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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 5/5/2024 - 5/11/2024

LIVESTOCK SUMMARY			
	Current Week	Last Reported 4/29/2024	Last Year
Total Receipts:	1,787	5,376	4,294
Feeder Cattle:	525(29.4%)	2,676(49.8%)	763(17.8%)
Slaughter Cattle:	591(33.1%)	634(11.8%)	1,363(31.7%)
Replacement Cattle:	671(37.5%)	2,066(38.4%)	2,168(50.5%)

Compared to last week: Too few sales were seen this week to develop an accurate market trend, however steady undertones were noticed on all feeders on offer. Cattle this week were mostly offered in small packages or as singles. Quality this week was mostly plain to average. Cattle suitable to develop on grass continue to sell with the best demand. Demand was mostly good for light offerings. CME positions inched lower again this week. The May feeder cattle contract closed Friday at 238.80, down 4.50 from last Friday. August closed at 250.90 down 3.85 from last Friday. Market activity this week was mostly moderate to active. Weigh up cows sold on good to very good demand for light offerings. Packers showed mostly very good demand for slaughter cows for immediate harvest. Slaughter cows sold steady to 3.00 higher on breaking cows; boning and lean cows sold mostly steady to firm. Cows were purchased by packers to slaughter in at least 5 different states this week as tight supplies have packers searching for cows for immediate use. Packers were mostly out of the market for feeding cows this week as they purchased cows they would normally feed for immediate harvest. Feeding cow demand remains mostly good as several private buyers continue to buy cows to feed. Feeding cows all sold steady to firm. Quality this week was mostly average to attractive. Weigh up conditions were mixed this week as rain and changes in the weather had cows full at some sales but mostly empty at others. Slaughter bulls sold mostly steady to 2.00 higher. Young age cows suitable to feed or rebreed sold to 5.00 higher. Demand remains good to very good for high quality offerings which buyers are looking to rebreed. Young two year old heifers which have not calved yet sold with a 8.00-12.00 discount to ones which lost calves. Supply included: 29% Feeder Cattle (25% Steers, 70% Heifers, 5% Bulls); 33% Slaughter Cattle (89% Cows, 11% Bulls, 0% Dairy Cows); 38% Replacement Cattle (61% Stock Cows, 11% Bred Cows, 3% Bred Heifers, 18% Cow-Calf Pairs, 7% Heifer Pairs). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 58%.

FEEDER CATTLE

STEERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price	
19	671	671	289.50	289.50	
6	756	756	253.00	253.00	
2	930	930	213.00	213.00	Fleshy

STEERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
8	508-519	516	317.50-332.00	321.07
21	553-575	561	289.00-320.00	313.45
10	610-641	631	261.00-265.00	262.31
10	670-675	673	251.00-256.00	252.00
2	725	725	245.00	245.00
3	775	775	244.00	244.00
10	813	813	250.00	250.00

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3	883	883	224.00	224.00
5	912	912	210.00	210.00

HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price
2	650	650	270.00	270.00
63	710-733	719	246.00-253.50	253.18
2	758	758	244.00	244.00
17	825-843	834	220.00-230.00	226.68

HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
10	364-388	378	297.50-322.50	307.12
2	493	493	306.50	306.50
2	543	543	291.50	291.50
56	556-595	559	256.00-281.50	279.39
29	602-647	632	244.00-269.00	263.76
7	670	670	243.50	243.50
3	715	715	243.00	243.00
4	758	758	233.00	233.00

HEIFERS - Medium and Large 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
10	357	357	280.00	280.00
5	403	403	302.00	302.00
11	516-533	522	254.00-271.50	265.00
3	552	552	242.50	242.50

HEIFERS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price
14	617	617	264.00	264.00

HEIFERS - Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
5	345	345	252.50	252.50

HEIFERS - Medium 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
13	425-440	439	265.00-270.00	269.43
3	578	578	220.00	220.00

HEIFERS - Medium 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)



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Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
423-449	443	225.00-247.50	242.12
450	450	225.00	225.00
610	610	180.00	180.00
/ledium and Lars	ge 1 (Per Cwt	/ Actual Wt)	
Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
712	712	248.00	248.00
/ledium and Lar	ge 1-2 (Per Cw	rt / Actual Wt)	
Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
613	613	250.00	250.00
713	713	226.00	226.00
798	798	213.00	213.00
865	865	195.00	195.00
/ledium and Lar្	ge 2 (Per Cwt	/ Actual Wt)	
Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
402	402	315.00	315.00
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BULLS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
2	1230	1230	170.00	170.00
2	1275-1295	1285	160.00-162.50	161.24

SLAUGHTER CATTLE

COWS - Breaker 75-80% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	<u>Dressing</u>
18	1380-1895	1564	134.00-140.00	135.52	Average
4	1510-1557	1545	135.50-139.00	136.36	Average Return to Feed
28	1558-1935	1641	143.00-146.00	144.06	High
18	1565-1850	1692	124.50-134.00	130.61	Low
13	1585-1770	1643	128.00-134.00	130.58	Low Return to Feed

