

Weekly Market Summary

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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 29,162 Week ago: 39,194 Year ago: 32,435
 Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1—Weighted average weights and prices

STEERS: Medium and Large 1

285 lbs. 703.80	479 lbs. 551.99	673 lbs. 425.72	873 lbs. 347.67
326 lbs. 647.53	521 lbs. 526.28	720 lbs. 407.43	916 lbs. 341.29
375 lbs. 607.50	577 lbs. 479.63	776 lbs. 375.10	971 lbs. 328.70
418 lbs. 596.12	624 lbs. 453.77	827 lbs. 362.95	

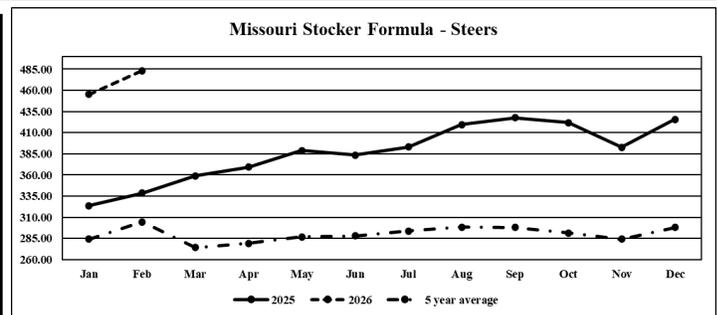
HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1

320 lbs. 575.56	524 lbs. 454.18	725 lbs. 366.40	922 lbs. 328.40
370 lbs. 541.90	571 lbs. 432.20	790 lbs. 345.35	
424 lbs. 511.93	621 lbs. 407.48	827 lbs. 327.83	
471 lbs. 479.50	675 lbs. 382.32	862 lbs. 320.36	

MISSOURI STEER (HEIFER) STOCKER FORMULA 3/02/2026

Monday's Missouri Stocker formula consists of **4,944 (5,640)** head with a weighted average weight of **549.62 (541.39)** lbs. and a price value of **484.28 (432.01)**, 4.38 lower (0.85 lower) than a week ago.

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.



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

NATIONAL BOXED BEEF CUTOUT VALUES

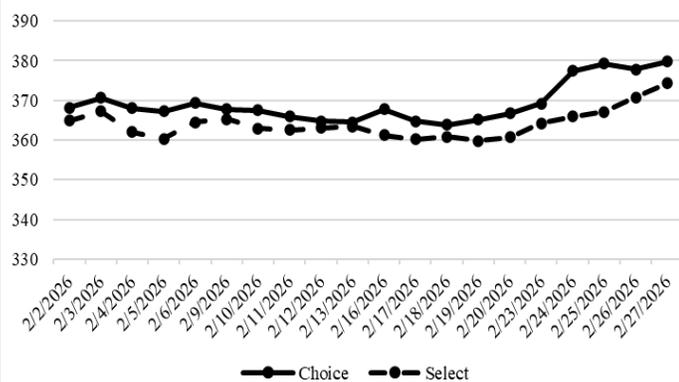
DATE	CHOICE	SELECT	TOTAL LOADS
2/23	369.22	364.31	75
2/24	377.43	366.01	102
2/25	379.23	367.07	99
2/26	377.89	370.79	85
2/27	379.77	374.25	73
5 Day Simple Average	376.71	368.49	

