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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 3/5/2026 - Final

**AUCTION**

	This Week	Last Reported 2/26/2026	Last Year
<b>Total Receipts:</b>	1,205	885	1,130
<b>Feeder Cattle:</b>	315(26.1%)	135(15.3%)	330(29.2%)
<b>Slaughter Cattle:</b>	870(72.2%)	750(84.7%)	800(70.8%)
<b>Replacement Cattle:</b>	20(1.7%)	0(0.0%)	0(0.0%)

Compared to last Thursday, stocker and feeder cattle steady in a light test. Feeder cattle futures are down \$1 to \$2.05 so far on the day. The CME Feeder Cattle Index was down another 66 cents to \$368.93 on March 3, 2025. World Champion Guest Auctioneer Tyler Bell was on hand for last Tuesday's nite sale and today's sale also. Slaughter cows 1.00-25.00 higher. Most advance on beef type cows to return to feed. Slaughter bulls weak. Supply included: 26% Feeder Cattle (38% Steers, 44% Heifers, 9% Dairy Heifers, 10% Beef/Dairy Steers); 72% Slaughter Cattle (13% Cows, 3% Bulls, 84% Dairy Cows); 2% Replacement Cattle (100% Bred Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 60%.

**FEEDER CATTLE**

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
11	340-348	344	510.00-575.00	545.83
5	553	553	415.00	415.00

**STEERS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
14	738	738	402.00	402.00

**BEEF/DAIRY STEERS - Large 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
8	1460	1460	176.00	176.00

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
5	434	434	470.00	470.00
6	559	559	385.00	385.00
5	613	613	375.00	375.00

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
5	199	199	1450.00	1450.00

**HEIFERS - Large 1 (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>
5	909	909	286.00	286.00

**HEIFERS - Small and Medium 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>
9	637	637	300.00	300.00

**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>
7	1092	1092	233.00	233.00

**SLAUGHTER CATTLE**

**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>
18	1278-1338	1308	186.00-189.00	187.44	Average
12	1251-1263	1255	190.00-196.00	193.99	High Return to Feed
23	1127-1578	1401	158.00-167.00	162.72	Low
12	1292-1486	1373	165.00-166.00	165.55	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>
16	1200-1300	1253	188.00-193.00	190.44	High Return to Feed
9	961-1189	1062	140.00-143.00	141.49	Very Low

**DAIRY 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>
169	1765-1888	1833	155.00-162.00	161.78	Average
163	1669-1859	1764	145.00-155.00	154.63	Low

**DAIRY 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>
177	1256-1648	1401	154.50-161.00	157.34	Average
21	1200-1670	1373	146.00-150.00	148.05	Low
22	1016-1523	1300	130.50-142.00	136.99	Very Low
36	944-1323	1109	121.00-128.00	124.73	Very Low 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>
12	1590-2245	1879	185.00-199.50	191.85	Average
4	1885-2450	2121	200.00-209.50	203.98	High

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



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7	1563-1725	1630	169.00-183.50	174.48	Low

**REPLACEMENT CATTLE**

**BRED HEIFERS - 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	6	1283	1283	3250.00	3250.00
2-4	T3	5	1180	1180	2750.00	2750.00

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.