Ft. Pierre Livestock Auction (Friday) - Ft. Pierre, SD

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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 10/2/2020 - Final

AUCTION

	This Week	Last Reported 9/25/2020	Last Year
Total Receipts:	2,605	8,751	2,932
Feeder Cattle:	2,605(100.0%)	8,751(100.0%)	2,932(100.0%)

Compared to last week: Steers from 750 lbs to 799 lbs were steady to 1.00 lower, steers from 900 lbs to 999 lbs were steady to 1.00 higher, heifers weighing 750 lbs to 849 lbs were 1.00 to 3.00 lower, heifers weighing 950 lbs to 999 lbs were 1.00 to 2.00 higher. No other comparisons were made due to the limited numbers in their weight categories. Not as many cattle for today's auction when compared to last weeks big anniversary sale. There was a smaller crowd of people in attendance and not as many order buyers as last week. Fairly active market as buyers were aggressive at times to procure cattle, most obvious when there were multiple loads of one owner cattle available. Todays offering consisted of yearling steers, tested open replacement heifers with several consignments of fall calves. Most of the cattle were coming off dry pasture conditions and were in light fleshed to moderate fleshed condition. Cash fat cattle continues to see small improvement from one week to the next. Last Friday's cattle on feed report indicated more placements in feed yards than expected, fewer market ready cattle marketed than expected, yet the cash fat cattle trade was higher week over week. Packers have plenty of room to give more money and still be profitable, meat exports are record large, is demand better than most of us ever dreamed of? Next feeder sale will be Friday, October 9th, expecting a large run of yearlings and spring calves. STAY SAFE! Supply included: 100% Feeder Cattle (52% Steers, 48% Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 98%.

FEEDER CATTLE

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
95	651-661	660	158.50-161.00	160.64
69	734-742	736	143.50-145.00	143.92
160	751-792	763	149.00-153.00	152.47
84	802-832	810	146.00-151.75	148.16
14	859-868	862	144.00	144.00
159	908-936	929	139.00-144.50	142.29
165	962-978	964	128.00-139.25	137.92

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
16	449	449	159.00	159.00
13	602	602	151.00	151.00

STEERS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
261	1027-1048	1043	133.50-136.00	135.01
21	1135	1135	124.75	124.75

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
17	493	493	138.50	138.50	
13	618-619	619	140.00-142.50	141.35	
94	660-663	663	136.00-144.00	143.08	
79	691	691	149.00	149.00	Spayed
40	721	721	138.00	138.00	Spayed
132	772-796	785	133.50-144.00	139.19	
71	769	769	147.00	147.00	Spayed
117	814-846	827	132.00-139.00	137.71	
90	864-893	877	136.50-139.00	137.97	
36	858	858	138.50	138.50	Spayed
33	911-932	917	125.00-132.00	130.06	
163	951-971	960	126.00-131.75	129.04	

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
21	613	613	135.00	135.00
58	719	719	131.50	131.50
11	765-766	766	118.00-126.00	121.63

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.