ago 10,272

Compared to last weeks close barrows and gilts 5.00 to 6.00 lower, sows 2.00 to 5.00 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS:

Base carcass meat price 55.00-57.00, weekly top Monday 61.00

SOWS:300-500 lbs 35.00-45.00
Over 500 lbs 46.00-49.00

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

Receipts: 9002 (10-17-08)
Compared to last week, weaner pigs steady to 4.50 lower and feeder pigs no comparison available.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights
77% formulated
9002 head 10 lbs 19.00-39.15, weighted average 10 lbs 33.64

Feeder pigs
0% formulated
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	239.00	270.00	290.00	145.00
St. Louis	276.00	262.50	345.00	142.50

**Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards, Mexico, MO
10/16/08 Receipts: 188, Last Week: 284 Year Ago: 109**

Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 2-3 woolled 80-100 lbs 84.00-89.00, 100-130 lbs 84.00-87.00. Feeder lambs: Medium 1-2 55-70 lbs 80.00-85.00, thin 50-80 lbs 58.00-68.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility 1-2 140-150 lbs 27.00. Replacement Ewes: scarce. Slaughter Bucks: absent.
Goats: Slaughter Kids: Selection 2 45-55 lbs 40.00-43.00 Feeder/Replacement Kids: Selection 3 25-50 lbs 7.00-19.00. Nannies: Selection 3 50-100 lbs 20.00-29.00. Billies: Selection 1-2 100-200 lbs 72.00-97.50. unless noted prices on sheep per cwt. Goats per head.

Norwood Dairy Sale 10/09/08

Receipts: 1281 Last month: 1475 Last year: 1510

Springer heifers: Bred seven to nine months: Supreme 1850.00-2150.00, indv Jersey 1700.00; Approved 1475.00-1775.00, crossbreds 1425.00-1550.00; Medium 1225.00-1450.00. Bred three to six months: Supreme 1825.00-2050.00, Jerseys 1525.00-1600.00, crossbreds 1800.00-1975.00; Approved 1600.00-1800.00. Bred one to three months Supreme indv 1625.00, Jerseys 1080.00-1300.00; Approved 1000.00-1320.00. Open Heifers Approved 200-300 lbs 550.00-725.00, Jerseys 300.00-375.00; 300-400 lbs 725.00-885.00, crossbreds 500.00-750.00; 400-500 lbs 775.00-990.00, Jerseys 760.00-875.00, crossbreds 600.00-675.00; 500-600 lbs 850.00-1040.00; 600-700 lbs 1000.00-1270.00; 700-800 lbs 1125.00-1350.00. Replacement Cows: fresh and open milking: Supreme indv 1800.00, indv crossbred 1650.00; Approved 1525.00; Medium 1150.00-1300.00; Common 375.00-625.00. Springer bred cows seven to nine months: Approved 1450.00-1550.00; Medium 1100.00-1425.00, few Jerseys 1150.00-1200.00. Baby Calves Holstein heifers 460.00-560.00, small 130.00-435.00; Holstein bulls 50.00-95.00, small 30.00-50.00; Jersey heifers 210.00-270.00; crossbred heifers 150.00-310.00, small 85.00-125.00; crossbred bulls 25.00-85.00.

