Weekly Market Summary

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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTEDAVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 33,134 Week ago: 43,730 Year ago: 21,006 Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1—Weighted average weights and prices

STEERS: Medium and Large 1

HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1

Missouri Stocker Formula

326 lbs. 180.22	526 lbs. 163.48	721 lbs. 138.47	930 lbs. 122.06	327 lbs. 147.62	528 lbs. 136.93	717 lbs. 124.85	947 lbs. 112.00
381 lbs. 177.51	572 lbs. 151.39	769 lbs. 130.71	1066 lbs. 114.50	374 lbs. 151.51	573 lbs. 131.32	770 lbs. 122.80	
427 lbs. 173.08	621 lbs. 145.51	820 lbs. 127.80		426 lbs. 144.48	619 lbs. 130.07	818 lbs. 111.93	
474 lbs. 169.30	673 lbs. 139.81	876 lbs. 128.77		475 lbs. 142.87	678 lbs. 127.08	881 lbs. 117.17	
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Missouri Stocker Formula for 01/25/2021

Monday's Missouri Stocker Formula consists of 6949 head with a weighted average weight of 556.61 lbs. and a price value of 151.51, 0.67 lower than last Monday.

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.

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(West Plains, Ava)

Receipts: 5717 Week ago: 9266 Year Ago: 540724 Compared to last week, feeder calves steady to 5.00 lower, yearlings steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 4.00 higher. Slaughter bulls 3.00 to 4.00 higher.

STEERS:		<u>HEIFERS</u> :	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	182.00-194.50	300-400 lbs.	148.00-157.00
400-500 lbs.	162.50-182.00	400-500 lbs.	132.00-147.00
500-600 lbs.	145.00-163.50	500-600 lbs.	125.00-142.00
600-700 lbs.	134.00-150.00	600-700 lbs.	122.00-132.00
700-800 lbs.	127.00-142.00	Lot 710 lbs.	12.00
800-900 lbs.	126.75-131.25		
Load 929 lbs.	123.75		

Scarce	Holsteins: Large 3	Scarce	SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 49.00-57.00, high dressing 54.00-63.00, low dressing 40.00-53.00. Lean (85-90%) 38.00-48.00
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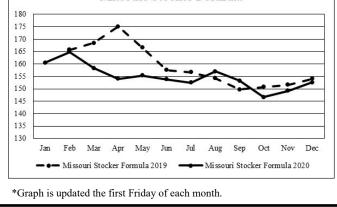
SLAUGHTER BULLS:

77.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-8 yrs 1058-1375 lbs with 150-300 lb calves 1100.00-1400.00 per pair

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Yield Grade 1-2 1160-2315 lbs. Medium and Large 1-2 2-8 yrs 77.00-87.00; high dressing 87.00 1015-1700 lbs 2nd to 3rd stage -100.00; low dressing 60.00- 800.00-1275.00, 1st stage 950.00-1000.00 per head



SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Joplin and Springfield)
Feeder Cattle Receipts: 8253 Week Ago: 9623 Year ago: 7197
Cow and Bull Receipts: 1517 Week ago: 2542 Year ago: 1425 Compared to last week, feeders early week steady to 3.00 lower, late week calves steady to 2.00 lower, yearlings steady to 5.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 higher early week, steady to 1.00 lower late week. Slaughter bulls 1.00 to 3.00 higher.

STÉ	ERS:	C	<u>HEIFERS</u> :	
Medium a	nd Large 1	Me	edium and Large 1	
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300-400 lbs.	180.00-195.00	300-400 lbs.	140.00-155.00
400-500 lbs.	161.00-182.00		135.00-147.25
500-600 lbs.	145.00-167.00		125.00-143.00
600-700 lbs.	130.50-151.00		115.00-131.25
700-800 lbs.	127.50-137.00	700-800 lbs.	116.50-128.50
800-900 lbs.	122.00-131.50	800-900 lbs.	117.00-119.00
900-950 lbs.	121.00-126.75		

HOLSTEINS: Large 3

Scarce

Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 46.00-58.00, high dressing 52.50-62.50; low dressing 40.00-54.00. Lean (85-90%) 36.00-47.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1230-2498 lbs 75.00-85.50; high dressing 83.00-95.00; low dressing 69.00-75.00

