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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 4/19/2023 - Final

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	This Week	Last Reported 4/12/2023	Last Year
Total Receipts:	1,253	3,467	2,774
Feeder Cattle:	410(32.7%)	3,195(92.2%)	1,749(63.0%)
Slaughter Cattle:	538(42.9%)	207(6.0%)	735(26.5%)
Replacement Cattle:	305(24.3%)	65(1.9%)	290(10.5%)

Compared to last week: Feeder cattle were too lightly tested today to develop an accurate market trend, however steady to firm undertones were noticed on all feeders on offer. Demand for feeders was mostly very good for light offerings. Quality this sale was plain to average and not as attractive as last weeks feeder special. However, demand remains strong as CME feeder cattle prices continue to creep higher. Package size were mostly small with lots of singles on offer. Market activity was mostly active this sale as both ranchers and order-buyers competed over limited offerings. Weigh up cows sold on mostly moderate to good demand for moderate offerings. Slaughter cows sold generally steady to firm on breaking cows, boning cows sold generally steady, lean cows sold steady to 2.00 lower. Quality this week was mixed from plain to attractive. Weigh up conditions were mixed. Packer buyers opted to send a few set of cows to feed again this week. Feeding cows sold steady. Slaughter bulls sold 2.00-5.00 higher. Young age cows suitable to feed or rebreed sold on mostly good demand. Buyers showed the best demand for high quality cows which had lost calves. Young offerings sold generally steady. Supply included: 33% Feeder Cattle (24% Steers, 13% Dairy Steers, 49% Heifers, 7% Bulls, 7% Dairy Heifers); 43% Slaughter Cattle (86% Cows, 14% Bulls); 24% Replacement Cattle (99% Stock Cows, 1% Bred Cows). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 59%.

FEEDER CATTLE**STEERS - 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>
11	439	439	295.00	295.00
5	455-458	457	275.00-295.00	287.03
6	513	513	272.50	272.50
5	558-583	573	257.00-265.00	260.12
1	645	645	250.00	250.00
13	670-689	683	224.00-242.00	229.36
9	703-718	713	215.00-223.00	218.10
12	750-796	774	193.00-207.50	200.18

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>
1	345	345	260.00	260.00
6	435-449	444	270.00-280.00	273.26
2	498	498	262.50	262.50
1	510	510	265.00	265.00
4	591	591	251.00	251.00
1	730	730	208.00	208.00

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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>
1	480	480	240.00	240.00

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>
3	558	558	230.00	230.00

DAIRY 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>
24	683	683	199.00	199.00
20	850	850	180.00	180.00

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>	
6	373-390	376	255.00-267.50	257.16	
21	403-433	419	257.50-275.00	269.10	
12	490-491	491	255.00-267.50	266.46	
9	517-524	522	255.00-257.00	256.34	
3	563	563	241.00	241.00	
29	655-696	673	215.00-227.00	220.69	
2	678	678	175.00	175.00	Fleshy
22	722	722	210.00	210.00	
7	755	755	169.00	169.00	Fleshy

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	386	386	245.00	245.00
5	413-425	415	240.00-252.50	249.94
7	461-463	462	230.00-235.00	232.85
2	503	503	225.00	225.00
5	553-595	570	210.00-229.00	217.94
11	620-646	635	207.50-226.00	219.89
4	699	699	205.00	205.00
7	767-791	781	160.00-163.00	161.74

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>
1	425	425	222.50	222.50
3	495	495	205.00	205.00
1	700	700	165.00	165.00



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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>
3	427	427	240.00	240.00

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>
1	760	760	196.00	196.00
3	817	817	176.00	176.00
1	905	905	169.00	169.00

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>
4	407-415	409	235.00-242.50	240.60
3	480	480	240.00	240.00
1	995	995	156.00	156.00

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>
2	533	533	215.00	215.00

BULLS - 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>
1	1110	1110	139.00	139.00
2	1178	1178	139.00	139.00
3	1220-1225	1222	131.00-133.50	131.84
3	1252	1252	129.50	129.50

BULLS - 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>
1	1105	1105	128.00	128.00

DAIRY 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>
12	679	679	167.00	167.00
11	779	779	168.50	168.50

SLAUGHTER CATTLE**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>
25	1463-1790	1648	94.00-100.50	97.27	Average
6	1385-1650	1577	96.00-100.50	98.90	Average Return to Feed



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11	1525-1733	1615	101.50-108.00	103.73	High
10	1680-1799	1753	87.00-93.50	90.06	Low
5	1636-1735	1656	93.00-93.50	93.40	Low Return to Feed

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	1292-1580	1400	89.00-100.50	93.31	Average
45	1283-1655	1401	91.00-100.00	94.19	Average Return to Feed
5	1310-1655	1440	102.00-110.00	104.72	High
5	1459	1459	103.00	103.00	High Return to Feed
15	1095-1503	1373	84.00-89.00	87.23	Low
2	1445	1445	89.50	89.50	Low Return to Feed

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>
72	1090-1295	1193	86.50-95.00	89.17	Average
2	955	955	87.00	87.00	Average Light Weight
44	900-1318	1203	85.00-95.00	89.43	Average Return to Feed
3	1035-1275	1185	100.00-102.00	100.72	High
2	1150-1210	1180	96.00-97.00	96.49	High Return to Feed
33	1015-1315	1148	76.00-86.50	83.62	Low
5	915-955	937	74.00-85.00	78.81	Low Light Weight
1	970	970	73.00	73.00	Very Low Light Weight

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>
20	1497-2250	1793	111.00-127.00	116.66	Average
9	1290-1595	1427	109.00-125.00	116.96	Average Return to Feed
10	1610-2300	1919	127.00-146.00	135.65	High
1	2555	2555	129.00	129.00	High Heavy Weight
7	1230-2060	1616	92.00-111.00	104.64	Low
10	1265-1748	1439	103.00-112.00	109.15	Low Return to Feed

REPLACEMENT CATTLE**STOCK COWS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
<2	O	163	768-1455	1004	125.00-197.00	160.75
2-4	O	84	918-1520	1125	90.00-146.00	114.36

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

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
<2	O	6	795-1263	1071	120.00-151.00	128.46



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2-4	O	5	805-1200	924	93.00-104.00	99.01
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STOCK COWS - Medium 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
<2	O	1	685	685	152.50	152.50

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

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
2-4	T2-3	3	1355	1355	1750.00	1750.00

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.

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.