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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 57,503 Week ago: 37,264 Year ago: 31,485
 Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

Fdr. STEERS:		Fdr. HEIFERS:		Hols. STEERS	
359 lbs.	142.97	273 lbs.	129.19	279 lbs.	83.17
455 lbs.	134.44	360 lbs.	125.52	363 lbs.	87.12
552 lbs.	128.92	454 lbs.	119.52	442 lbs.	90.10
646 lbs.	121.71	547 lbs.	115.73	571 lbs.	87.42
744 lbs.	114.93	646 lbs.	111.50	668 lbs.	84.48
855 lbs.	106.88	738 lbs.	106.16	735 lbs.	82.15
935 lbs.	101.11	844 lbs.	97.63	829 lbs.	80.48

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (West Plains)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 4963 Week ago: 4017 Year ago: 2584
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 975 Week Ago: 1164 Year Ago: 751
 Compared to last week, steers under 450 lbs and heifers under 400 lbs 3.00-10.00 lower, steers over 450 lbs and heifers over 400 lbs steady to 2.00 higher. Bulls 1.00-3.00 higher.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	132.50-139.00	300-400 lbs.	112.00-123.00
400-500 lbs.	124.00-137.00	400-500 lbs.	112.50-125.00
500-600 lbs.	120.00-135.00	500-600 lbs.	108.50-115.00
600-700 lbs.	115.00-123.00	600-700 lbs.	104.00-112.00
700-800 lbs.	108.00-115.00	700-800 lbs.	98.00-106.50
800-900 lbs.	Scarce	Pkg 851 lbs.	97.50
900-1000 lbs.	Scarce	900-1000 lbs.	Scarce

Holsteins	SLAUGHTER COWS:
Large 3	Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 52.50-60.00, high dressing 57.50-63.50, outstanding ind. 67.50, Lean (85-90%) 47.50-52.50, low dressing 38.00-45.00
Scarce	

SLAUGHTER BULLS:	REPLACEMENT COWS:
Yield Grade 1-2 1500-2165 lbs 67.00-74.00, high dressing 75.00-80.75, gaunt ind. 84.50, low dressing 60.00-66.50	Medium and Large 1-2 2-7 yrs 940-1375 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 760.00-870.00 per head, few 4-5 yrs old blks 1140-1150 lbs 3rd stage 960.00. lot 22 head blk/blk baldie 2 yrs 1093 lbs 2nd to mostly 3rd stage 1010.00, lot 10 hd blk 18 months to 2 yrs 903 lbs 2nd stage 840.00. Several singles and small pkgs 3-7 yrs 900-1200 lbs 630.00-720.00

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SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 13,189 Week ago: 10,324 Year ago: 8136
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 2913 Week ago: 1919 Year ago: 1716
 Compared to last week, steer calves steady to 8.00 lower, yearling steers steady to 2.00 higher. Holsteins under 650 lbs 3.00-6.00 higher, over 650 lbs steady to 2.00 higher, heifers unevenly steady. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher early, late sales 2.00-3.00 higher, bulls 1.00-3.00 higher.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	125.00-158.00	300-400 lbs.	116.00-145.00
400-500 lbs.	121.00-145.00	400-500 lbs.	111.00-127.50
500-600 lbs.	116.50-140.00	500-600 lbs.	108.00-119.50
600-700 lbs.	116.00-131.50	600-700 lbs.	100.00-112.00
700-800 lbs.	108.00-118.35	700-800 lbs.	100.25-107.75
800-900 lbs.	102.00-109.50	800-900 lbs.	95.00-100.50
900-1000 lbs.	100.00-104.00	900-1000 lbs.	Scarce

HOLSTEINS:	SLAUGHTER COWS:
Large Frame 3	Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 50.00-61.50, high dressing 56.00-66.50, outstanding 67.00-70.00, ind. 76.00, Lean (85-90%) 39.00-49.50, low dressing 30.50-41.00
200-300 lbs.	70.00-97.50
300-400 lbs.	77.00-92.00
400-500 lbs.	85.00-96.00
500-600 lbs.	80.00-93.00
600-700 lbs.	80.00-89.50
700-800 lbs.	77.50-83.85
800-900 lbs.	78.00-82.35
900-1000 lbs.	Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS:	COW & CALF PAIRS:
Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short-solid 2nd-3rd stage 900-1340 lbs 650.00-880.00, several more attractive 900.00-975.00	Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short-solid 850-1310 lb cows with babies to 400 lb calves, several rebred 825.00-1125.00 per pair

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 8223 Week ago: 3296 Year ago: 4666
 Compared to last week steers over 700 lbs steady, other weights steady to 5.00 lower, heifers weak to 5.00 lower. Slaughter cows 1.00 to 3.00 higher, bulls steady.