MISSOURI WEEKLY CATTLE AUCTION SUMMARY

Total Receipts: 33,483 Week Ago: 44,563 Year Ago: 37,523

Compared to last week, feeders sold unevenly steady with most of the sales falling in the range of 5.00 lower to 5.00 higher. The supply of feeders was moderate, although many barns are starting to see runs lighten up and the type of cattle coming to town is changing along with the seasons. A lot of uncertainty is once again hanging over the cattle industry resulting in price volatility. Several global factors, although not directly related, also having effects and putting pressure on the markets. Cattle futures saw double digit losses for the week. Fed cattle trade followed and sold sharply lower as well. Boxed beef values jumped as concerns over possible disruptions to already tight supplies have many wanting to keep coolers full to assure meat counters remained stocked as temperatures warm and seasonal demand increases. Closer to home some much need rains fell over the weekend and are forecasted to continue this coming week. Hints of spring are in the air, and although there can still be plenty of rough weather, it doesn't feel like it will be long till green grass. A few stick out sales this week of drafts over 20 head included: 24 head of 458 lb. steers at Callaway Livestock Center that sold for 585.00. Joplin Regional Stockyards so 35 head of 527 lb. steers for 555.00, 27 head of 701 lb. steers for 428.00 and a full load of 865 lb. steers for 364.00. Kingsville Livestock Auction sold 26 head of 552 lb. steers for 520.00 and 39 head of 811 lb. steers for 379.50. Windsor Livestock Auction sold 20 head of 612 lb. steers for 485.00. Unionville Livestock Market sold a load of 914 lb. steers for 359.00. Kingsville Livestock Auction sold 24 head of 548 lb. heifers 496.00. Lolli Brothers Livestock Market sold 80 head of 728 lb. heifers for 378.00. Boxed beef cutout values closed sharply higher for the week. Choice closed on Friday at 379.77, up 13.07 and select closed at 374.25, up 13.51 compared to last week. The choice/select spread at 5.52 per cwt. Negotiated feedlot sales as of the 2:00 cutoff time on Friday afternoons report was just under 46k head. There was likely once again volume that occurred later Friday after the report cut off time. The sales that were reported were lower, live prices were reported 239.00-244.00 and dressed sales from 375.00-383.00. Missouri Stocker formula consists of 4944 head with a weighted average weight of 549.62 lbs. and a price value of 484.28, 4.38 lower than last week. The steer/heifer spread is 52.27.

Boxed Beef Cuts February 2026



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

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER

	CATTLE	HOGS	SHEEP
Week to Date:	516,000	2,516,000	38,000
Last Week:	516,000	2,493,000	37,000
Last Year:	568,747	2,525,170	41,808

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SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Joplin, Springfield, Exeter)

Receipts: 14,646 Week ago: 20,072 Year Ago: 9,062

Compared to last week, feeders sold very uneven from 10.00 lower to 10.00 higher. Slaughter cows were mixed 5.00 lower to 3.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

Table with 2 columns: Weight (300-400 lbs to 900-1000 lbs) and Price (600.00-750.00 to 322.00-341.00)

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

Table with 2 columns: Weight (300-400 lbs to 800-900 lbs) and Price (530.00-610.00 to 321.50-335.00)

FEEDER HOLSTEIN STEERS
Large 3

Table with 2 columns: Weight (450-500 lbs to 800-900 lbs) and Price (325.00-340.00 to 255.00-265.00)

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 150.00-175.00, high dressing 165.00-184.00, low dressing 132.50-160.00; Lean (85-90%) 135.00-160.00; high dressing 155.00-170.00; low dressing 90.00-135.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1255-2380 lbs. 185.00-208.00; high dressing 204.00-238.00; low dressing 156.00-189.00

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1, 1195-1320 lbs., 2-8 yrs., 1st stage, 3350.00-3550.00, 2nd-3rd stage, 3700.00-4100.00, Over 8 years old, 2nd-3rd stage, 3750.00

COW CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1 with 300 lb. calves, Over 5 yrs., 1st stage, 5600.00

Medium and Large 1-2 with 150-300 lb. calves, 2-8 yrs., Open 3600.00-4600.00, Over 5 yrs., Open, 3900.00

BRED HEIFERS: Scarce

Medium and Large 1-2, 915-1540 lbs., 2-8 yrs., 1st stage, 2450.00-3550.00, 2nd-3rd stage, 2700.00-3850.00; Over 8 yrs., 1st stage, 2350.00-2700.00, 2nd-3rd stage, 2350.00-3700.00

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(West Plains, Phillipsburg)

Receipts: 3,552 Week ago: 3,866 Year Ago: 5,096

Compared to last week, feeders sold steady to 15.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls sold steady to 3.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

