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## MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT WEEK ENDING

Receipts: 37,348 Week ago: 57,806 Year ago: 43,543  
 Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh) Hols. Large 3

<u>Fdr. STEERS:</u>		<u>Fdr. HEIFERS:</u>		<u>Hols. STEERS</u>	
353 lbs.	197.74	363 lbs.	165.83	357 lbs.	106.37
458 lbs.	184.10	457 lbs.	157.86	453 lbs.	104.52
552 lbs.	169.35	551 lbs.	148.07	569 lbs.	100.94
653 lbs.	153.76	643 lbs.	140.47	654 lbs.	95.79
741 lbs.	144.91	740 lbs.	135.04	738 lbs.	100.72
835 lbs.	141.61	837 lbs.	127.22	830 lbs.	98.30
946 lbs.	131.41	922 lbs.	126.59		

## SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (West Plains, Ava)

Receipts: 4693 Week ago: 8345 Year ago: 4033  
 Compared to last week feeder steers and heifers 2.00 to 9.00 lower.  
 Slaughter cows steady to 4.00 higher. Slaughter bulls 5.00 lower to 2.00 higher.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	192.50-215.00	300-400 lbs.	161.00-175.00
400-500 lbs.	171.00-207.50	400-500 lbs.	142.00-157.50
500-600 lbs.	147.50-188.00	500-600 lbs.	135.00-158.00
600-700 lbs.	140.50-164.00	600-700 lbs.	127.50-145.00
700-800 lbs.	137.50-148.50	700-800 lbs.	128.00-135.00
800-900 lbs.	137.50-144.00		

<u>Holsteins:</u>		<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>	
Large Frame 3		Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 70.00-83.00, high dressing 77.50-88.00, low dressing 61.00-75.00. Lean (85-90%) 52.00-72.00, high dressing 70.00-79.00, low dressing 40.00-62.50	
600-700 lbs.	88.50-94.00		
800-900 lbs.	92.50-93.50		

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1260-2025 lbs 89.50-96.50, low dressing 75.00-87.50

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 3-7 yrs 900-1100 lbs with babies to 300 lbs calves 1025.00-1325.00 per pair

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-6 yrs 955-1170 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 850.00-1275.00, lot 1125 lbs 1325.00 per head

## SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 6031 Week ago: 11,116 Year ago: 12,104  
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 690 Week ago: 1772 Year ago: 1505  
 Steer calves steady to 5.00 higher, heifer calves under 500 lbs steady to 2.00 higher, over 500 lbs steady to 2.00 lower. Yearlings 3.00 to 5.00 lower. Slaughter cows and bulls steady to 2.00 lower.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
400-500 lbs.	179.00-197.50	300-400 lbs.	166.00-195.00
500-600 lbs.	157.00-187.00	400-500 lbs.	148.00-171.00
600-700 lbs.	143.00-165.50	500-600 lbs.	138.00-153.00
700-800 lbs.	141.00-146.50	600-700 lbs.	134.00-144.00
800-900 lbs.	142.00-145.00	700-800 lbs.	133.00-142.00
		800-900 lbs.	125.00-128.00

<u>HOLSTEINS:</u>		<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>	
Large Frame 3		Breaking and Boning 70.00-78.00, high dressing 76.50-84.50. Lean (85-90%) 65.00-72.00, low dressing 78.00-87.50	
500-600 lbs.	100.00-102.00		
600-700 lbs.	100.00		
700-800 lbs.	97.00-105.50		
800-900 lbs.	100.50-103.50		

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid 2nd-3rd stage 1075-1350 lbs 1075.00-1325.00, some better quality 1375.00-1575.00 per head

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-6 yrs 1090-1245 lbs cows with 145-400 lbs calves 1375.00-1500.00 per pair

## NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 8058 Week ago: 8838 Year ago: 6766  
 Compared to last week, steers over 550 lbs and heifers over 500 lbs 2.00 to 5.00 lower with lighter-weight steer and heifer calves firm to 5.00 higher. Slaughter cows traded 3.00 to 5.00 lower.

