

Livestock Weighted Average Report for 5/2/2023 - Final

| AUCTION             |            |                           |            |
|---------------------|------------|---------------------------|------------|
|                     | This Week  | Last Reported             | Last Year  |
| Total Receipts:     | 588        | <b>4/25/2023</b><br>1,916 | 1,206      |
|                     |            | ,                         | ,          |
| Feeder Cattle:      | 222(37.8%) | 1,701(88.8%)              | 650(53.9%) |
| Slaughter Cattle:   | 177(30.1%) | 75(3.9%)                  | 301(25.0%) |
| Replacement Cattle: | 189(32.1%) | 140(7.3%)                 | 255(21.1%) |

Compared to last week: Feeder cattle were all too lightly tested this week and last week to develop any market trend. Quality this sale was mostly plain to average, with a limited offering of attractive cattle. Demand was mostly moderate to good for light offerings. Cattle were offered in mostly small packages or as singles forcing buyers to piece together loads. CME feeder cattle contract prices were lower today as most nearby contracts traded 3.75-3.925 lower. Market activity was mostly moderate to active this week. Weigh up cows sold on moderate to good demand for light to moderate offerings. Slaughter cows were lightly tested last week so all comparisons are narrow. Breaking cows were too lightly tested to develop any market trend, boning and lean cows sold mostly 2.00 lower. Heavier cow supplies are being seen across much of the upper plains as some regions of the county have started to brand calves and cull cows. This has allowed for supplies to ease slightly and prices to slip lower. Feeding cows sold on mostly good demand as packers prepare for lighter supplies during the summer months. Feeding cows sold with lower undertones in a narrow comparison. Slaughter bulls sold on moderate to good demand this sale. Slaughter bulls were too lightly tested to develop an accurate market trend, steady to lower undertones were noticed. Cow and bull quality was mostly average this week. Weigh up conditions were mixed this week. Young age cows comprised a large portion of the sale again this week as ranchers continue to sell off cows which lost calves. Young age cows sold mostly steady to firm. Supply included: 38% Feeder Cattle (54% Steers, 35% Heifers, 10% Bulls); 30% Slaughter Cattle (64% Cows, 36% Bulls); 32% Replacement Cattle (91% Stock Cows, 9% Bred Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 48%.

## FEEDER CATTLE

| STEERS -    | Medium and La   | rge 1 (Per Cwt | : / Actual Wt) |           |        |
|-------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------|--------|
| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u>  | Price Range    | Avg Price |        |
| 2           | 508             | 508            | 276.00         | 276.00    |        |
| 7           | 543             | 543            | 251.00         | 251.00    | Fleshy |
| 16          | 573             | 573            | 275.00         | 275.00    |        |
| 9           | 583             | 583            | 246.00         | 246.00    | Fleshy |
| 54          | 665-696         | 674            | 237.00-254.00  | 247.35    |        |
| 4           | 759             | 759            | 211.00         | 211.00    |        |
|             |                 |                |                |           |        |

