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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 12/17/2024 - Final

AUCTION

	This Week	Last Reported 12/10/2024	Last Year
Total Receipts:	1,432	3,218	1,152
Feeder Cattle:	1,432(100.0%)	3,218(100.0%)	1,152(100.0%)

Special Note: An additional 578 head sold through the Video Auction. ***This was the last feeder sale for 2024 at ORS. Following Wednesday's, December 18, Cow and Bull Auction, the sale barn will be closed until Friday, January 3, 2025, when it will be having a Special Wean/Vac Feeder Sale.***

Close

Compared to last week, feeder steers sold 4.00 higher while feeder heifers were not well tested. Steer and heifer calves were steady to 5.00 higher in a light test of the market. Demand was good on a light supply. Supplies were lighter than expected due to weekend rains, in excess of 3" across most of the area, making it difficult to get cattle to the market. The offering was mostly smaller drafts with only five drafts larger than 25 head. As typical for the week before the holidays, most cattle were sold to pay the tax man or for Christmas shopping. Many are waiting for the January special sale to postpone income to a different tax year. For 2024, Ozarks Regional Stockyard sales included 127,601 feeders through the ring and 36,786 head in the Video Auctions for a total of 164,387 head of feeder calves sold. On behalf of the Missouri Department of Agriculture's Market News Service, I would like to wish you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Supply included: 100% Feeder Cattle (57% Steers, 36% Heifers, 7% Bulls). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 40%.

FEEDER CATTLE

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
9	313-330	316	390.00-402.50	399.67
5	376	376	382.50	382.50
5	410	410	362.50	362.50
10	462	462	340.00	340.00
36	501-536	514	319.00-338.00	326.99
48	555-572	565	309.00-315.00	312.66
42	601-609	606	300.00-311.00	302.89
14	710-725	721	253.00-270.00	263.74
66	792	792	254.50	254.50
41	861	861	246.00	246.00
55	912	912	239.75	239.75

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
5	315-322	318	370.00-385.00	376.08
11	365-398	392	342.50-367.50	345.29
37	413-436	425	332.50-349.00	340.79



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33	458-496	485	310.00-330.00	324.11	
9	460-490	477	300.00-302.50	301.07	Unweaned
34	505-538	527	305.00-315.00	311.35	
35	550-598	570	270.00-283.00	276.03	
25	605-642	625	263.00-284.00	274.26	
24	650-685	676	247.50-255.00	252.20	
12	763	763	250.00	250.00	
5	871	871	220.00	220.00	

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>
16	464-478	471	275.00-300.00	287.69
10	501-509	506	277.50-280.00	278.49
7	578-595	583	237.50-247.00	244.23
6	626	626	240.00	240.00
6	989	989	189.00	189.00

STEERS - Medium and Large 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>
15	516	516	240.00	240.00

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>
9	616	616	284.00	284.00

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>
7	526	526	295.00	295.00
5	667	667	266.00	266.00

STEERS - Medium 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>
5	325-327	326	335.00-357.50	343.97
5	634	634	258.00	258.00

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>	
14	300-347	310	327.50-335.00	333.20	
5	385-390	387	325.00-335.00	330.97	
20	400-438	421	310.00-335.00	318.59	
17	406-408	407	340.00-342.50	341.61	Thin Fleshed
22	465-491	475	297.50-322.50	313.19	



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31	501-542	513	280.00-305.00	295.46	
6	519	519	317.50	317.50	Thin Fleshed
13	550-560	555	267.50-285.00	277.53	
27	602-615	610	252.50-277.00	272.38	

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>
18	331-349	341	315.00-320.00	317.04
16	410-447	434	280.00-302.50	295.17
5	462	462	290.00	290.00
14	522-547	531	257.50-262.50	260.66
27	550-598	588	237.50-257.50	254.33
19	608-627	613	246.00	246.00
14	661-670	667	228.00-245.00	232.81
5	728	728	219.00	219.00

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	302-325	316	280.00-282.50	281.54
10	766-790	773	195.00-208.00	204.02
9	906-945	915	145.00	145.00
26	985	985	145.00	145.00

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>
5	396	396	282.50	282.50
5	425	425	250.00	250.00
8	542	542	255.00	255.00
7	644	644	220.00	220.00
8	699	699	230.00	230.00

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>
12	356	356	322.50	322.50
22	462	462	322.50	322.50

HEIFERS - Medium 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>
7	528	528	257.50	257.50

HEIFERS - Medium 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
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6	440-445	443	207.50-230.00	222.56
5	506	506	240.00	240.00
6	624	624	200.00	200.00

BULLS - 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>
15	461	461	332.50	332.50
14	502-512	511	280.00-292.50	290.74
22	553-591	577	265.00-267.50	265.87
5	657	657	255.00	255.00
5	711	711	230.00	230.00

BULLS - 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>
5	466	466	294.00	294.00
5	537	537	267.50	267.50
5	560-587	576	235.00-240.00	238.06
5	711	711	215.50	215.50

BULLS - 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	506	506	235.00	235.00

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.