Medium and Large 1-2 2-8 yrs 975-1360 lbs 2nd to 3rd stage 850.00-1200.00. 1st stage 775.00-900.00 per head

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1 2-8 yrs 1100-1365 lbs and Large 1 2-8 yrs 1250-1300 lbs 2nd to 3rd stage 1200.00-1550.00. some rebred 1st or 2nd stage with baby to over 300 lb calves 1400.00 -1800.00. Medium and Large 1-2 2 -8 yrs 1125-1350 lbs with 150-300 lb calves 1250.00-1500.00 per pair

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WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville, Windsor, Butler)
Receipts: 7950 Week ago: 10,172 Year ago: 3931
Compared to last week, steers and heifers uneven from 5.00 lower to 4.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00 lower to 3.00 higher.

Medium and Large 1 Medium and Large	
500-600 lbs. 141.00-175.00 500-600 lbs. 125.50 600-700 lbs. 130.00-153.50 600-700 lbs. 116.00	-167.50 -149.00 -140.75 -134.25 123.75

Grade 1-2 87.00, high dressing 87.00-94.00; -58.00, high dressing 53.00-low dressing 68.00-75.00 61.00. Lean (85-90%) 40.00-

R BULLS: Yield <u>SLAUGHTER COWS</u>: Breaking 945-2285 lbs 74.00- and Boning (70-85% lean) 45.50 50.50

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-8 yrs 1027-1550 um and Large 1-2 2-8 yrs 1027-1550 um and Large 1-2 2-8 yrs 1100-lbs 2nd to 3rd stage 775.00-960.00 1250 lbs with 150-300 lb calves per head

1125.00-1260.00 per pair

NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Palmyra) Receipts: 6753 Week ago: 4982 Year ago: 3776 Compared to last week, steers under 650 lbs steady to 5.00 lower, over 650 lbs unevenly steady. Heifers 400-500 lbs higher undertone, 500-700 lbs 2.00 to 5.00 lower. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 higher.

Medium a	nd Large 1	Medium a	and Large I
	:		
400-500 lbs.	164.00-186.00	400-500 lbs.	136.00-160.00
500-600 lbs.	144.50-174.00		132.00-148.00
600-700 lbs.	130.00-153.25	600-700 lbs.	114.50-136.50
700-800 lbs.	120.00-146.50		113.00-131.25
800-900 lbs.	121.75-133.00		

FEEDER STEERS:

<u>FEEDER HEIFERS:</u>

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2 BRED COWS: Scarce -3 103.00-108.00. Select and Choice 1-3 103.00-104.50. Select and Choice 2-3 98.00-102.50 SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 102.50-106.00. Select and Choice 1-3 101.00-106.75. Select and Choice 2-3 94.00-100.50

NORTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Macon, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria) Receipts: 3810 Week ago: 6120 Year ago: 2064 Compared to last week, steers and heifers 1.00 to 4.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 3.00 higher.

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400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs.	169.00-176.50 151.00-178.25 135.00-153.25 128.50-144.00 122.50-135.50	500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-750 lbs.	118. 125.	00-151.00 00-145.00 00-137.00 00-131.25
BRED COWS:	Medium and	<u>SLAUGHTER</u>	COWS:	Breaking

1000.00-1375.00 per pair

Large 1-2 2-4 yrs pkg 1200 lbs and Boning (75-85% lean) 47.50-3rd stage 1625.00; 2-8 yrs 1100- 59.00; high dressing 57.00-63.50; 1300 lbs 2nd to 3rd stage low dressing 41.00-50.00. Lean (85-90%) 43.00-54.50

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium SLAUGHTER lbs with baby to 150 lb calves 85.00 1400.00; 5-8 yrs 1300 lbs with 150-300 lb calves 1825.00 per pair

BULLS: Yield and Large 1-2 2-4 yrs pkg 950 Grade 1-2 1450-2090 lbs 76.50-

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Patton, Farmington)

Receipts: 1467 Week ago: 1248 Year ago: 1224 Compared to last week, steers and heifers uneven from 3.00 lower to 5.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls steady to 2.00 higher.

