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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 3/24/2024 - 3/30/2024

LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

	Current Week	Last Reported 3/18/2024	Last Year
Total Receipts:	5,017	3,062	6,990
Feeder Cattle:	4,025(80.2%)	1,760(57.5%)	6,090(87.1%)
Slaughter Cattle:	804(16.0%)	923(30.1%)	830(11.9%)
Replacement Cattle:	188(3.7%)	379(12.4%)	70(1.0%)

Compared to last week: Combined weighted average report for 3 Colorado auction markets included: Winter Livestock, La Junta Livestock, and Livestock Exchange. Trade activity and demand were moderate to good. Feeder steers under 450 lbs sold sharply higher on a light test, 450-650 lbs 11.00 to 18.00 higher, and over 650 lbs mostly 5.00 to 8.00 higher. Feeder heifers under 400 lbs sold steady to 3.00 lower on a light test, 400-600 lbs 7.00 to 12.00 higher, and over 600 lbs steady to 6.00 higher. Feeder dairy heifers over 950 lbs sold 1.00 to 3.00 higher. Average dressing slaughter cows sold 7.00 to 8.00 higher; average dressing slaughter bulls 1.00 higher. The next available report will be Monday, April 8, 2024. Supply included: 80% Feeder Cattle (54% Steers, 45% Heifers, 0% Bulls, 2% Dairy Heifers); 16% Slaughter Cattle (90% Cows, 10% Bulls); 4% Replacement Cattle (54% Stock Cows, 13% Bred Cows, 9% Cow-Calf Pairs, 24% Heifer Pairs). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 40%.

FEEDER CATTLE

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
3	277	277	430.00	430.00	
8	257	257	470.00	470.00	Fancy
31	312-347	335	405.00-413.00	409.63	
8	314	314	438.00	438.00	Fancy
55	300-344	328	421.00-429.00	423.44	Value Added
4	398	398	401.00	401.00	
7	356	356	423.00	423.00	Fancy
40	364-373	369	414.00-417.00	414.97	Value Added
20	405-440	428	368.00-386.00	379.65	
18	405-424	416	414.00-416.00	414.87	Fancy
78	403-449	432	391.00-406.00	397.48	Thin Fleshed
75	450-488	475	349.00-365.00	357.48	
73	451-489	468	391.00-416.00	404.54	Fancy
78	472-486	478	375.00-388.00	382.75	Value Added
53	501-547	522	319.00-348.00	338.00	
43	505-531	519	342.00-378.00	356.46	Fancy
79	506-539	530	355.00-366.00	358.84	Thin Fleshed
55	582-587	586	302.00-321.00	316.51	
32	560	560	345.00-347.00	346.63	Fancy



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59	580-591	589	317.00-335.00	325.80	Thin Fleshed
152	619-648	635	293.00-308.00	304.11	
18	605-617	616	318.00-323.00	318.55	Fancy
17	633	633	300.00	300.00	Thin Fleshed
84	668-695	687	260.00-285.00	269.59	
147	650-660	659	293.00-298.00	297.30	Fancy
119	650-681	674	276.00-285.00	282.27	Value Added
101	713-745	731	246.00-269.00	261.97	
20	739	739	273.00	273.00	Fancy
102	750-789	760	239.00-256.00	249.86	
40	808-837	814	226.00-234.00	233.38	
57	870-898	882	214.00-222.50	220.60	
11	917	917	216.00	216.00	
2	968	968	190.00	190.00	
4	1053	1053	191.00	191.00	
1	1310	1310	167.00	167.00	
1	1435	1435	163.00	163.00	
1	1655	1655	152.00	152.00	

STEERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
7	415-443	428	331.00-342.00	337.50
6	547	547	296.00	296.00
3	595	595	287.50	287.50
2	775	775	221.00	221.00
2	898	898	206.00	206.00
4	932	932	203.00	203.00

STEERS - Medium and Large 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
6	373-385	377	305.00-337.00	315.89
7	434	434	320.00	320.00

