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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 5/22/2024 - Final

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	This Week	Last Reported 5/15/2024	Last Year
Total Receipts:	622	885	1,165
Slaughter Cattle:	407(65.4%)	549(62.0%)	729(62.6%)
Replacement Cattle:	215(34.6%)	336(38.0%)	436(37.4%)

Compared to last week, slaughter cows and bulls were 3.00-5.00 higher. Demand was very good on a moderate supply of slaughter animals and bred cows and a light supply of pairs. As we enter grilling season the demand for ground beef has increased and as a result, prices for slaughter animals have set new records. The top slaughter bull sold for 193.00/cwt. and the top slaughter cow brought 157.00/cwt. Soil moisture has been improving weekly with more rain expected this week. Hay season is quickly approaching with farmers waiting for a few dry days to begin harvest. Supply included: 65% Slaughter Cattle (89% Cows, 11% Bulls); 35% Replacement Cattle (41% Stock Cows, 47% Bred Cows, 4% Bred Heifers, 8% Cow-Calf Pairs).

SLAUGHTER CATTLE

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
54	1295-1625	1418	128.00-136.00	133.24	Average
30	1280-1810	1402	137.00-157.00	143.06	High
10	1315-1620	1525	110.00-119.00	114.38	Low

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
74	1010-1315	1227	123.00-135.00	128.16	Average
37	1010-1305	1190	136.00-151.00	141.09	High
15	1070-1225	1159	115.00-120.00	118.89	Low

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
69	810-1225	955	115.00-128.00	119.36	Average
19	888-1090	996	128.00-138.00	132.03	High
43	700-1115	812	86.00-110.00	99.24	Low
6	700-1275	895	62.00-82.00	74.53	Very Low

BULLS - 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
28	1280-2030	1545	154.00-172.00	162.67	Average
9	1710-2125	1946	176.00-193.00	183.10	High
8	1205-1730	1418	123.00-152.00	144.40	Low



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REPLACEMENT CATTLE

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>	<u>Avg Price</u>
<2	O	12	870-1300	1086	157.50-197.50	181.23
2-8	O	12	990-1430	1185	125.00-156.00	140.69

STOCK COWS - Medium 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>	<u>Avg Price</u>
<2	O	11	720-935	867	157.50-198.00	182.06
2-8	O	26	700-1075	933	119.00-157.50	140.37

BRED COWS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Unit / Actual 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>
2-8	T2-3	44	1115-1413	1233	1650.00-2250.00	1918.99

BRED COWS - Medium and Large 2 (Per Unit / Actual 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>
2-8	T1-3	3	1035-1175	1127	1400.00	1400.00

BRED COWS - Medium 1-2 (Per Unit / Actual 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>
2-8	T2-3	13	825-1125	1028	1600.00-2050.00	1840.80

BRED COWS - Medium 2 (Per Unit / Actual 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>
2-8	T1-3	11	875-1090	995	1175.00-1525.00	1375.22

BRED HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Unit / Actual 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	T1-3	6	925-1060	979	1575.00-1750.00	1615.51

COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 1-2 w/ 150-300 lbs calf (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>
2-8	O	3	1250-1365	1288	2400.00-2750.00	2633.33

COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium 1-2 w/ 150-300 lbs calf (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>
2-8	O	2	950-1055	1003	2600.00-2800.00	2700.00

COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium 2 w/ 150-300 lbs calf (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>
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2-8	O	4	850-1100	929	1550.00-2000.00	1775.00
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COW-CALF PAIRS - Small and Medium 2-3 w/ <150 lbs calf (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>
2-8	O	3	700	700	1225.00	1225.00

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.