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

| 279.00 |
|--------|
| 249.00 |
| 242.00 |
|        |

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

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| <u>Head</u>  | <u>Wt Range</u>   | <u>Avg Wt</u>   | Price Range  | Avg Price  |                                    |  |
|--|---|---|--|--|------------------------------------|--|
| 3  | 355   | 355   | 287.50   | 287.50   |                                    |  |
| HEIFERS -  | Medium and La   | arge 1 (Per Cu  | wt / Actual \\/t)  |  |                                    |  |
| Head   | Wt Range  | <u>Avg Wt</u>   | Price Range  | Avg Price  |                                    |  |
| 25   | 547   | 547   | 258.50   | 258.50   |                                    |  |
| 9  | 643-646   | 645   | 224.00-226.00  | 225.56   |                                    |  |
| 15   | 773   | 773   | 197.50   | 197.50   |                                    |  |
|  | Madium and La   | urgo 1 (Don Lin   | ait / Eatimata \4/t)   |  |                                    |  |
| Head   | Wt Range  |   | nit / Estimate Wt)<br><u>Price Range</u>   | Avg Drico  |                                    |  |
| <u>1</u>   | 85  | <u>Avg Wt</u><br>85   | 200.00   | <u>Avg Price</u><br>200.00   |                                    |  |
| Ţ  | 65  | 65  | 200.00   | 200.00   |                                    |  |
|  |   |   | Cwt / Actual Wt)   |  |                                    |  |
| <u>Head</u>  | <u>Wt Range</u>   | <u>Avg Wt</u>   | Price Range  | Avg Price  |                                    |  |
| 8  | 558-593   | 573   | 200.00-226.00  | 219.03   |                                    |  |
| HEIFERS -  | Medium 1 (Per   | Cwt / Actual  | Wt)  |  |                                    |  |
|  |   | -   | -  | Avg Price  |                                    |  |
| <u>Head</u>  | <u>Wt Range</u>   | <u>Avg Wt</u>   | FILE Nalige  | <u>/ WS I HCC</u>  |                                    |  |
|  | <u>Wt Range</u><br>405  | <u>Avg Wt</u><br>405  | Price Range<br>230.00  | 230.00   |                                    |  |
| Head<br>6  | 405   | 405   | 230.00   |  |                                    |  |
| Head<br>6<br>HEIFERS -   | 405<br>Medium 1-2 (P  | 405<br>er Cwt / Actu  | 230.00<br>al Wt)   | 230.00   |                                    |  |
| Head<br>6<br>HEIFERS -<br><u>Head</u>  | 405<br>Medium 1-2 (P<br><u>Wt Range</u>   | 405<br>er Cwt / Actu<br><u>Avg Wt</u>   | 230.00<br>al Wt)<br><u>Price Range</u>   | 230.00<br>Avg Price  |                                    |  |
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| Head<br>6<br>HEIFERS -<br><u>Head</u><br>4   | 405<br>Medium 1-2 (P<br><u>Wt Range</u>   | 405<br>er Cwt / Actu<br><u>Avg Wt</u><br>341  | 230.00<br>al Wt)<br><u>Price Range</u><br>225.00   | 230.00<br>Avg Price  |                                    |  |
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| Head<br>6<br>HEIFERS -<br><u>Head</u><br>4<br>BULLS - M  | 405<br>Medium 1-2 (Po<br><u>Wt Range</u><br>341<br>Iedium and Larg  | 405<br>er Cwt / Actu<br><u>Avg Wt</u><br>341<br>ge 1 (Per Cwt   | 230.00<br>al Wt)<br><u>Price Range</u><br>225.00<br>/ Actual Wt)   | 230.00<br><u>Avg Price</u><br>225.00   |                                    |  |
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| Head<br>6<br>HEIFERS -<br><u>Head</u><br>4<br>BULLS - N<br><u>Head</u><br>9                        | 405<br>Medium 1-2 (P<br><u>Wt Range</u><br>341<br>Iedium and Larg<br><u>Wt Range</u><br>570-583   | 405<br>er Cwt / Actu<br><u>Avg Wt</u><br>341<br>ge 1 (Per Cwt<br><u>Avg Wt</u><br>573   | 230.00<br>al Wt)<br><u>Price Range</u><br>225.00<br>/ Actual Wt)<br><u>Price Range</u><br>237.50-252.00  | 230.00<br><u>Avg Price</u><br>225.00<br><u>Avg Price</u><br>245.52   |                                    |  |
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## COWS - Boner 80-85% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

