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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 1/26/2025 - 2/1/2025

LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

	Current Week	Last Reported 1/20/2025	Last Year
Total Receipts:	6,119	7,598	6,610
Feeder Cattle:	4,514(73.8%)	2,627(34.6%)	4,561(69.0%)
Slaughter Cattle:	1,139(18.6%)	454(6.0%)	1,587(24.0%)
Replacement Cattle:	466(7.6%)	720(9.5%)	462(7.0%)
Feeder Sheep/Lambs:	0(0.0%)	48(0.6%)	0(0.0%)
Slaughter Sheep/Lambs:	0(0.0%)	2,872(37.8%)	0(0.0%)
Feeder Goats:	0(0.0%)	225(3.0%)	0(0.0%)
Slaughter Goats:	0(0.0%)	604(7.9%)	0(0.0%)
Replacement Goats:	0(0.0%)	48(0.6%)	0(0.0%)

Compared to last week: Steer calves under 450 lbs were too lightly tested to develop a full market trend, however steady to higher undertones were noticed. Steers 450-699 lbs sold mostly 5.00-15.00 higher; steers over 700 lbs sold mostly steady to 8.00 higher in a narrow comparison. Heifers under 450 lbs were too lightly tested to develop an accurate market however steady to higher undertones were noticed. Heifers 450-599 lbs sold mostly 5.00-10.00 higher. Heifers over 600 lbs sold steady to 8.00 higher. Demand was mostly very good for light to moderate offerings. Higher fed cattle prices continues to spur demand for feeder cattle as feedlots attempt to fill empty bunk space. Many sets of cattle were purchased to develop into yearlings, either on California grass or southern wheat pastures. Canadian buyers were back in the market this week and showed very good demand for calves to ship into Canada to feed. CME positions traded sideways this week but saw strong support from higher fed cattle prices. The January contract settled at 281.68, 2.98 higher than last Fridays close. The March contract closed Friday at 275.725, 0.85 lower than last Fridays close. The April contract closed at 275.125 on Friday, 0.325 lower than last Fridays close. Quality this week was mixed from plain to very attractive, overall quality this week was not as attractive as last weeks offering. Package sizes were mostly small to moderate this week and not as large as last weeks sale. Cooperate packer feeders continue to show very good demand for all feeder cattle on offer. Packers remain active in buying cattle too big or slightly too fleshy to go to grass. Most of these cattle were purchased to put in feedlots. Market activity was active with all bidders quickly bidding on offerings. Weigh up cows sold on mostly good demand for light offerings. Regional packers showed stronger demand for fat, breaking flesh cows. This pushed fleshy cows higher as major packers and regional packers fought over offerings. Breaking cows sold mostly 5.00-10.00 higher as a result. Boning and lean cows sold steady to 4.00 higher. Only blemished cows, not suitable to feed, were purchased to slaughter this week. Feeding cow demand remains very good and packers were back in the market this week buying cows to put away on feed. Private buyers and packer buyers were both very aggressive as they bid on cows to feed. Even slightly lame or slightly blemished cows sold to feeding buyers as they purchased these cows to put on a holding ration. High quality feeding cows, suitable to feed to premium white sold mostly 3.00-8.00 higher. Thin short term feeding or holding cows sold mostly 3.00-6.00 higher. Slaughter bulls sold mostly 8.00-12.00 higher driven by strong demand from packers for immediate harvest. Young age cows suitable to feed or rebreed sold steady to 5.00 higher. Quality this week was mostly average to attractive. Very good demand was seen from feeder buyers this week as many try to blend these older offerings in with yearlings. Supply included: 74% Feeder Cattle (53% Steers, 0% Dairy Steers, 44% Heifers, 2% Bulls); 19% Slaughter Cattle (92% Cows, 8% Bulls); 8% Replacement Cattle (84% Stock Cows, 15% Bred Cows, 1% Bred Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 46%.

FEEDER CATTLE

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
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15	355-381	365	454.00-490.00	477.62	
5	350-355	353	415.00-430.00	424.05	Unweaned
25	425-445	441	420.00-440.00	429.19	
2	415	415	415.00	415.00	Unweaned
82	450-494	470	382.00-423.50	395.70	
22	460-494	476	357.00-392.50	379.87	Unweaned
252	500-538	517	360.00-396.00	384.17	
7	500	500	403.00	403.00	Thin Fleshed
281	550-592	568	331.00-372.00	360.76	
4	573	573	332.50	332.50	Fleshy
330	600-637	616	320.00-349.50	339.70	
23	613-627	625	322.50-325.00	322.93	Fleshy
116	650-698	675	309.00-328.00	317.44	
4	693	693	294.00	294.00	Full
298	700-749	729	290.00-309.00	303.00	
110	755-799	769	280.50-298.00	290.39	
39	811-832	830	280.00-282.50	280.39	
22	850-880	861	271.00-274.00	273.68	
3	902	902	253.00	253.00	