Table with 2 columns: Weight (300-400 lbs to 179 hd. 928 lbs.) and Price (565.00-675.00 to 335.50)

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

Table with 2 columns: Weight (300-400 lbs to 700-750 lbs.) and Price (527.50-615.00 to 354.00)

FEEDER HOLSTEIN STEERS:
Large 3

Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 150.00-172.00; high dressing 170.00-188.00; low dressing 138.00-160.00. Lean (85-90%) 127.50-156.00, high dressing 150.50-170.00, low dressing 109.00-133.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1305-2075 lbs. 179.00-201.00; high dressing 196.00-220.00; low dressing 161.00-176.00

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1-2, 1155-1610 lbs., 2-8 yrs., 1st stage, 2500.00-3300.00, 2nd-3rd stage, 2600.00-3800.00

COW CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2, with 150-300 lb calves, 1183-1200 lbs., 2-8 yrs., Open, 3500.00

WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Kingsville, Windsor, Butler, Osceola)

Receipts: 5,031 Week ago: 6,605 Year ago: 6,754

Compared to last week, feeder sold mostly steady, with some spots of 10.00 higher. Slaughter cows sold steady to 3.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

Table with 2 columns: Weight (300-400 lbs to 900-950 lbs.) and Price (555.00-640.00 to 346.00-349.50)

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

Table with 2 columns: Weight (300-400 lbs to 900-950 lbs.) and Price (500.00-645.00 to 310.00-338.00)

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1205-2530 lbs. 183.00-210.00, high dressing 209.00-233.00, low dressing 170.00-186.50

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 150.00-176.00, high dressing 168.00-186.00, low dressing 138.00-156.00; Lean (85-90%) 130.00-160.00, low dressing 92.00-134.00

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1-2, 1025-1305 lbs., 2-8 yrs., 1st stage, 2150.00-3250.00, 2nd-3rd stage, 3200.00-4000.00, Over 5 yrs., 2nd-3rd stage, 2550.00-3300.00

BRED HEIFERS: Scarce

NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Palmyra)

Receipts: 4,556 Week ago: 4,665 Year ago: 4,658

Compared to last week, steers up to 750 lbs. traded steady to 15.00 higher, heavier weights sold steady early week and 10.00-12.00 lower late week. Heifers sold steady to firm. Slaughter cows sold steady to firm.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

Table with 2 columns: Weight (300-400 lbs to 900-1000 lbs.) and Price (563.00-655.00 to 315.50-331.50)

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

Table with 2 columns: Weight (300-400 lbs to 800-900 lbs.) and Price (530.00-595.00 to 317.00-325.00)

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1350-2165 lbs. 190.00-206.00; high dressing 208.00-226.00; low dressing 174.00-186.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 163.00-174.00; high dressing 174.00-188.00; low dressing 148.00-164.00. Lean (85-90%) 145.00-164.00; high dressing 164.00-174.00; low dressing 127.00-156.00

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 235.00-240.50

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 237.50-240.00

BRED COWS: Scarce

HEIFER PAIRS: Scarce

NORTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Macon, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Receipts: 2,964 Week ago: 5,148 Year ago: 5,455

Compared to last week, feeders sold mostly steady to firm. Slaughter cows sold steady.

*Some sale barns on a bi-weekly schedule and may not have a sale each week.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

Table with 2 columns: Weight (400-500 lbs to 900-950 lbs.) and Price (545.00-620.00 to 356.25-359.00)

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

Table with 2 columns: Weight (400-500 lbs to 700-800 lbs.) and Price (480.00-557.50 to 339.50-381.50)

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1555-2085 lbs. 191.00-204.00, low dressing 177.00-185.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 155.00-173.00, high dressing 169.00-179.00; Lean (85-90%) 150.00-166.00

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1-2, 1250-1465 lbs., 3rd stage, 2-8 yrs., 4500.00-5200.00

COW CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1, with over 300 lb. calves, 2-8 yrs., 1st stage, 6700.00

