

South Carolina Auction Cattle (Monday through Wednesday)

DATE: January 26, 2024

Compared to last week feeder steers were 7.00 higher based on limited comparable sales, feeder heifers were 4.00 higher based on limited comparable sales, feeder bulls were unevenly steady. Slaughter cows and slaughter bulls were 2.00 higher.

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Auction Location	Williamston	Saluda	Darlington	Orangeburg	Laurens	Weekly Weighted Average
Receipts	499	456	204	135	417	
Slaughter Cows						
Breakers	97.00-116.00	105.00-113.00	96.00-114.00		107.00-118.00	109.87
Boners	97.00-120.00	94.00-114.00	102.00-117.00	95.00-111.00	105.00-123.00	108.48
High Dressing/High Yield	125.00-136.00	115.00-121.00			123.00-130.00	122.06
Lean	91.00-95.00	92.00-99.00	94.00-103.00	93.00-111.00	94.00-115.00	99.34
Lean Low Dressing	75.00-88.00	74.00-89.00	80.00-89.00	75.00-90.00	80.00-90.00	83.75
Slaughter Bulls						
950-2400lbs	111.00-135.00	94.00-138.00	109.00-136.00	112.00	122.00-143.00	123.62
★★★Please Note: Value Added Groups of Feeder Cattle are marked with *						
ML 1 Feeder Steers						
200-250 lbs	300.00					300.00
250-300 lbs	270.00-290.00	295.00			275.00	283.20
300-350 lbs	280.00-295.00	275.00			280.00-290.00	284.09
350-400 lbs	285.00-300.00	270.00			295.00	287.81
400-450 lbs	280.00-295.00	270.00			295-300/303-305*	290.55
450-500 lbs	270.00-287.50	270.00-275.00	260.00-270.00		270.00-280.00	271.12
500-550 lbs	257.00-267.00				250.00-255.00	258.79
550-600 lbs	247.50-254.00					253.12
600-650 lbs						
650-700 lbs			225.00			225.00
700-800 lbs						
ML 1 Feeder Bulls						
400-450 lbs	275.00-290.00	270.00-280.00	290.00		280.00-295.00	283.82
450-500 lbs	275.00-287.50	265.00-270.00	270.00		265.00-280.00	275.15
500-550 lbs	250.00-255.00	250.00	245.00-257.00		250.00-255.00	254.47
550-600 lbs					222.50-230.00	224.38
600-700 lbs				192.00	190.00-217.50	201.97
700-800 lbs						192.00
ML 1 Feeder Heifers						
200-250 lbs	255.00	235.00			235.00-250.00	241.66
250-300 lbs	250.00	235.00-240.00		245.00	240.00	243.07
300-350 lbs	235.00-245.00	235.00-240.00			230.00-240.00	237.34
350-400 lbs	235.00-240.00	235.00-242.50		230.00	227.50-235/245-246*	234.71
400-450 lbs	230.00-243.00	230.00-245.00		231.00	225.00-235.00	233.90
450-500 lbs	215.00-227.50	225.00-235.00			215.00-225.00	223.90
500-550 lbs	206.00-226.00*	205.00-225.00			210.00-225.00	211.98
550-600 lbs	210.00-219.00	205.00			200.00-212.00	210.83
600-650 lbs		195.00-200.00			197.50-202.50	198.74
650-700 lbs		192.00*				192.00*
700-800 lbs					182.00	182.00

Feeder Price Ranges For Other Grades. All Locations Combined For Each Category.

Frame & Muscle	Medium and Large 2			Medium and Large 3			ML 3 Dairy	
	STEERS	HEIFERS	BULLS	STEERS	HEIFERS	BULLS	STEERS	HEIFERS
200-300 lbs	250.00-270.00	200.00-230.00	235.00-270.00	230.00	185.00-205.00	200.00-235.00		
300-400 lbs	250.00-265.00	195.00-230.00	245.00-275.00	205.00-240.00	190.00-210.00	200.00-232.50	135.00	
400-500 lbs	245.00-265.00	190.00-225.00	190.00-265.00	237.50	180.00-192.50	195.00-235.00		
500-600 lbs	230.00-247.50	180.00-208.00	195.00-245.00	180.00-235.00	135.00-185.00	180.00-220.00		105.00-125.00
600-700 lbs	200.00-230.00	185.00-195.00	180.00-210.00	185.00-190.00	115.00-186.00	165.00-197.00	132.50	125.00
700-800 lbs		155.00-175.00		175.00		165.00-175.00		

Bred Cows (All Areas)

Medium and Large 1 890-1380 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows 1-9 months bred 990.00-1300.00 per head.

