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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 8/31/2025 - 9/6/2025

LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

	Current Week	Last Reported 8/25/2025	Last Year
Total Receipts:	5,788	10,312	8,043
Feeder Cattle:	4,205(72.7%)	10,147(98.4%)	7,008(87.1%)
Slaughter Cattle:	1,583(27.3%)	165(1.6%)	1,035(12.9%)

Compared to last week, steers less than 550 lb sold sharply higher, 550 to 800 lbs sold steady to 5.00 higher, 800 to 900 lbs sold 6.00 to 7.00 lower and over 900 lbs sold unevenly steady. Heifers less than 700 lbs sold sharply higher in the week. Yearling heifers sold steady on a light test. Slaughter steers and heifers sold 2.00 to 4.00 higher with no test on slaughter cows from the previous week for a comparison. Demand was good throughout the week. Calf buyers laying some big cash down this week on fresh bawlers coming off the cow. Some have fall preconditioned shots, others only springtime shots. Silage chopping and laying in some type of fall feed is getting underway across the state. Supply included: 73% Feeder Cattle (66% Steers, 32% Heifers, 2% Bulls); 27% Slaughter Cattle (47% Steers, 6% Dairy Steers, 31% Heifers, 11% Cows, 4% Bulls, 0% Dairy Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 69%.

FEEDER CATTLE

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
7	250-297	277	600.00-615.00	609.20	
6	318-320	319	587.50-600.00	593.73	
17	320	320	632.50	632.50	Unweaned
3	373	373	555.00	555.00	
53	400-435	421	375.00-580.00	529.79	
30	405	405	570.00	570.00	Unweaned
133	455-492	480	485.00-542.50	515.10	
148	502-549	523	460.00-516.00	498.51	
135	556-596	575	425.00-470.00	436.15	
7	558	558	450.00	450.00	Unweaned
62	607-643	634	365.00-440.00	427.76	
115	657-691	673	375.00-422.50	408.59	
142	702-747	725	360.00-404.00	389.16	
216	751-786	773	370.00-393.25	386.65	
219	805-849	829	333.00-372.50	365.12	
413	854-894	876	336.00-370.00	361.32	
373	900-947	921	336.00-366.75	350.84	
137	965-985	970	340.50-347.00	343.92	
98	1034-1035	1034	326.50	326.50	

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
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11	412-443	429	517.50-522.00	519.46
17	482-490	489	400.00-470.00	412.19
10	549	549	442.00	442.00
67	552-597	590	421.00-423.00	421.43
4	611	611	350.00	350.00
16	658	658	370.00	370.00
5	753-758	755	302.50-350.00	321.58
5	841	841	327.00	327.00
5	904	904	321.00	321.00

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>
12	1002-1043	1021	234.00-322.50	282.21
17	1090	1090	279.00	279.00

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>	
6	201-220	211	650.00-660.00	655.23	
17	262-296	270	600.00-630.00	618.82	
12	311-326	321	557.50-580.00	572.73	
29	351-398	377	523.00-555.00	535.72	
23	394	394	480.00	480.00	Unweaned
30	409-433	422	472.00-517.50	505.82	
42	452-497	475	430.00-472.50	448.04	
82	470	470	499.75	499.75	Unweaned
80	502-549	521	409.00-472.00	449.75	
40	560-595	572	377.50-406.00	390.02	
97	610-637	622	379.50-402.75	393.47	
47	650-687	671	344.00-381.00	371.01	
316	705-744	736	340.00-386.00	362.08	
84	751-794	771	322.00-347.00	342.10	
18	810-816	813	310.00-345.00	330.84	
90	867-891	880	300.00-338.00	319.41	
19	915-930	926	295.00-338.00	331.55	
43	978-989	985	320.00-331.00	327.47	

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>
3	410	410	450.00	450.00
41	538-545	543	370.00-394.00	389.18
9	559	559	384.00	384.00
12	613-646	635	270.00-370.00	337.82



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7	688	688	336.00	336.00
24	707-743	734	349.00-354.00	350.20
3	813-840	822	290.00-312.50	304.84
1	850	850	295.00	295.00
2	960	960	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>
1	1010	1010	312.50	312.50
28	1074-1081	1079	297.00-309.00	303.43

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>
35	325	325	622.50	622.50
24	415	415	515.00	515.00
22	501	501	467.50	467.50
6	641	641	360.00	360.00
3	793	793	301.00	301.00

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>
4	518	518	402.50	402.50

SLAUGHTER CATTLE

STEERS - Choice and Prime 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>
22	1474-1612	1559	253.00-255.00	253.40	Average

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>
131	1314-1488	1384	242.85-247.00	243.92	Average
31	1402-1494	1453	242.00-247.75	245.40	Average Certified Prgms

STEERS - 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>
335	1245-1680	1470	242.50-252.50	248.78	Average
4	1741	1741	241.00	241.00	Average Heavy Weight

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>
18	1510-1590	1586	247.00-247.25	247.24	Average
11	1517-1603	1551	242.00-244.00	243.00	Average Certified Prgms



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4	1630-1770	1691	244.50-248.00	246.15	Average Heavy Weight
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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>
37	1230-1510	1354	230.00-245.00	242.73	Average
2	1210-1310	1260	258.00-263.00	260.40	Average Certified Prgms
29	1050-1295	1226	240.00-274.00	253.10	Average Return to Feed

STEERS - Select 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>
6	1070-1183	1135	241.00-253.00	249.45	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>
48	1305-1830	1547	210.00-232.00	216.15	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>
22	1350-1825	1530	200.00-223.00	211.44	Average
7	1153-1362	1302	215.00-216.00	215.25	Average Return to Feed

HEIFERS - Choice and Prime 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>
29	1315-1358	1346	254.00-255.50	254.90	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>
217	1110-1570	1326	241.50-252.50	246.71	Average
29	1085-1369	1314	242.00-247.50	243.34	Average Certified Prgms
1	1640	1640	239.00	239.00	Average Heavy Weight
15	1315	1315	243.50	243.50	Average Natural

HEIFERS - 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>
21	1075-1455	1224	230.00-244.75	240.05	Average
6	1163-1200	1174	236.00-245.00	242.46	Average Return to Feed

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>
21	1265-1503	1296	235.00-240.00	239.23	Average
19	1173-1485	1311	234.00-239.25	237.02	Average Certified Prgms
36	938-1232	1123	235.00-258.00	245.40	Average Return to Feed



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HEIFERS - Select 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>
17	915-1185	1028	187.50-261.00	244.94	Average Return to Feed

DAIRY 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>
5	1300-1495	1429	215.00-221.00	217.94	Average

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>
22	1280-1955	1490	162.50-183.00	175.02	Average
17	1235-1495	1309	175.00-194.50	182.82	Average Return to Feed
25	1305-1835	1528	180.00-201.00	191.15	High
4	1770-1925	1853	130.00-147.00	138.04	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>
30	1035-1875	1333	143.00-169.00	155.44	Average
4	610-960	816	162.50-245.00	204.59	Average Light Weight
14	1030-1275	1118	141.50-243.00	183.10	Average Return to Feed
2	1405-1460	1433	120.00-138.00	128.83	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>
24	1020-1640	1230	110.00-147.50	130.30	Average
8	890-995	946	114.00-137.50	129.53	Average Light Weight

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>
32	1335-2385	1640	165.00-215.00	191.44	Average
9	1005-1220	1093	155.00-225.00	182.64	Average Light Weight
13	1375-2430	1746	210.00-249.00	222.32	High

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