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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 10/5/2025 - 10/11/2025

LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

	Current Week	Last Reported 9/29/2025	Last Year
Total Receipts:	21,582	17,706	29,932
Feeder Cattle:	20,616(95.5%)	16,772(94.7%)	29,864(99.8%)
Slaughter Cattle:	966(4.5%)	934(5.3%)	68(0.2%)

Compared to last week: Steer calves 15.00 to 30.00 higher, heifer calves 15.00 to 25.00 higher. Yearling feeder steers 5.00 to 15.00 higher, yearling feeder heifers 2.00 to 8.00 higher. Very good demand for spring born steer and heifer calves, the fall run has begun and ranch raised calves are coming to town and being met by eager buyers. Few offerings of calves in East River auctions as cattle producers on that side of the state are busy with fall harvest. Very good demand for yearling steers and heifers, either those off grass or coming out of a grow yard, there are plenty of buyers ready to compete heavily. There has been new found support for the feeder cattle market, as the CME cattle futures complex found new legs and shot up to new highs. This is a big turn around as packers were trying to convince cattle feeders that they needed to accept lower money in October. Cattle feeders are now feeling better again about the prospects of the coming months in the fed cattle market. Corn harvest is rolling fast as the weather has been dry and windy, helping to dry the crop down quickly. Big progress is being made as those farmer feeders have a little time now to take on those bawling calves. Supply included: 96% Feeder Cattle (54% Steers, 46% Heifers, 1% Bulls, 0% Beef/Dairy Steers, 0% Beef/Dairy Heifers); 4% Slaughter Cattle (72% Steers, 28% Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 45%.

FEEDER CATTLE

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
82	336-349	343	570.00-675.00	653.39	
130	354-399	382	550.00-670.00	602.60	
604	400-449	429	505.00-625.00	579.56	
19	402	402	599.00	599.00	Fancy
927	451-499	481	470.00-582.50	544.57	
43	479-496	487	505.00-517.50	511.59	Full
1794	500-549	527	417.50-537.50	504.96	
102	500	500	540.00	540.00	Fancy
11	540	540	462.50	462.50	Full
1696	550-599	574	425.00-502.50	478.49	
182	551-557	554	503.00	503.00	Fancy
37	588-599	595	427.50-449.00	440.73	Full
584	600-646	628	410.00-458.00	439.23	
225	601-628	608	420.00-470.00	447.62	Unweaned
485	650-697	677	397.50-462.50	436.16	
415	706-747	733	362.50-423.00	403.67	
212	768-798	791	370.00-395.00	376.93	
21	783	783	393.00	393.00	Thin Fleshed



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296	800-848	826	347.00-383.00	366.38
414	852-889	874	351.00-378.25	372.21
348	902-948	929	342.00-368.00	363.83
360	952-985	966	337.00-366.25	359.38

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>
52	358-398	389	475.00-625.00	570.93
115	401-446	434	500.00-560.00	538.02
104	459-493	487	465.00-527.50	507.10
32	508-517	514	400.00-475.00	429.78
60	553-596	572	402.50-465.00	444.35
20	620	620	387.00	387.00
15	699	699	385.00	385.00
9	712	712	357.50	357.50
6	858	858	338.50	338.50

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>
8	581	581	180.00	180.00

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>	
8	645	645	407.00	407.00	Unweaned
187	1000-1004	1002	331.25	331.25	
7	1059	1059	301.00	301.00	
51	1130	1130	306.00	306.00	
66	1156-1165	1158	282.00-306.00	300.88	

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>
12	462	462	515.00	515.00
9	582	582	360.00	360.00

BEEF/DAIRY 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>
12	697	697	337.50	337.50

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>
93	304-349	334	415.00-630.00	582.50
251	356-398	380	465.00-585.00	540.89



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741	400-448	431	455.00-575.00	507.28	
5	444	444	440.00	440.00	Full
643	451-494	468	400.00-505.00	468.59	
42	479	479	515.00	515.00	Replacement
1105	500-549	521	400.00-497.50	448.26	
106	543	543	486.00	486.00	Replacement
354	551-599	572	360.00-447.50	412.01	
155	602-635	614	372.00-408.00	390.64	
23	603-643	627	387.50-392.50	390.36	Unweaned
95	650-696	689	356.00-382.50	358.96	
403	705-746	732	335.00-375.00	366.41	
69	750-796	774	336.50-357.00	349.62	
755	807-844	822	319.50-357.00	347.85	
61	847	847	338.00	338.00	Spayed
635	853-899	878	306.00-350.50	336.32	
829	901-948	930	310.00-344.25	334.60	
118	926	926	298.00	298.00	Fleshy
350	958-995	979	300.00-334.00	321.85	
715	972-997	988	330.50-336.25	333.77	Spayed
15	1000-1039	1018	319.00-324.50	321.88	

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>	
13	269	269	650.00	650.00	
32	339-344	342	440.00-575.00	490.16	
25	360-384	373	490.00-525.00	509.44	
19	413-446	436	420.00-447.50	437.56	
58	456-483	480	435.00-449.00	446.46	
157	500-547	540	372.00-422.50	411.62	
7	572	572	380.00	380.00	
74	676-691	681	340.00-357.50	345.76	
9	738	738	341.00	341.00	
20	882	882	307.50	307.50	
10	931	931	291.00	291.00	

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>	
24	478	478	440.00	440.00	
5	594	594	390.00	390.00	
111	1003-1045	1018	297.00-329.00	314.04	
6	1033	1033	308.00	308.00	Full
121	1051-1087	1070	295.00-326.00	309.81	



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7	1139	1139	301.00	301.00	
12	1140	1140	264.00	264.00	Fleshy

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>
5	454	454	420.00	420.00

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	736	736	347.50	347.50

BEEF/DAIRY 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>
4	618	618	345.00	345.00

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>
17	257	257	695.00	695.00
63	366-388	386	505.00-587.00	578.35
4	410	410	480.00	480.00
18	464	464	442.50	442.50
5	516	516	410.00	410.00
4	609	609	365.00	365.00

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>
38	369	369	480.00	480.00
8	418	418	515.00	515.00

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>
34	1320-1468	1420	234.00-238.00	236.71	Average
24	1423-1523	1486	232.00-233.75	232.63	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>
317	1438-1599	1548	230.00-235.00	233.35	Average
42	1510-1584	1549	231.00-235.00	234.06	Average Certified Prgms
124	1612-1692	1659	232.00-233.00	232.70	Average Heavy Weight

STEERS - Select and Choice 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

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<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
5	1320	1320	248.00	248.00	Average Return to Feed

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>
73	1412-1507	1440	228.00-234.00	231.62	Average
141	1257-1468	1332	232.00-236.50	234.82	Average Certified Prgms

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.