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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 4/1/2026 - Final

**AUCTION**

	This Week	Last Reported 3/25/2026	Last Year
<b>Total Receipts:</b>	607	656	728
<b>Slaughter Cattle:</b>	149(24.5%)	141(21.5%)	253(34.8%)
<b>Replacement Cattle:</b>	458(75.5%)	515(78.5%)	475(65.2%)

Compared to last week, slaughter cows and bulls sold 3.00-5.00 higher. Demand was good on a moderate supply of bred heifers and cows and a light supply of slaughter animals and pairs. Today's auction saw some of the highest prices of the year for slaughter animals with the top slaughter bull selling for 235.00/cwt. and the top slaughter cow breaking the two-dollar mark, selling for 202.50/cwt. Demand for stocker and feeder cows is taking cattle destined to slaughter back to the farm for some added gains. Spring grass coming on and rain in the forecast helped the replacement market as well with the top pairs selling for 5400.00/pair and the top bred cows selling for 4200.00/head. There was a large offering of bred heifers with one farm selling a group of 81 head of 1030-1076 lb. heifers in the first/second stage for 3800.00-3900.00/head. Supply included: 25% Slaughter Cattle (74% Cows, 26% Bulls); 75% Replacement Cattle (23% Stock Cows, 43% Bred Cows, 30% Bred Heifers, 1% Cow-Calf Pairs, 2% Bulls).

**SLAUGHTER CATTLE**

**COWS - Breaker 75-80% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
22	1335-2030	1524	168.00-183.00	177.31	Average
17	1295-1680	1480	185.00-201.00	187.94	High
2	1245-1335	1290	155.00-167.00	160.79	Low

**COWS - Boner 80-85% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
17	1030-1350	1207	167.00-182.00	175.97	Average
8	1015-1310	1171	183.00-202.50	191.49	High
5	1230-1505	1304	150.00-167.00	161.56	Low

**COWS - Lean 85-90% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
18	805-1190	1006	147.50-169.00	159.22	Average
7	870-1035	949	170.00-177.50	173.82	High
12	700-1055	867	129.00-146.00	138.38	Low
2	700	700	112.50-120.00	116.25	Very Low

**BULLS - 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
19	1335-2100	1663	196.00-215.00	205.43	Average
13	1490-2095	1763	216.00-235.00	225.10	High



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7 1280-1755 1459 174.00-185.00 181.98 Low

**REPLACEMENT CATTLE**

**STOCK COWS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / 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>
2-8	O	9	1155-1270	1192	183.00-207.50	194.97

**STOCK COWS - Medium and Large 2 (Per Cwt / 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>
2-8	O	5	1160-1270	1220	166.00-177.50	172.95

**STOCK COWS - Medium 1-2 (Per Cwt / 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	O	9	745-875	821	275.00-311.00	300.50
2-8	O	36	805-1145	1013	182.00-260.00	205.62

**STOCK COWS - Medium 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	O	13	850	850	2700.00	2700.00

**STOCK COWS - Medium 2 (Per Cwt / 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>
2-8	O	23	815-1145	964	117.50-180.00	158.81

**BRED COWS - 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>
2-8	T2-3	17	1195-1425	1378	3700.00-4200.00	3780.25

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2-8	T1	6	1211-1332	1302	2650.00-3500.00	2889.04
2-8	T2-3	55	1155-1390	1274	2800.00-3700.00	3111.70

**BRED COWS - Medium and Large 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>
2-8	T1-3	19	1160-1430	1258	2300.00-2700.00	2559.39

**BRED COWS - 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>
2-8	T2-3	5	1478-1565	1517	2900.00-3300.00	3134.96

**BRED COWS - Medium 1-2 (Per Unit / Actual Wt)**



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2-8	T1	3	1140-1145	1142	2800.00-3500.00	3265.99
2-8	T2-3	10	1010-1135	1081	2800.00-3750.00	3289.74

**BRED COWS - Medium 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>
2-8	T1-3	55	880-1174	1052	2050.00-2700.00	2455.66
>8	T1-3	3	865-990	948	1200.00-1600.00	1356.41

**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>
2-4	T1-2	81	1030-1076	1051	3800.00-3900.00	3838.65

**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	T1-3	22	1023-1055	1045	3100.00-3350.00	3214.41

**BRED HEIFERS - Medium 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	T1-3	14	805-900	875	2200.00-3000.00	2825.35
2-4	T1-3	4	975	975	3600.00	3600.00

**COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/ >300 lbs calf (Per Unit / Estimate 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>
2-8	T1-2	3	1250-1345	1282	5000.00-5400.00	5266.67

**COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 2 w/ <150 lbs calf (Per Unit / Estimate 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>
2-8	O	1	1290	1290	3200.00	3200.00

**COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium 1-2 w/ >300 lbs calf (Per Unit / Estimate 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>
2-8	T1	1	1105	1105	4700.00	4700.00

**COW-CALF PAIRS - Small and Medium 2-3 w/ <150 lbs calf (Per Unit / Estimate 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>
2-8	O	1	700	700	2000.00	2000.00

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

<u>Age</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
2-4	8	1392-1865	1502	5100.00-6300.00	5727.69



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2-4	2	1315-1540	1428	3900.00-4000.00	3953.94

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.