Medium and Large 2 845-1165 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows 4-9 months bred 890.00-1100.00 per head.

Cow/Calf Pairs (All areas) 16

Medium and Large 1 850-1285 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows with calves under 300 lbs 1400.00-1600.00 per pair.

Medium and Large 2 780-935 lbs Young Aged Cows with calves under 300 lbs 850.00-1300.00 per pair.

Medium and Large 3 850-925 lbs Young Aged Cows with calves under 300 lbs 970.00-1375.00 per pair.

Goats at SC Auctions (Monday to Wednesday) Slaughter and Replacement Classes: \$ Per Head

Receipts: 91 Week ago: 197 (Sel 1 = Thick / Sel 2 = Average / Sel 3 = Thin)

Kid: Sel 1 20-40 lbs 65.00-115.00, 40-60 lbs 90.00-160.00

Sel 2 20-40 lbs N/A, 40-60 lb 120.00-130.00

Nannie/Doe: Sel 1 70-100 lbs N/A, 100-150 lbs 200.00

Sel 2 70-100 lbs 110.00-130.00, 100-140 lbs 140.00-210.00

Billie/Buck: Sel 1 70-100 lbs N/A, 100-150 lbs 170.00-330.00

Sel 2 70-100 lbs 110.00-112.50, 100-150 lbs 140.00-150.00

Weekly South Carolina Auction Hog Prices (Monday to Wednesday) Sold Per 100 Lbs

Receipts: 264 Week ago: 216

B & G US 1-3 200-300 lbs 10.00-92.00, 300-400 lbs 30.00-72.50, 400-500 lbs 30.00-77.50, >500 lbs 45.00

Sows US 1-3 200-300 lb 40.00-45.00, 300-400 lbs 10.00-74.00, 400-500 lbs 20.00-67.00, 500-600 lbs 16.00-65.00, >600 lbs 37.00

