

Weekly Market Summary

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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 20,280 Week ago: 14,203 Year ago: 18,390
 Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1—Weighted average weights and prices

STEERS: Medium and Large 1

338 lbs. 378.25	525 lbs. 330.26	724 lbs. 283.90	930 lbs. 244.63
379 lbs. 372.09	574 lbs. 319.51	771 lbs. 267.32	1002 lbs. 230.25
425 lbs. 354.51	621 lbs. 308.63	823 lbs. 260.95	
475 lbs. 351.06	671 lbs. 294.61	871 lbs. 261.08	

HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1

322 lbs. 358.79	526 lbs. 300.10	716 lbs. 260.37	958 lbs. 222.53
379 lbs. 333.87	570 lbs. 282.61	774 lbs. 242.81	
426 lbs. 323.52	625 lbs. 274.95	821 lbs. 235.63	
471 lbs. 310.02	672 lbs. 266.30	895 lbs. 224.00	

MISSOURI STEER (HEIFER) STOCKER FORMULA 07/29/2024

Monday's Missouri Stocker formula consists of **3758 (3901)** head with a weighted average weight of **553.50 (547.90)** lbs. and a price value of **314.81 (284.07)**, 7.18 higher (6.43 higher) than last week.

This a rolling seven day calculated weighted value which combines all Feeder Steers reported by MDA/USDA Market News Service weighing from 400-649 lbs. in the Medium and Large 1 and Medium and Large 1-2 frame and muscle classifications, including all comment cattle except Brahman X. Heifer values are in parentheses.

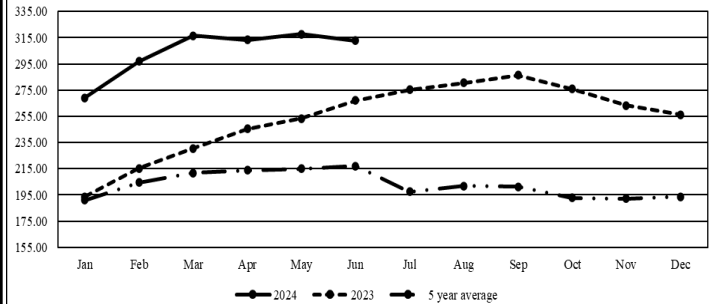
MISSOURI WEEKLY CATTLE AUCTION SUMMARY

Total Receipts: 23,952 Week Ago: 16,697 Year Ago: 23,855

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers sold steady to 5.00 higher, with some spots of 5.00-10.00 higher. The supply of feeders was moderate with a better test of the market than last week. Although there were no real heavy volume sales, for mid-summer the offering was pretty respectable. Several reporters noted that quality was much improved over the last few weeks with several load lots of feeders that found good demand from buyers. Grass remains extremely green for the end of July in Missouri so no one is really selling due to lack of grass. The ample pasture has also provided the option to restock some pastures for those who have already marketed some calves that were placed in early spring. A few stick out sales this week included a couple of lots at Callaway Livestock Center where 45 head of 622 lb. steers sold at 325.50 and then 2 loads of 734 lb. steers for 298.28. Unionville Livestock Market sold 5 loads of steers that were heavy eight weights and sold from 266.75-270.50. Kingsville Livestock Auction sold two loads of light seven weight heifers at 268.25 and 269.50. Lolli Brothers Livestock Market sold 23 head of 3 year old 2nd calf heifers for 3650.00 per head. Boxed beef cutouts were mixed for the week, choice closed on Friday at 313.77, up 0.28 and select closed at 297.46, down 1.34 compared to last week. Negotiated feedlot sales as of the Friday afternoon report totaled 52K head. Live sales were reported 190.00-198.00 and dressed sales reported mostly at 312.00. The Missouri Stocker formula consists of 3758 head with a weighted average weight of 553.50 lbs. and a price value of 314.81, 7.18 higher than a week ago. The steer/heifer spread is 30.74.