<u>FEEDER STEERS:</u>		<u>FEEDER HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	194.00-201.00	300-400 lbs.	177.50-179.00
400-500 lbs.	173.00-204.00	400-500 lbs.	151.00-169.00
500-600 lbs.	160.25-186.50	500-600 lbs.	140.00-164.75
600-700 lbs.	146.75-163.00	600-700 lbs.	134.50-148.25
700-800 lbs.	140.75-155.85	700-800 lbs.	130.00-141.00
800-900 lbs.	135.25-146.60	800-900 lbs.	126.00-127.50
900-1000 lbs.	129.50-135.25		

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2000 lbs 85.00-92.00, high dressing 93.00-98.00, low dressing 75.00-83.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 68.00-74.00, high dressing 73.00-80.00 Lean (85-90% lean) 63.00-68.00

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1 5 yrs to short and solid 1060-1450 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 1475.00-1650.00 per head

COW-CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1 3 yrs to short and solid 1250-1450 lbs with 150-300 lbs calves 1500.00-1650.00 per pair

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**WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Kingsville, Sedalia, Butler)

Receipts: 5498 Week Ago: 7932 Year Ago: 6092

Compared to last week, feeders uneven 7.00 lower to 8.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00 lower to 3.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	201.00-217.50
400-500 lbs.	172.00-214.00
500-600 lbs.	153.00-195.00
600-700 lbs.	145.00-168.00
700-800 lbs.	137.60-146.50
800-900 lbs.	133.25-145.85

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	160.00-185.00
400-500 lbs.	153.00-176.00
500-600 lbs.	135.00-161.50
600-700 lbs.	136.00-147.25
700-800 lbs.	125.00-139.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1240-2465 lbs 89.00-100.00, high dressing 101.50-109.75, low dressing 77.00-89.50SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 71.25-79.00, high dressing 80.00-87.50. Lean (85-90) 62.25-74.00COW & CALF PAIRS:

Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Scarce

**EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Macon, Boonville)

Receipts: 6966 Week ago: 6739 Year ago: 8071

Compared to last week, feeder calves unevenly steady and yearlings steady to 5.00 lower. Slaughter cows steady to 4.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	175.00-208.50
400-500 lbs.	170.00-201.00
500-600 lbs.	150.00-185.00
600-700 lbs.	141.50-163.50
700-800 lbs.	136.25-154.25
800-875 lbs.	127.25-145.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	158.00-172.00
400-500 lbs.	140.00-167.00
500-600 lbs.	135.50-165.25
600-700 lbs.	134.50-147.00
700-775 lbs.	134.50-139.50

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: Choice with Prime ends 2-4 119.00-127.75SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 72.00-78.50, high dressing 77.00-85.50. Lean (85-90%) 66.50-76.50REPLACEMENT HEIFERS:

Scarce

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2200 lbs 90.00-98.00, high dressing 98.00-103.00**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 2631 Week ago: 6841 Year ago: 3307

Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 16 Week ago: 40 Year ago: 32

Feeder steers 4.00 to 10.00 lower. Feeder heifers under 500 lbs steady over 500 lbs 3.00 to 6.00 lower. Slaughter cows steady. Slaughter steers and heifers 2.00 to 3.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

400-500 lbs.	166.50-188.00
500-600 lbs.	151.50-177.50
600-700 lbs.	141.00-160.00
700-800 lbs.	137.00-143.75
800-900 lbs.	130.00-132.75

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	164.00-170.00
400-500 lbs.	158.25-168.50
500-600 lbs.	139.50-160.00
600-700 lbs.	134.00-142.00

SLAUGHTER STEERS:

Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 74.00-80.50, high dressing 79.00-84.50SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:

Choice 2-3 1150-1300 lbs 126.25-127.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1450-2100 lbs 90.00-98.00COW & CALF PAIRS:

Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Scarce

**SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Farmington, Patton)

Receipts: 1921 Week ago: 2517 Year ago: 2154

Compared to last week 300-400 lb heifers sold 14.00 lower, the rest of the offering steady to 6.00 lower. Slaughter cows and bulls 3.00 lower

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	175.00-201.00
400-500 lbs.	156.50-187.00
500-600 lbs.	149.50-170.00
600-700 lbs.	139.50-158.75
700-800 lbs.	128.00-142.00
800-900 lbs.	128.00-140.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

300-400 lbs.	149.00-159.50
400-500 lbs.	143.00-163.00
500-600 lbs.	131.00-145.00
600-700 lbs.	125.00-143.00
700-800 lbs.	121.00-134.00
800-900 lbs.	122.00

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1-2 3-7 yrs 1078-1365 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 1045.00-1400.00 per head

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 63.50-73.00, high dressing 75.00-80.50. Lean (85-90% Lean) 53.50-63.00COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-8 yrs 970-1310 lbs 130-320 lb calves 1250.00-1395.00 per pair**SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 3059 Week ago: 3133 Year ago: 2642

