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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 2/14/2020 - 2/20/2020

## LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

	Current Week	Last Reported 2/10/2020	Last Year
<b>Total Receipts:</b>	33,055	22,598	
<b>Feeder Cattle:</b>	31,844(96.3%)	20,750(91.8%)	0(0.0%)
<b>Slaughter Cattle:</b>	1,211(3.7%)	1,848(8.2%)	0(0.0%)

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Last Year: 28,699

Compared to last week: Feeder steers steady to 3.00 higher, feeder heifers under 700 lbs 2.00 to 5.00 higher, over 700 lbs steady to 3.00 higher. Good to very good demand for feeder steers and heifers this week after the rally in the CME cattle futures last Friday. Cattle feeders have been apprehensive about the coming months of the cash fed cattle market as those spring and summer months rolled back substantially this month. After the futures contracts finally found a bottom and rallied higher on Friday, cattle feeders got a much needed boost of confidence that a better market might lie ahead. They were quick to act when presented with the quality and kind that they desired. The market was active, however the most activity remains on those light fleshed cattle under 600 lbs as there are many buyers trying to get these cattle bought. These light cattle can go two directions, they can be backgrounded and sold as yearlings or they can go right into farmer feeders' yards and grown and finished as fat cattle. The prospect of a higher cash fed cattle market this week lent additional support to the feeder market. Memories of last year's feed yard losses are very fresh as a massive amount of equity was lost when the market crashed after the plant fire last summer, cattle feeders are ready to place cattle in their yards but they need a signal from the market that profits can be made. Slaughter cows 2.00 to 5.00 higher, bulls steady. Supply included: 96% Feeder Cattle (58% Steers, 42% Heifers, 0% Bulls); 4% Slaughter Cattle (53% Steers, 8% Dairy Steers, 8% Heifers, 28% Cows, 3% Bulls). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 76%.

## FEEDER CATTLE

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
6	281	281	230.00	230.00	
5	305	305	214.00	214.00	
49	353-395	379	186.00-208.00	198.16	
229	408-448	424	171.50-210.00	190.33	
295	452-498	482	170.00-192.00	181.16	
11	453	453	170.00	170.00	Fleshy
690	500-549	524	167.00-198.00	182.66	
62	515	515	203.50	203.50	Fancy
67	520-549	535	160.00-174.50	167.74	Fleshy
1171	550-598	578	161.00-186.00	170.97	
17	557-576	569	160.00-161.50	160.98	Fleshy
9	582	582	157.00	157.00	Full



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30	554	554	193.50	193.50	Thin Fleshed
1237	600-649	628	155.00-173.50	164.27	
80	605-649	632	145.25-155.00	153.21	Fleshy
39	607	607	172.00	172.00	Thin Fleshed
2034	650-699	675	149.00-165.00	157.28	
51	658-695	671	133.00-148.00	144.04	Fleshy
436	651-677	665	169.00-174.00	170.74	NHTC
2393	700-749	728	141.00-160.00	151.04	
107	700-741	724	139.00-144.75	141.81	Fleshy
233	721-733	725	165.00-168.50	167.36	NHTC
2295	750-797	769	138.75-154.60	147.58	
218	757-797	783	125.50-140.00	136.80	Fleshy
349	776-794	790	153.50-158.00	154.58	NHTC
2007	800-848	824	134.50-149.00	141.73	
36	822-833	831	130.00	130.00	Fleshy
138	847	847	149.00	149.00	NHTC
812	850-894	870	129.50-142.75	136.32	
46	874-885	877	128.00-132.00	130.19	Fleshy
12	873	873	135.50	135.50	NHTC
840	900-944	921	128.25-136.00	132.69	
57	927	927	126.50	126.50	Fleshy
338	950-990	970	125.75-134.00	129.50	

**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>
4	321	321	171.00	171.00
20	365-394	384	165.00-180.00	175.01
46	415-448	432	161.00-180.00	170.30
24	482-497	484	154.00-169.00	155.93
31	501-549	530	152.00-169.00	161.45
88	556-596	583	153.00-163.00	157.36
30	620-628	626	150.00-156.00	151.52
40	655-697	689	142.00-148.00	144.19
96	705-749	731	140.50-145.00	141.43
49	750-799	786	137.25-140.00	138.03
16	848-849	849	128.00-134.25	133.08
30	917-934	922	126.00-128.00	126.61

**STEERS - Medium and Large 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	717	717	122.00	122.00
24	920	920	115.00	115.00



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**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>
97	1003-1030	1020	122.00-130.00	128.03
91	1050-1065	1060	127.25-131.00	130.00
17	1104	1104	119.75	119.75