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Missouri Stocker Formula - Steers

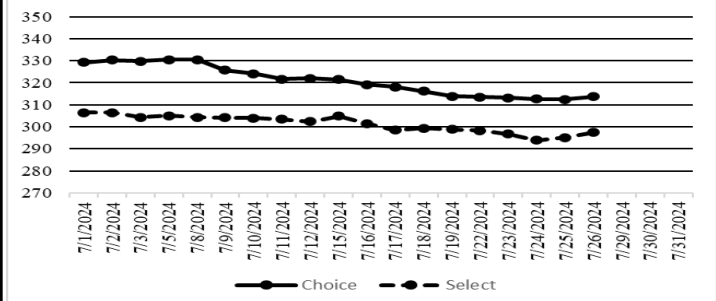


*Graph is updated the first Monday of each month. Axis value ranges may be updated to reflect data points.

NATIONAL BOXED BEEF CUTOFF/BOXED BEEF CUTS

DATE	CHOICE	SELECT	TOTAL LOADS
7/22	313.44	298.33	149
7/23	313.21	296.66	165
7/24	312.68	293.95	188
7/25	312.46	295.11	131
7/26	313.77	297.46	101
5 Day Simple Average	313.11	296.30	

Boxed Beef Cuts July 2024



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WEEKLY LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER 07/27/24

	CATTLE	HOGS	SHEEP
Week to Date:	600,000	2,436,000	36,000
Last Week:	584,000	2,372,000	36,000
Last Year:	615,823	2,398,000	31,186

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Joplin and Springfield)

Receipts: 7,535 Week ago: 7,699 Year Ago: 6,823
Compared to last week, feeders early week sold sharply higher, mid week sales were uneven from 3.00 lower to 6.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls sold steady to 4.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

400-500 lbs.	312.00-365.00
500-600 lbs.	297.00-340.00
600-700 lbs.	275.00-323.00
700-800 lbs.	261.00-284.00
800-900 lbs.	248.00-264.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

400-500 lbs.	295.00-344.00
500-600 lbs.	266.00-310.00
600-700 lbs.	252.00-280.00
700-800 lbs.	235.00-262.00
800-900 lbs.	224.00-244.00

FEEDER HOLSTEIN STEERS
Large 3

400-500 lbs.	238.00-253.00
600-700 lbs.	208.00-230.00
Pkg 914 lbs	200.25

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 129.00-149.50; high dressing 142.00-161.50; low dressing 119.00-139.00. Lean (85-90%) 119.00-135.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1200-24755 lbs. 160.00-181.00; high dressing 178.00-195.00; low dressing 145.00-163.00

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1 2-8 yrs 1175-1415 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 2075.00-2450.00 per head. Medium and Large 1-2 2-8 yrs 995-1385 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 1550.00-2300.00; 1st stage 1400.00-1850.00 per head.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1 2-8 yrs 1225-1775 lbs baby to 300 lb calves 2400.00-2950.00; few with calves over 300 lbs 3050.00-3400.00 per pair

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(West Plains, Phillipsburg)

Receipts: 4,865 Week ago: 2,813 Year Ago: 4,707
Compared to last week, feeders sold steady to spot of 12.00 higher, although a few late week steers sold with instances of 3.00 lower. Slaughter cows sold steady to 3.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

400-500 lbs.	329.00-252.50
500-600 lbs.	303.00-330.00
600-700 lbs.	286.50-311.00
700-800 lbs.	257.50-274.50
800-900 lbs.	245.00-263.50
Load 941 lbs.	243.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	312.50-367.50
400-500 lbs.	290.00-327.00
500-600 lbs.	272.00-311.00
600-700 lbs.	254.00-287.50
700-800 lbs.	229.00-248.00
Pkg 832 lbs.	229.00

FEEDER HOLSTEIN STEERS:
Large 3

12 hd 270 lbs.	250.00
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SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 130.00-144.00, high dressing 143.00-154.00; low dressing 116.00-131.00. Lean (85-90%) 120.00-132.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1200-2335 lbs. 157.00-176.00; high dressing 175.00-198.00; low dressing 129.00-158.00

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-8 yrs 1075-1285 lbs 2nd to 3rd stage 1800.00-2725.00; 1st stage 1675.00-2000.00 per head