**CRS Sales Company Sheep and Goat Auction 10/16/08
Highlandville, MO**

Receipts: 652, last month 1291, last year 1219

Slaughter Lambs/Feeder lambs Choice 1-2 woolled and shorn: 80-90 lbs 90.00-96.00; 100-165 lbs 66.00-80.00. Hair lambs not tested. Slaughter Ewes: not tested. Goats: Slaughter classes: Kids Selection 1 40-50 lbs 91.00-99.00; Selection 1-2 50-60 lbs 80.00-96.00; 60-70 lbs 90.00-98.00, 80-90 lbs 50.00-61.00; Selection 2 40-50 lbs 80.00-89.00; 90-100 lbs 50.00-70.00. Does/Nannies: Selection 1 118-155 lbs 25.00-30.00; Selection 2 60-135 lbs 21.00-44.00; Selection 3 50-120 lbs 10.00-41.00. Billies: Selection 1 100-180 lbs 60.00-77.00; Selection 2 95-160 lbs 40.00-55.00; Selection 3 75-120 lbs 36.00-72.00; aged weathers 45-163 lbs 32.00-60.00. Replacement Classes: Does/Nannies Selection 1 75-130 lbs 31.00-41.00; Selection 2 45-130 lbs 25.00-58.00; Selection 3 60-120 lbs 35.00-63.00. Billies Not tested. Stocker/feeder kids: Selection 2 20-30 lbs 80.00-90.00; 30-40 lbs 80.00-93.00, with one pkg 97.00; Selection 3 30-40 lbs 50.00-75.00. All prices per Cwt unless noted.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .16 to .23 lower, Wheat .03 higher, Corn .02 to .06 lower, KC Wheat .03 to .10 lower, Soybean Meal un-even 1.60 lower to 2.20 higher

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
Nov	928	896	858	867	894
Jan	943 1/2	911 1/4	872 1/2	880 1/4	906 3/4
Mar	956 3/4	924 3/4	884 1/4	890 1/2	916 3/4
May	966 3/4	935 3/4	894 3/4	899 3/4	926
Jul	974	943 3/4	902 3/4	907 1/4	932 3/4
Wheat					
Dec	588 1/2	573	556 3/4	556 1/4	566 1/4
Mar	609	593 3/4	576	575 1/4	586 1/2
May	622 1/2	607 1/2	589 3/4	588 1/4	600 1/4
Jul	634 3/4	620 3/4	602 1/2	600 3/4	613 3/4
Sep	650 1/2	637 3/4	619 1/2	617 1/2	630 1/2
Corn					
Dec	411 1/2	411 1/4	388	384 1/2	403
Mar	429 1/2	429	405 1/2	401 1/4	420 1/2
May	441 1/4	440 3/4	417	412 1/2	431 3/4
Jul	452	451 3/4	427 3/4	423 1/4	443
Sep	460	459 3/4	436 1/4	430 1/2	451
KC Wheat					
Dec	672 1/4	613	590	588	597 1/2
Mar	654 1/2	631 1/2	607 1/2	603 3/4	614 1/2
May	658 1/2	644 1/2	620 1/2	615 3/4	626 1/2
Jul	665	648 1/2	626	625	637
Sep	678	661 1/2	639	637 1/2	650 1/2
SB Meal					
Oct	252.10	254.50	—	—	—
Dec	256.70	247.50	244.50	252.00	258.20
Jan	259.10	250.10	246.80	253.70	259.80
Mar	263.50	254.60	251.00	256.70	262.70
May	266.70	257.70	254.10	259.70	265.30

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle .80 to 1.43 higher, Lean Hogs .40 to 3.57 lower, Pork Bellies 1.10 to 2.10 higher, Feeder Cattle 2.95 to 3.60 higher.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Oct	91.00	91.52	89.22	89.45	91.05
Dec	93.00	93.35	90.82	90.82	92.55
Feb	93.45	93.90	91.57	91.55	93.25
Apr	94.40	94.62	92.35	92.20	93.70
Jun	91.30	91.52	89.77	89.35	90.70
Lean Hogs					
Oct	65.95	65.62	—	—	—
Dec	61.10	60.50	58.07	55.97	56.30
Feb	66.52	66.42	64.00	62.45	63.05
Apr	72.72	72.57	69.87	68.02	69.07
May	79.00	79.30	76.30	74.75	76.20
Prk Bel					
Feb	87.15	86.67	84.97	84.70	87.57
Mar	85.60	85.75	84.70	84.60	87.60
May	95.25	88.12	87.90	85.00	86.50
Jul	89.00	89.02	89.12	89.12	89.20
Aug	96.25	96.25	96.25	96.25	96.25
Fdr Cat					
Oct	96.95	97.20	96.40	96.80	98.40
Nov	96.17	97.05	95.82	96.72	98.65
Jan	96.82	97.35	95.62	96.62	98.05
Mar	98.15	98.95	97.07	98.25	99.60
Apr	98.70	99.25	97.80	98.70	100.40
Milk					
Oct	16.89	16.90	16.90	16.90	16.95
Nov	17.75	15.90	15.95	15.96	15.69
Dec	15.51	15.50	15.45	15.37	15.12