Medium	and Large 1	Mediuiii	and Large 1
300-400 lbs.	151.00-176.00	300-400 lbs.	125.00-143.00
400-500 lbs.	150.00-173.00	400-500 lbs.	118.00-140.00
500-600 lbs.	127.00-159.00	500-600 lbs.	115.75-132.00
600-700 lbs.	123.00-147.50	600-700 lbs.	110.00-126.50
700-800 lbs.	119.00-132.00	700-750 lbs.	105.00-121.00

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Large 2 2-8 yrs 985-1520 lbs and Boning (75-85% lean) 40.50 1st to 3rd stage 535.00-1175.00 per -52.000; high dressing 49.50head

FEEDER STEERS:

61.50. Lean (85-90% lean) 31.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield and Large 2 2-8 yrs 1000-1250 lbs Grade 1-2 1240-2280 lbs 62.00with baby to over 300 lb calves 73.50; high dressing 74.00-89.00 1025.00-1200.00 per pair

FEEDER STEERS:

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 969 Week ago: 3575 Year ago: 1081 Compared to last week, steers and heifers 1.00 to 5.00 higher on a very limited market test. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher.

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Medium a	and Large 1	Medium and Large 1		
400-500 lbs.	170.00-176.00		144.00-152.50	
500-600 lbs.	141.25-163.00		127.00-139.50	
650-700 lbs.	129.75-137.00	600-700 lbs.	116.50-134.00	
700-800 lbs.	124.25-128.75	Pkg 860 lbs	107.00	
800-850 lbs.	123.00-125.00			

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium SLAUGHTER COWS: Breakand Large 1 5-8 yrs pkg 1265 lbs ing and Boning (70-85% lean) 1st stage 900.00. Medium and Large 47.00-53.00; few high dressing 1-2 5-8 yrs1265-1293 lbs 2nd to 3rd 55.50-58.00. Lean (85-90%) stage 1000.00-1150.00 per head

40.00-46.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

and Large 1-2 over 5 yrs 1000-1250 Grade 1-2 1495-2060 lbs 70.00lbs 150-300 lb calves 900.00- 81.50, couple high dressing 1030.00 per pair

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield 83.00-87.50; low dressing 48.00 -71.00

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(St Joseph)
Receipts: 1493 Week Ago: 2802 Year ago: 0
Compared to last week, steers steady to 2.00 lower, except 600-650 lbs 2.00 higher. Heifers 400-500 lb 1.00 higher, over 500 lbs 2.00 to 3.00 lower. Slaughter bulls firm undertone. (Cow/bull prices week ending 1/15/21.)

Medium	and Large I	Medium	and Large 1
400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. Pkg 804 lbs.	160.00-179.50 149.00-177.00 131.50-152.25 120.50-137.25 119.50	500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs.	141.00-159.00 123.25-138.00 119.00-124.50 114.25-119.00 100.00-105.25

92.00; low dressing 68.00-75.00

FEEDER STEERS:

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking Grade 1-2 1215-2045 lbs 80.00- and Boning (75-85% lean) 50.00-85.00; high dressing 88.00- 56.50. Lean (85-90%) 42.00-52.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

BRED COWS: Scarce

COW CALF PAIRS: Scarce

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT **SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT 01/25/21**

Weekly Receipts: 240 Week ago: 160 Year ago: 280 Trading this week: grid dressed sales steady.

LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS:

DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS:

No sales reported

No sales reported

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid): 6 loads Thu 176.00

NATIONAL DIRECT DELIVERED FEEDER PIG REPORT
01/22/21 Receipts: 93,586 Week ago: 80,526
Supply includes 52% formulated prices.

Early weaned pigs 10-12 lbs basis: Formula 38.34-64.54, weighted average 47.77. Cash 49.00-65.00, weighted average 58.47 Feeder pigs 40 pounds basis: Cash 56.00-75.00, weighted average 70.33

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER 01/23/21

	<u>Cattle</u>	<u>Hogs</u>	Sheep
Week to Date:	657,000	$2,\overline{738,000}$	35,000
Last Week:	651,000	2,641,000	36,000
Last Year:	644,000	2,707,000	36,000

WHOLESALE FEEDSTUFFS PRICES 01/19/21

(DOLLARS PER TON-BULK BASIS)