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Jackson and Farmington)

Receipts: 667 Week ago: 1,491 Year ago: 2,344

Not enough feeders to establish a trend, slaughter cows and bulls sold steady.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs. 600.00-650.00
400-500 lbs. 487.00-625.00
500-600 lbs. 470.00-540.00
600-700 lbs. 385.00-465.00
800-900 lbs. 335.00-347.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs. 465.00-590.00
400-500 lbs. 440.00-525.00
500-600 lbs. 382.00-480.00
600-700 lbs. 345.00-380.00
700-800 lbs. 340.00-357.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 985-2115 lbs. 173.00-195.00, high dressing 184.00-215.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 140.00-171.00; high dressing 158.00-181.00; Lean (85-90% lean) 114.00-137.00; high dressing 128.00-156.00

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 2, 2-8 yrs., 1015-1540 lbs., 1st stage, 2900.00-3300.00, 2nd-3rd stage, 2900.00-4250.00; Over 5 yrs., 2nd stage, 2150.00-2550.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Scarce

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 870 Week ago: 1,673 Year ago: 2,231

Compared to last Tuesday, feeder steers and heifers under 550 lbs firm to 10.00 higher, over 550 lbs steady, Slaughter cows steady.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs. 630.00-640.00
400-500 lbs. 522.50-570.00
500-600 lbs. 430.00-515.00
600-700 lbs. 419.00-438.00
700-750 lbs. 397.50-407.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs. 520.00-610.00
400-500 lbs. 485.00-555.00
500-600 lbs. 400.00-505.00
600-700 lbs. 374.50-392.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 161.00-171.00, high dressing 171.00-180.00; Lean (85-90%) 143.00-159.00

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1-2, 1030-1560 lbs., 2-8 yrs., 2nd-3rd stage, 2925.00-3775.00; Over 5 yrs., 1st-2nd stage, 2500.00-2950.00

BRED HEIFERS: Scarce

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Tina)

Receipts: 1,197 Week ago: 1,043 Year ago: 1,371

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers sold steady on a light test. Slaughter cows and bulls sold steady.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

350-400 lbs. 600.00-612.50
400-500 lbs. 523.50-605.50
550-600 lbs. 442.50-475.00
700-800 lbs. 370.00-395.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

400-450 lbs. 506.00-541.00
550-600 lbs. 413.00-415.00
600-700 lbs. 367.00-403.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 151.50-179.00, high dressing 170.00-183.50, low dressing 146.00-163.00; Lean (85-90%) 137.00-155.00, high dressing 155.00-168.00, low dressing 128.00-137.50

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1, 1011-1380 lbs., 2-8 yrs. 4200.00-4950.00

BRED HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1, 960-1235 lbs., 2-4 yrs., 3rd stage, 4200.00-4700.00

AFTERNOON NATIONAL SLAUGHTER CATTLE REVIEW

So far for Friday, negotiated cash trade has been light to moderate on light to moderate demand in the Texas Panhandle. Compared to last week, live purchases have been 5.00 lower at 244.00. Negotiated cash trade has been moderate on moderate demand in Kansas, Nebraska, and the Western Cornbelt. Compared to last week in Kansas, live purchases have been 5.00 lower at 244.00. In Nebraska, there has not been enough purchases at any price level to establish an accurate market test, however live purchases ranged from 239.00-244.00. The last established dressed market in Nebraska was Thursday at 383.00. Compared to Thursday in the Western Cornbelt, live purchases have been steady to 3.00 lower from 240.00-243.00. The last established dressed market in the Western Cornbelt was last week at 388.00.

