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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 5/1/2022 - 5/7/2022

LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

	Current Week	Last Reported 4/25/2022	Last Year
Total Receipts:	13,743	19,901	14,986
Feeder Cattle:	12,873(93.7%)	18,831(94.6%)	13,871(92.6%)
Slaughter Cattle:	870(6.3%)	1,070(5.4%)	1,115(7.4%)

Compared to last week: Feeder steers 5.00 to 10.00 higher, heifers 3.00 to 6.00 higher with instances of 7.00 to 10.00 higher. Cash fed cattle maintained a large positive basis over the futures again this week, cash trades mostly around 146.00 in Iowa and Nebraska which is greatly helping the cattle feeder to maintain a positive outlook. Cattle feeders are faced with very high costs of gain, which has pushed breakeven prices higher, and are very cautious not to buy cattle that look to be inefficient gainers. The moisture received across a good portion of South Dakota has greatly improved the outlook for the growing season, however there are still areas that missed the rains and are extremely dry. The light cattle market remains very stout as turnout time is upon us and the fall months of the feeder cattle board are much higher than the front month. Corn planting is well underway, as the rains finally came bringing the moisture needed to plant a crop and get it growing. Slaughter cows 1.00 to 2.00 lower, bulls sold with higher undertones. Supply included: 94% Feeder Cattle (46% Steers, 54% Heifers); 6% Slaughter Cattle (28% Steers, 7% Dairy Steers, 33% Heifers, 30% Cows, 2% Bulls). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 90%.

FEEDER CATTLE

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
25	418-432	428	197.50-220.00	214.76	
19	456-493	481	202.00-216.00	209.15	
53	517-545	526	190.00-210.00	205.64	
274	553-587	572	180.00-213.00	201.75	
155	607-646	632	173.00-204.00	186.23	
34	625-634	628	192.00-212.00	206.06	Thin Fleshed
250	658-698	677	159.00-195.00	184.38	
21	653	653	180.50	180.50	Thin Fleshed
113	702-740	719	157.75-178.50	168.32	
19	729-743	739	157.00-157.50	157.13	Fleshy
403	752-796	769	152.00-179.00	173.65	
153	780-788	787	150.00-154.00	150.34	Fleshy
12	770	770	152.00	152.00	Full
191	814-844	824	154.00-162.75	158.76	
1071	850-897	858	147.00-167.00	163.50	
1104	906-949	927	141.75-161.50	153.58	
339	950-999	964	141.00-152.25	148.83	
11	999	999	135.00	135.00	Fleshy

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



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<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
5	373	373	185.00	185.00
9	454-496	473	183.00-185.00	184.07
22	503-544	520	166.00-198.00	184.30
17	610-637	621	161.00-171.00	165.22
20	682-683	682	153.00-163.00	154.50
11	734-735	734	152.50-154.50	153.05
10	760	760	148.00	148.00
43	802-833	821	138.50-148.25	141.01
23	863	863	149.50	149.50

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

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
11	765	765	133.00	133.00
5	837	837	120.50	120.50
14	929	929	125.00	125.00

STEERS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
368	1006-1046	1032	134.00-149.75	145.47
490	1052-1087	1075	134.85-152.35	141.29
69	1117-1140	1121	134.25-143.75	141.93
129	1155-1161	1158	142.00-147.00	144.40
12	1229	1229	136.50	136.50

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

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
8	1048	1048	133.25	133.25
8	1065	1065	136.75	136.75

STEERS - Large 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
18	894-897	896	123.50-127.50	125.05

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

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
27	423-447	438	166.00-177.00	174.04	
62	468-497	479	171.00-179.00	177.05	
298	505-549	530	165.00-180.00	173.89	
5	549	549	151.00	151.00	Fleshy
287	561-586	571	154.00-178.00	169.66	
378	602-643	627	154.50-173.50	165.04	