Area	Soybean Hulls - Bulk	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City		457.00	505.00	380.00	205.00
St. Louis	n/A	490.50	502.50	n/a	186.00

NATIONAL BOXED BEEF CUTOUT/BOXED BEEF CUTS

Date	Choice	Select	Total Loads
01/22	222.82	213.34	143
01/21	221.20	210.28	127
01/20	218.91	207.28	136
01/19	217.49	206.44	148
01/18	215.04	205.84	109
5 Day Simple Average	219.09	208.64	

Norwood—Producers Auction Yards Sheep and Goat Auction

Receipts: 747 Last Reported (11/28/20): 1515 Last Year: 1257

(All prices CWT unless noted.) SHEEP: Slaughter lambs hair Choice and Prime 1-3 40-50 lbs 330.00-365.00; 50-60 lbs 330.00-377.50; 60-70 lbs 330.00-367.50. Choice 1-3 60-70 lbs 300.00-320.00; 70-80 lbs 280.00-300.00; pkg 85 lbs 265.00; pkg 90 lbs 250.00. Good 2-3 hair Slaughter ewes 70 lbs 115.00-121.00; 100-140 lbs 102.50-109.00. Hair bucks 1-2 130-140 lbs 90.00-102.00; 150-180 lbs 100.00-125.00. Replacement ewes hair Small and Medium 1-2 1-2 yrs pkg 125 lbs bred 330.00 per head. 2-4 yrs 90-140 lbs bred 165.00-255.00 per head. Families Small and Medium 1-2 4-6 yrs 90-95 lbs with baby to 20 lb lambs 230.00-345.00 per family; 4-6 yrs 110-120 lbs with baby to 20 lb lambs 310.00-525.00 per family.

GOATS: Feeder kids Selection 1 pkg 38 lbs 420.00; 40-50 lbs 385.00-432.50. Selection 2 30-40 lbs 325.00-360.00; 40-50 lbs 350.00. Slaughter kids Selection 1 50-60 lbs 350.00-445.00; 60-70 lbs 415.00-435.00; pkg 86 lbs 285.00. Selection 2 pkg 53 lbs 265.00; pkg 71 lbs 240.00. Slaugher nannies/does 80-90 lbs 181.00-218.00; 90-100 lbs 180.00-244.00; 105-120 lbs 160.00-180.00. Selection 3 85 lbs 126.00-153.00. Replacement nannies/does Selection 1-2 2-4 yrs 75-90 lbs bred 250.00-300.00; 105-145 lbs bred 280.00-400.00 per head. Families 2-4 yrs 95 lbs with baby to 20 lb lambs 140.00-150.00 per family.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday, Soybeans 1.00 to 1.05 lower, Wheat 0.32 to 0.40 lower, Corn 0.30 to 0.34 lower, KC Wheat 0.29 to 0.30 lower, Soybean Meal 38.50 to 41.60 lower.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

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	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans Mar May Jul Aug Sep	Holiday	1385 3/4 1383 1/4 1369 1/4 1330 3/4 1240 1/4	1369 1/2 1367 1/4 1351 3/4 1311 1/4 1221	1370 1/4 1368 3/4 1354 1/2 1310 1/2 1218 1/4	1311 3/4 1311 3/4 1298 1/2 1254 1161
Wheat Mar May Jul Sep Dec	Holiday	672 1/4 673 1/2 658 1/4 659 665	667 3/4 668 650 1/2 650 1/4 655	660 3/4 662 1/4 647 3/4 648 1/4 653 3/4	634 1/2 636 624 625 630 1/2
Corn Mar May Jul Sep Dec	Holiday	526 528 1/4 525 477 3/4 455	522 524 519 1/4 471 3/4 449	524 1/4 526 1/4 522 1/4 472 3/4 448 3/4	500 1/2 503 498 3/4 451 1/2 430 1/4
KC Wheat Mar May Jul Sep Dec	Holiday	644 647 646 1/4 649 1/2 656	637 640 1/4 639 1/4 642 648 1/4	635 3/4 639 638 1/2 641 646 1/2	613 1/4 617 616 3/4 619 1/2 625 1/2
SB Meal Mar May Jul Aug Sep	Holiday	450.50 447.00 443.00 430.40 412.60	442.40 438.40 434.40 421.30 403.90	438.20 435.30 431.90 419.00 400.50	421.60 417.90 414.00 399.30 380.60

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday, Live Cattle Feb, Apr, and Jun 2.53 to 4.32 higher, Aug and Oct 0.50 to 1.25 higher, Lean Hogs 1.35 to 3.50 higher. Feeder Cattle 2.68 to 8.33 higher.