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-8 yrs 1100-1325 lbs 150-300 lb calves 2300.00-3150.00 per pair

WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Kingsville, Windsor, Butler)

Receipts: 2,877 Week ago: 946 Year ago: 3,343
Compared to last week, feeders sold mostly steady some spots 5.00 higher. Slaughter cows sold steady to 4.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

400-500 lbs.	360.00-380.00
500-600 lbs.	317.00-366.00
600-700 lbs.	295.50-322.00
700-800 lbs.	265.50-295.00
800-900 lbs.	260.00-270.00
Load 1002 lbs.	230.25

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

350-400 lbs.	343.00-375.00
400-500 lbs.	317.00-352.00
500-600 lbs.	282.50-317.00
600-700 lbs.	269.00-292.00
700-800 lbs.	243.00-269.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1225-2220 lbs 158.00-178.00; high dressing 179.00-195.00, ind 207.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 138.00-152.00, high dressing 150.00-159.00. Lean (85-90%) 121.00-137.00

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 pkg 5-8 yrs 1287-1443 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 2060.00-2300.00 per head

COW & CALF PAIRS: Scarce

NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Palmyra)

Receipts: 3,930 Week ago: 1,653 Year ago: 3,266
Compared to last week, feeders sold steady to 7.00 higher. Slaughter cows sold mostly 2.00 to 5.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

400-500 lbs.	345.00-386.00
500-600 lbs.	317.00-359.00
600-700 lbs.	275.00-325.50
700-800 lbs.	254.50-299.00
800-900 lbs.	257.00-270.25

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

400-500 lbs.	312.00-349.00
500-600 lbs.	284.00-318.50
600-700 lbs.	266.75-291.50
700-800 lbs.	244.50-269.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1290-2065 lbs 155.00-193.00; high dressing 172.00-192.00; low dressing 150.00-170.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 130.00-146.00; high dressing 141.00-155.00; low dressing 119.00-130.00. Lean (85-90%) 119.00-135.00

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 190.00-195.50 Select and Choice 2-3 185.00-190.50

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 192.50-197.50. Select and Choice 2-3 186.00-190.00

BRED COWS: Scarce

BRED HEIFERS: Scarce

NORTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Macon, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Receipts: 1264 Week ago: 1341 Year ago: 1,873
No recent sales for a price trend.
*Some sale barns on a bi-weekly schedule and may not have a sale each week.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

400-500 lbs.	354.00-369.00
500-550 lbs.	334.00-339.00
600-700 lbs.	305.00-318.00
850-900 lbs.	266.75-270.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

500-600 lbs.	272.25-315.00
600-700 lbs.	261.00-278.25
700-750 lbs.	256.25-271.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1510-2400 lbs. 170.00-196.00; high dressing 179.00-193.50

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 134.00-159.00, high dressing 146.00-166.00. Lean (85-90%) 123.00-134.00

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 short solid to broken mouth 1285-1475 lbs 3rd stage 1850.00-2050.00 per head

BRED HEIFER: Medium and Large 1 1/2-4 yrs 1075-1280 lbs 3rd stage 3100.00-3650.00 per head

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Jackson and Farmington)

Receipts: 755 Week ago: 909 Year ago: 1,150
 Compared to last week, feeders sold uneven from 7.00 lower to 7.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls sold steady to 5.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:
 Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	325.00-370.00
400-500 lbs.	285.00-332.00
500-600 lbs.	279.00-314.00
600-700 lbs.	262.00-300.00
700-800 lbs.	247.00-277.00
800-850 lbs.	238.00-248.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:
 Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	282.50-327.00
400-500 lbs.	265.00-310.00
500-600 lbs.	253.00-280.00
600-700 lbs.	235.00-267.00
700-800 lbs.	230.00-243.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 11175-2125 lbs 142.00-146.00, high dressing 151.00-160.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 109.00-128.00; high dressing 110.00-148.00. Lean (85-90% lean) 81.00-113.00

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 2 2-8 yrs 1055-1300 lbs 1st and 2nd stage 1600.00-1950.00 per head