STEERS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
3	302	302	407.00	407.00
7	375	375	420.00	420.00
3	410	410	379.00	379.00
65	472	472	375.00	375.00
6	525	525	343.00	343.00
18	558	558	342.00	342.00
4	621	621	306.00	306.00

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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>
3	383	383	319.00	319.00

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>	
4	278	278	382.50	382.50	
55	302-349	329	342.00-361.00	354.95	
14	329	329	390.00	390.00	Fancy
19	304-321	312	370.00-382.50	377.57	Value Added
25	361-393	378	308.00-337.00	320.55	
2	383	383	361.00	361.00	Fancy
50	360-396	383	333.00-347.00	340.09	Value Added
78	413-449	442	314.00-322.00	316.63	
35	402-404	402	336.00-339.00	338.66	Fancy
141	472-499	482	295.00-306.00	299.13	
9	498	498	295.00-317.00	312.11	Replacement
18	457-463	460	314.00-317.00	314.78	Thin Fleshed
88	500-548	536	287.00-299.00	296.02	
35	517-537	527	316.00-328.00	319.61	Fancy
7	513-525	522	302.00-310.00	304.25	Replacement
55	502-526	516	301.00-319.00	306.82	Thin Fleshed
62	567-587	574	264.00-288.00	274.58	
6	554	554	295.00	295.00	Fancy
46	551-599	562	266.00-307.00	291.58	Replacement
2	550	550	282.00	282.00	Thin Fleshed
73	609-649	634	251.00-268.00	255.98	
56	613-639	626	268.00-280.00	275.99	Replacement
33	601-604	603	283.00-286.00	284.18	Thin Fleshed
32	607	607	266.00-271.00	270.22	Value Added
22	672-684	681	241.00-253.00	249.77	
3	658	658	262.00	262.00	Fancy
56	662-694	672	245.00-248.00	245.63	Replacement
103	703-745	722	229.00-244.00	232.79	
26	710-726	716	241.00-248.00	243.46	Replacement
2	845	845	200.00	200.00	
1	1060	1060	180.00	180.00	
2	1148	1148	172.00	172.00	

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>
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25	434-442	437	298.00-306.00	303.03
9	492	492	273.00	273.00
9	507-510	509	280.00-291.00	287.35
25	561-585	574	253.00-258.00	255.04
20	622-649	627	238.00-249.00	246.72
5	655-698	672	226.00-229.00	227.25
2	705	705	204.00	204.00
9	768-776	774	211.00-216.00	212.10
4	800	800	207.00	207.00

HEIFERS - 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>
2	305	305	251.00	251.00
2	428	428	288.00	288.00
16	529-533	530	256.00-273.00	270.86

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>	
2	240	240	407.50	407.50	Fancy
14	344-348	346	349.00-355.00	352.02	
12	393-398	395	314.00-318.00	315.68	
6	443-447	445	298.00	298.00	
102	494	494	301.00	301.00	
30	499	499	296.00	296.00	Replacement
20	500-537	533	277.00-292.00	290.59	
19	568-598	595	257.00-262.00	257.50	
5	602	602	258.00	258.00	
6	658	658	249.00	249.00	
3	763	763	210.00	210.00	
2	820	820	204.00	204.00	

HEIFERS - 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	326	326	320.00	320.00
10	548	548	259.00	259.00
9	581	581	239.00	239.00

DAIRY HEIFERS - Large 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>
1	985	985	174.50	174.50
8	1008-1035	1015	174.50-175.50	175.00
13	1050-1089	1077	173.00-175.50	173.81



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10	1105-1145	1131	172.50-175.50	174.71
6	1175-1191	1188	174.50	174.50
9	1205-1233	1217	173.00-174.50	173.99

DAIRY HEIFERS - Large 3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
9	503	503	170.00	170.00
1	845	845	161.00	161.00
3	850-865	857	157.50-169.00	164.16
1	1065	1065	162.00	162.00
1	1245	1245	169.00	169.00