COWS - Boner 80-85% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	<u>Dressing</u>
84	1095-1740	1428	125.00-139.50	132.74	Average
58	1270-1588	1414	126.00-137.50	132.80	Average Return to Feed
14	1240-1550	1442	138.00-145.00	140.68	High
4	1428-1550	1464	138.00-140.00	139.35	High Return to Feed
9	1315-1575	1431	115.00-126.00	121.04	Low
8	1315-1600	1434	117.00-126.50	122.69	Low Return to Feed

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<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price	<u>Dressing</u>		
32	1083-1323	1201	120.00-130.00	125.91	Average		
45	1095-1295	1194	121.00-131.00	126.37	Average Return to Feed		
8	1155-1270	1229	130.50-134.00	131.86	High		
24	1180-1305	1235	131.50-136.00	134.52	High Return to Feed		
23	965-1345	1165	102.50-117.50	109.20	Low		
6	800-990	898	95.00-109.00	101.98	Low Light Weight		
22	1020-1245	1184	117.00-123.00	119.84	Low Return to Feed		
3	1010-1015	1012	83.00-96.00	87.99	Very Low		
2	920-965	943	89.00-90.00	89.51	Very Low Light Weight		
DAIRY COWS - Breaker 75-80% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)							
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	<u>Dressing</u>		
1	1895	1895	124.00	124.00	Low		
BUILS - 1	1-2 (Per Cwt / Ac	tual Wt)					
<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing		
25	1500-2240	1857	141.00-156.00	146.37	Average		
8	1670-2390	2011	156.00-169.00	159.41	High		
1	2525	2525	162.00	162.00	High Heavy Weight		
11	1425-1870	1641	124.00-138.00	130.75	Low		
3	1215-1305	1248	100.00-110.00	106.19	Low Light Weight		
1	1345	1345	120.00	120.00	Low Return to Feed		
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	2-3 (Per Cwt / Ac	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Price Pange	Ava Price	Droceing		
<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price	<u>Dressing</u>		

125.00

Average Heavy Weight

REPLACEMENT CATTLE

2710

STOCK COWS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

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<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
<2	Ο	144	720-1203	954	160.00-219.00	190.13	
<2	Ο	18	889	889	230.00	230.00	Fancy
<2	Ο	5	723-825	749	187.50-206.00	193.08	Thin Fleshed
2-4	Ο	81	863-1405	1139	133.00-186.00	155.87	
5-8	Ο	5	890-1240	1089	121.00-162.00	133.76	

125.00

STOCK COWS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price
<2	Ο	30	760-1103	947	128.00-195.50	167.46

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2-4	0	11	880-1175	1005	129.00-160.00	137.49	
STOCK CC)WS - Lar	ge 1 (Per	Cwt / Actual Wt)				
<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	

150.00-164.50

157.87

STOCK COWS - Medium 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

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<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
<2	0	1	725	725	196.00	196.00

1122

BRED COWS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Unit / Actual Wt)

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
2-4	T2-3	1	1275	1275	2100.00	2100.00
2-4	T3	32	1194-1330	1267	2325.00-2650.00	2590.70
5-8	T3	9	1330-1510	1370	2350.00-2500.00	2386.74
>5	Т3	11	1255-1602	1489	2200.00-2425.00	2358.62

BRED COWS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Unit / Actual Wt)

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
5-8	T3	1	1395	1395	1875.00	1875.00

BRED COWS - Medium 1 (Per Unit / Actual Wt)

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price
2-4	T2-3	2	950	950	1500.00	1500.00

BRED HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Unit / Actual Wt)

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
<2	T3	4	1150-1283	1239	2125.00-2300.00	2227.21

BRED HEIFERS - Medium 1 (Per Unit / Actual Wt)

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
<2	T3	10	750-920	818	1700.00-2000.00	1834.96

COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/ <150 lbs calf (Per Unit / Actual Wt)

	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Age</u>
	2950.00	2950.00	1466	1466	4	0	5-8
Thin Fleshed	2700.00	2700.00	1345	1345	18	0	>5
Thin Fleshed	2200.00	2200.00	1375	1375	6	Ο	>8

COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/ 150-300 lbs calf (Per Unit / Actual Wt)

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
>5	Ο	9	1384	1384	2800.00	2800.00



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>8	0	38	1502-1569	1523	2650.00-2750.00	2674.40	Broken Mouth
>8	Ο	10	1323	1323	2425.00	2425.00	Thin Fleshed

COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 1-2 w/<150 lbs calf (Per Unit / Actual Wt)

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price
2-4	0	2	1258	1258	2500.00	2500.00
>5	0	2	1358	1358	2200.00	2200.00

HEIFER PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/<150 lbs calf (Per Unit / Actual Wt)

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
<2	Ο	33	971	971	3050.00	3050.00	Thin Fleshed

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; T1 = 1st 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.