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 2 2-8 yrs 850-900 lbs baby to 300 lb calves 2500.00-2900.00 per pair

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 2726 Week ago: 474 Year ago: 732
 Compared to two weeks ago, feeder sold steady to 8.00 higher. Slaughter cows sold from 4.00 lower to 3.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:
 Medium and Large 1

400-500 lbs.	330.00-379.00
500-600 lbs.	311.00-341.00
600-700 lbs.	273.50-304.75
700-800 lbs.	252.50-276.75
800-850 lbs.	254.00-261.60

FEEDER HEIFERS:
 Medium and Large 1

400-500 lbs.	297.50-322.00
500-600 lbs.	280.00-310.00
600-700 lbs.	253.50-282.00
700-800 lbs.	239.00-257.25

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1275-2135 lbs 162.00-186.00; high dressing 187.00-193.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 136.50-147.50; high dressing 146.00-159.50. Lean (85-90%) 126.00-137.50

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-8 yrs 950-1345 lbs 1st-3rd stage 1925.00-2300.00 per head

COW & CALF PAIRS: Scarce

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Tina) w/e 7/19

Receipts: 862 Two Weeks Ago: 1816 Year Ago: 2185
 Compared to two weeks ago, feeders sold steady to 5.00 lower with some unweaned 10.00 lower. Slaughter cows sold steady to 2.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:
 Medium and Large 1

500-600 lbs.	330.00-346.00
600-700 lbs.	293.00-320.00
700-800 lbs.	282.00-283.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:
 Medium and Large 1

500-600 lbs.	297.00-305.50
Pkg 670 lbs.	266.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1435-2085 lbs 164.00-179.00, ind high dressing ind 184.50

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 135.00-154.00, high dressing 146.00-165.50. Lean (85-90%) 120.50-133.50

BRED COWS: Scarce

COW/CALF PAIRS: scarce

AFTERNOON NATIONAL SLAUGHTER CATTLE REVIEW

So far for Friday in the Texas Panhandle negotiated cash trading has been moderate with light to moderate demand. Compared to last week live FOB purchases traded 1.50-2.00 higher at 190.00. In Kansas negotiated cash trading has been limited on light demand. Not enough purchases for a market trend. The last reported market was on Thursday with live FOB purchases at 190.00. In Nebraska negotiated cash trading and demand have been moderate. Compared to last week live FOB and dressed delivered purchases traded 2.00 higher at 198.00 and 312.00, respectively, with light test of both. In the Western Cornbelt negotiated cash trading has been slow on light to moderate demand. Compared to last week live FOB and dressed delivered purchases traded 2.00 higher at 198.00 and 312.00, respectively, with light test of both.

Negotiated Cash Sales:

Confirmed:	27,366	Week Ago:	5,950	Year Ago:	9,578
Week to date:	52,135	Week Ago:	57,653	Year Ago:	18,968

<u>Live Basis</u>	<u>Steers</u>	<u>Heifers</u>
Over 80% Choice	190.00-198.00 avg 197.32	194.00-198.00 avg 197.52
65-80% Choice	190.00-198.00 avg 190.91	190.00-197.00 avg 191.29
35-65% Choice	190.00-190.00 avg 190.00	190.00-190.00 avg 190.00
0-35% Choice	-	-
Total All Grades	190.00-198.00 avg 195.21	190.00-198.00 avg 195.90
<u>Dressed Basis</u>		
Over 80% Choice	308.00-312.00 avg 311.56	310.00-312.00 avg 311.50
65-80% Choice	312.00-312.00 avg 312.00	312.00-312.00 avg 312.00
35-65% Choice	-	-
0-35% Choice	-	-
Total All Grades	308.00-312.00 avg 311.66	310.00-312.00 avg 311.58

<u>All Beef Type Steers/Heifers</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>
Live FOB	16,495	1400.3	190.00-199.00	195.49
Live Del	1,608	1376.1	196.00-199.50	198.74
Dressed Del	9,007	915.8	308.00-314.00	311.66
Dressed FOB	221	852.3	314.00-314.00	314.00

