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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 9/29/2021 - Final

AUCTION			
	This Week	Last Reported 9/22/2021	Last Year
Total Receipts:	171	56	95
Feeder Cattle:	117(68.4%)	41(73.2%)	65(68.4%)
Slaughter Cattle:	51(29.8%)	14(25.0%)	29(30.5%)
Replacement Cattle:	3(1.8%)	1(1.8%)	1(1.1%)

Special Note: ***CORRECTED COPY: to commentary; to price ranges of various feeder and slaughter cattle; and to Replacement Cattle, Cow-Calf Pairs, change unit price from "Per Head" to "Per Family".***

Compared to last week, boning type slaughter cows were steady to 1.00 lower, while breaking type slaughter cows were steady to 1.00 higher and slaughter bulls were 2.00 to 3.00 higher. There were too few feeder cattle the previous week to establish an adequate market comparison, however a lower undertone was noted. Demand, market activity, and buyer interest were moderate. Offerings of cattle were fairly light. Cattle quality was plain to average. Supply included: 68% Feeder Cattle (15% Steers, 47% Heifers, 38% Bulls); 30% Slaughter Cattle (90% Cows, 10% Bulls); 2% Replacement Cattle (33% Bred Cows, 67% Cow-Calf Pairs). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 14%.

FEEDER CATTLE

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<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Kange</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
2	423	423	154.00	154.00
3	465	465	145.00-149.00	146.33

STEERS - Medium and Large 3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price	
3	560-595	573	115.00-123.00	117.63	

STEERS - Medium 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price
2	410-425	418	131.00-140.00	135.42

STEERS - Medium 3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
3	320-345	335	114.00	114.00

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>	Avg Price
10	305-325	312	108.00-114.00	111.63
6	402-415	404	106.00-108.00	107.66

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7	475-495	484	106.00-115.00	109.99
6	515-540	536	106.00-110.00	106.64
6	550-585	559	109.00-114.00	112.79

HEIFERS - Medium 3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price	
2	305-309	307	92.00-94.00	92.99	

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

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price	
3	727	727	88.00	88.00	Full

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

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
3	450-495	480	128.00-138.00	132.13	
2	512	512	120.00	120.00	Full
4	565-580	574	128.00-130.00	129.01	

BULLS - Medium 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
6	505-530	516	104.00-110.00	107.34
4	565-580	576	105.00-107.00	106.51
2	600-620	610	106.00-112.00	108.95
5	667-695	673	101.00-102.00	101.41

BULLS - Medium 3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price
2	475-480	478	90.00-99.00	94.52
2	515-525	520	83.00-87.00	84.98
2	620-640	630	80.00-88.00	83.94

SLAUGHTER CATTLE

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

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price	<u>Dressing</u>
8	1235-1460	1374	57.00-64.00	60.97	Average

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

Dressing	Avg Price	Price Range	Avg Wt	Wt Range	<u>Head</u>
Average	60.13	57.00-63.00	1138	915-1365	19
Low	46.77	44.00-50.50	1056	915-1255	7
Very Low	39.04	38.00-40.00	948	910-985	2

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

<u>Dressing</u>	Avg Price	Price Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Wt Range	<u>Head</u>
Average	61.06	60.00-62.00	800	755-845	2
Low	50.00	50.00	815	770-860	2
Very Low	37.88	34.00-40.00	798	660-890	3

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

Dressing	Avg Price	Price Range	Avg Wt	Wt Range	<u>Head</u>
Average	84.51	82.00-88.00	1742	1605-1875	3
High	94.02	90.00-98.00	1993	1985-2000	2

REPLACEMENT CATTLE

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

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
5-8	T2	1	1155	1155	710.00	710.00

COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 1-2 w/<150 lbs calf (Per Family / Actual Wt)

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
5-8	0	2	1035-1070	1053	610.00-780.00	696.41

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.