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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 3/9/2026 - Final

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	This Week	Last Reported 2/9/2026	Last Year
Total Receipts:	1,742	3,109	3,456
Feeder Sheep/Lambs:	40(2.3%)	166(5.3%)	325(9.4%)
Slaughter Sheep/Lambs:	850(48.8%)	1,110(35.7%)	2,039(59.0%)
Replacement Sheep/Lambs:	0(0.0%)	1,220(39.2%)	5(0.1%)
Feeder Goats:	125(7.2%)	240(7.7%)	230(6.7%)
Slaughter Goats:	717(41.2%)	343(11.0%)	842(24.4%)
Replacement Goats:	10(0.6%)	30(1.0%)	15(0.4%)

Compared to last sale: (2/09/26) Feeder lambs were all too lightly tested to develop any market trend. Feeder buyers were mostly absent this week as too few lambs were consigned to start loads of feeder lambs. Most lambs were purchased for slaughter this week as a result. Demand for slaughter lambs was mostly good with several ethnic buyers in the stands buying lambs for the Eid al-Fitr holiday. Slaughter lambs sold sharply higher with most sales 40.00-50.00 higher. Ethnic buyers purchased a higher quality lambs again this sale as most feeding buyers were not in the market. Demand for hair lambs was good to very good. Even light weight hair lambs were purchased for immediate harvest this sale. Hair lambs sold sharply higher in a narrow comparison. Market activity was mostly active this sale with rapid bidding seen. Demand for Slaughter ewes was mostly very good. Slaughter ewes sold mostly 5.00-10.00 higher on good ewes, Utility ewes and cull ewes sold generally steady in a narrow comparison. Goats sold on very good demand with several buyers in the stand buying slaughter goats for the upcoming ethnic holiday. Slaughter kids sold sharply higher with most sales 30.00-50.00 higher on all weight classes. Demand for yearling goats was very good with several ethnic buyers looking for older goats for harvest. Demand for feeding goats continues to be very good. Feeding kids sold mostly 15.00-30.00 higher with several ranchers in the stands buying feeding kids. Kid quality was mostly average to attractive this week. Goat offerings were light to moderate. Supply included: 2% Feeder Sheep/Lambs (100% Hair Lambs); 49% Slaughter Sheep/Lambs (41% Woolled & Shorn, 23% Hair Breeds, 19% Ewes, 9% Hair Ewes, 4% Bucks, 3% Hair Bucks); 7% Feeder Goats (100% Kids); 41% Slaughter Goats (82% Kids, 14% Nannies/Does, 2% Bucks/Billies, 2% Wethers); 1% Replacement Goats (78% Nannies/Does, 22% Families).

FEEDER SHEEP/LAMBS

HAIR LAMBS - Medium 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
6	40	40	360.00	360.00
30	54	54	395.00	395.00

SLAUGHTER SHEEP/LAMBS

WOOLED & SHORN - Choice 1-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
44	56	56	410.00	410.00	Average
5	66	66	375.00	375.00	Average
27	71-76	73	337.50-346.00	340.78	Average
13	83-86	85	335.00-345.00	340.47	Average
50	83-89	89	342.00	342.00	Average New Crop



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107	91-96	92	300.00-332.00	328.06	Average
45	103-106	105	280.00-285.00	281.63	Average

WOOLED & SHORN - Good and Choice 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
6	83-88	85	290.00-295.00	293.27	Average
5	118	118	270.00	270.00	Average
10	120	120	250.00	250.00	Low
2	175	175	157.50	157.50	Average

HAIR BREEDS - Choice 1-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
11	57	57	390.00	390.00	Average
23	55	55	400.00	400.00	Average New Crop
20	65-67	67	360.00-395.00	393.30	Average
15	81	81	350.00	350.00	Average
1	100	100	315.00	315.00	Average
65	110-119	117	262.50-280.00	267.91	Average
4	150	150	305.00	305.00	Average

HAIR BREEDS - Good and Choice 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
24	37	37	435.00	435.00	Average
5	42	42	435.00	435.00	Average
6	78	78	265.00	265.00	Average
5	92	92	290.00	290.00	Average

EWES - Good 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
20	173-185	175	105.00-130.00	111.44	Average
13	170-183	179	135.00-157.50	140.04	High

EWES - Good 3-4 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
6	201	201	108.00	108.00	Average
8	210-231	226	125.00-135.00	129.08	High
5	258-275	261	92.00-100.00	98.32	Average

EWES - Utility 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
39	135-148	146	141.00-152.00	141.63	Average
12	119-140	125	131.00-135.00	132.08	Low



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19	150-162	161	122.50-145.00	125.55	Average
6	163	163	160.00	160.00	Average Yearlings
2	150	150	107.00	107.00	Low

