

Miles City Livestock Commission Auction - Miles City, MT AMS Livestock, Poultry, & Grain Market News Montana Dept of Ag Mrkt News

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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 3/14/2023 - Final

AUCTION			
	This Week	Last Reported 3/7/2023	Last Year
Total Receipts:	1,053	1,105	1,945
Feeder Cattle:	973(92.4%)	154(13.9%)	1,492(76.7%)
Slaughter Cattle:	43(4.1%)	100(9.0%)	234(12.0%)
Replacement Cattle:	37(3.5%)	851(77.0%)	219(11.3%)

Compared to last week: Feeder steers and heifers were too lightly tested last week to develop an accurate market trend, however higher undertones were noticed on steers and generally steady undertones were noticed on heifers. Quality this sale was mixed from plain to very attractive. Demand was mostly good to very good today for light to moderate offerings. Demand for all cattle suitable to run on grass was good to very good. Market activity was mostly active this week as buyers bid rapidly on all offerings. Weigh up cows sold on good to very good demand for very light offerings. Slaughter cows were all too lightly tested to develop a full market trend, however higher undertones were noticed. Major packers and local packers were both very aggressive as they bid on limited offerings. No cows were purchased to feed this week as supplies were light. Cow quality was average to attractive this sale. Bull quality was mixed, however most bulls were plain to average. Weigh up conditions were mostly average this sale. Slaughter bulls sold 5.00-8.00 higher in a narrow comparison. Young age cows suitable to feed or rebreed sold mostly 5.00 higher in a narrow comparison. Packer buyers searching for slaughter offerings continue to push the bottom end of young offerings higher as they search for cows for immediate harvest. Supply included: 92% Feeder Cattle (67% Steers, 33% Heifers, 1% Bulls); 4% Slaughter Cattle (56% Cows, 44% Bulls); 4% Replacement Cattle (100% Stock Cows). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 46%.

FEEDER CATTLE

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

	Avg Price	Price Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Wt Range	<u>Head</u>
	270.00	270.00	445	445	3
	268.99	268.50-279.00	481	462-482	102
	269.30	267.00-270.00	506	500-514	34
	253.00	253.00	552	552	24
Fancy	273.27	273.00-277.00	574	566-575	74
	234.39	229.00-237.00	610	603-626	22
	206.50	206.50	667	667	5
Fancy	244.50	244.50	663	658-669	247
	206.15	202.50-208.50	741	734-745	43

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

Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
370	370	258.00	258.00
440	440	252.50	252.50
525	525	253.00	253.00
693	693	199.00	199.00
	370 440 525	370 370 440 440 525 525	370 370 258.00 440 440 252.50 525 525 253.00

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STEERS	- Large 1 (Per Cw	t / Actual Wt)						
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price				
4	766	766	175.00	175.00				
HEIFERS	S - Medium and La	arge 1 (Per Cv	vt / Actual Wt)					
<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price				
34	511-532	522	217.00-220.00	218.47				
88	563-594	588	213.00-216.00	213.52				
23	618-627	625	200.00-203.50	202.75				
46	667-681	670	183.00-189.50	189.08				
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	S - Medium and La		-	Ava Dries				
<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price				
3	318	318	217.50	217.50				
11	389	389	220.00	220.00				
11	408-431	423	212.00-222.00	219.14				
14	451-457	453	217.00-218.00	217.64				
26	500-528	515	209.50-217.00	213.92				
HEIFERS	S - Medium and La	arge 2 (Per Cv	vt / Actual Wt)					
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price				
5	467	467	205.00	205.00				
14	549	549	182.00	182.00				
	S - Medium 1 (Per	Cwt / Actual	Wt)					
<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price				
4	548	548	211.00	211.00				
3	897	897	136.00	136.00	Fleshy			
RIIIIS -	Medium and Larg	ae 1 (Der Cwt	/ Actual \M/t\					
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price				
3	802	802	148.00	148.00	Fleshy			
2	920	920	152.00	152.00	Ticsity			
SLAUGH	ITER CATTLE							
COWS -	Breaker 75-80%	(Per Cwt / Ac	tual Wt)					
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing			

95.50

99.50

Average

High

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

1545

1430

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Head Wt Range Avg Wt Price Range **Avg Price Dressing**

1545

1430

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1	1430	1430	100.50	100.50	High
6	1385-1423	1413	76.00-87.50	85.27	Low

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

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price	<u>Dressing</u>
5	1095-1240	1184	87.50-94.50	91.10	Average
3	1160-1230	1198	94.50-96.00	95.35	High
7	960-1235	1103	82.00-85.00	84.13	Low

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

Dressing	Avg Price	Price Range	Avg Wt	Wt Range	<u>Head</u>
Average	114.72	110.50-121.00	1699	1550-1925	8
High	126.11	124.50-128.00	1868	1720-2015	2
Low	99.51	91.00-107.50	1641	1380-1870	9

REPLACEMENT CATTLE

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

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price
<2	0	16	820-1056	1004	119.50-141.00	129.88
2-4	0	16	910-1345	1222	93.00-110.00	97.17

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

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
<2	Ο	1	1240	1240	95.00	95.00

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

Age	<u>Stage</u>	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
<2	0	3	640-695	677	150.00-155.00	151.58

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.

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