Email us with accessibility issues with this report.

Livestock Weighted Average Report for 12/13/2022 - Final

## AUCTION

| | This Week | Last Reported 12/6/2022 | Last Year |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Total Receipts:** | 1,943 | 2,325 | 4,571 |
| **Feeder Cattle:** | 1,359(69.9%) | 1,913(82.3%) | 3,201(70.0%) |
| **Slaughter Cattle:** | 464(23.9%) | 266(11.4%) | 895(19.6%) |
| **Replacement Cattle:** | 120(6.2%) | 146(6.3%) | 475(10.4%) |

Special Note: ***Calves weaned longer than 45 days are left untagged***
***This is the last sale of 2022***

Compared to last week: Feeder steer and heifer calves were too lightly tested this week or last to develop a full market trend, however weak undertones were noticed on weaned calves and lower to sharply lower undertones were noticed on unweaned calves. A huge winter storm is dumping heavy amounts of snow over Eastern Montana, the Northern plains, and the corn belt over the next 48 hours. This put a huge damper on demand as most buyers were unwilling to bid on cattle no matter the cost. The best demand was for long weaned calves. Buyers showed mostly very light demand for unweaned calves ahead of the storm. Quality this week was mixed from plain to attractive. Market activity was mostly slow with a light buyer pool on hand for todays sale. Weigh up cows sold on mostly light to moderate demand and offerings. Slaughter cows sold generally steady to 2.00 higher on boning and lean cows. Breaking cows were too lightly tested to develop any market trend. Feeding cows sold generally steady in a very narrow comparison. Slaughter bulls sold generally steady in a narrow comparison. Weigh up conditions were mostly average to below average this sale as most offerings were tanked up due to the snow storm. Cow and bull quality was mostly plain to average this week. Most offerings were purchased to send directly to slaughter this sale. Young age sold on mostly moderate demand this week. Quality was mostly average this week. Young age cows sold steady to weak on a poorer quality offering. Supply included: 70% Feeder Cattle (47% Steers, 53% Heifers, 1% Bulls); 24% Slaughter Cattle (87% Cows, 13% Bulls); 6% Replacement Cattle (94% Stock Cows, 6% Bred Cows). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 26%.

## FEEDER CATTLE

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 52 | 445-449 | 446 | 219.50-220.50 | 220.16 | |
| 27 | 453 | 453 | 220.00 | 220.00 | |
| 30 | 451-485 | 469 | 196.00-207.50 | 200.72 | Unweaned |
| 47 | 536-545 | 540 | 188.50-190.00 | 189.58 | |
| 31 | 517-548 | 536 | 184.00-193.00 | 187.20 | Unweaned |
| 39 | 559-595 | 569 | 184.00-200.00 | 194.40 | |
| 23 | 553-593 | 560 | 183.00-198.00 | 195.56 | Unweaned |
| 92 | 614-630 | 616 | 184.00-193.00 | 191.94 | |
| 48 | 632-634 | 632 | 183.00-183.50 | 183.46 | Unweaned |
| 25 | 658-677 | 666 | 165.00-177.50 | 171.50 | Unweaned |

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 | 394 | 394 | 217.50 | 217.50 | |
| 13 | 405-423 | 416 | 215.00-216.00 | 215.37 | |
| 24 | 408-433 | 416 | 190.00-211.00 | 206.73 | Unweaned |
| 16 | 464-485 | 475 | 192.50-205.00 | 200.68 | |
| 6 | 524 | 524 | 178.50 | 178.50 | |
| 24 | 565-568 | 568 | 171.00-180.00 | 178.88 | Unweaned |
| 6 | 827 | 827 | 163.00 | 163.00 | |

## STEERS - Medium 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 | 346 | 346 | 215.00 | 215.00 | |
| 4 | 349 | 349 | 207.50 | 207.50 | Unweaned |
| 5 | 357 | 357 | 220.00 | 220.00 | |
| 14 | 409-411 | 410 | 205.00-215.00 | 211.44 | |