EWES - Cull 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
2	128	128	117.50	117.50	Average
14	114	114	20.00	20.00	Low

HAIR EWES - Good 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
5	131	131	147.00	147.00	Average

HAIR EWES - Good 3-4 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
3	192	192	117.00	117.00	High

HAIR EWES - Utility 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
19	110-115	115	150.00	150.00	Average
33	118	118	185.00	185.00	High
7	159	159	132.50	132.50	Average

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

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
1	140	140	187.50	187.50	Average Yearlings
4	119	119	114.00	114.00	Low
3	190-195	193	124.00-132.50	126.78	Average
2	160-185	173	109.00-112.00	110.39	Low
16	200-230	208	111.00-125.00	114.45	Average
2	255-275	265	101.00-107.50	104.37	Average
1	300	300	113.00	113.00	High

BUCKS - 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
2	273	273	92.00	92.00	Average

HAIR BUCKS - 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
1	110	110	157.50	157.50	Average
19	146	146	145.00	145.00	Average Yearlings
3	173	173	132.00	132.00	Average



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1	200	200	114.00	114.00	Average
1	260	260	120.00	120.00	High

FEEDER GOATS**KIDS - Selection 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
51	32-39	34	465.00-485.00	480.13
44	43-46	46	460.00-470.00	469.46
1	60	60	435.00	435.00

KIDS - Selection 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
6	40-48	46	405.00-445.00	426.81	
6	41	41	315.00	315.00	Pygmies
16	52	52	442.50	442.50	

SLAUGHTER GOATS**KIDS - Selection 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
7	38	38	445.00	445.00	Average
87	44-48	47	419.00-465.00	431.24	Average
125	50-55	52	430.00-460.00	433.10	Average
174	60-67	62	430.00-465.00	441.41	Average
69	70-76	74	415.00-442.50	440.42	Average
15	80-85	84	400.00-417.50	403.14	Average
1	95	95	390.00	390.00	Average Yearlings
21	102-105	102	375.00-380.00	375.73	Average

KIDS - Selection 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
2	38	38	335.00	335.00	Average
3	40-45	43	375.00-435.00	411.15	Average
10	50-58	55	410.00-435.00	425.88	Average
1	55	55	305.00	305.00	Average Yearlings
24	60-66	62	380.00-455.00	408.21	Average
9	67	67	315.00	315.00	Average Yearlings
11	70-75	74	385.00-420.00	412.88	Average
8	85-86	86	387.50-392.00	388.06	Average
2	90	90	377.50	377.50	Average Yearlings
1	105	105	355.00	355.00	Average

NANNIES/DOES - Selection 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

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<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
2	95	95	250.00	250.00	Average
59	100-140	128	170.00-245.00	183.24	Average
5	157	157	190.00	190.00	Average

NANNIES/DOES - Selection 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
7	78	78	220.00	220.00	Average
1	70	70	185.00	185.00	Average Pygmies
1	80	80	235.00	235.00	Average
3	93-95	94	160.00-210.00	193.10	Average Pygmies
11	105-135	114	145.00-220.00	191.54	Average
3	150-160	153	155.00-190.00	177.83	Average

NANNIES/DOES - Selection 3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
1	70	70	105.00	105.00	Average
1	85	85	185.00	185.00	Average
1	105	105	85.00	85.00	Low

BUCKS/BILLIES - Selection 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
2	205-225	215	210.00-212.50	211.19	Average
1	235	235	217.50	217.50	High

BUCKS/BILLIES - Selection 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
1	135	135	220.00	220.00	Average

BUCKS/BILLIES - Selection 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
1	85	85	190.00	190.00	Average Pygmies
1	95	95	195.00	195.00	Average Pygmies
3	115-125	120	225.00-240.00	230.21	Average
4	150-175	163	182.50-210.00	193.84	Average

BUCKS/BILLIES - Selection 3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
1	90	90	165.00	165.00	Average
1	200	200	180.00	180.00	Average

WETHERS - Selection 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)



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<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
9	113-120	115	265.00-325.00	304.46	Average
1	195	195	200.00	200.00	Average

WETHERS - Selection 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
3	77	77	325.00	325.00	Average
1	90	90	240.00	240.00	Average
1	155	155	235.00	235.00	Average

REPLACEMENT GOATS

NANNIES/DOES - Selection 1 (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>
2-4	O	5	100-147	128	202.00-255.00	218.54
2-4	O	2	153	153	205.00	205.00

FAMILIES - Selection 1 w/ <20 lbs kid (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>
2-4	O	2	130	130	370.00	370.00

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 (Sheep/Goats) - Represents estimated lambing/kidding period (O = open; E = Exposed; B = Bred; FALL = September to November; WIN = December to February; SPR = March to May; SUM = June to August)

Age - Numerical representation of age in years.