Negotiated Cash Sales:					
Confirmed:	17,594	Week Ago:	24,932	Year Ago:	21,911
Week to date:	45,709	Week Ago:	26,306	Year Ago:	32,965

<u>Live Basis</u>	<u>Steers</u>	<u>Heifers</u>
Over 80% Choice	239.00-244.00 avg 242.21	240.00-244.00 avg 242.52
65-80% Choice	242.00-244.00 avg 243.95	243.00-244.00 avg 243.95
35-65% Choice	-	-
0-35% Choice	-	-
Total All Grades	239.00-244.00 avg 242.56	240.00-244.00 avg 242.91
<u>Dressed Basis</u>		
Over 80% Choice	378.00-383.00 avg 381.55	382.00-382.00 avg 382.00
65-80% Choice	-	-
35-65% Choice	-	-
0-35% Choice	-	-
Total All Grades	378.00-383.00 avg 381.55	382.00-382.00 avg 382.00

<u>All Beef Type Steers/Heifers</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>
Live FOB	15,381	1,500.0	239.00-245.00	242.48
Live Del	489	1,470.5	244.00-247.00	245.01
Dressed Del	1,686	998.4	375.00-383.00	381.33
Dressed FOB	38	908.0	380.00-380.00	380.00

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last week, Live Cattle 2.57 to 9.78 lower, Lean Hogs 1.73 to 2.05 higher, Feeder Cattle 12.60 to 13.85 lower.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Feb	244.97	245.02	246.00	246.00	244.00
Apr	239.25	239.10	240.27	236.90	232.22
Jun	235.45	235.55	236.70	233.40	229.15
Aug	233.35	233.52	234.60	231.57	227.80
Oct	232.32	232.67	233.77	230.97	227.22
Lean Hogs					
Apr	93.70	95.80	96.20	95.72	95.72
May	98.65	100.50	100.70	100.35	100.12
Jun	108.32	110.02	110.17	109.92	109.55
Jul	110.35	111.77	112.05	112.05	111.67
Aug	109.30	110.60	110.87	110.97	110.57
Fdr Cattle					
Mar	364.30	365.10	366.30	361.65	355.42
Apr	361.35	362.20	364.02	358.75	351.20
May	357.97	358.47	360.65	355.30	347.20
Aug	357.62	358.12	360.42	355.30	347.32
Sep	355.60	356.02	358.25	353.32	345.47
Milk					
Feb	15.02	15.01	15.00	14.93	14.94
Mar	16.56	16.37	16.88	16.42	16.28
Apr	17.32	17.22	17.85	17.21	17.27

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last week, Soybeans 0.12 to 0.19 higher, Wheat 0.11 to 0.17 higher, Corn 0.05 to 0.11 higher, KC Wheat Mar 0.01 higher, others 0.01 to 0.04 lower, Soybean Meal 3.80 to 6.70 higher.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
Mar	1134 1/4	1139 1/2	1148 1/4	1147 3/4	1157 1/4
May	1149 3/4	1155 1/4	1165	1163 1/2	1170 3/4
Jul	1163 1/2	1168 1/4	1177 1/2	1176 1/4	1182 3/4
Aug	1154 1/4	1158 1/4	1167 1/2	1166 3/4	1171
Sep	1120 1/2	1123	1130 1/4	1130 1/2	1132 1/4
Wheat					
Mar	569 1/2	567 1/2	565 3/4	571 3/4	591 1/4
May	573 3/4	573 1/4	569 3/4	574 1/2	591 1/2
Jul	582 1/4	582 1/4	577 3/4	582	598 3/4
Sep	593 3/4	594	589 1/4	593 1/4	609 3/4
Dec	610 3/4	611 1/2	606 1/2	610 3/4	626 3/4
Corn					
Mar	427 1/2	427 3/4	430 1/2	433 1/4	438 3/4
May	440 1/4	438 1/2	442	443 1/2	448 1/2
Jul	448 3/4	447 1/2	450 1/4	451 1/4	456
Sep	450	449	452 1/4	452 3/4	455 3/4
Dec	464 1/2	463 3/4	467	467	469 1/2
KC Wheat					
Mar	560	554 1/4	552 1/2	551 1/2	572 3/4
May	572 1/4	567	564 1/4	562 1/4	580 1/2
Jul	585	580 3/4	577 1/4	576	593 1/2
Sep	599 1/4	595 1/2	591 3/4	591	608
Dec	620	617	613 1/4	612 1/2	629
SB Meal					
Mar	308.70	310.70	318.30	317.60	315.50
May	312.50	314.40	321.80	320.90	320.50
Jul	316.40	317.60	324.30	323.10	322.80
Aug	315.70	317.00	323.10	321.90	321.80
Sep	314.30	315.60	321.10	319.80	319.50

