# Nebraska Weekly Livestock Auction Summary

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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 4/2/2023 - 4/8/2023

## LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

| | Current Week | Last Reported 3/27/2023 | Last Year |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Total Receipts:** | 11,301 | 15,662 | 26,508 |
| **Feeder Cattle:** | 10,600(93.8%) | 13,503(86.2%) | 25,789(97.3%) |
| **Slaughter Cattle:** | 556(4.9%) | 1,407(9.0%) | 666(2.5%) |
| **Replacement Cattle:** | 145(1.3%) | 752(4.8%) | 53(0.2%) |

Compared to last week steers under 600 lbs sold 10.00 higher, 600 to 800 lbs sold 4.00 to 5.00 higher over 800 lbs sold 7.00 to 9.00 higher. Heifers under 500 lbs sold 8.00 higher, 500 to 700 lbs sold steady and over 700 lbs sold 5.00 to 7.00 higher. Bred cows sold steady and cow/calf pairs sold 300.00 per pair higher. Demand was good to very good for calves and feeder cattle with good demand for pairs. Some of the pairs were headed out of state. Possession is the name of the game right now for cattle going to grass or to the feedlot. Record breaking feedlot trade this week with live sales from 172.00 to 178.00 and dressed sales from 275.00 to 280.00. Some packers know choice grading cattle are in short supply right now and in the future, so they been buying some negotiated cash cattle for more than 14 days of delivery. Bulk of the state remains in Severe and Extreme drought per the US monitor. Also, the last few days the bulk of the state has been in a red flag and fire watch as gusty winds and the dry conditions prevail. Some areas of the state had over 60" of snow this winter and those areas are still dry! Supply included: 94% Feeder Cattle (45% Steers, 54% Heifers, 1% Bulls); 5% Slaughter Cattle (100% Cows); 1% Replacement Cattle (13% Bred Cows, 68% Cow-Calf Pairs, 20% Heifer Pairs). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 73%.

## FEEDER CATTLE

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 12 | 332 | 332 | 290.00 | 290.00 | |
| 18 | 352-397 | 383 | 257.00-301.00 | 273.63 | |
| 56 | 404-444 | 426 | 277.00-313.00 | 293.90 | |
| 6 | 415 | 415 | 272.00 | 272.00 | Thin Fleshed |
| 16 | 432 | 432 | 283.00 | 283.00 | Unweaned |
| 192 | 450-496 | 479 | 249.00-304.00 | 283.03 | |
| 147 | 504-548 | 526 | 239.00-273.00 | 260.52 | |
| 298 | 550-598 | 567 | 222.00-275.00 | 248.17 | |
| 257 | 600-647 | 632 | 212.50-255.00 | 234.26 | |
| 99 | 602-641 | 611 | 245.00-248.75 | 245.75 | Thin Fleshed |
| 14 | 607-619 | 614 | 215.00-245.00 | 232.29 | Unweaned |
| 481 | 653-692 | 668 | 210.50-237.50 | 228.30 | |
| 301 | 700-744 | 716 | 200.50-229.00 | 218.58 | |
| 12 | 710 | 710 | 201.00 | 201.00 | Unweaned |
| 374 | 750-793 | 769 | 199.00-219.50 | 208.21 | |
| 507 | 802-845 | 829 | 194.25-213.50 | 199.73 | |
| 383 | 858-896 | 877 | 180.00-210.00 | 199.62 | |
| 357 | 905-937 | 920 | 183.00-201.00 | 189.38 | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 5 | 927 | 927 | 178.00 | 178.00 | Fleshy |
| 44 | 955-974 | 968 | 174.50-179.50 | 176.07 | |
| 19 | 1060 | 1060 | 163.50 | 163.50 | |

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 11 | 305 | 305 | 925.00 | 925.00 |

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 20 | 463-491 | 481 | 237.00-242.00 | 240.25 |
| 79 | 616-646 | 621 | 165.00-209.50 | 173.12 |
| 58 | 696 | 696 | 158.50 | 158.50 |
| 76 | 738 | 738 | 180.00 | 180.00 |
| 48 | 800-820 | 804 | 183.50-187.00 | 184.24 |
| 58 | 877-891 | 882 | 188.50-189.00 | 188.81 |
| 33 | 901 | 901 | 180.50 | 180.50 |

