

# Winter Livestock Stock Cow and Pair Special - La Junta, CO AMS Livestock, Poultry, & Grain Market News Colorado Dept of Ag Mrkt News

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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 2/23/2024 - Final

SPECIAL			
	This Week	Last Reported 1/19/2024	Last Year
Total Receipts:	510	2,350	706
Slaughter Cattle:	99(19.4%)	107(4.6%)	58(8.2%)
Replacement Cattle:	411(80.6%)	2,243(95.4%)	648(91.8%)

Trade activity and demand was good. Slaughter lean cows of average dressing sold 3.00 higher. All other slaughter weight classes were too light to test. Bred cows sold steady on a light test while bred heifers sold strong, selling up to 575.00 higher than last month on a light test. The next replacement cow and slaughter cow sale will be Tuesday March 19, 2024. Supply included: 19% Slaughter Cattle (100% Cows); 81% Replacement Cattle (88% Bred Cows, 12% Bred Heifers, 1% Cow-Calf Pairs).

# **SLAUGHTER CATTLE**

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

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price	<u>Dressing</u>
1	1585	1585	103.00	103.00	High

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

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1	1275	1275	110.00	110.00	High Return to Feed

#### COWS - Lean 85-90% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	<u>Dressing</u>
7	1088	1088	91.00	91.00	Average
5	1063	1063	100.00	100.00	High
25	1028-1265	1119	101.00-112.50	105.61	High Return to Feed
4	975-1125	1021	76.00-81.00	77.86	Low

### REPLACEMENT CATTLE

### 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	T1	1	1085	1085	1625.00	1625.00	
2-4	T1-2	3	1105	1105	1900.00	1900.00	
2-4	T2	4	1035-1165	1133	1925.00-2100.00	2040.73	
2-4	T2	26	1089-1119	1105	2600.00-2875.00	2698.93	Fancy
2-8	T2	8	1225-1468	1349	2200.00-2550.00	2489.87	
2-8	T2	19	1340-1374	1353	2750.00-2800.00	2781.29	Fancy
5-8	T1-2	10	1134	1134	2050.00	2050.00	
>5	T1	1	1380	1380	1725.00	1725.00	

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>5	T1-2	6	1313	1313	2000.00	2000.00	
>5	T2	46	1178-1595	1308	1700.00-2050.00	1862.00	
>5	T2	24	1321-1419	1393	2400.00-2750.00	2623.33	Fancy
>8	T1-2	3	1293	1293	1725.00	1725.00	
>8	T2	88	1120-1427	1207	1560.00-1850.00	1658.59	
>8	T2	34	1297-1443	1344	1900.00-2000.00	1965.27	Fancy

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

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
>5	T1-2	3	1223	1223	1450.00	1450.00
>5	T2	2	940-1330	1135	1225.00-1375.00	1312.89
>5	T2-3	12	1141	1141	1225.00	1225.00
>8	T1	7	1204	1204	1210.00	1210.00
>8	T1-2	12	1121-1214	1160	1350.00-1400.00	1371.81
>8	T2	10	1162	1162	1375.00	1375.00
>8	T2-3	15	1226	1226	1225.00	1225.00

## BRED COWS - Medium and Large 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	T1	1	1120	1120	1085.00	1085.00

#### 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
2-4	T1	16	946	946	2600.00	2600.00
2-4	T2	21	1012-1047	1029	2700.00-2850.00	2782.62
2-4	T2-3	8	1043	1043	2550.00	2550.00

#### COW-CALF 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
2-4	Ο	2	855-875	865	1625.00-2400.00	2016.98

#### 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.