FEEDER STEERS:		FEEDER HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	140.00-150.50	300-400 lbs.	123.00-136.50
400-500 lbs.	133.00-147.25	400-500 lbs.	114.00-131.50
500-600 lbs.	124.00-141.00	500-600 lbs.	109.50-124.00
600-700 lbs.	118.00-135.50	600-700 lbs.	109.00-116.75
700-800 lbs.	111.00-122.00	700-800 lbs.	103.00-111.50
800-900 lbs.	105.30-112.25	800-900 lbs.	96.20-99.30

SLAUGHTER BULLS:	SLAUGHTER COWS:
Yield Grade 1-2 1350-2310 lbs 65.00-69.00, high dressing 71.00 to 75.25, low dressing 58.00-64.00	Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 53.00-60.00, high dressing 57.00-63.25, lean 44.00-52.50.

BRED COWS:	COW-CALF PAIRS:
Medium and Large 1-2 4-6 yrs 100-1200 lbs good quality blacks 3rd stage 975.00-1050.00 per head.	Medium and Large 1-2 6-7 yrs 1300 lb good quality blacks with 100 lb calves 1300.00-1325.00 per pair.

WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville, Passaic)

Receipts: 7547 Week Ago: 4431 Year Ago: 2576
 Compared to last week, feeders 2.00-7.00 higher early, late sales steady to 8.00 lower. Slaughter cows 1.00 lower to 4.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs. 123.00-141.00
 400-500 lbs. 122.00-139.00
 500-600 lbs. 117.00-137.00
 600-700 lbs. 111.25-130.25
 700-800 lbs. 106.00-117.50
 800-900 lbs. 102.75-111.75
 900-1000 lbs. Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2

300-400 lbs. 116.00-128.00
 400-500 lbs. 103.50-138.00
 500-600 lbs. 101.75-124.00
 600-700 lbs. 98.10-116.75
 700-800 lbs. 96.50-109.50
 800-900 lbs. Scarce
 900-1000 lbs. Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 52.00-59.00, High dressing 58.25-67.00, Lean (85-90%) 46.00-55.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1115-2170 lbs 67.75-76.00; high dressing 76.50-84.50; low dressing 52.00-68.00

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville, Macon)

Receipts: 9736 Week ago: 5629 Year ago: 6584
 Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers under 600 lbs unevenly steady and over 600 lbs steady to 5.00 higher. Slaughter cows firm to 3.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

300-400 lbs. 128.00-148.00
 400-500 lbs. 120.00-143.00
 500-600 lbs. 117.00-136.25
 600-700 lbs. 107.00-127.00
 700-800 lbs. 105.00-120.25
 800-900 lbs. 101.00-107.25
 900-1000 lbs. Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1& 1-2

300-400 lbs. 114.00-130.00
 400-500 lbs. 105.00-128.00
 500-600 lbs. 105.00-124.75
 600-700 lbs. 102.50-117.75
 700-800 lbs. 97.50-112.25
 800-900 lbs. Scarce
 900-1000 lbs. Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: few Choice 2-4 92.00-100.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 55.00-65.00, high dressing 60.00-71.50, Lean 45.00-55.00

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1& 2 Scarce

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1450-2350 lbs 65.00-75.00, high dressing 75.00-81.50

NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 8090 Week ago: 4104 Year ago: 5208
 Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 50 Week ago: 20 Year ago: 24
 Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers steady. Slaughter cows 1.00-2.00 higher. Slaughter steers 4.00-6.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs. 130.00-147.00
 400-500 lbs. 131.75-148.00
 500-600 lbs. 121.75-139.00
 600-700 lbs. 115.25-129.50
 700-800 lbs. 110.25-121.50
 800-900 lbs. 106.75-106.85
 900-1000 lbs. Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs. 116.00-128.50
 400-500 lbs. 113.00-130.50
 500-600 lbs. 110.00-120.50
 600-700 lbs. 107.50-118.00
 700-800 lbs. 101.75-109.50
 800-900 lbs. Scarce
 900-1000 lbs. Scarce

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 1250-1410 lbs 97.25-100.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 50.00-60.00, low dressing 45.00-50.00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 Scarce

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2300 lbs 64.00-75.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-5 yrs 1000-1200 lbs with baby to 250 lb calves 1310.00-1570.00 per pair

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-6 yrs 1100-1300 lbs mostly 3rd stage 990.00-1160.00 per head

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Fruitland, Patton)

Receipts: 2474 Week ago: 1877 Year ago: 1163
 Compared to last week, steers and heifers 1.00-3.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls 2.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs. 121.00-140.00
 400-500 lbs. 119.00-136.00
 500-600 lbs. 107.00-127.00
 600-700 lbs. 101.00-114.50
 700-800 lbs. 93.50-105.50
 800-900 lbs. 92.00-97.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs. 105.50-129.00
 400-500 lbs. 102.50-121.00
 500-600 lbs. 99.00-112.50
 600-700 lbs. 90.00-105.00
 700-800 lbs. 83.00-94.50
 800-900 lbs. 80.00-82.50

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 3-7 yrs 830-1450 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 650.00-890.00 per head

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and boning (75-85% lean) 47.50-58.00, high dressing 57.50-62.00, Lean 39.00-45.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 3-7 yrs 810-1350 lbs with 75-380 lb calves 725.00-1250.00 per pair

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 few 1275-2060 lbs 63.00-68.50, high dressing 68.50-74.00

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 5025 Week ago: 4071 Year ago: 2461
 Compared to last week, steers and heifers steady to 5.00 lower except some under 400 lbs steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs. 130.00-151.00
 400-500 lbs. 124.00-138.00
 500-600 lbs. 120.00-133.75
 600-700 lbs. 113.00-126.50
 700-800 lbs. 110.00-115.30
 800-900 lbs. Scarce
 900-1000 lbs. Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs. 117.50-130.00
 400-500 lbs. 112.00-125.00
 500-600 lbs. 109.00-118.00
 600-700 lbs. 104.50-114.50
 700-800 lbs. 100.00-102.00
 800-900 lbs. Scarce
 900-1000 lbs. Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS: few Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 52.00-57.50, high dressing 58.00-63.00, Lean (85-90%) 46.00-53.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 5 yrs to short solid i50-1100 lbs with 150-250 lbs calves 880.00-1125.00 per pair.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1200-2300 lbs 65.00-74.50 high dressing 76.00-82.75 low dressing 52.50-65.00

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT

Weekly Receipts: 200 Week ago: 1000 Year ago: 800
 Compared to last week, trade rather slow to inactive. No confirmed live sales and dressed sales few on a grid basis 1.00 lower.

LIVE STEERS: No sales.DRESSED STEERS: No sales.DRESSED HEIFERS: No sales.GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid): Choice 3 550-950 lbs few 162.00**INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS**

Weekly Receipts: 4968 Week ago: 5027 Year ago: 5785
 Compared to last week's close barrows and gilts 1.00 higher. Sows 2.00 to 3.00 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: Base carcass meat price 69.00-70.00, weeks top Friday 70.00

SOWS: 300-500 lbs 45.00-51.00 Over 500 lbs 52.00-62.00

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

Receipts: 4153 (4-16-10)
Compared to last week, weaner pigs steady feeder pigs no sales.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights
FOB the farm 0% negotiated
4153 head 10 lbs 32.50-40.38, weighted average 10 lbs 37.93
Delivered, 0% negotiated
No sales reported

Feeder pigs: 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	283.20	225.00	267.50	67.50
St. Louis	296.00	210.00	292.50	63.00

Midwest Exchange Sheep and Goat Market (04/15/10)