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| Head        | Wt Range                | <u>Avg Wt</u>     | Price Range         | Avg Price    | Dressing   |                |
|-------------|-------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------------|------------|----------------|
| 2           | 1300-1320               | 1310              | 86.50-91.50         | 88.98        | Average    |                |
| 16          | 1255-1595               | 1397              | 90.50-97.50         | 94.15        |            | Return to Feed |
| 7           | 1443                    | 1443              | 99.75               | 99.75        | High       | Return to Feed |
| 3           | 1355-1375               | 1365              | 81.00-85.00         | 83.66        | Low        |                |
| 7           | 1330-1385               | 1359              | 86.00-86.50         | 86.14        | Low        | Return to Feed |
| COWS - L    | .ean 85-90% (P          | Per Cwt / Actual  | Wt)                 |              |            |                |
| <u>Head</u> | Wt Range                | <u>Avg Wt</u>     | Price Range         | Avg Price    | Dressing   |                |
| 20          | 1080-1280               | 1192              | 84.50-91.50         | 87.82        | Average    |                |
| 10          | 1215-1285               | 1236              | 93.50-94.50         | 93.95        | Average    | Return to Feed |
| 2           | 1160-1195               | 1178              | 93.50-94.50         | 93.99        | High       |                |
| 14          | 965-1250                | 1111              | 72.00-84.50         | 79.86        | Low        |                |
| 1           | 765                     | 765               | 60.00               | 60.00        | Very Low   | Light Weight   |
| BULLS - 1   | 1-2 (Per Cwt / A        | Actual Wt)        |                     |              |            |                |
| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u>         | <u>Avg Wt</u>     | Price Range         | Avg Price    | Dressing   |                |
| 17          | 1490-2163               | 1858              | 112.00-121.00       | 117.09       | Average    |                |
| 7           | 1870-2175               | 1987              | 123.00-128.50       | 125.72       | High       |                |
| 15          | 1495-1890               | 1684              | 85.00-111.00        | 101.98       | Low        |                |
| 2           | 1200-1265               | 1233              | 87.00-107.00        | 97.26        | Low        | Light Weight   |
| 3           | 1255-1470               | 1378              | 107.00-109.00       | 107.83       | Low        | Return to Feed |
| BULLS - 2   | 2-3 (Per Cwt / A        | Actual Wt)        |                     |              |            |                |
| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u>         | <u>Avg Wt</u>     | Price Range         | Avg Price    | Dressing   |                |
| 2           | 2378                    | 2378              | 123.50              | 123.50       | High       |                |
| 1           | 1570                    | 1570              | 102.00              | 102.00       | Low        |                |
| REPLACE     | MENT CATTLE             |                   |                     |              |            |                |
| STOCK CO    | DWS - Medium            | and Large 1 (Pe   | er Cwt / Actual Wt  | :)           |            |                |
| <u>Age</u>  |                         | d <u>Wt Ran</u> g |                     | Price Range  | <u>Avg</u> | <u>Price</u>   |
| <2          | O 97                    |                   |                     | 133.00-188.0 |            | 3.69           |
| 2-4         | O 28                    | 870-125           | 50 1045             | 102.50-152.0 | 0 124      | 4.03           |
| 2-8         | O 4                     | 1105-12           | 00 1164             | 91.50-100.00 | 94         | .93            |
| STOCK CO    | DWS - Medium            | and Large 1-2     | (Per Cwt / Actual V | Vt)          |            |                |
| Age         | <u>Stage</u> <u>Hea</u> |                   |                     | Price Range  | Avg        | Price          |

| <u>Age</u> | <u>Stage</u> | Head        | <u>vvt kange</u>   | <u>Avg vvt</u> | Price Range   | Avg Price |
|------------|--------------|-------------|--------------------|----------------|---------------|-----------|
| 2-4        | 0            | 2           | 1005-1130          | 1068           | 103.00-108.00 | 105.65    |
|            |              |             |                    |                |               |           |
|            |              |             |                    |                |               |           |
| STOCK CO   | WS - Lar     | ge 1 (Per   | · Cwt / Actual Wt) |                |               |           |
| <u>Age</u> | <u>Stage</u> | <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u>    | <u>Avg Wt</u>  | Price Range   | Avg Price |
| <2         | 0            | 20          | 915-967            | 962            | 148.00-151.00 | 150.71    |
|            |              |             |                    |                |               |           |

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| STOCK CO<br><u>Age</u> | WS - Me<br><u>Stage</u> | dium 1 (<br><u>Head</u> | Per Cwt / Actual W<br>Wt Range | /t)<br><u>Avg Wt</u> | Price Range   | Avg Price |
|------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|-----------|
| <2                     | 0                       | 2                       | 720-745                        | 733                  | 160.00-165.00 | 162.54    |
| BRED HEIF              | ERS - Me                | edium ar                | nd Large 1 (Per Uni            | it / Actual W        | t)            |           |
| <u>Age</u>             | <u>Stage</u>            | <u>Head</u>             | <u>Wt Range</u>                | <u>Avg Wt</u>        | Price Range   | Avg Price |
| <2                     | Т3                      | 6                       | 1100                           | 1100                 | 2100.00       | 2100.00   |
| BRED HEIF              | ERS - Me                | edium 1                 | (Per Unit / Actual V           | Wt)                  |               |           |
| <u>Age</u>             | <u>Stage</u>            | <u>Head</u>             | <u>Wt Range</u>                | <u>Avg Wt</u>        | Price Range   | Avg Price |
| <2                     | Т3                      | 9                       | 991                            | 991                  | 1935.00       | 1935.00   |

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.