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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 5/18/2024 - Final

SPECIAL GRADED SALE

	This Week	Last Reported 5/20/2023	Last Year
Total Receipts:	43	94	94
Replacement Cattle:	43(100.0%)	94(100.0%)	94(100.0%)

A good crowd was on hand on a very nice day for the Central Missouri Show-Me Select Bred Heifer sale held at the South Central Regional Stockyards. 43 head from seven consignors averaged \$3036/head with a top of \$3,700. Demand was good compared to the sale last May which averaged \$2121/head, aided by a greatly improved hay and pasture outlook following a very challenging 2023.

The sale was coordinated by the Show-Me Select Board with University Extension, Commercial Agriculture Program, MU College of Veterinary Medicine, Missouri Cattlemen's Association and the Missouri Department of Agriculture. Heifers in this sale have met minimum standards for reproductive soundness, pelvic size, muscle thickness, body condition and weight. They have undergone a comprehensive health program and are guaranteed bred with a percentage fetal sexed. All heifers are mated to calving ease bulls and are expected to calve from mid August to early November. Heifers were graded and sorted into uniform lots according to projected calving dates and body type. Supply included: 100% Replacement Cattle (100% Bred Heifers).

REPLACEMENT CATTLE

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

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
<2	T2	37	975-1200	1086	2700.00-3700.00	3056.76

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

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
<2	T2	6	850-1070	1002	2750.00-2950.00	2908.33

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.