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .19 lower to .19 higher
 Wheat .08 lower to .52 higher
 Corn .11 lower to .13 higher
 Grain Sorghum .09 lower to .35 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soy-beans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
<u>Kansas City</u>				
Monday	8.98	3.92	3.93-3.96	5.82
Tuesday	8.66	3.78	3.93-3.96	5.82
Wednesday	8.28	3.55	3.70-3.73	5.41
Thursday	8.35	3.95	3.67-3.70	5.36
Friday	8.64	3.62	4.16	5.68
<u>St. Louis</u>				
Monday	8.98	3.93	3.77-3.81	5.17
Tuesday	8.48-8.70	3.78	3.73-3.80	4.94
Wednesday	8.20-8.22	3.81	3.55-3.56	4.87
Thursday	8.29-8.37	3.95	3.53-3.57	5.00
Friday	8.62-8.66	4.16	3.74-3.77	5.35
<u>Central</u>				
Monday	8.53	3.67-3.85	3.77-4.02	n/a
Tuesday	8.26	3.55-3.71	3.81	n/a
Wednesday	7.88	3.34-3.53	3.58-3.83	n/a
Thursday	7.97	3.33-3.51	3.54-3.85	n/a
Friday	8.24	3.44-3.63	3.73-4.03	n/a
<u>S.E. MO</u>				
Monday	8.50-8.63	3.40-3.74	3.22-3.46	3.69-4.41
Tuesday	8.18-8.26	3.25-3.64	3.22-3.51	3.53-4.41
Wednesday	7.80-7.85	3.18-3.58	2.99-3.20	2.98-4.00
Thursday	7.99-8.13	3.17-3.85	3.00-3.26	3.07-4.55
Friday	8.26-8.42	3.38-4.09	3.19-3.53	3.44-5.12

(PRICES PER BU. EXCEPT GR. SORG. PER CWT)
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Missouri Weekly Hay Summary

Market activity remains quite slow this week. Fuel prices are dropping making delivery cost a bit more bearable but the plummeting cost of corn is adding pressure to hay prices and buyers and sellers just not able to reach any agreements that suit both parties. That being said in most cases there isn't really much interest in acquiring any hay immediately as most all pastures are still keeping of ahead of grazing pressure and still growing as the state waits for the seasons first frost. Hay prices are steady to weak, supply moderate to heavy, demand light to moderate. (All prices per ton unless specified) Supreme quality Alfalfa (RFV>185) 170.00-215.00 premium quality Alfalfa (RFV170-180) 150.00-175.00 Fair to Good quality Alfalfa (RFV130-170) Round bales 90.00-150.00 Small, Big squares 100.00-160.00 Good quality mixed Alfalfa and grass small square bales 3.50-6.50 per bale, 40.00-80.00 per large round bale, Good to Premium quality Prairie hay small squares 80.00-125.00, Fair to good quality Prairie hay 40.00-75.00, Premium Quality Brome large Squares 90.00-150.00 Good quality Brome 60.00-120.00 Fair quality Brome and mixed with grass round bales 30.00-50.00. Good quality Timothy Hay 3.00-5.00 per small square bale, Good quality Mixed Grass hay 50.00-100.00. Fair to good quality mixed grass 30.00-50.00 per large round bale, Fair to good quality Bermuda grass 50.00-65.00 per round bale, or 70.00 to 100.00 per ton, Wheat hay 50.00-70.00, Wheat straw 2.50-4.00 small bale.