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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 3/16/2021 - Final

AUCTION

	This Week	Last Reported 3/9/2021	Last Year
Total Receipts:	2,951	2,837	1,020
Feeder Cattle:	2,671(90.5%)	1,782(62.8%)	911(89.3%)
Slaughter Cattle:	165(5.6%)	328(11.6%)	30(2.9%)
Replacement Cattle:	115(3.9%)	727(25.6%)	79(7.7%)

Compared to last week: Steers all sold steady to 3.00 higher, with the exception on 500-549 lbs which sold mostly 5.00-8.00 lower in a narrow comparison. Heifers under 450 lbs were too lightly tested either this week or last to develop an accurate market trend, however sharply higher undertones were noticed. 450-599 lbs heifers sold steady to 2.00 lower, heifers 600-699 lbs sold steady to 2.00 higher, heifers over 700 lbs were too lightly tested last week to develop an accurate market trend, higher undertones were noticed on a much more attractive offering . Demand was mostly moderate this week with moderate to good demand seen at times. Quality was average to very attractive. Todays sale was the annual trailhead replacement heifer show and sale. A good crowd was on hand for todays sale. Several very attractive sets of heifers sold as replacements this week. Order buyers searching for fancy heifers suitable to run on grass competed with replacement buyers over offerings. Market activity was mostly active this week. Weigh up cows sold on light to moderate demand for light offerings. Feeding demand was moderate this week despite fewer feeding buyers were present. Feeing and slaughter cows both sold sold generally steady in a narrow comparison. Cow and bull quality was mostly average this week. Slaughter bulls sold mostly 1.00-2.00 lower. 2 year old to young age cows sold mostly 2.00-5.00 lower. Moderate demand was seen this week for these offerings. Heavier supplies are starting to be seen around the area as ranchers are selling off any cows that lose calves due to high feed cost. Supply included: 91% Feeder Cattle (16% Steers, 84% Heifers, 1% Bulls); 6% Slaughter Cattle (61% Cows, 39% Bulls); 4% Replacement Cattle (84% Stock Cows, 16% Bred Cows). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 41%.

FEEDER CATTLE

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
10	355-377	367	200.00-222.50	202.42	
26	412-435	424	192.50-212.50	198.52	
47	460-490	473	183.00-188.50	186.67	
51	505-537	528	172.00-177.00	173.86	
77	550-584	577	165.00-174.00	167.24	
50	601-645	607	157.00-164.50	163.56	
37	670-688	682	151.00-156.00	153.43	
11	652	652	160.25	160.25	Fancy
11	700-744	719	140.00-150.50	145.43	
10	791	791	133.00	133.00	

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
1	155	155	400.00	400.00

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
15	516-518	517	161.00-171.00	165.01
4	616	616	154.00	154.00
2	720	720	136.00	136.00

STEERS - Medium 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
8	520-547	537	165.00-173.00	167.91

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
5	310-329	325	185.00-194.00	192.28	
8	387-395	389	183.00-188.00	184.27	
34	400-443	424	172.00-185.00	178.13	
180	450-487	463	160.00-173.00	166.54	
8	492	492	176.00	176.00	Thin Fleshed
294	502-544	524	155.00-166.25	159.31	
16	546	546	151.00	151.00	Fleshy
80	503-514	513	169.00-172.00	171.78	Thin Fleshed
401	550-592	570	145.00-158.00	152.25	
190	601-647	625	137.00-145.50	142.32	
29	638	638	151.00	151.00	Replacement
174	655-689	670	137.00-142.50	139.82	
110	656-667	657	145.00	145.00	Replacement
134	708-725	716	136.00-139.50	138.14	
126	703-704	704	138.50-142.50	139.93	Replacement
24	759-781	763	129.00-130.50	130.24	
17	786	786	131.00-133.00	131.82	Replacement
4	820	820	118.00	118.00	
2	888	888	118.00	118.00	

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
34	411-448	429	159.00-167.00	164.41
32	463-498	485	154.00-155.50	154.81
14	510-536	527	145.50-153.00	151.17
10	584-585	584	141.00-148.00	145.20
2	730-740	735	130.00	130.00

HEIFERS - Medium 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price

5	441	441	130.00	130.00

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
4	580	580	145.00	145.00
5	698	698	134.50	134.50
2	720	720	120.00	120.00

BULLS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
3	1020	1020	101.00	101.00

SLAUGHTER CATTLE

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
2	1600-1610	1605	60.50-63.00	61.75	Average
2	1715-1840	1778	56.00-58.00	57.04	Low

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
4	1455-1605	1533	58.00-63.50	61.02	Average
9	1305-1530	1439	58.50-64.75	61.91	Average Return to Feed
10	1365-1705	1401	54.00-58.00	57.22	Low
3	1295-1345	1317	55.00-58.00	56.81	Low Return to Feed

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
4	1093-1220	1149	58.00-60.50	59.14	Average
1	1355	1355	60.00	60.00	Average Return to Feed
38	1071-1315	1187	49.00-56.50	51.91	Low
6	1103-1170	1118	41.00-48.50	45.24	Very Low
1	870	870	42.00	42.00	Very Low Light Weight

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
20	1305-2130	1799	80.50-86.50	82.87	Average
1	1210	1210	86.50	86.50	Average Return to Feed
4	1955-2195	2126	89.00-95.50	91.43	High
25	1435-1810	1667	74.00-79.50	77.30	Low
1	1120	1120	82.50	82.50	Low Return to Feed

REPLACEMENT CATTLE

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

Age	Stage	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
<2	O	17	800-983	900	85.00-105.00	98.36	
<2	O	7	875-957	934	82.00-85.00	82.80	Thin Fleshed
2-4	O	28	908-1218	1059	58.00-87.00	72.94	
2-4	O	4	994	994	57.00	57.00	Thin Fleshed

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

Age	Stage	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
<2	O	1	915	915	87.00	87.00

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

Age	Stage	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
>8	T3	5	1291	1291	725.00	725.00	Thin Fleshed

BRED COWS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Head / Actual Wt)

Age	Stage	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
>8	T3	6	1245	1245	660.00	660.00	Thin Fleshed

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; E = Exposed; B = Bred)

Age - Numerical representation of age in years.