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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 3/29/2026 - 4/4/2026

**LIVESTOCK SUMMARY**

	Current Week	Last Reported 3/23/2026	Last Year
<b>Total Receipts:</b>	4,022	5,284	2,910
<b>Feeder Cattle:</b>	3,212(79.9%)	3,987(75.5%)	1,890(64.9%)
<b>Slaughter Cattle:</b>	459(11.4%)	737(13.9%)	538(18.5%)
<b>Replacement Cattle:</b>	351(8.7%)	560(10.6%)	482(16.6%)

Compared to last week steers sold unevenly steady and heifers sold 3.00 to 8.00 lower. Slaughter and feeding cows sold 2.00 to 4.00 higher and bulls steady. Demand was moderate to good. Heavy supply of heifer calves and yearlings on offer this week. With drought conditions continuing some ranchers sold there would be replacement heifers and are hoping they will have enough feed to keep there pairs another year. It appears that most ranchers are not expanding their cow herd this coming up breeding season. Since the eastern half of the state is in a D3 (extreme drought) and the western side is in a lesser drought conditions but still very dry. Snow pack released last Monday; state's SNOTELs are reading 53% of median with a basin high of 97% and a basin low of 0%. Last year the state was at 98%, and at 97% in 2024. This snowpack is directly related to the irrigation needs of all within the state. Supply included: 80% Feeder Cattle (27% Steers, 73% Heifers); 11% Slaughter Cattle (93% Cows, 7% Bulls); 9% Replacement Cattle (49% Stock Cows, 45% Bred Cows, 2% Bred Heifers, 2% Cow-Calf Pairs, 2% Heifer Pairs). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 57%.

**FEEDER CATTLE**

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
60	416-436	421	554.00-610.00	567.54
87	520-548	537	529.00-552.00	534.73
76	554-577	568	475.00-501.00	490.65
55	611-615	613	471.00-474.00	472.25
163	656-675	666	400.00-441.00	429.91
15	708-711	709	376.00-417.00	403.29
77	769-779	775	363.50-387.50	372.47
59	804-805	805	381.00-389.50	386.91
61	857-894	866	355.00-362.00	360.22
35	914-925	923	322.00-360.00	352.47

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
18	433	433	498.00	498.00	
263	472-486	475	487.00-511.50	503.54	
196	500-537	524	453.00-495.00	464.19	
49	506	506	499.50	499.50	Thin Fleshed
330	554-592	567	425.00-442.50	432.18	
299	601-644	623	400.00-413.00	404.95	



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129	657-678	671	376.00-390.00	381.20
245	723-745	733	363.00-372.00	368.91
206	755-797	777	355.00-363.00	357.10
71	800-805	803	351.00-353.50	352.73
42	883-892	884	310.50-367.00	358.86
15	921	921	316.00	316.00
16	955	955	310.00	310.00

**SLAUGHTER CATTLE**

**COWS - Premium White 65-75% (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>
1	1050	1050	160.00	160.00	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>
23	1625-2060	1743	164.50-185.00	182.86	Average
4	1400-1635	1493	166.50-172.50	168.91	High

**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>
70	1220-1841	1626	142.50-177.00	175.76	Average
115	1220-1455	1341	181.00-190.00	184.37	Average Return to Feed
8	1230-1370	1286	157.50-169.00	163.47	High

**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>
1	1105	1105	161.50	161.50	Average
82	1114-1280	1189	176.00-180.00	178.10	Average Return to Feed
4	1035-1160	1100	164.50-169.50	166.32	High

**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>
20	1500-2310	1840	180.00-220.00	205.47	Average
1	1485	1485	195.50	195.50	Average Return to Feed
3	2110-2215	2145	215.00-215.50	215.17	High

**REPLACEMENT CATTLE**

**STOCK COWS - Medium and Large 1 (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	13	825-1220	1071	248.00-261.00	250.98
2-4	O	72	201-1228	883	213.00-385.00	330.43
2-8	O	17	1225-1430	1363	184.00-193.00	189.13



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5-8	O	9	1060-1460	1321	165.00-179.50	171.94
>5	O	11	1310-1600	1448	161.00-179.00	169.68

**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>
2-4	T1	1	1335	1335	3575.00	3575.00
2-4	T2-3	11	1235-1467	1430	2900.00-3250.00	2972.66
>8	T3	98	1240-1640	1333	3100.00-3360.00	3245.28

**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	T1-2	3	1040	1040	3325.00	3325.00
<2	T2-3	3	1045-1335	1165	3250.00-3650.00	3401.50

**COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/ <150 lbs calf (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	1	1090	1090	2800.00	2800.00

**COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/ 150-300 lbs calf (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	3	1375-1585	1470	3650.00-4200.00	3871.06
2-8	O	1	1380	1380	3625.00	3625.00

**HEIFER PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/ <150 lbs calf (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	O	2	990-1140	1065	2550.00-3050.00	2782.39

**HEIFER PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/ 150-300 lbs calf (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	O	2	1030-1075	1053	3725.00-3750.00	3737.23

**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.