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	570	570	287.00	287.00
2	630	630	283.00	283.00

SLAUGHTER CATTLE

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>
22	1770-2475	2002	137.00-142.00	140.90	Average
1	1865	1865	135.00	135.00	High

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>
60	1480-1890	1709	134.00-141.00	137.83	Average
6	1520-1561	1554	137.50-138.00	137.92	Average Return to Feed
9	1455-1640	1558	117.00-146.50	131.61	High
3	1445-1905	1698	121.00-130.00	126.07	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>
158	995-1900	1486	120.00-132.00	127.86	Average
43	1000-1615	1376	125.00-144.00	135.39	Average Return to Feed
41	1180-1796	1463	133.00-145.00	136.88	High
54	1040-1485	1349	115.00-167.50	131.82	High Return to Feed
11	1185-1630	1357	113.00-119.00	116.47	Low
2	1320-1670	1495	105.00-107.00	105.88	Very 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>
87	870-1584	1262	86.00-124.00	118.10	Average



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4	880-1245	1063	118.00-135.00	124.62	Average Return to Feed
29	1010-1450	1201	100.00-133.00	127.46	High
105	830-1282	1133	103.00-132.00	124.66	High Return to Feed
25	850-1615	1218	81.00-111.00	105.20	Low
16	670-1665	1138	57.50-91.00	79.04	Very 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>
13	1510-2400	1954	142.50-154.50	147.61	Average
3	1100-1400	1240	143.00-168.00	152.09	Average Return to Feed
49	1035-2482	1844	112.00-164.50	149.08	High
5	1465-1910	1643	121.00-140.00	132.07	Low
1	1015	1015	130.00	130.00	Low Return to Feed

REPLACEMENT CATTLE

STOCK COWS - Medium and Large 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	O	1	700	700	207.50	207.50	
2-4	O	25	765-1118	969	132.00-191.00	177.13	
2-4	O	24	706-786	771	221.00-230.00	228.78	Fancy
2-4	O	13	817-945	903	201.00-217.00	205.83	Thin Fleshed

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>
2-4	O	17	735-1235	980	148.00-169.00	161.11

STOCK COWS - Medium and Large 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	1	725	725	126.00	126.00
2-4	O	10	930-1160	1029	121.00-149.00	141.39

BRED COWS - Medium and Large 1 (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	T3	1	1180	1180	2600.00	2600.00
2-8	T2-3	9	1568	1568	2125.00	2125.00
5-8	T3	2	1410	1410	2400.00	2400.00
>5	T3	1	1760	1760	2500.00	2500.00
>8	T3	1	1225	1225	1975.00	1975.00

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	1	1200	1200	1700.00	1700.00



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>8	T2-3	1	1405	1405	1875.00	1875.00
>8	T3	1	1380	1380	1860.00	1860.00

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>
2-4	T2	3	935	935	1200.00	1200.00
5-8	T2	2	1023	1023	1275.00	1275.00

COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/ <150 lbs calf (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	O	2	1295-1330	1313	2400.00-2650.00	2523.33

COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/ 150-300 lbs calf (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	O	2	1265	1265	2700.00	2700.00
>8	O	9	1268	1268	2400.00	2400.00

COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 1-2 w/ 150-300 lbs calf (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>
>8	O	1	1045	1045	1600.00	1600.00

COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 2 w/ 150-300 lbs calf (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	O	1	895	895	1225.00	1225.00

HEIFER PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/ <150 lbs calf (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	4	959	959	2900.00	2900.00

HEIFER PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/ 150-300 lbs calf (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	15	1022-1143	1068	3400.00-3600.00	3503.25

HEIFER PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/ >300 lbs calf (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	13	1103-1409	1291	3100.00-3400.00	3301.44
2-4	O	8	1264-1359	1312	3800.00-3900.00	3851.81



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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.