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>
13	320-347	343	420.00-480.00	447.40
33	350-397	380	395.00-432.00	427.23
29	400-442	429	370.00-430.00	391.71
48	452-494	474	345.00-390.00	366.43
62	503-545	519	325.00-375.00	361.22
22	570-578	574	313.00-339.00	326.01
53	613-645	624	292.00-326.00	316.33
78	650-692	671	285.00-313.00	306.54
6	715-748	726	285.00-290.00	288.28
3	805-813	810	267.00-268.00	267.67

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>
13	415-427	418	352.50-372.50	367.78
3	492	492	337.00	337.00
3	532	532	320.00	320.00
10	590	590	312.00	312.00

STEERS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

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6	595	595	301.00	301.00
10	640-648	645	300.00-319.00	307.54
4	698	698	305.00	305.00
9	1219	1219	216.00	216.00

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>
7	661	661	276.00	276.00

STEERS - 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>
3	425	425	402.50	402.50
8	496	496	375.00	375.00
26	566	566	340.00	340.00
2	688	688	271.00	271.00

STEERS - Medium 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>
2	353	353	397.50	397.50
3	625	625	267.00	267.00

STEERS - Medium 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	484	484	290.00	290.00

DAIRY STEERS - 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>
8	652	652	250.00	250.00

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>	
16	337	337	418.00	418.00	
4	324	324	390.00	390.00	Unweaned
24	354-384	370	397.50-409.00	403.96	
69	404-441	429	360.00-417.50	379.15	
6	417	417	367.50	367.50	Fleshy
166	450-495	477	335.00-380.00	364.34	
14	494	494	330.00	330.00	Fleshy
3	488	488	327.00	327.00	Unweaned
245	500-546	518	323.50-356.00	337.68	
9	527	527	316.00	316.00	Unweaned
278	550-587	572	308.00-329.00	321.99	



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23	574	574	323.00	323.00	Replacement
335	600-647	623	287.50-309.00	299.02	
40	645	645	296.00	296.00	Replacement
73	650-695	680	274.00-286.00	280.61	
25	705-749	733	265.50-272.00	269.31	
12	726	726	278.00	278.00	Fancy
6	765-770	767	266.00-270.00	268.66	
29	770	770	269.50	269.50	Fancy
9	804-818	810	255.00-267.00	262.51	
5	860-895	888	241.00-249.00	242.55	
1	915	915	241.00	241.00	
2	1020	1020	224.00-231.00	227.50	

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>
9	345-346	345	375.00-390.00	381.68
38	351-399	385	360.00-385.00	374.37
34	415-444	432	330.00-376.00	348.56
51	456-498	481	305.00-349.00	331.44
15	505-544	539	299.00-321.00	309.18
10	550-586	573	303.00-317.50	306.58
9	615-633	622	273.00-282.00	275.10
19	668-699	692	264.00-266.00	265.59
21	703-720	708	252.00	252.00
15	860-890	876	229.00-245.00	235.45
3	940	940	226.00	226.00
3	1025	1025	220.00	220.00
5	1053-1090	1075	210.00-216.00	212.35

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>
6	365-388	376	340.00-352.50	344.16
5	524	524	282.50	282.50
2	575	575	280.00	280.00

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>
14	616-627	621	283.00-287.00	284.73
4	1146	1146	212.00	212.00

HEIFERS - Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

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3	330	330	345.00	345.00
4	1100-1128	1121	203.00-208.00	206.77

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>
6	436	436	361.00	361.00
4	493	493	307.50	307.50
53	513-546	521	309.00-326.00	312.74

HEIFERS - Medium 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	639	639	265.00	265.00

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>
3	417	417	390.00	390.00
1	485	485	385.00	385.00
14	563-588	576	301.00-325.00	308.85
11	663-691	680	285.00-295.00	287.66
4	763-770	767	254.00-270.00	261.96
1	800	800	256.00	256.00
3	910	910	253.00	253.00
5	965-981	978	225.00-241.00	237.84
4	1003	1003	225.00	225.00
7	1062-1086	1076	220.00-224.00	222.31

BULLS - 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	505-527	523	310.00-320.00	311.76
12	595	595	285.00	285.00
3	780-795	790	250.00	250.00
1	910	910	234.00	234.00

BULLS - 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	1148	1148	214.00	214.00
2	1173	1173	209.00	209.00
1	1300	1300	162.50	162.50