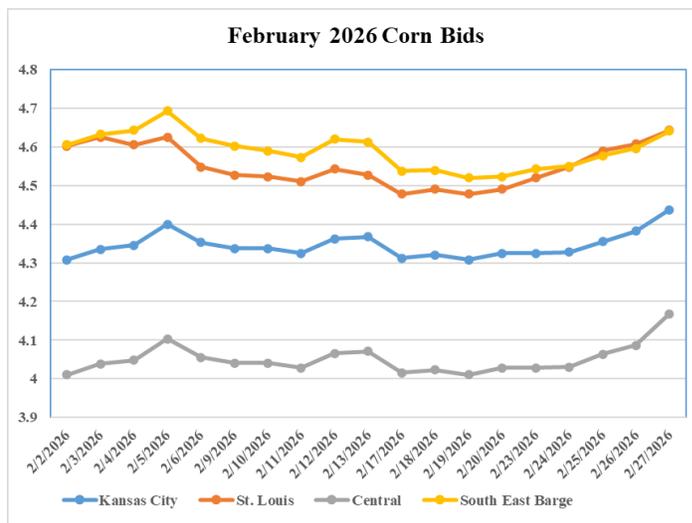
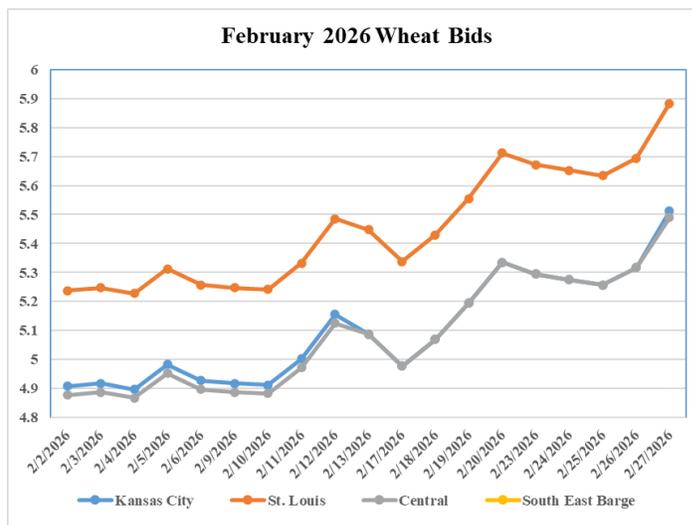
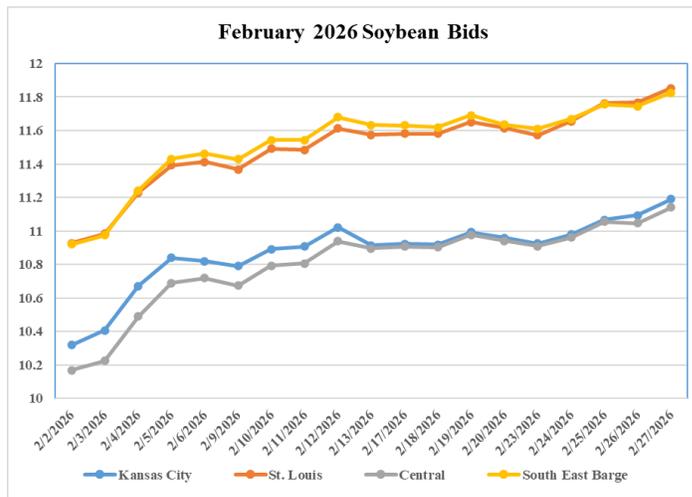
MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Compared to last week, Soybeans 0.20 to 0.33 higher, Wheat 0.18 to 0.21 higher, Corn 0.11 to 0.15 higher, Sorghum 0.11 higher.

