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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 1/5/2025 - 1/11/2025

LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

	Current Week	Last Reported 12/30/2024	Last Year
Total Receipts:	29,384	17,785	21,992
Feeder Cattle:	28,140(95.8%)	17,785(100.0%)	20,756(94.4%)
Slaughter Cattle:	1,244(4.2%)	0(0.0%)	1,236(5.6%)

Compared to last week: Feeder steers under 550 lbs 15.00 to 20.00 higher, over 550 lbs 5.00 to 10.00 higher. Feeder heifers under 700 lbs 10.00 to 20.00 higher, over 700 lbs 2.00 to 3.00 higher. Very good demand again for feeder cattle this week as auction markets were all back on to their regular sale schedules. A very large offering in at the central and eastern South Dakota auctions as those auction markets are just getting into their busiest marketing time of the year. The market was incredibly active as cattle feeders and yearling operators are frantically trying to get cattle bought. They are all well aware of the tighter feeder cattle supplies and with the cash fed cattle market shooting all the way up to 205.00 this week, they were intent on buying cattle as they are very optimistic that this bull run is not just a flash in the pan. Outgoing fed cattle are very profitable, in spite of the record high feeder cattle market at the time they were placed on feed. This fact has really got cattle feeders bulled up as the cash market is outrunning the futures contracts, leaving the basis 6.00 to 8.00 cash over futures. The winter has been very open, there is some snow cover in the west but the eastern side has bare ground but cold temps. This is making for good cattle feeding, helping to keep feed efficiency working in the cattle feeders' favor. Very large auctions receipts again next week as East River cattle producers are quick to get their cattle consigned while the market is red hot. Supply included: 96% Feeder Cattle (62% Steers, 37% Heifers, 0% Bulls); 4% Slaughter Cattle (63% Steers, 1% Dairy Steers, 34% Heifers, 2% Dairy/Beef Steers, 0% Dairy/Beef Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 72%.

FEEDER CATTLE

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
3	288	288	465.00	465.00	
18	303-340	318	425.00-460.00	439.48	
120	351-397	376	415.00-460.00	432.21	
8	386	386	387.50	387.50	Unweaned
139	400-446	422	390.00-430.00	411.11	
388	451-496	473	365.00-410.00	391.47	
980	500-549	528	337.50-384.00	367.94	
59	546-547	547	337.50-340.00	338.01	Fleshy
11	514	514	385.00	385.00	Thin Fleshed
1446	550-599	570	322.00-371.00	347.14	
20	562	562	396.00	396.00	Thin Fleshed
2096	600-648	622	312.00-354.50	337.34	
2581	650-697	674	289.00-334.50	318.85	
32	675-696	688	296.00-298.00	296.85	Fleshy
2445	700-749	725	277.50-321.00	305.17	
25	719-720	719	278.00-281.00	279.68	Fleshy



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152	721	721	350.00	350.00	Thin Fleshed
1272	750-798	773	268.00-314.00	287.61	
33	750-792	776	257.50-277.00	264.46	Fleshy
19	798	798	274.00	274.00	Full
1349	800-849	821	263.00-286.25	277.68	
65	839-846	844	252.00-260.00	254.32	Fleshy
729	852-896	870	256.00-277.75	266.43	
29	894-899	898	254.00-256.00	255.59	Fleshy
469	906-945	927	248.50-281.00	266.28	
49	922	922	244.00	244.00	Fleshy
371	955-997	970	250.75-268.00	258.65	

STEERS - Medium and Large 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>	
22	361-387	376	367.50-435.00	402.68	
18	410-449	427	352.50-367.50	359.50	
192	452-498	481	348.00-377.50	360.28	
67	502-549	534	310.00-350.00	329.32	
33	560-595	583	310.00-333.00	319.47	
80	613-647	630	312.50-321.00	317.26	
15	660-684	666	293.00-297.50	296.27	
47	711-744	737	265.00-276.50	274.58	
13	806-843	820	241.00-247.00	243.37	

STEERS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
263	1001-1046	1026	244.00-260.00	258.06	
64	1016	1016	241.00	241.00	Fleshy
118	1058-1059	1059	260.00	260.00	
176	1103-1139	1116	236.75-243.50	239.86	

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

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
81	314-348	336	357.50-405.00	390.68	
75	357-395	382	370.00-405.00	377.74	
210	403-443	423	340.00-382.50	361.77	
26	447	447	346.00	346.00	Unweaned
461	450-499	476	325.00-368.00	348.62	
23	493-494	493	331.00-338.00	335.87	Fleshy
866	500-549	521	310.00-344.50	328.53	
7	544	544	300.00	300.00	Fleshy
1424	551-599	579	290.00-336.00	317.52	