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last week, Live Cattle 2.30 to 5.47 higher, Lean Hogs 1.90 to 3.65 higher, Feeder Cattle 1.57 to 4.10 higher.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Aug	183.92	186.30	186.90	188.90	188.57
Oct	184.60	186.12	186.27	188.60	188.55
Dec	186.02	187.40	187.27	188.90	189.30
Feb	187.90	189.10	188.60	189.67	189.92
Apr	189.82	190.87	190.17	190.92	190.87
Lean Hogs					
Aug	92.37	93.65	93.77	93.77	93.47
Oct	75.97	77.12	78.02	77.80	78.20
Dec	67.95	69.42	70.20	69.95	70.32
Feb	71.97	73.22	73.77	73.60	73.92
Apr	76.85	77.85	78.60	78.65	79.00
Fdr Cat					
Aug	256.40	258.75	257.12	258.62	259.70
Sep	256.50	258.60	256.70	257.90	259.60
Oct	256.25	258.42	256.37	257.07	258.30
Nov	255.82	257.67	255.67	256.22	257.20
Jan	253.65	255.30	253.40	253.72	254.72
Milk					
Jul	19.88	19.88	19.86	19.84	19.83
Aug	20.14	20.26	20.43	20.23	20.36
Sep	20.82	21.05	21.33	21.17	21.40

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

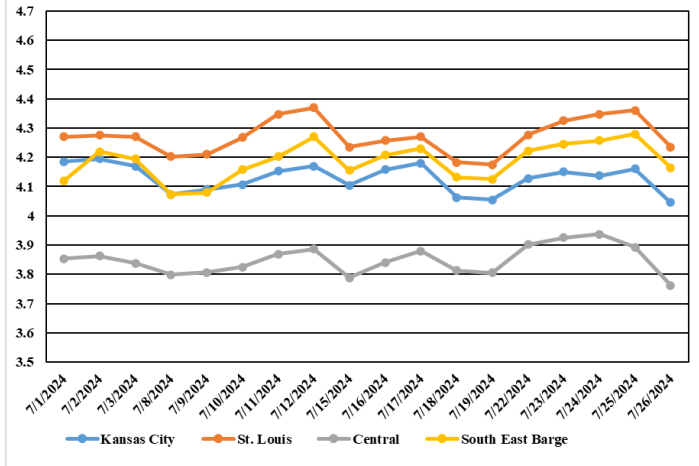
Compared to last week, Soybeans Aug 0.19 lower, others 0.05 to 0.14 higher, Wheat 0.16 to 0.20 lower, Corn 0.04 to 0.07 higher, KC Wheat 0.20 to 0.25 lower, Soybean Meal 16.50 to 17.70 higher.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