Receipts: 220 Week Ago: 323 Year Ago: 107
Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 1-3 45-80 lbs 155.00-170.00; few 80-95 lbs 155.00-165.00. Slaughter ewes: Utility and Good 1-3 150-250 lbs 41.00-47.00, few hair ewes 70-100 lbs 49.00. Slaughter bucks: few 160-220 lbs 37.00-44.00. **Goats:** Slaughter Kids: Selection 1-2 40-50 lbs 195.00-215.00, 50-70 lbs 185.00-200.00, few 70-80 lbs 175.00-190.00. Nannies: Selection 2-3 pkg 85 lbs 78.00 replacement, Selection 3 few 90-100 lbs 62.00-69.00. Billies: Selection 1-2 110-160 lbs 97.50-99.00. (All classes sold per cwt).

Norwood-Producers Auction Yards Special Dairy Heifer Sale 4/8/10

Receipts: 1172 Month Ago: 1406 Year Ago: 1323
Springer heifers bred seven to nine months: Supreme 1175.00-1280.00, Crossbreds 1160.00-1175.00; Approved 1010.00-1200.00, Crossbreds 970.00-1050.00; Medium 700.00-1030.00, Crossbreds 700.00-750.00. Bred four to six months: Supreme 1175.00-1225.00; Approved 960.00-1125.00; Medium 675.00-975.00. Heifers bred one to four months: Approved 835.00-920.00. Open heifers: Approved 300-400 lbs 470.00-540.00; 400-500 lbs 530.00-580.00; 500-600 lbs 560.00-610.00; 600-700 lbs 680.00-700.00, few Crossbreds 640.00; 700-800 lbs 720.00-865.00, pkg Crossbreds 650.00; 900-1000 lbs 650.00-710.00. Medium: 300-400 lbs 440.00, Crossbreds 340.00-350.00; 400-500 lbs 410.00-450.00; 500-600 lbs 475.00-530.00, Crossbreds 410.00-550.00; 600-700 lbs 520.00-610.00, pkg Crossbreds 610.00. Replacement Cows: Fresh Cows: Approved 1100.00-1350.00, couple Jerseys 970.00-980.00, Medium 925.00-1035.00. Springer Cows bred seven to nine months: Approved ind. 1120.00. Medium few 775.00-850.00. Baby calves: Holstein heifers: 200.00-275.00, small 125.00-175.00. Holstein bulls: 100.00-135.00, small 70.00-95.00.