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15	593	593	308.50	308.50	Fleshy
89	565	565	340.00	340.00	Thin Fleshed
1076	600-647	624	279.00-322.00	299.24	
27	623-645	635	272.50-279.00	275.03	Fleshy
280	603-627	612	317.00-324.00	321.73	Replacement
1047	653-699	675	265.00-304.00	286.27	
13	667-686	676	257.50-260.00	258.67	Fleshy
148	666-689	674	289.00-296.50	294.64	Replacement
648	700-743	716	255.00-278.00	268.97	
8	701	701	249.00	249.00	Fleshy
287	712-745	737	277.00-299.00	283.40	Replacement
752	753-798	773	244.00-266.75	257.46	
89	782-794	792	241.00-244.00	242.06	Fleshy
100	751-755	753	270.50-284.00	276.96	Replacement
368	805-836	813	240.00-258.25	252.93	
45	822-848	843	225.00-232.50	227.98	Fleshy
74	831	831	273.00	273.00	Replacement
234	855-889	868	232.50-259.25	247.49	
70	873-881	874	234.00-234.50	234.41	Fleshy
5	879	879	238.00	238.00	Full
102	907-945	925	233.00-247.00	240.63	
271	957-991	962	236.50-245.50	238.44	
11	994	994	227.50	227.50	Fleshy

HEIFERS - Medium and Large 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>	
11	351	351	352.50	352.50	
5	360	360	387.50	387.50	Thin Fleshed
76	413-446	426	322.50-330.00	324.97	
65	451-487	466	309.00-402.00	324.39	
102	528-548	538	296.00-307.00	299.95	
15	508	508	287.50	287.50	Unweaned
89	560-591	578	285.00-304.00	296.29	
29	632-645	640	260.00-286.00	278.43	
30	652-689	673	261.00-288.00	272.34	
8	723	723	255.00	255.00	
14	796	796	246.00	246.00	

HEIFERS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
21	1007-1046	1022	235.00-240.00	238.05
24	1065	1065	236.00	236.00



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61	1181-1191	1189	204.50-226.00	209.41
49	1232	1232	208.00	208.00
50	1250	1250	208.00	208.00

HEIFERS - Medium 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
7	579	579	267.50	267.50

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

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
56	881	881	263.00	263.00

SLAUGHTER CATTLE

STEERS - Choice 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>
23	1398-1497	1436	196.00-198.00	196.91	Average
57	1250-1472	1427	202.00-209.00	204.85	Average Certified Prgms
8	1345	1345	209.00	209.00	Average Natural

STEERS - Choice 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>
263	1501-1595	1560	196.00-198.50	197.41	Average
130	1513-1724	1579	200.00-209.00	204.30	Average Certified Prgms
130	1600-1907	1695	193.00-197.25	195.69	Average Heavy Weight
6	1510	1510	213.00	213.00	Average Natural

STEERS - Select and Choice 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>
73	1422-1470	1432	195.00-195.50	195.35	Average
8	1246-1453	1324	196.50-197.00	196.79	Average Certified Prgms
3	1093	1093	201.00	201.00	Average Return to Feed

STEERS - Select and Choice 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>
8	1564	1564	194.50	194.50	Average
60	1506-1674	1581	195.00-199.00	196.82	Average Certified Prgms

DAIRY STEERS - Choice 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	1722-1883	1786	176.00-180.00	178.31	Average

DAIRY STEERS - Select and Choice 2-3 (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>
5	1465-1482	1475	172.00-179.00	174.78	Average Return to Feed

DAIRY/BEEF STEERS - Choice 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>
18	1333-1652	1552	189.00-193.00	192.43	Average
5	1940	1940	194.00	194.00	Average Certified Prgms

DAIRY/BEEF STEERS - Select and Choice 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>
4	1440	1440	183.00	183.00	Average Certified Prgms

HEIFERS - Choice 2-4 (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>
144	1256-1579	1425	194.00-197.00	195.84	Average
182	1293-1498	1424	202.00-211.50	204.34	Average Certified Prgms
5	1491	1491	204.00	204.00	Average Natural

HEIFERS - Select and Choice 2-4 (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>
5	1517	1517	188.00	188.00	Average
67	1232-1501	1364	195.00-198.50	196.57	Average Certified Prgms
15	1077-1228	1174	192.50-200.00	194.35	Average Return to Feed

DAIRY/BEEF HEIFERS - Choice 2-4 (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>
2	1490	1490	187.00	187.00	Average

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