BULLS - 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>
2	1210	1210	180.00	180.00



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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>
14	1590-1835	1687	137.00-150.50	143.53	Average
1	2130	2130	150.00	150.00	Average Heavy Weight
1	1730	1730	139.50	139.50	Low
1	2130	2130	125.00	125.00	Low Heavy Weight

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>
24	1450-1790	1605	135.00-146.00	142.06	Average
2	2020-2220	2120	136.00-142.00	138.86	Average Heavy Weight
64	1348-1835	1495	136.00-145.00	140.64	Average Return to Feed
15	1405-1910	1680	143.00-149.50	145.90	High
23	1438-1635	1506	142.00-149.00	146.11	High Return to Feed
5	1575-1825	1698	123.00-134.00	129.88	Low
6	1342-1615	1450	127.00-129.00	128.17	Low Return to Feed

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>
21	1045-1695	1441	118.00-134.50	127.98	Average
268	1228-1645	1367	118.00-143.00	135.48	Average Return to Feed
7	1272-1590	1362	138.00-145.00	142.35	High
115	1170-1444	1368	140.00-150.25	147.15	High Return to Feed
9	1310-1565	1414	102.00-119.00	108.52	Low
47	1220-1610	1409	108.00-126.00	122.03	Low Return to Feed

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	982-1225	1093	112.00-128.00	120.99	Average
145	915-1280	1166	123.50-136.00	128.79	Average Return to Feed
1	1195	1195	132.00	132.00	High
29	1100-1250	1201	135.00-145.00	139.26	High Return to Feed
26	1015-1300	1176	91.00-119.00	110.13	Low
4	805-965	874	96.00-115.00	105.10	Low Light Weight
78	928-1310	1150	105.00-123.50	119.14	Low Return to Feed
5	1105-1175	1140	84.00-99.00	93.06	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>
18	1575-2235	1896	147.00-169.00	159.07	Average



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11	1250-1630	1452	157.00-175.00	160.76	Average Return to Feed
14	2055-2480	2228	159.00-190.00	180.17	High
26	1385-2065	1700	131.00-158.00	145.12	Low
1	1260	1260	130.50	130.50	Low Light Weight
3	1120-1320	1228	130.00-142.00	134.05	Low Return to Feed

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
8	1990-2265	2165	150.00-155.00	154.43	Average
3	2390	2390	167.00	167.00	High

REPLACEMENT CATTLE

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

Age	Stage	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
<2	O	192	750-1315	1011	152.00-240.00	199.03	
<2	O	6	1243	1243	157.00	157.00	Fleshy
2-4	O	78	855-1405	1145	139.50-202.50	157.03	
2-8	O	13	1118-1175	1166	124.00-128.00	127.41	

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

Age	Stage	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
<2	O	19	818-1120	967	145.00-191.00	172.34
2-4	O	18	833-1300	1053	127.50-152.50	141.34

STOCK COWS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Age	Stage	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
<2	O	3	833	833	187.50	187.50
2-4	O	1	1410	1410	161.00	161.00

STOCK COWS - Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Age	Stage	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
<2	O	4	1008	1008	154.00	154.00

STOCK COWS - Medium 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Age	Stage	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
<2	O	4	750-775	763	170.00-185.00	178.85	
<2	O	5	734	734	172.50	172.50	Thin Fleshed
2-4	O	2	968	968	133.00	133.00	

BRED COWS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Unit / Actual Wt)

Age	Stage	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
2-4	T1	5	1117-1145	1128	2150.00-2200.00	2170.30



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2-4	T1-2	6	1094	1094	2050.00	2050.00	
2-4	T2	8	1080-1470	1205	2200.00-2500.00	2396.90	
2-4	T2-3	9	1064-1315	1142	2450.00-2600.00	2522.37	
>5	T2-3	2	1453	1453	2500.00	2500.00	
>8	T2-3	7	1293-1418	1356	2000.00-2025.00	2007.32	Broken Mouth

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>	
2-4	T2	3	1263	1263	2100.00	2100.00	
2-4	T2-3	4	1340-1392	1379	2250.00	2250.00	
>5	T2	1	1165	1165	2000.00	2000.00	
>5	T2-3	1	1430	1430	2000.00	2000.00	
>8	T2-3	7	1293	1293	1850.00	1850.00	Broken Mouth
>8	T2-3	2	1210	1210	1650.00	1650.00	Thin Fleshed

BRED COWS - Medium 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	T2-3	5	996	996	2475.00	2475.00

BRED HEIFERS - 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	T2	3	1000	1000	2250.00	2250.00
<2	T2-3	3	1130	1130	2400.00	2400.00

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.