Compared to last week, steers and heifers steady to 8.00 lower with decline mostly over 500 lbs. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	195.00-214.00
400-500 lbs.	178.00-210.00
500-600 lbs.	155.00-182.00
600-700 lbs.	140.00-155.00
700-800 lbs.	135.50-147.50
800-900 lbs.	132.00-140.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	150.00-168.00
400-500 lbs.	142.00-170.00
500-600 lbs.	134.25-145.00
600-700 lbs.	129.00-147.00
700-800 lbs.	118.00-135.00

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid 875-1475 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 900.00-1310.00 per headSLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 70.00-75.00, high dressing 76.00-78.75. Lean (85-90%) 66.00-72.50, low dressing 55.00-65.50COW & CALF PAIRS: ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1350-2200 lbs, 86.00-93.00, high dressing 94.75**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT  
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

Weekly Receipts: 200 Week ago: 200 Year ago: 200

Compared to last week live and dressed sales not well-tested with a lower undertone.

LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS:

80% Choice 125.00

DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS:

No sales

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid):

Choice 3 550-950 lbs 200.00

**INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS**

Weekly Receipts: 1905 Week ago: 2422 Year ago: 4275

Compared to last week, barrows and gilts 2.00 to 3.00 higher, sows 3.00 to 5.00 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS:

Base carcass meat price 77.00-78.00 Weekly top Friday 78.00

SOWS:300-500 lbs. 34.00-37.00  
Over 500 lbs. 43.00-44.00

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

Receipts: 4938 Compared to last week, weaner pigs steady to 2.00 higher, feeder pigs firm to 5.00 higher. Supply and demand moderate. Prices per head. Early weaned pigs 10 lb. base weights for the farm 0% negotiated 3338 head, 37.75-45.00, weighted average price 42.11. Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights delivered 100% negotiated, no sales reported. Feeder pigs in all lot sizes, delivered 100% negotiated, 1100 head, 40 lbs, 78.00.

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

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	419.50	367.50	320.00	235.00
St. Louis	458.00	360.00	330.00	197.00

**Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards Mexico 01/17/2013**

Receipts: 625 Week Ago: 387 Last Year: 527 All Prices per cwt.  
**SHEEP** Slaughter Lambs: non-traditional, Choice and Prime 2-3 55-65 lbs 140.00-149.00; 70-80 lbs 131.00-142.00; lot 88 lbs 123.00; 90-100 lbs 114.00-120.00; few 115-135 lbs 101.00-110.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 1-3 130-190 lbs 49.00-51.00 Replacement Bred Ewes: Medium and Large 1-2 pkg yearlings 140 lbs 122.50 per head; pkg 4yrs 220 lbs 160.00 per head. Hair Ewes 2-4yrs 130 lbs 124.00-140.00 per head. Slaughter Bucks: few 150-250 lbs 50.00-59.00. **GOATS:** Slaughter Kids: Selection 1-2 40-50 lbs 218.00-228.00; 50-60 lbs 220.00-230.00 couple pkgs 66-68 lbs 224.00; pkg 74 lbs 154.00. Selection 2 50-55 lbs 200.00-220.00. Nannies: Selection 1-2 few 85-100 lbs 102.00-118.00; few 120-160 lbs 84.00-94.00. Selection 2-3 few 90-110 lbs 94.00-104.00, pkg thin 80 lbs 77.00. Billies: Selection 1-2 few 100-130 lbs 110.00-124.00.

**Norwood Producers Auction Yard Special Dairy Sale 1/10/2013**

Receipts: 411 Last Month: 775 Year Ago: 442  
 Springer heifers bred 7-9 months: Supreme 1230.00-1375.00, Jersey 1025.00-1170.00, Crossbreds 1000.00-1125.00. Approved 975.00-1180.00, Crossbreds 910.00-975.00. Medium 775.00-940.00. Heifers bred 4-6 months Supreme 1125.00-1210.00. Approved 975.00-1075.00. Medium 820.00-950.00. Heifers bred 1-3month : Supreme 880.00-1050.00. Open heifers: Approved 200-300 lbs 260.00-350.00; 300-400 lbs 310.00-420.00, Crossbreds 310.00-470.00; 400-500 lbs 400.00-500.00, Crossbreds 350.00-390.00; 500-600 lbs 570.00-610.00, Crossbreds 440.00-540.00; 600-700 600.00-740.00; 700-800 lbs 625.00-700.00 Fresh and open milking cows: Supreme Crossbred 1125.00-1200.00. Approved 1100.00-1150.00. Baby calves: Holstein heifers 150.00-230.00 Holstein bulls 90.00-170.00 Crossbred heifers 75.00-130.00 Crossbred bulls 115.00-200.00, Small 45.00-70.00.

