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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 9/28/2025 - 10/4/2025

LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

	Current Week	Last Reported 9/22/2025	Last Year
Total Receipts:	17,706	13,904	24,098
Feeder Cattle:	16,772(94.7%)	13,000(93.5%)	23,291(96.7%)
Slaughter Cattle:	934(5.3%)	904(6.5%)	807(3.3%)

Compared to last week: Yearling feeder steers 2.00 to 4.00 lower, yearling feeder heifers 5.00 to 10.00 lower. More spring born calves were offered this week, too few a week ago to make good price comparisons. Good demand for yearling steers, moderate to good for yearling heifers. There was pressure on the market as cash fat cattle in the north slipped below 230.00. Packers bid lower as the boxed beef market continues to quickly drop, retreating around 60.00 in the last month. Moderate to good demand for spring born calves, farmer feeders are busy in the field with fall harvest and most aren't wanting a calf yet. Cattle feeders have greatly curbed their enthusiasm for getting feeder cattle bought, they are now approaching the market much more cautiously. Supply included: 95% Feeder Cattle (62% Steers, 38% Heifers, 0% Bulls); 5% Slaughter Cattle (63% Steers, 33% Heifers, 4% Beef/Dairy Steers). 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	
72	304-345	320	500.00-687.50	632.99	
110	351-388	382	505.00-580.00	566.41	
334	400-446	433	490.00-580.00	541.55	
436	451-499	468	460.00-550.00	528.63	
5	484	484	435.00	435.00	Fleshy
683	500-541	516	436.00-528.00	502.61	
472	550-597	565	402.50-482.00	453.18	
5	571	571	350.00	350.00	Fleshy
437	602-644	614	381.00-443.00	425.32	
10	626	626	345.00	345.00	Fleshy
14	644	644	450.00	450.00	Thin Fleshed
154	651-699	683	360.00-417.50	400.06	
145	706-744	718	377.50-413.00	400.45	
5	711	711	355.00	355.00	Fleshy
148	759-798	774	369.00-391.50	382.03	
691	810-849	839	340.00-382.50	371.56	
1008	852-899	878	345.00-374.50	362.74	
1052	903-948	928	341.00-362.50	353.61	
1108	950-997	965	321.00-353.25	344.58	
18	1118	1118	299.00	299.00	



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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>
9	397	397	520.00	520.00
28	418-449	441	470.00-522.50	507.89
36	529-541	536	390.00-475.00	440.82
12	561	561	391.00	391.00
7	618-634	627	380.00-410.00	392.67
53	672-691	680	322.50-388.00	368.30
23	753-788	766	325.00-375.00	341.39
94	808-848	827	299.00-356.00	348.02
59	984	984	322.00	322.00

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>
6	345	345	480.00	480.00
27	502	502	412.00	412.00

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>	
19	473	473	492.50	492.50	
13	532	532	473.00	473.00	
902	1004-1048	1029	304.25-346.25	334.53	
87	1022	1022	305.00	305.00	Fleshy
571	1054-1069	1059	323.00-346.25	333.72	
27	1061-1084	1077	288.00-300.00	291.50	Fleshy
280	1100-1130	1117	309.50-319.00	316.47	
48	1101	1101	281.00	281.00	Fleshy
24	1249	1249	258.00	258.00	Fleshy
5	1326	1326	245.00	245.00	Fleshy

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>
7	422-435	429	470.00	470.00
9	512	512	455.00	455.00
11	598	598	390.00	390.00

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>
18	280-292	286	560.00-600.00	579.58
58	301-347	318	445.00-582.50	555.77
144	351-398	371	480.00-560.00	534.83
128	403-436	422	445.00-532.50	483.95



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321	450-494	472	417.50-465.00	454.61	
4	464	464	315.00	315.00	Fleshy
51	454	454	522.50	522.50	Replacement
252	503-545	519	400.00-462.50	431.70	
90	550-588	579	370.00-405.00	392.59	
11	612-646	627	335.00-370.00	351.38	
5	638	638	377.50	377.50	Full
30	642	642	394.00	394.00	Spayed
308	650-699	665	322.50-394.00	375.82	
180	701-747	731	346.00-369.00	357.93	
72	721	721	389.00	389.00	Spayed
333	759-797	776	336.50-356.00	347.79	
19	789	789	331.00	331.00	Fleshy
387	801-843	823	327.00-354.00	340.45	
195	812-837	820	348.50-360.00	356.45	Spayed
325	852-896	880	321.00-345.00	332.48	
64	869	869	319.00	319.00	Fleshy
1184	882-883	883	347.50-348.50	348.00	Spayed
582	901-944	920	306.00-341.00	323.18	
125	918-946	932	306.00-310.50	308.30	Fleshy
322	955-999	965	304.00-337.25	319.24	
45	961-965	965	297.00-301.00	300.65	Fleshy
29	1005-1023	1018	319.00-320.00	319.48	
24	1034-1049	1045	255.00-274.00	260.49	Fleshy
6	1092	1092	297.50	297.50	

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
53	375-399	381	385.00-495.00	445.02	
25	401-449	416	390.00-487.50	438.96	
8	481	481	387.50	387.50	
13	508-543	535	302.50-395.00	374.73	
17	599	599	375.00	375.00	
6	620	620	330.00	330.00	
7	740	740	333.00	333.00	
20	849	849	320.00	320.00	
21	970-998	982	300.00-315.00	306.53	

HEIFERS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
142	1003-1047	1025	290.00-336.00	308.91	
57	1005	1005	292.50	292.50	Fleshy



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19	1083-1086	1085	285.00-299.00	288.68
8	1101	1101	267.50	267.50

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>	
6	868	868	315.00	315.00	
13	1008	1008	271.00	271.00	
13	1032	1032	263.00	263.00	Fleshy

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>
5	440	440	390.00	390.00
9	523	523	385.00	385.00

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>
8	680	680	355.00	355.00

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>
18	1410-1457	1431	230.00-232.00	230.98	Average
14	1442-1476	1457	235.00	235.00	Average Certified Prgms

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>
130	1505-1571	1544	229.50-232.75	232.13	Average
54	1508-1540	1512	230.00-235.00	234.12	Average Certified Prgms
135	1603-1631	1624	230.50-233.00	232.67	Average Heavy Weight

BEEF/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>
11	1565	1565	229.50	229.50	Average
13	1302	1302	233.00	233.00	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>
91	1303-1554	1367	225.00-233.50	231.41	Average
91	1290-1380	1334	230.00-235.00	234.73	Average Certified Prgms



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