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 13 | 660 | 660 | 221.00 | 221.00 |
| 24 | 847 | 847 | 186.00 | 186.00 |
| 49 | 1053-1072 | 1056 | 169.00-175.50 | 174.56 |

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 50 | 301-346 | 330 | 243.00-260.00 | 246.62 | |
| 56 | 353-397 | 384 | 219.00-265.00 | 239.56 | |
| 101 | 400-446 | 429 | 225.00-247.00 | 237.07 | |
| 36 | 431-434 | 433 | 255.00-270.50 | 264.07 | Thin Fleshed |
| 284 | 455-499 | 489 | 210.00-247.00 | 236.29 | |
| 5 | 475 | 475 | 205.00 | 205.00 | Fleshy |
| 22 | 491 | 491 | 243.50 | 243.50 | Thin Fleshed |
| 364 | 504-549 | 525 | 220.00-241.00 | 233.85 | |
| 60 | 501-504 | 503 | 244.00-246.00 | 244.50 | Thin Fleshed |
| 411 | 555-599 | 578 | 207.00-231.00 | 218.27 | |
| 10 | 597 | 597 | 186.00 | 186.00 | Fleshy |
| 21 | 560 | 560 | 252.00 | 252.00 | Thin Fleshed |
| 352 | 601-647 | 628 | 201.00-216.00 | 210.04 | |
| 31 | 609-649 | 641 | 191.00-199.00 | 192.47 | Fleshy |
| 11 | 631 | 631 | 209.00 | 209.00 | Unweaned |
| 546 | 656-697 | 672 | 187.00-213.00 | 200.22 | |

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| 555 | 700-747 | 719 | 178.50-202.00 | 192.95 | |
| 12 | 734 | 734 | 187.50 | 187.50 | Fleshy |
| 75 | 709-736 | 719 | 195.50-211.00 | 205.00 | Replacement |
| 506 | 755-799 | 779 | 177.50-194.00 | 187.60 | |
| 51 | 755 | 755 | 193.50 | 193.50 | Replacement |
| 227 | 804-845 | 823 | 175.75-191.00 | 186.29 | |
| 57 | 821-839 | 831 | 177.00-178.00 | 177.30 | Fleshy |
| 446 | 850-893 | 871 | 175.00-185.00 | 178.72 | |
| 191 | 903-943 | 923 | 168.25-173.25 | 172.53 | |
| 31 | 956 | 956 | 164.50 | 164.50 | |

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 12 | 305 | 305 | 875.00 | 875.00 |

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 71 | 466-498 | 478 | 215.00-219.00 | 217.30 |
| 10 | 520 | 520 | 210.00 | 210.00 |
| 87 | 552-596 | 579 | 175.00-207.00 | 199.78 |
| 127 | 658-690 | 679 | 174.75-196.00 | 180.74 |
| 21 | 700-742 | 730 | 181.00-188.00 | 186.08 |
| 22 | 809 | 809 | 169.50 | 169.50 |

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

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 27 | 544 | 544 | 228.00 | 228.00 |
| 38 | 643 | 643 | 218.00 | 218.00 |
| 21 | 717 | 717 | 184.50 | 184.50 |
| 23 | 791 | 791 | 177.50 | 177.50 |

## REPLACEMENT CATTLE

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

| Age | Stage | Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2-4 | T3 | 8 | 1412 | 1412 | 2125.00 | 2125.00 |
| 5-8 | T3 | 6 | 1604 | 1604 | 2020.00 | 2020.00 |
| >8 | T3 | 6 | 1407 | 1407 | 1485.00 | 1485.00 |

### COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/ <150 lbs calf (Per Unit / Actual Wt)

| Age | Stage | Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2-4 | O | 31 | 1175-1335 | 1221 | 2450.00-2600.00 | 2497.60 |
| 5-8 | O | 37 | 1360-1445 | 1413 | 2175.00-2450.00 | 2306.69 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| >8 | O | 29 | 1426-1511 | 1482 | 2200.00-2300.00 | 2233.19 | |
| >8 | O | 10 | 1328 | 1328 | 1850.00 | 1850.00 | Broken Mouth |

## HEIFER PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/ <150 lbs calf (Per Unit / Actual Wt)

| Age | Stage | Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2-4 | O | 31 | 1082-1157 | 1118 | 2725.00-2775.00 | 2749.97 |

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.