Boars US 1-3 200-300 lbs 7.00-55.00, over 300 lbs 55.00

BBQ Shoats US 1-3 100-200 lbs 25.00-92.50

Feeder Pigs (per head) <100 lbs US 1-3 20.00-105.00

Prices Paid To Producers For Grain Delivered To Elevators & Processors Per Bushel As Of Thursday's Close							Chicago Board Of Trade			
							Thursday's Closing Prices			
Locations Grain Elevators		US2 Yellow Corn Cash New Crop		US1 Yellow Soybeans Cash New Crop		US2 Soft Wheat Cash New Crop				
Anderson		5.02		11.73		5.72 6.07		Wheat		
Conway		4.42						Mar 612 1/4		
Darlington		5.31		11.78		5.24		May 622		
Estill		4.32						Jul 627 1/2		
Kingstree		4.32						Sep 637 1/2		
Lake City		5.31		11.78		5.24		Corn		
Lynchburg		4.32						Mar 451 3/4		
Nichols		5.31		11.78		5.24		May 461 1/4		
Processors								Jul 469 1/4		
Batesburg		5.17				5.11		Sep 473 1/2		
Cassatt		5.12				7.62		Dec 480 3/4		
Columbia								Mar 492		
Orangeburg								May 497 1/2		
Kershaw				12.58 12.36				Oats		
Export- Mt Pleasant				12.33				Mar 364 1/2		
Weekly Trends		8 to 23 cents higher		Most locations 10 cents higher, one location 20 cents higher		7 to 27 cents higher		May 359 1/4		
Cash								Jul 358 1/4		
New Crop		6 cents higher				Most locations 6 cents higher, one location 23 cents higher		Sep 361 1/4		
US Slaughter Sow Report							US Direct Feeder Pig Summary			
Actual weights & prices plant delivered							from last Friday Receipts: 134,461			
Date 1/25/2024 Receipts 8,598							Prices are weighted average per head basis			
Wt Range		Avg Wt		Avg Price		Formula		Cash Combin.		
300-450		397.5		30.47		10-12 lbs		48.74 36.18 40.53		
450-500		474		35.08		40 lbs		48.46 48.46		
500-550		523		37.44		*Delivered prices include freight and commission.*				
550 & up		587		36.44		USDA Estimated Boxed Beef				
Slaughter Cattle - Strs & Hfrs							Cut-Out Values Based On Wholesale Prices			
In TX, OK, KS, NE, CO, IA, MN							Of Primal Cuts As Of Wednesday's Close			
5 Area Weekly Accumulated Weighted Avg.							Choice Select			
Beef Breeds Last Week This Week							299.50 287.24			
Select & Choice Mon-Fri Mon-Wed							Trend: up 1.05 up 4.22			
Live Steer		173.76		N/A		Southeast Weekly Hay Report				
Live Heifer		174.18		N/A		**Dollars per ton FOB**				
Dressed Steer		273.89		N/A		Hay Tons Price Range		Wtd Avg		
Dressed Heifer		273.69		N/A		Bermuda Grass Small Square				
South Carolina Grass Fed Beef Average Retail Prices							Premium 193.75 280.00-440.00 329.95			
Ribeye		NY Strip		Sirloin		Brisket				
21.49/lb		20.19/lb		14.35/lb		11.30/lb				
Cube Steak		Chuck Roast		Ground		Stew				
8.87/lb		10.50/lb		9.55/lb		9.00/lb				
South Carolina Pasture Raised Pork Average Retail Prices							Bermuda Grass Large Round			
Tenderloin		Boston Butt		Bacon		Pork Chops				
15.48/lb		7.14/lb		10.50/lb		11.87/lb		Premium 130 150.00-200.00 157.31		
Ham Roast		Ground Pork		Fat Back		Sausage		Fair 5 50.00 50.00		
7.41/lb		7.89/lb		3.81/lb		8.44/lb				
North Carolina Eggs							South Carolina Crop Production			
Extra Lrg		Large		Medium		Small		Monthly Average Prices		
238.79		234.38		202.27		146.00		Product / average price per ton		
consumer grade eggs in cartons delivered to nearby retail outlets. (Wed) cents per dozen							10 10 10 488.00		Cotton Seed N/A	
							10 34 0 855.00		Lime 76.00	
							25-S 291.00		Potash 515.00	
							DAP 868.00		Urea 533.00	
Oklahoma National Stockyards Weekly Cattle Summary										
Compared to the last sale two weeks ago: Feeder steers and heifers sold 3.00-6.00 higher. Steer and heifer calves traded mostly steady to 4.00 higher. Demand moderate to good. A strong ice storm came over the trade area overnight causing roads to be very dangerous hampering livestock movement. Supply included: 100% Feeder cattle (56% Steers, 44% Heifers, 1% Bulls). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 51%.										
Compared to the last sale two weeks ago: Slaughter cows and bulls sold sharply higher, instances to as much as 12.00 higher on very limited offerings. Demand very good. Strong winter storm bringing ice and single digit temperatures hampered livestock movement. Supply included: 56% Feeder Cattle (100% Steers); 43% Slaughter Cattle (71% Cows, 29% Bulls); 1% Replacement Cattle (100% Bred Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 0%.										
Daily Eastern Area Cow and Bull Bids - Plant Delivered - Dressed Basis							NY Cotton Exchange			
Carcass Wt		Breaking Utility 75% Lean		Boning Utility 85% Lean		Lean (Cutter) 90% Lean		Thursday's Futures Closing Prices		
500 lbs & up		154.00-207.00		151.00-219.00		155.00-219.00		Mar 85.76		
400-500 lbs		154.00-205.00		145.00-213.00		149.00-217.00		May 86.98		
350-400 lbs		154.00-193.00		145.00-199.00		136.00-202.00		Jul 87.59		
Bulls		92%Lean		>600 lbs		169-230 Under 600 160-219		Oct 82.49		
							Dec 81.15			
							Mar 81.14			
							Southeast Spot Cotton Price			
							Thursday's close			
							41-4/34		31-3/35	
							85.01		87.76	
							Soybean Meal			
							48% bulk price at			
							SC Processing Plants			
							Thursday's Close			
							428.20			