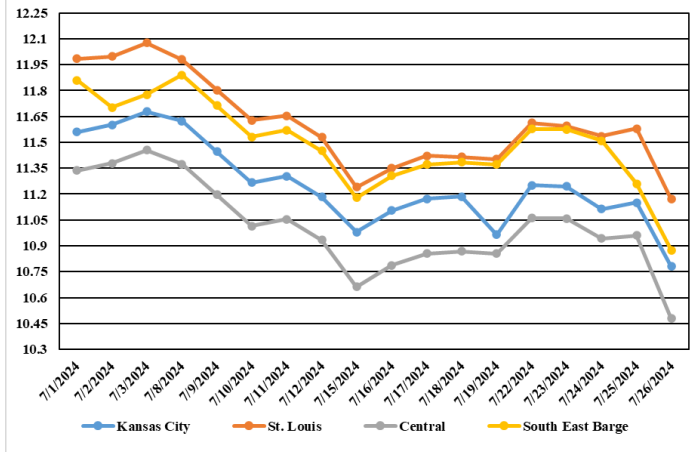
	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
Aug	1117 3/4	1117 1/2	1111	1116	1077 1/2
Sep	1061 3/4	1071 3/4	1060 1/4	1074 1/2	1042
Nov	1068 3/4	1075 1/2	1064	1079 1/2	1048 1/2
Jan	1083	1089 1/2	1077 3/4	1093 3/4	1064
Mar	1092 1/4	1098	1087	1103 1/2	1076
Wheat					
Sep	548	542 3/4	547	537 3/4	523 1/2
Dec	573	567 3/4	571	562 1/2	548 1/2
Mar	593 3/4	588 3/4	591	582 3/4	569
May	604 3/4	600 1/4	602	594 1/2	581
Jul	608 1/4	604	606 1/4	599 3/4	586 3/4
Corn					
Sep	400 1/4	402 1/2	403 3/4	406	394 1/2
Dec	415	417 1/4	418	420 3/4	410
Mar	429 1/4	431 1/4	432 1/4	435 1/4	424 1/2
May	439 1/2	441 1/4	442 1/4	445 1/2	435
Jul	446 3/4	448 1/4	449	452 1/2	442 3/4
KC Wheat					
Sep	571 3/4	566 3/4	567 1/2	561 1/2	545 1/2
Dec	588	583 1/4	583 3/4	578	562
Mar	601 1/2	596 3/4	597 1/2	592	576 1/2
May	608 1/4	603 3/4	605	599 1/4	584 1/4
Jul	605	601	603	597 3/4	583 1/4
SB Meal					
Aug	343.60	342.70	343.40	352.40	353.30
Sep	325.80	325.40	326.10	334.20	334.30
Oct	317.40	317.10	318.20	326.60	323.20
Dec	319.40	319.10	320.60	329.20	324.70
Jan	320.10	320.10	321.40	329.90	325.40

MONTHLY GRAIN CROP

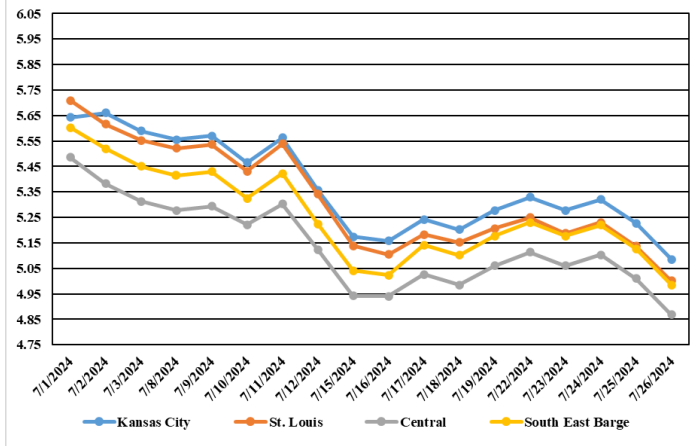
July 2023 Corn Bids



July 2023 Soybean Bids



July 2023 Wheat Bids



*Axis value ranges may be updated to reflect data points.

MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Compared to last week, Soybeans 0.13 to 0.25 lower, Wheat 0.18 to 0.19 lower, Corn 0.06 lower to 0.07 higher, Sorghum 0.04 to 0.06 higher.

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City				
Friday**	10.86-11.06	5.27	3.90-4.20	4.00
Monday	11.17-11.38	5.33	4.00-4.25	4.10
Tuesday	11.10-11.45	5.27	4.02-4.27	4.12
Wednesday	10.99-11.24	5.32	4.03-4.23	4.13
Thursday	11.04-11.24	5.22	4.06-4.26	4.16
Friday	10.73-10.83	5.08	3.94-4.14	4.04
St. Louis				
Friday**	11.39-11.41	5.12-5.27	4.17	4.54
Monday	11.59-11.62	5.18-5.34	4.27-4.28	4.65
Tuesday	11.59	5.12-5.27	4.31-4.33	4.67
Wednesday	11.53-11.54	5.17-5.33	4.34	4.68
Thursday	11.58	5.07-5.23	4.36	4.70
Friday	11.14-11.19	4.93-5.09	4.22-4.24	4.60
Central				
Friday**	10.82-10.87	4.82-5.17	3.70-3.85	---
Monday	11.02-11.07	4.88-5.23	3.80-3.95	---
Tuesday	11.02-11.07	4.82-5.17	3.82-3.97	---
Wednesday	10.91-11.01	4.87-5.22	3.83-3.98	---
Thursday	10.96	4.77-5.12	3.86-3.91	---
Friday	10.38-10.57	4.63-4.98	3.69-3.79	---
S.E. MO				
Friday**	11.37	5.02-5.32	4.12	---
Monday	11.57	5.08-5.38	4.22	---
Tuesday	11.57	5.02-5.32	4.24	---
Wednesday	11.51	5.07-5.37	4.25	---
Thursday	11.26	4.97-5.27	4.28	---
Friday	10.87	4.83-5.13	4.16	---