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle Feb Apr Jun Aug Oct	Holiday	113.32 119.35 116.72 116.87 120.60	113.35 118.87 116.15 116.50 120.20	114.10 119.95 117.12 117.07 120.57	116.72 122.52 118.80 182.27 121.32
Lean Hogs Feb Apr May Jun Jul	Holiday	66.47 71.42 76.77 83.00 84.27	68.42 73.07 77.97 84.50 85.70	68.10 73.90 78.47 85.27 86.17	69.92 76.15 80.52 86.80 87.20
Fdr Cat Jan Mar Apr May Aug	Holiday	134.40 136.80 139.60 141.97 149.07	135.30 137.52 140.62 143.10 150.05	135.87 139.15 141.87 143.92 150.45	137.25 144.15 146.12 147.02 152.70
Milk Jan Feb Mar	Holiday	16.22 18.48 18.61	16.18 17.13 17.74	16.16 16.43 17.36	16.16 16.46 17.54

NATIONAL DAILY DIRECT PRIOR DAY HOG REPORTS FOR 01/25/2021

BARROWS AND GILTS (Carcass Basis): 5,035 head Base Price 50.00-57.00, weighted average 55.44

SOWS (Live Basis): 8,576 head 300-500 lbs. 30.00-52.50 Over 500 lbs. 38.04-52.50

CATTLE ON FEED 01/22/21

United States Cattle on Feed Up Slightly

Cattle and calves on feed for the slaughter market in the United States for feedlots with capacity of 1,000 or more head totaled 12.0 million head on January 1, 2021. The inventory was slightly above January 1, 2020. The inventory included 7.40 million steers and steer calves, up slightly from the previous year. This group accounted for 62 percent of the total inventory. Heifers and heifer calves accounted for 4.57 million head, down slightly from 2020.

Placements in feedlots during December totaled 1.84 million head, 1 percent above 2019. Placements were the second highest for January since the series began in 1996. Net placements were 1.78 million head. During December, placements of cattle and calves weighing less than 600 pounds were 460,000 head, 600-699 pounds were 435,000 head, 700-799 pounds were 425,000 head, 800-899 pounds were 317,000 head, 900-999 pounds were 110,000 head, and 1,000 pounds and greater were 95,000 head.

Marketings of fed cattle during December totaled 1.85 million head, 1 percent above 2019. Marketings were the second highest for January since the series began in 1996.

Other disappearance totaled 60,000 head during December, 10 percent below 2019.

MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Compared to last Friday, Soybeans 1.05 to 1.16 lower, Wheat 0.41 to 0.51 lower, Corn 0.27 to 0.34 lower, Sorghum 0.16 to 0.31 lower.

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City Friday** Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	13.97-14.00 Holiday 13.66-13.69 13.50-13.53 13.50-13.53 12.92-12.95	6.90 6.86 6.82 6.74 6.49	5.20-5.27 5.14-5.21 5.07-5.17 5.09-5.19 4.86-4.96	6.27 6.21 6.17 6.19 5.96
St. Louis Friday** Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	14.49-14.51 Holiday 14.18-14.20 14.02-14.06 14.05-14.06 13.35-13.38	7.16-7.26 7.12-7.22 7.03-7.18 6.96-7.11 6.70-6.75	5.58-5.61 5.55-5.56 5.52-5.55 5.56-5.57 5.31	6.02-6.17 5.96-6.11 5.92-6.07 5.94-6.09 5.71-6.01
Central Friday** Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	13.82-13.92 Holiday 13.56-13.61 13.40-13.45 13.40-13.45 12.82-12.87	6.62 6.58 6.54 6.47 6.21	5.12-5.17 5.06-5.11 5.02-5.07 5.04-5.09 4.81-4.86	
S.E. MO Friday** Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	14.40-14.59 Holiday 14.07-14.26 13.88-14.08 13.85-14.08 13.21-13.50		5.53-5.72 5.47-5.66 5.38-5.62 5.40-5.64 5.18-5.38	

