

Show-Me-Select Special - Palmyra, MO AMS Livestock, Poultry, & Grain Market News Missouri Dept of Ag Mrkt News

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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 12/9/2023 - Final

SPECIAL GRADED SALE						
	This Week	Last Reported	Last Year			
		6/3/2023				
Total Receipts:	342	167	276			
Replacement Cattle:	342(100.0%)	167(100.0%)	276(100.0%)			

Sponsored by Northeast Missouri Beef Cattle Improvement Association in cooperation with Missouri Show-Me-Select Heifers, Inc, University of Missouri Extension, MU College of Veterinary Medicine, Missouri Cattlemen's Association, F & T Livestock Market, and Missouri Department of Agriculture.

All Heifers in the sale have met minimum standards for reproductive soundness, pelvic size, body condition and weight. They have also undergone a comprehensive health program, and were guaranteed bred to easy calving bulls, with many synchronized and artificially bred. Projected calving dates were given for all lots with the most heifers expected to calve from mid-January thru early April, with the majority due in February and March. The offering was screened for blemishes, muscle thickness, frame, body condition score (BCS), and disposition by a final screening committee comprised of official graders from the Missouri Department of Agriculture and USDA, then sorted into lots according to calving dates and body type similarity

. A good crowd was on hand to see one of the largest offerings of Show-Me-Select heifers sell, 342 head in an even 100 lots. Water remains short through much of Northeast Missouri with many ponds still empty and feed supplies less than abundant. That along with the unexpected downturn in prices recently have turned buyers a little more cautious about purchasing new replacements. The sale averaged 2704.00 per head which was 233.00 per head higher than last year's fall average.

Supply included: 100% Replacement Cattle (100% Bred Heifers).

REPLACEMENT CATTLE

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<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
<2	T2-3	280	1100-1400	1221	2400.00-3050.00	2681.43

BRED HEIFERS - Medium and Large 2 (Per Unit / Estimate Wt)

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
<2	T2-3	11	1200-1350	1241	2200.00-2300.00	2245.45

BRED HEIFERS - Large 1-2 (Per Unit / Estimate Wt)

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price	
<2	T2-3	30	1250-1500	1355	2900.00-3550.00	3281.67	
<2	T2-3	4	1250	1250	3900.00	3900.00	Fancy

BRED HEIFERS - Medium 1-2 (Per Unit / Estimate Wt)

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price
<2	T2-3	17	900-1100	1026	1900.00-2400.00	2091.18

Source: USDA AMS Livestock, Poultry & Grain Market News

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Please Note:

The above USDA LPGMN price report is reflective of the majority of classes and grades of livestock offered for sale. There may be instances where some sales do not fit within reporting guidelines and therefore will not be included in the report. Prices are reported on an FOB basis, unless otherwise noted.

Explanatory Notes:

Stage (Cattle) - Represents pregnancy stage (O = open; $\ 1 = 1$ st Trimester, 1 to 3 months; T1-2 = 1st/2nd trimester, 1 to 6 months; T2 = 2nd Trimester, 4 to 6 months; T2-3 = 2nd/3rd Trimester, 4 to 9 months; T3 = 3rd Trimester, 7 to 9 months; T1-3 = all trimesters, 1 to 9 months)

Age - Numerical representation of age in years.