(PRICES PER BUSHEL) *NEW CROP **PREVIOUS WEEK'S PRICES
*Bids calculated using Kansas City, St. Louis, and St. Joseph bids

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

Area	Soybean Hulls Pellets	Soybean Meal 46.5-48%	Corn Gluten Pellets 21%	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	n/a	374.30	175.00	103.00
St. Louis	n/a	n/a	180.00	101.00

MISSOURI CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

There were 5.5 days suitable for fieldwork in the week ending July 21, 2024. Statewide, the average temperature was 74.1 degrees, 4.5 degrees below normal. Precipitation averaged 0.89 inches, 0.10 inches above normal. Topsoil moisture supply was rated 5 percent short, 87 percent adequate, and 8 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supply was rated 4 percent short, 90 percent adequate, and 6 percent surplus. Corn silking reached 87 percent, compared to the 5-year average 76 percent. Corn dough reached 51 percent, compared to the 5-year average of 24 percent. Corn condition was rated 4 percent very poor, 4 percent poor, 14 percent fair, 57 percent good, and 21 percent excellent. Soybeans blooming reached 57 percent, compared to the 5-year average of 45 percent. Soybeans setting pods reached 26 percent, compared to the 5-year average of 16 percent. Soybean condition was rated 2 percent very poor, 4 percent poor, 15 percent fair, 65 percent good, and 14 percent excellent. Cotton squaring reached 83 percent, compared to the 5-year average of 77 percent. Cotton setting bolls reached 18 percent, compared to the 5-year average of 28 percent. Cotton condition was rated 3 percent very poor, 8 percent poor, 28 percent fair, and 61 percent good. Rice headed reached 23 percent, compared to the 5-year average of 20 percent. Rice condition was rated 2 percent very poor, 7 percent poor, 15 percent fair, 74 percent good, and 2 percent excellent.

	Week Ending			Five Year Avg.
	7/21/24	7/14/24	7/21/23	
Corn Silking	87	76	87	76
Corn Dough	51	32	34	24
Soybeans Blooming	57	47	65	45
Soybeans Setting Pods	26	17	28	16
Cotton Squaring	83	73	93	77
Cotton Setting Bolls	18	8	21	28
Rice Headed	23	12	36	20
Alfalfa hay 2nd cutting	80	65	89	82
Alfalfa hay 3rd cutting	12	2	18	11
Other hay cut	92	89	93	91

MISSOURI WEEKLY HAY SUMMARY

Several producers around the state, especially in the south, are currently dealing with an infestation of army worms. Although they appear every year it is speculated that moths blew up with hurricane winds a few weeks ago and has led to a larger than normal infestation this year. There is still a fair amount of haying taking place and producers have been able to rebuild inventories. This as resulted in a very slow market as there is not currently much buyer demand. Hay prices are weak, the supply of hay is moderate, and demand is light. The Missouri Department of Agriculture has a hay directory at <https://apps.mda.mo.gov/haydirectory> or visit the University of Missouri Extension feed stuff finder at <https://feedstufffinder.org>

Alfalfa - Supreme 250.00-300.00, small square 8.00-12.00 per bale
 Alfalfa - Premium 200.00-250.00
 Alfalfa - Good 150.00-200.00, small square 5.00-10.00 per bale
 Alfalfa - Fair 125.00-150.00
 Mixed grass - Good/Premium 150.00-200.00
 Mixed grass-Fair/Good 100.00-150.00, small square 3.50-8.00 per bale
 Mixed grass - Fair 40.00-65.00 per large round bale
 Wheat straw - 4.00-7.00 per small square bale

