

# Public Auction Yards Livestock Cattle Auction - Billings, MT (Wed) AMS Livestock, Poultry, & Grain Market News Montana Dept of Ag Mrkt News

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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 5/29/2019 - Final

AUCTION			
	This Week	Last Reported 5/22/2019	Last Year
Total Receipts:	440	449	0
Feeder Cattle:	95(21.6%)	111(24.7%)	0(0.0%)
Slaughter Cattle:	192(43.6%)	62(13.8%)	0(0.0%)
Replacement Cattle:	153(34.8%)	276(61.5%)	0(0.0%)

Special Note: Receipts last year: 929

Compared to last week: All feeder cattle were too lightly tested to develop an accurate market trend. Rain and flooded creeks kept receipts light again this week on all offerings. Demand for feeders was light to moderate on very light offerings. Market activity was slow. Weigh up cows sold on mostly moderate to good demand. Demand started the sale light however very quickly improved as offerings were light. Packers passed on many cows early in the morning allowing feeding buyers to purchase the majority of cows to feed, however by late morning packers were back in the market pushing to own the majority of the cows. This forced feeders mostly out of the market as cow prices improved 3.00-4.00 during the sale. Slaughter cows were too lightly tested last week to develop an accurate market trend, however higher undertones were noticed. Feeding cows sold unevenly steady from 3.00 lower to 1.00 higher. Slaughter bulls sold fully steady, however bulls were pushing excess fill again this week. Young age cows sold with steady to higher undertones in a narrow comparison. Demand for re-breeding cows helped push this market higher. Quality was average to attractive. Supply included: 22% Feeder Cattle (51% Steers, 36% Heifers, 14% Bulls); 44% Slaughter Cattle (85% Cows, 15% Bulls); 35% Replacement Cattle (100% Stock Cows). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 80%.

#### FEEDER CATTLE

#### STEERS - 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>	
6	552	552	157.00	157.00	
9	678	678	146.00	146.00	
2	700-725	713	128.00-139.00	133.60	
4	769	769	127.00	127.00	Fleshy
6	866	866	118.00	118.00	Fleshy
2	978	978	119.00	119.00	

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

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
5	1098	1098	115.00	115.00	Fleshy

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

Head Wt Range Avg Wt Price Range Avg Price

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

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price
8	802-809	806	113.00-114.00	113.37

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

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
7	505-517	514	140.00-143.00	140.84
10	628-633	629	129.00-130.00	129.20
1	680	680	128.00	128.00

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

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
1	595	595	153.00	153.00

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

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price
1	1140	1140	101.00	101.00
3	1247	1247	92.00	92.00
1	1270	1270	94.00	94.00
2	1380	1380	84.00	84.00

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

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
2	1030	1030	97.00	97.00

## **SLAUGHTER CATTLE**

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

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price	<b>Dressing</b>
5	1560-1905	1703	68.00-70.00	68.97	Average
3	1330-1713	1585	62.00-67.00	65.60	Low

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

<u>Dressing</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Head</u>
Average	65.82	64.00-67.50	1400	1248-1735	26
High	70.40	69.00-74.00	1451	1385-1580	11
Low	60.77	58.00-63.00	1484	1320-1640	9

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

<u>Dressing</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Head</u>
Average	64.73	63.00-68.00	1286	1010-1723	52

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1	940	940	64.00	64.00	Average Light Weight
8	1120-1375	1238	70.00-72.50	71.83	High
30	1010-1433	1219	54.00-62.50	59.43	Low
2	940-990	965	54.00-61.00	57.59	Low Light Weight

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

<b>Dressing</b>	Avg Price	Price Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Wt Range	<u>Head</u>
Average	86.04	83.00-88.50	1746	1375-2030	10
High	93.25	91.50-95.50	2043	1855-2215	3
Low	78.39	71.00-82.00	1714	1450-1975	12

## REPLACEMENT CATTLE

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

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
<2	0	23	810-1125	975	82.00-117.00	100.27
2-4	0	18	1035-1450	1185	65.00-84.00	74.70
2-8	Ο	18	1193-1638	1458	64.00-71.00	68.17
5-8	Ο	27	1105-1640	1441	63.00-69.00	66.25
>8	0	12	1055-1575	1319	60.00-66.00	63.76

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

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
<2	Ο	3	855	855	91.00	91.00
2-4	0	1	1030	1030	65.00	65.00
5-8	0	3	1165-1350	1288	61.00-62.00	61.70
>8	Ο	6	1070-1210	1099	56.00-58.00	56.83

#### 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; E = Exposed; B = Bred)

Age - Numerical representation of age in years.

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