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City				
Friday**	10.87-11.07	5.33	4.32	3.42
Monday	10.84-11.04	5.29	4.32	3.42
Tuesday	10.89-11.09	5.27	4.32	3.42
Wednesday	10.98-11.18	5.25	4.35	3.45
Thursday	10.97-11.27	5.31	4.38	3.48
Friday	11.07-11.37	5.51	4.43	3.53
St. Louis				
Friday**	11.61	5.61-5.78	4.48-4.49	4.52
Monday	11.57	5.57-5.74	4.51-4.52	4.52
Tuesday	11.65	5.55-5.72	4.54	4.52
Wednesday	11.76	5.53-5.70	4.57-4.60	4.55
Thursday	11.76	5.59-5.76	4.58-4.63	4.58
Friday	11.84-11.86	5.79-5.99	4.63-4.64	4.63
Central				
Friday**	10.87-10.97	5.33	3.97-4.05	---
Monday	10.84-10.94	5.29	3.97-4.05	---
Tuesday	10.89-10.99	5.27	3.97-4.05	---
Wednesday	11.00-11.08	5.25	4.02-4.08	---
Thursday	10.98-11.07	5.31	4.03-4.11	---
Friday	11.10-11.15	5.46-5.51	4.13-4.18	---
S.E. MO				
Friday**	11.54-11.67	---	4.46-4.57	---
Monday	11.56-11.63	---	4.49-4.57	---
Tuesday	11.63-11.68	---	4.51-4.57	---
Wednesday	11.72-11.77	---	4.54-4.60	---
Thursday	11.71-11.75	---	4.57-4.63	---
Friday	11.77-11.85	---	4.59-4.68	---

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

MONTHLY GRAIN CROP



*Axis value ranges may be updated to reflect data points.
Only dates in which markets are trading and only current cash bids are represented.

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

Area	Soybean Hulls	Soybean Meal 46.5-48%	Corn Gluten Pellets 21%	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	122.50	314.40	243.50	256.67
St. Louis	n/a	n/a	212.00	225.00

AGRICULTURE PRICES

January Prices Received Index Down 3.9 Percent

The January Prices Received Index 2011 Base (Agricultural Production), at 116.5, decreased 3.9 percent from December and 10 percent from January 2025. At 89.8, the Crop Production Index was down 6.7 percent from last month but up 0.9 percent from the previous year. The Livestock Production Index, at 149.6, decreased 0.1 percent from December and 21 percent from January last year. Producers received lower prices during January for market eggs, milk, lettuce, and soybeans but higher prices for cattle, broilers, calves, and apples. In addition to prices, the volume change of commodities marketed also influences the indexes. In January, there was decreased marketing of grapes, turkeys, hogs, and cotton and increased monthly movement for corn, soybeans, cattle, and strawberries.

January Prices Paid Index Up 3.5 Percent

The January Prices Paid Index for Commodities and Services, Interest, Taxes, and Farm Wage Rates (PPITW), at 158.6, is up 3.5 percent from December 2025 and 8.0 percent from January 2025. Higher prices in January for feeder cattle, other services, feeder pigs, and taxes more than offset lower prices for milk cows, diesel, interest, and complete feeds.

COLD STORAGE

January 2026 Highlights

Total natural cheese stocks in refrigerated warehouses on January 31, 2026 were up slightly from the previous month and up slightly from January 31, 2025.

Butter stocks were up 15 percent from last month but down 17 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen poultry supplies on January 31, 2026 were up 3 percent from the previous month but down 3 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were down 4 percent from the previous month and down 1 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 36 percent from last month but down 8 percent from January 31, 2025.

Total frozen fruit stocks were down 4 percent from last month and down slightly from a year ago.

Total frozen vegetable stocks were down 8 percent from last month and down 11 percent from a year ago.