(PRICES PER BUSHEL) *NEW CROP **PREVIOUS WEEK'S PRICES

Morning National Slaughter Cattle Review for 01/22/21

For Thursday in the Southern Plains saw negotiated cash trading limited on light demand. In the Texas Panhandle, compared to the last reported market on Wednesday, live purchases traded 1.00 higher at 111.00. In Kansas, compared to the last reported market on Wednesday, live purchases traded steady to 1.00 higher from 110.00-111.00. A light test was noted in both regions. In Nebraska for Thursday negotiated cash trading and demand were moderate. Live purchases, when compared to the last reported market on Wednesday, traded steady from 109.00-110.00. Dressed purchased, when compared to last week, traded unevenly steady at 173.00. In Colorado for Thursday negotiated cash trading was slow on light demand. Live purchases, compared to the last reported market on Wednesday, traded steady to 1.00 higher at 110.00. In the Western Cornbelt for Thursday negotiated cash trading was slow on moderate demand. Compared to last week live purchases traded steady to 1.00 higher from 108.00-110.00. Compared to last week dressed purchases traded steady to 3.00 lower from 170.00-173.00.

Nagatiated Cales

Total All Grades

Negotiated Sales:							
Confirmed:	Confirmed: 47		7,104 Week Ago:		31	Year Ago:	75,516
Week to Date:	85,085		Week Ago to date:	94,182		Year Ago to Date:	80,598
Live Basis		Steers			Heifers		
Over 80% Choice		106.00-110.00, avg 109.04		10	108.00-111.00, avg 109.31		
65-80% Choice		109.00-111.00, avg 110.88			110.00-111.00, avg 110.57		
35-65% Choice		110.00-111.00, avg 110.81			111.00		
0-35% Choice			-	-			
Total All Grades		106.00-111.00, avg 109.48 108.00-111.00, avg			vg 109.88		
Dressed Basis	5		Steers			Heifer	s
Over 80% Choice		169.	00-176.00, avg 1	vg 172.59 170.00-173.00, avg 172		vg 172.67	
65-80% Choice		170.00-173.00, avg 172.64		-			
35-65% Choice			173.00		-		
0-35% Choice			-		-		
		-			-		

Missouri Weekly Cattle Auction Summary 01/25/21

170.00-173.00, avg 172.67

169.00-176.00, avg 172.60

Receipts: 33,134 Week ago: 43,730 Year ago: 21,006
Compared to last week feeders under 600 lbs. sold unevenly steady to 5.00 lower, feeders over 600 lbs. sold steady to 3.00 higher, with the 600-750 lbs. steers seeing the most strength after a few weeks of being under a lot of pressure. The supply of feeders was moderate, much lower than the last couple of weeks, but that is typical as new marketing year progresses. Demand was moderate to good, already reports of some buyers collecting grazing cattle for summer which comes as no surprise as some expect supplies to tighten in the coming months. Locally individual market trends were very wide this week with instances anywhere from 10.00 lower or other locations seeing spots of up to 10.00 higher. A lot of factors played into these wide ranges, lighter offerings, quality differences, and with all that went on this week, markets definitely saw different effects simply by the day of the week. Early week saw a lot of outside influences and uncertainty mostly due to political reasons with the unknowns of what might happen with the presidential transfer of power. Then mid-week, markets were more focused on Ag related issues. Weather and harvest in South America caused grain prices tumble. On the futures markets corn closed the week down 0.30-0.34 cents and beans closed 1.00-1.05 lower which made feed cost outlooks much better. On Friday, the nearby soybean contract lost .58 ½ cents, which was the largest one day loss since July 2016. Cattle futures rallied with feeder contracts closing the week 2.68 to 8.33 higher and live cattle 0.50 to 4.32 higher, which pushed the much talked about Apr to 122.52 an eleven month high. The monthly COF report was somewhat of a heartbreaker however, as pre report estimates expected the report to be quite bullish. That failed to materialize though, as on feed numbers were reported at 100 percent, placements at 101 well above the average estimate of 97 and even the top of the estimate range of 93-100, and marketings were reported at 100 p