St. Joseph Stockyards Sheep and Goat Auction 04/08/2010

Receipts: 596 Month Ago: 1225 Year Ago: 755
Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice-Prime 2-3 60-85 lbs 142.50-170.00; few 110-135 lbs 123.00-132.50, lot old crop 132 lbs 119.00; few 95-125 lbs 114.00-120.00. Feeder Lambs: Medium and Large 1-2 33-50 lbs 141.00-149.00, pkg 30 lbs 120.00. Slaughter ewes: Utility and Good 1-2 135-185 lbs 46.00-59.00; few lightweight ewes 62-85 lbs 70.00-86.00. Utility 2-3 110-185 lbs 40.00-48.00. Replacement ewes: Medium and Large 1-2 few 75-150 lbs with families 102.50-127.50 per family. Slaughter bucks: few 165-320 lbs 40.00-56.00. **Goats:** Slaughter Kids: Selection 1 45-65 lbs 182.00-205.00, few 215.00-220.00. Selection 2 40-75 lbs 147.50-177.50, few 75-85 lbs 127.50-139.00. wethers pkg 102 lbs 94.00. Slaughter nannies: Selection 1-2 95-135 lbs 70.00-78.00, thin 62.00-67.00. Selection 2 85-125 lbs 50.00-55.00. Slaughter Billies: Selection 1-2 130-195 lbs 78.00-91.00. Replacement nannies: Selection 1-2 few 95-115 lbs 64.00-85.00 per head, pkg 95.00 per head, few 75-120 lbs 72.50-90.00 per cwt; few 100-125 lb w/ families 97.00-110.00 per pair. Replacement Billies: Selection 1 couple 115-120 lbs 120.00-125.00 per head, pkg Pygmy 70 lbs 62.50 per head. Stocker/Feeder Kids: Selection 1 few 29-34 lbs 140.00-150.00.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .29 to .33 higher, Wheat .21 to .25 higher, Corn .15 to .19 higher, KC Wheat .23 to .24 higher, SB Meal 11.40 to 16.10 higher.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
May	960	968	969	984	985 1/4
Jul	968 1/2	975 1/2	977	993	995
Aug	962 1/4	971	971 3/4	988 3/4	990 3/4
Sep	943 3/4	950	954	969 1/2	973 1/4
Nov	935	945	946 1/4	961	965 1/2
Wheat					
May	467 3/4	476	474 3/4	480 1/4	490 1/2
Jul	480 1/2	488 3/4	487 1/4	492 3/4	502 1/2
Sep	497 3/4	506 1/4	504 1/4	509 3/4	519 1/4
Dec	526	534	532 1/4	536 1/4	456
Mar	553 1/2	561 3/4	560 1/4	563	573 1/2
Corn					
May	348 1/4	968	358	363 1/4	364
Jul	359 1/2	975 1/2	368 1/2	373 3/4	374
Sep	370	971	378 3/4	384 1/4	384
Dec	380 3/4	950	389 1/4	394 1/4	394 1/4
Mar	393 1/4	945	401 1/2	406 1/4	406 1/2
KC Wheat					
May	484 1/4	492 3/4	490 1/2	496 1/2	506 1/2
Jul	494 1/2	503 3/4	501 1/2	507 1/2	517 1/2
Sep	506 3/4	515 1/2	513 1/4	518 3/4	529 1/2
Dec	524 1/4	533	530 3/4	536 1/4	547 1/4
Mar	541 3/4	550 1/2	548 1/4	566	564 3/4
SB Meal					
May	271.40	275.20	274.30	281.90	280.90
Jul	270.50	275.10	273.90	281.70	280.70
Aug	267.50	272.20	270.50	278.30	277.70
Sep	262.50	267.30	264.90	272.50	272.10
Oct	254.20	259.10	256.90	264.00	163.60

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle .10 to .90 lower, Lean Hogs 1.63 to 2.55 higher, Pork Bellies .40 to 1.25 higher, except Aug 1.10 lower, Feeder Cattle 1.65 to 2.70 lower.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Apr	99.00	98.32	97.12	98.00	98.75
Jun	94.05	93.47	92.95	94.30	94.65
Aug	92.72	92.10	91.55	92.67	92.97
Oct	95.47	95.00	94.52	95.47	95.57
Dec	96.92	96.42	95.85	96.85	97.05
Lean Hogs					
Apr	76.37	76.75	77.42	77.80	—
May	83.10	84.70	84.62	86.05	86.42
Jun	83.97	85.47	84.95	86.07	86.15
Jul	84.07	84.90	84.72	86.15	86.20
Aug	84.12	94.95	84.75	85.92	86.25
Prk Bel					
May	93.65	94.70	94.05	95.55	97.55
Jul	96.00	97.00	94.00	97.00	98.90
Aug	92.50	92.50	90.50	90.50	92.40
Feb	93.00	93.00	93.00	93.00	93.00
Mar	93.50	93.50	93.50	93.50	93.50
Fdr Cat					
Apr	114.02	113.30	111.85	112.25	111.95
May	115.05	113.60	112.20	112.80	112.67
Aug	116.47	115.22	114.12	115.12	115.27
Sep	116.02	114.62	113.50	114.60	114.40
Oct	115.07	113.92	112.90	113.70	113.50
Milk					
Apr	12.85	12.85	12.84	12.85	12.85
May	13.53	13.53	13.08	13.12	13.09
Jun	13.60	13.60	13.30	13.38	13.35