**CRS Sales Company Sheep and Goat Sale**

Receipts: 645 Last Month: 193 Year Ago: 1066

**Sheep-** Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 2-3 Hair 60-90 lbs 110.00-160.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 1-2 hair 80-118 lbs 45.00-100.00. Bucks: hair 55-130 lbs 75.00-120.00. **Goats-** Slaughter Classes: Kids: Selection 1 60-70 lbs 220.00-233.00; 80-100 lbs 160.00-165.00. Selection 1-2 50-60 lbs 180.00-220.00; 70-80 lbs 160.00-185.00. Selection 2 40-50 lbs 180.00-220.00; 80-90 lbs 115.00-137.50. Selection 2-3 60-70 lbs 110.00-180.00. Does/Nannies: Selection 1-2 78-108 lbs 70.00-115.00. Selection 3 Dairy 70-140 lbs 65.00-110.00. Billies: Selection 1 170-220 lbs 80.00-95.00. Selection 2 85-135 lbs 85.00-107.50. Selection 3 75-105 lbs 75.00-100.00. Replacement Nannies: Selection 1-2 few 65-90 lbs 120.00. Selection 3 Dairy 120-190 lbs 90.00-105.00. Pairs: Selection 1-2 160.00-200.00. Feeder/Stocker Kids: Selection 2 20-30 lbs 135.00-200.00; 30-40 lbs 165.00-195.00. Selection 3 30-40 lbs 125.00-165.00; 40-60 lbs 125.00-185.00.

**WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS**

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .52 to .56 higher, Wheat .36 to .37 higher, Corn .11 to .23 higher, KC Wheat .32 to .37 higher, Soybean Meal 9.30 to 11.00 higher.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
<b>Soybeans</b>					
Jan	1459 3/4				
Mar	1418	1413 1/2	1436 1/2	1430 1/4	1429 1/4
May	1405 1/4	1399 3/4	1421 1/4	1414 3/4	1416 3/4
Jul	1398 3/4	1392 3/4	1412 3/4	1406	1410
Aug	1369 1/2	1365 1/4	1386	1379 1/2	1385
<b>Wheat</b>					
Mar	767	782 3/4	785	781 1/4	791 1/4
May	773 1/2	791	793 3/4	789 3/4	799 3/4
Jul	777	794 1/4	797 1/4	795 1/4	804 1/2
Sep	784 3/4	802 1/4	805 1/4	804 1/4	813 1/2
Dec	798 3/4	815 1/4	818 1/4	817 1/4	826 3/4
<b>Corn</b>					
Mar	724	730 1/2	731 1/4	724 1/2	727 1/2
May	723	730 3/4	731 1/4	725 1/4	729 1/4
Jul	714	721	721 1/4	717	721 1/2
Sep	610	614	618	610 3/4	613 1/2
Dec	584	589 1/4	592 1/4	586 1/2	590 1/2
<b>KC Wheat</b>					
Mar	823 1/2	838 1/4	842 1/2	837	843 3/4
May	833 1/2	848 1/4	852 3/4	847	853 1/4
Jul	840 3/4	854 3/4	859 1/4	854 1/4	861
Sep	851 1/2	864 1/4	864 1/4	864 1/4	871 3/4
Dec	862	874 1/2	878 1/4	876 1/4	883 1/2
<b>SB Meal</b>					
Jan	714.90				
Mar	418.00	411.90	419.10	414.00	414.40
May	411.80	406.70	431.20	408.40	408.50
Jul	407.40	402.60	408.60	404.10	404.40
Aug	396.10	392.40	398.80	394.50	395.30

**WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND**

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle 2.68 to 5.65 lower, Lean Hogs .35 to 1.15 higher, except May .10 lower, Feeder Cattle 3.12 to 5.97 lower.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
<b>Cattle</b>					
Feb	130.35	130.42	128.52	126.60	124.95
Apr	134.75	134.42	132.70	130.87	129.82
Jun	129.65	129.35	127.87	126.72	126.25
Aug	129.90	129.47	127.75	126.67	126.52
Oct	133.32	133.37	132.20	130.60	130.82
<b>Lean Hogs</b>					
Feb	85.22	85.25	85.15	85.95	85.35
Apr	87.85	87.60	87.42	88.07	88.07
May	94.80	97.50	94.70	94.70	94.70
Jun	96.85	96.60	96.65	96.65	96.85
Jul	96.90	96.60	96.47	96.50	96.65
<b>Fdr Cat</b>					
Jan	149.45	148.32	147.07	144.40	143.90
Mar	151.42	150.37	148.22	145.85	146.35
Apr	153.30	152.30	150.25	148.22	148.85
May	155.10	154.55	152.45	150.35	151.12
Aug	160.57	159.90	158.35	156.32	157.05
<b>Milk</b>					
Jan	18.12	18.11	18.07	18.10	18.11
Feb	17.58	17.65	17.49	17.50	17.28
Mar	17.66	17.71	17.50	17.45	17.12

**By-Product Feed Prices**

Alfalfa Pellets 17%, St. Louis, MO 355.00; Corn Gluten Feed pelletted, Baring, MO 255.00; Distillers Grain Dried, Kansas City, MO 265.00; Soy Hulls Mexico, MO 220.00. Prices per ton.

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**MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS**

(Weekly trends in the print version of this publication are calculated Friday to Thursday; in the electronic version Friday to Friday)  
 Soybeans .51 to .64 higher, Wheat .35 to .39 higher, Corn .18 to .22 higher, Grain Sorghum .34 to .69 higher.

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
<b>Kansas City</b>				
Friday**	14.13	7.05-7.07	7.47	12.66
Monday	14.62	7.17-7.19	7.62	12.93
Tuesday	14.58	7.33-7.35	7.69	13.05
Wednesday	14.85	7.35-7.37	7.69	13.05
Thursday	14.78	7.31-7.33	7.63	12.95
Friday	14.77	7.41-7.45	7.66	13.00
<b>St. Louis</b>				
Friday**	14.28-14.38	7.67	7.07-7.08	12.04
Monday	14.73-14.88	7.82	7.24-7.26	12.66
Tuesday	14.68-14.79	7.98	7.30-7.33	12.79
Wednesday	14.91-14.97	8.00	7.31-7.33	12.79
Thursday	14.90	7.96	7.24-7.27	12.68
Friday	14.79-14.89	8.06	7.27-7.30	12.73
<b>Central</b>				
Friday**	13.78-13.88	7.17*	7.16-7.19	n/a
Monday	14.23-14.28	7.27*	7.31-7.34	n/a
Tuesday	14.19-14.24	7.44*	7.38-7.41	n/a
Wednesday	14.42-14.47	7.47*	7.38-7.41	n/a
Thursday	14.35-14.40	7.45-7.47*	7.32-7.35	n/a
Friday	14.34-14.44	7.55*	7.35-7.38	n/a
<b>S.E. MO</b>				
Friday**	14.32-14.38	7.55-7.80*	7.06-7.26	n/a
Monday	14.66-14.88	7.65-7.89*	7.21-7.41	n/a
Tuesday	14.68-14.84	7.83-8.05*	7.28-7.48	n/a
Wednesday	14.86-15.01	7.85-8.08*	7.27-7.48	n/a
Thursday	14.74-14.93	7.81-8.04*	7.21-7.42	n/a
Friday	14.87-14.92	7.91-8.14*	7.39-7.45	n/a

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

Missouri Weekly Hay Summary Week ending 01/18/2013

Hay producers who held bales back taking the wait-and-see approach to the remainder of their hay stacks may be questioning their decision. Within the last couple weeks more hay has seemingly been made available but those offerings aren't always finding a ready home. Until a clearer picture of the spring pastures and a boost to the confidence of the cowmen that they will be able to ride-out the winters' drought some are hesitant to put high-dollar hay in their herds. Others have already reduced the head counts to match their own hay supplies instead of gambling they would be able to find feed over the course of the winter. Hay supply is moderate, demand is moderate and 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).

Premium quality Alfalfa (RFV 170-185) 225.00-300.00  
 Good quality Alfalfa (RFV 150-170) 175.00-255.00  
 Fair quality Alfalfa (RFV 130-150) 125.00-180.00

Good quality Mixed Grass hay 100.00-190.00  
 Fair to Good quality Mixed Grass hay 100.00-145.00  
 Fair quality Mixed Grass hay 55.00-75.00 per large round bale

Wheat straw 3.00-5.00 per small square bale

Corn Stalks/Stover 60.00-100.00 per ton, 25.00-40.00 large round