**STEERS - 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>
21	1002-1044	1014	121.00-123.00	121.59

**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	353-397	371	153.00-177.00	167.62	
228	400-447	425	150.00-172.50	161.79	
9	447	447	150.00	150.00	Fleshy
11	429	429	185.00	185.00	Thin Fleshed
583	454-498	479	150.00-171.00	159.19	
6	457	457	144.00	144.00	Fleshy
812	500-549	524	144.00-170.00	157.14	
12	501-519	510	164.00-168.00	165.96	Value Added
1829	550-598	576	140.00-161.00	151.86	
119	552-560	556	165.00	165.00	Fancy
29	591-593	592	137.50-139.00	138.02	Fleshy
6	592	592	162.00	162.00	Replacement
21	597	597	171.00	171.00	Value Added
1707	600-649	621	135.00-161.50	148.32	
29	617-635	620	131.00-135.00	131.71	Fleshy
141	615-639	628	153.25-156.50	154.23	Replacement
193	634-648	636	154.00-161.50	160.94	Value Added
1549	650-697	679	127.50-149.75	142.13	
105	655-693	681	123.00-135.00	130.86	Fleshy
90	662-692	664	147.50-152.50	152.15	Replacement
11	655	655	163.00	163.00	Value Added
1302	700-747	718	126.50-149.50	135.87	
94	701-738	717	122.50-130.50	128.11	Fleshy
670	702-730	722	141.00-160.50	153.21	Replacement
37	709	709	157.00	157.00	Value Added
796	750-796	774	126.50-140.00	130.18	
37	767-794	778	122.50-127.00	123.78	Fleshy
111	756	756	151.00-152.00	151.68	Replacement
361	801-847	821	123.50-133.50	128.11	



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6	836	836	124.50	124.50	Fleshy
382	850-896	869	119.25-128.50	126.80	
26	850-899	865	115.50-125.75	122.54	Fleshy
64	858	858	142.00	142.00	Replacement
135	904-945	940	115.50-125.00	122.14	
6	999	999	124.00	124.00	
23	967	967	120.00	120.00	Fleshy

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

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
78	722	722	1335.00	1335.00	Replacement

**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>
5	314	314	158.00	158.00
45	352-392	374	142.00-159.00	150.66
83	411-442	428	142.50-158.00	149.07
108	450-497	481	132.00-157.00	145.33
53	501-538	520	135.00-143.00	137.56
59	566-597	582	127.00-144.00	135.71
69	604-635	628	129.00-137.00	135.25
31	680-696	689	128.50-134.00	131.60
29	708	708	125.50	125.50
10	765	765	117.00	117.00
32	803-827	820	110.50-124.50	122.98
8	889	889	121.00	121.00

**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>
11	1000	1000	122.00	122.00
6	1132	1132	115.00	115.00
7	1243	1243	109.50	109.50

**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>	
19	655	655	126.00	126.00	Fleshy

**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>
4	466	466	166.00	166.00
6	539	539	154.00	154.00
5	659	659	141.00	141.00



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**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>
184	1408-1480	1447	118.00-121.00	120.74	Average
19	1437	1437	121.50	121.50	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>
282	1497-1650	1557	118.00-121.00	120.29	Average
4	1511	1511	121.50	121.50	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>
10	1404	1404	118.25	118.25	Average
12	1328-1363	1351	118.00-120.25	118.74	Average Return to Feed

**STEERS - Select 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>
10	1216	1216	118.00	118.00	Average Return to Feed

**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>
68	1342-1570	1439	95.00-99.00	96.93	Average

**DAIRY 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>
3	1262	1262	93.00	93.00	Average

**DAIRY STEERS - Select 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	1239	1239	81.00	81.00	Average

**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>
34	1351-1491	1432	116.75-119.00	118.03	Average
34	1380-1424	1396	120.00-121.00	120.64	Average Natural
11	1321-1322	1321	115.00-117.00	115.55	Low

**COWS - Premium White 65-75% (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>
32	1430-1782	1623	68.00-76.00	73.23	Average



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**COWS - Breaker 75-80% (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>
96	1143-2040	1484	55.50-68.50	63.22	Average
2	1460-1945	1703	71.00-72.00	71.57	High
42	1315-1940	1571	51.00-59.00	55.10	Low

**COWS - Boner 80-85% (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>
46	1075-1683	1305	51.00-63.50	56.60	Average
18	1110-1450	1281	64.00-68.50	65.62	High
4	1020-1303	1227	48.00-52.00	49.57	Low

**COWS - Lean 85-90% (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>
12	905-1195	1111	46.00-55.00	50.39	Average
13	903-1289	1197	57.50-64.00	60.99	High
7	955-1363	1239	36.00-45.00	41.62	Low

**BULLS - 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>
14	1445-2305	1886	77.00-85.00	79.16	Average
10	1680-2070	1954	82.00-89.00	83.67	High
3	1745-1990	1847	63.00-71.00	68.48	Low

**BULLS - 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	2155	2155	76.00	76.00	Average

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