Total red meat supplies in freezers were up 3 percent from the previous month but down 2 percent from last year. Total pounds of beef in freezers were up slightly from the previous month but down 4 percent from last year. Frozen pork supplies were up 6 percent from the previous month and up 1 percent from last year. Stocks of pork bellies were up 16 percent from last month and up 3 percent from last year.

MISSOURI WEEKLY HAY SUMMARY 2/19/2026

Several areas of the state received some much need moisture over the last week. Drought conditions are still slightly concerning, but everyone knows this situation can quickly change before growing season starts. Although there could and likely will still be more winter to come recent weather hasn't felt like it. Record highs have some daffodils blooming and peeper frogs peeping. The supply of hay is moderate to heavy for this point in the feeding season, there is some movement taking place, but no one is really having to look very hard to find hay. Prices continue to be mostly steady even with the thoughts of spring, abundant supplies, and cheap corn. 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 10.00-15.00 per bale
Alfalfa - Premium 175.00-225.00
Alfalfa - Good 150.00-175.00, small square 6.00-10.00 per bale
Alfalfa - Fair 125.00-150.00
Mixed Grass—Premium 150.00-200.00
Mixed grass - Good/Premium 100.00-150.00
Mixed grass-Fair/Good 75.00-125.00, small square 3.00-7.00 per bale
Mixed grass - Fair 20.00-45.00 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: 1,187 Week Ago: 1,496 Last Year: 1,072

SHEEP: Feeder Lambs: Small and Medium 1-2 hair 30-50 lbs 420.00-485.00. Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 1-3 50-60 lbs 405.00-437.50; 60-70 lbs 392.00-425.00; 70-85 lbs 367.00-400.00. Choice 1-3 55-80 lbs 350.00-390.00. Ewes Good 2-3 hair 85-100 lbs 167.50-215.00; 100-120 lbs 187.00-200.00. Utility and Good 1-3 hair 100-150 lbs 132.00-165.00; 150-160 lbs 135.00-147.00. Hair Bucks 1-2 120-140 lbs 135.00-210.00; 150-190 lbs 125.00-170.00; 210-235 lbs 117.50-142.00.

GOATS: Feeder Kids: Selection 1 25-50 lbs 425.00-500.00. Selection 2 20-50 lbs 355.00-450.00. Selection 3 30-40 lbs 305.00-327.50. Slaughter Kids: Selection 1 50-60 lbs 435.00-450.00; 60-70 lbs 412.00-452.50; 70-75 lbs 397.50-420.00. Selection 2 60-80 lbs 355.00-370.00. Nannies Selection 1-2 75-90 lbs 210.00-292.00; 100-135 lbs 197.00-235.00. Billies Selection 1-2 100-150 lbs 205.00-260.00; 150-175 lbs 197.50-245.00.

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
2/24/26	5.10	39.10	35.80	17.48	2.52	0.0
2/17/26	7.55	41.09	31.96	17.16	2.25	0.0
2/25/25	51.40	32.81	15.78	0.0	0.0	0.0

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

2/27/26 Receipts: 138,166 Week ago: 146,602 Year Ago: 116,793
Early weaned pigs are 7.00 lower and feeder pigs are steady.

Cash: 85,350 head 84.00-124.00, weighted average 102.43

Formula: 29,066 head 51.50-116.92, weighted average 76.86

Feeder pigs 40 pounds basis: Cash 23,750 head 121.00-134.00, weighted average 125.88

NATIONAL DAILY DIRECT PRIOR DAY HOG REPORTS 2/27/26

BARROWS AND GILTS (Carcass Basis): 4,335 head
Base Carcass Price 86.50-93.00, weighted average 90.95

SOWS (Live Basis): 7,385 head
300-500 lbs. 30.00-87.00
Over 500 lbs. 65.03-87.00

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT 2/27/26

Weekly Receipts: 120 Week ago: 160 Year ago: 280
Trading as of Friday afternoon, is light with a few Flat dressed sales 2.00 lower at 383.00 with Grid dressed sales inactive.

LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS: DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS:
No sales reported. 3 loads Thur. afternoon Flat 383.00

GRADE AND EIGHT (Grid): No sales reported.

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