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24	631-646	639	151.00-153.00	151.91	Full
494	653-695	677	149.00-169.00	161.29	
18	684	684	145.50	145.50	Fleshy
31	653-675	668	141.00-149.50	146.82	Full
89	659	659	172.00	172.00	Thin Fleshed
746	706-748	730	142.50-162.00	152.45	
843	751-799	772	139.50-157.00	149.02	
151	770-786	777	156.50-160.50	158.65	Replacement
730	800-847	826	132.00-150.00	143.81	
233	800-845	816	149.00-156.00	152.20	Replacement
564	856-898	878	132.75-142.25	138.92	
190	858-868	861	144.00-146.50	145.66	Replacement
476	900-949	921	131.00-143.00	138.20	
204	951-996	975	132.25-138.00	136.73	

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

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
113	819-826	824	1175.00-1260.00	1230.08	Replacement
6	861	861	1235.00	1235.00	Replacement
20	908	908	1320.00	1320.00	Replacement

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

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
8	441	441	176.00	176.00	
11	463-489	482	157.00-178.00	162.50	
4	530	530	146.00	146.00	
20	608-649	626	141.00-151.00	145.02	
30	655-668	661	141.00-147.00	145.14	
28	701-736	722	137.00-150.00	141.52	
13	764-783	773	126.00-138.00	131.61	
4	810	810	135.00	135.00	
18	913	913	133.00	133.00	

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

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
5	702	702	136.00	136.00	

HEIFERS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
29	1007-1039	1026	135.00-138.25	136.32	
229	1072-1097	1082	130.25-133.50	132.63	



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

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
3	1075	1075	126.50	126.50
12	1146-1149	1147	116.50-122.50	120.00

HEIFERS - Medium 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
5	525	525	152.00	152.00

SLAUGHTER CATTLE

STEERS - Choice 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
78	1363-1482	1426	147.00-149.00	147.80	Average
28	1353-1486	1446	150.00-152.00	151.03	Average Certified Prgms
22	1282-1347	1315	142.50-144.75	144.12	Average Return to Feed
14	1499	1499	143.50	143.50	Low

STEERS - Choice 3-4 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
8	1506	1506	144.00	144.00	Average
19	1535-1638	1562	147.50-153.00	151.48	Average Certified Prgms
7	1676	1676	146.00	146.00	Average Heavy Weight
9	1577	1577	146.50	146.50	Low

STEERS - Select and Choice 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
4	1233	1233	145.00	145.00	Average Certified Prgms

STEERS - Select 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
6	1218	1218	110.00	110.00	Average

DAIRY STEERS - Choice 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
51	1386-1484	1424	118.50-122.00	120.82	Average

HEIFERS - Choice 2-4 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
131	1253-1472	1292	143.50-148.00	145.48	Average
55	1295-1466	1322	153.50-157.25	156.48	Average Certified Prgms
33	1304	1304	140.00	140.00	Low



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HEIFERS - Select and Choice 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
17	1271	1271	140.50	140.50	Average

COWS - Premium White 65-75% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
12	1237-1563	1433	87.00-96.00	90.76	Average

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

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
43	1175-2365	1523	80.00-86.00	83.08	Average
9	1175-1705	1436	87.00-89.00	88.50	High
15	1375-1985	1592	64.00-78.50	75.37	Low

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

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
61	980-1803	1407	73.00-78.50	75.61	Average
2	1303	1303	79.00	79.00	High
8	1345-1685	1438	61.00-72.00	70.13	Low

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

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
20	820-1715	1275	69.00-73.00	70.88	Average
2	1180-1555	1368	72.50-73.00	72.72	High
24	815-1500	1164	60.00-67.00	63.68	Low
19	605-1535	906	5.00-51.00	30.11	Very Low

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

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Dressing</u>
5	1565-2008	1889	102.00-107.50	105.90	Average
6	1425-1945	1655	86.00-100.00	93.52	Low

Please Note:

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