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 48 | 405-438 | 429 | 184.50-190.00 | 188.50 | |
| 12 | 413-421 | 419 | 180.00-181.00 | 180.25 | Unweaned |
| 35 | 452-465 | 455 | 181.00-189.50 | 187.27 | |
| 63 | 451-488 | 477 | 175.00-188.50 | 183.11 | Unweaned |
| 12 | 522-523 | 522 | 172.00-180.00 | 173.34 | |
| 91 | 530-548 | 541 | 173.00-180.50 | 176.60 | Unweaned |
| 18 | 562-566 | 563 | 174.00-178.00 | 175.12 | |
| 61 | 591-598 | 595 | 163.50-168.00 | 166.17 | Unweaned |
| 52 | 605-626 | 611 | 159.00-168.00 | 166.27 | Unweaned |
| 9 | 744 | 744 | 135.00 | 135.00 | Unweaned |
| 21 | 868-895 | 882 | 154.50 | 154.50 | |
| 7 | 918 | 918 | 151.00 | 151.00 | |
| 23 | 962 | 962 | 152.50 | 152.50 | |

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 8 | 342 | 342 | 170.00 | 170.00 | Unweaned |
| 21 | 396 | 396 | 184.00 | 184.00 | |
| 12 | 356-376 | 363 | 160.00-174.00 | 169.16 | Unweaned |
| 8 | 404-413 | 406 | 176.00-177.00 | 176.75 | |
| 7 | 404 | 404 | 176.00 | 176.00 | Unweaned |
| 17 | 494 | 494 | 180.00 | 180.00 | |
| 18 | 470-473 | 470 | 161.00-170.00 | 168.99 | Unweaned |
| 4 | 593 | 593 | 137.50 | 137.50 | Unweaned |
| 17 | 803-835 | 823 | 150.00-154.50 | 152.89 | |

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 | 918 | 918 | 149.00 | 149.00 | |

### HEIFERS - Medium 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 20 | 358 | 358 | 188.50 | 188.50 | |
| 11 | 394 | 394 | 172.00 | 172.00 | Unweaned |
| 5 | 400-432 | 419 | 171.00 | 171.00 | Unweaned |

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 | 458 | 458 | 192.00 | 192.00 | |
| 3 | 522 | 522 | 166.00 | 166.00 | Unweaned |

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3 | 382 | 382 | 192.50 | 192.50 | Unweaned |

## SLAUGHTER CATTLE

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price | Dressing | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 37 | 1250-1525 | 1341 | 64.50-74.00 | 68.17 | Average | Return to Feed |
| 13 | 1335-1470 | 1359 | 50.50-61.50 | 57.28 | Low | |
| 12 | 1255-1495 | 1378 | 59.50-63.50 | 60.96 | Low | Return to Feed |
| 10 | 1078 | 1078 | 44.00 | 44.00 | Very Low | |

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price | Dressing | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 30 | 1050-1298 | 1198 | 56.50-60.00 | 57.96 | Average | |
| 23 | 855-1365 | 1238 | 57.00-65.00 | 62.42 | Average | Return to Feed |
| 88 | 1000-1305 | 1124 | 46.50-57.00 | 53.11 | Low | |
| 5 | 945-990 | 968 | 39.00-52.00 | 46.89 | Low | Light Weight |
| 43 | 1090-1350 | 1159 | 49.00-55.50 | 53.68 | Low | Return to Feed |
| 6 | 1015-1395 | 1152 | 30.00-46.00 | 41.56 | Very Low | |

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price | Dressing | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 | 2045-2050 | 2048 | 89.00-90.00 | 89.50 | Average | |
| 14 | 1105-1833 | 1621 | 88.00-93.50 | 90.14 | Average | Return to Feed |
| 4 | 1595-2190 | 1798 | 75.00-86.50 | 80.30 | Low | |
| 17 | 1476-2025 | 1681 | 80.50-89.00 | 86.62 | Low | Return to Feed |

## REPLACEMENT CATTLE

Email us with accessibility issues with this report.

## STOCK COWS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| Age | Stage | Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| <2 | O | 93 | 861-1158 | 951 | 75.50-107.50 | 99.53 |
| 2-4 | O | 8 | 1045-1330 | 1109 | 61.00-75.00 | 67.97 |

## BRED COWS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| Age | Stage | Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| >8 | T2 | 6 | 1282 | 1282 | 59.50 | 59.50 | Broken Mouth |

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.