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .35 to .40 higher
 Wheat .24 to .31 higher
 Corn .14 to .20 higher
 Grain Sorghum .32 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City				
Monday	9.58	4.21	3.40-3.44	5.52
Tuesday	9.73	4.30	3.45-3.49	5.61
Wednesday	9.74	4.28	3.50-3.54	5.70
Thursday	9.89	4.27-4.31	3.55-3.59	5.79
Friday	9.90	4.52	3.56-3.61	5.80
St. Louis				
Monday	9.61-9.62	4.02	3.56-3.60	5.89
Tuesday	9.65-9.70	4.10	3.60-3.65	5.96
Wednesday	9.65-9.71	4.09	3.66-3.71	6.07
Thursday	9.80-9.86	4.14	3.71-3.77	6.16
Friday	9.87	4.24	3.72-3.78	6.17
Central				
Monday	9.33-9.40	3.63-3.68	3.30-3.50	n/a
Tuesday	9.41-9.43	3.71-3.76	3.34-3.35	n/a
Wednesday	9.42-9.44	3.70-3.85	3.40-3.43	n/a
Thursday	9.57-9.59	3.75-3.93	3.48	n/a
Friday	9.58-9.60	3.86-4.03	3.48-3.49	n/a
S.E. MO				
Monday	9.47-9.53	4.11-4.28	3.48-3.50	5.28-6.35
Tuesday	9.60-9.63	4.19-4.38	3.55-3.57	5.37-6.44
Wednesday	9.60-9.64	4.18-4.37	3.59-3.63	5.46-6.53
Thursday	9.77-9.79	4.23-4.42	3.65-3.68	5.55-6.62
Friday	9.75-9.82	4.34-4.52	3.67-3.69	5.57-6.64

Missouri Weekly Hay Summary

Week ending 04/16/2010 Supreme quality Alfalfa (RFV>185) 150.00-185.00. Premium quality Alfalfa (RFV170-180) 140.00-175.00. Fair to Good quality Alfalfa (RFV130-170) large round bales 75.00-140.00 Small, Large squares 90.00-150.00 Good quality mixed Alfalfa and grass small square bales 3.50-5.00 per bale; 30.00-60.00 per large round bale. Good to Premium quality Prairie hay mostly small squares 80.00-125.00. Fair to good quality Prairie hay mostly large round bales 35.00-75.00. Good to Premium quality Brome 90.00-150.00; Good quality Brome 50.00-120.00 Fair quality Brome some mixed with grass 30.00-50.00 per large round bale. Good to Premium Mixed Grass hay 60.00-120.00. Good quality Mixed Grass hay 40.00-80.00. Fair to Good quality Mixed Grass hay 15.00-40.00 per large round bale. Fair to Good quality Bluestem 40.00 per large round bale. Fair to Good quality Bermuda grass 70.00-100.00 per ton Good quality Timothy Hay 3.50-5.00 per small square bale. Wheat straw 2.00-4.00 per small square bale.

Crop Progress and Condition Week Ending 04/11/10 Agricultural Summary

Warmer and drier conditions across the State have allowed progress for tillage and planting. **Topsoil moisture** was rated 3 percent short, 72 percent adequate, and 25 percent surplus. The biggest change in topsoil moisture occurred in the south-central district, which went from 0 to 30 percent short from last week. This was due to windy conditions and light precipitation throughout the district. There were 3.9 **days suitable for fieldwork** with over 6 days reported suitable in the southwestern district. **Spring tillage** advanced quicker than average to 27 percent complete, below last year's 30 percent and a normal of 41 percent complete. **Field Crops Report Corn** planting progressed in all areas of the State, averaging 9 percent complete. This is 9 days ahead of last year's 5 percent but 5 days behind the normal of 16 percent complete. The southern third advanced more rapidly than the rest of the State, averaging 32 percent, 15 percent, and 29 percent complete in the southwestern, south-central, and southeastern districts, respectively. **Sorghum** planting came in at 1 percent complete, 12 days ahead of last year but equal to normal. **Winter wheat** condition was rated 12 percent very poor, 19 percent poor, 39 percent fair, 27 percent good, and 3 percent excellent. Conditions in the east-central and southwest districts were rated 39 and 43 percent very poor, respectively. **Pasture & Livestock Pasture** condition improved to 2 percent very poor, 18 percent poor, 38 percent fair, 39 percent good, and 3 percent excellent. The poorest pasture conditions were in the south-central district, which reported 47 percent in poor condition.

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