Please Note: The above volumes (tonnage, acres, and bales) listed are for confirmed trades only, it does not include estimated volume (tonnage) for bids or offers to the trade. List your hay for sale at: [Hay Listing Online Form](#). Explanation of Hay Quality Guidelines: [Hay Quality Designation Guidelines](#). Glossary of Terms: [Livestock, Poultry, & Grain Hay Terms](#)

MISSOURI WEEKLY SHEEP/GOAT AUCTION SUMMARY

Receipts: 2,490 Week Ago: 2,685 Last Year: 868

SHEEP: Feeder Lambs: Medium and Large 1-2 35-45 lbs 187.50-210.00. Small and Medium 1-2 20-30 lbs 250.00-310.00; 30-40 lbs 205.00-265.00; 40-50 lbs 185.00-240.00. Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 1-3 woolled and shorn 59-80 lbs 185.00-205.00; 100-125 lbs 150.00-205.00. Choice and Prime 1-3 hair 50-70 lbs 182.50-245.00; 70-95 lbs 160.00-225.00. Choice 1-3 hair 50-70 lbs 160.00-212.50. Ewes Good 2-3 hair 100-142 lbs 90.00-117.00. Utility and Good 1-3 hair 75-160 lbs 77.00-90.00. Cull and Utility 1-2 hair 75-99 lbs 60.00-75.00. Replacement Ewes Small and Medium 1-2 hair 95-165 lbs 1-4 yrs exposed 120.00-180.00 per head.

GOATS: Feeder Kids: Selection 1 25-47 lbs 295.00-310.00. Selection 2 27-49 lbs 190.00-280.00. Selection 3 28-48 lbs 135.00-190.00. Slaughter Kids: Selection 1 50-82 lbs 285.00-320.00. Selection 2 50-81 lbs 210.00-277.50. Nannies Selection 1-2 78-117 lbs 107.00-145.00. Billies Selection 1-2 98-140 lbs 140.00-220.00. Replacement Nannies Selection 1-2 2-4 yrs 93-146 lbs. exp 135.00-250.00 per head.

Explanatory Notes: Stage - Represents estimated lambing/kidding period (Open, Exp=exposed, Bred, Fall = Sep-Nov, Win = Dec-Feb, Spr = Mar-May, Sum=Jun-Aug; w/s = woolled and shorn; /hd= per head; /fam=per family
 All price CWT unless otherwise noted.

MISSOURI DROUGHT MONITOR

Date	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
7/23/24	98.86	1.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7/16/24	98.80	1.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7/25/23	5.07	16.55	31.72	26.44	20.23	0.00

Reflects percentage of Missouri impacted by drought. D0 Abnormally Dry; D1 Moderate Drought; D2 Severe Drought; D3 Extreme Drought; D4 Exceptional Drought

NATIONAL DIRECT DELIVERED FEEDER PIG REPORT

07/26/24 Receipts: 109,423 Week ago: 105,022 Year Ago: 109,088
 Early weaned pigs 2.00-3.00 lower and feeder pigs 1.00 higher.
 Cash 73,700 head 13.00-37.00, weighted average 25.36
 Formula 15,923 head 28.18-54.71, weighted average 36.32
 Feeder pigs 40 pounds basis:
 Cash 19,800 head 36.00-49.00, weighted average 44.71

NATIONAL DAILY DIRECT PRIOR DAY HOG REPORTS FOR 07/26/24

BARROWS AND GILTS (Carcass Basis): 3,368 head
 Base Carcass Price 76.00-87.00, weighted average 84.11
SOWS (Live Basis): 6,884 head
 300-500 lbs. 24.00-67.75
 Over 500 lbs. 44.00-70.93

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT 07/26/24

Weekly Receipts: 200 Week ago: 320 Year ago: 320
 Trading as of Friday morning trade flat dressed sales early week 2.00 lower and grid sales inactive.

LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS: No sales reported
DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS: 5 loads flat 308.00

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid): no sales reported

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