

South Carolina Auction Cattle (Monday through Wednesday) DATE: 12/20/2024

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Auction Location	Williamston	Saluda Lvstk	Saluda Stkyrds	Darlington	Orangeburg	Laurens	Weekly Weighted Average
Receipts	469	711	222	288	249	270	
Slaughter Cows							
Breakers	115.00-130.00	117.00-130.00		118.00-128.00	110.00-114.00	121.00	121.53
Boners	115.00-133.00	115.00-138.00	110.00-127.00	115.00-121.00	112.00-113.00	120.00-132.00	123.31
High Dressing/High Yield	134.00-145.00	135.00-148.00					142.50
Lean	112.00-120.00	112.00-130.00		100.00-113.00	105.00-114.00	110.00-115.00	113.81
Lean Low Dressing	70.00-105.00	80.00-109.00		60.00-102.00	70.00-100.00	77.00-100.00	90.96
Slaughter Bulls							
950-2400lbs	120.00-171.00	118.00-154.00	140.00-151.00	105.00-154.00	111.00-138.00	135.00-147.00	147.15
Value Added Cattle are marked with *. Fancy and Fleshy Cattle are not in this newsletter.							
ML 1 Feeder Steers							
200-250 lbs							
250-300 lbs			370.00	370.00			370.00
300-350 lbs		345.00	375.00*	402.50	370.00	345.00	365.59
350-400 lbs		340.00	357.50*	385.00-400.00	360.00		379.05
400-450 lbs	340.00-355.00	340.00	325.00	325.00-345.00		320.00-335.00	335.48
450-500 lbs	328.00/325.00*				330.00		328.98
500-550 lbs		300.00	292.50	284.00-300.00			291.79
550-600 lbs							
ML 1 Feeder Bulls							
200-250 lbs	380.00-395.00	385.00		360.00-380.00			379.27
250-300 lbs		360.00-390.00	380.00	370.00-392.50		370.00-380.00	377.01
300-350 lbs	360.00-400.00	365.00-395.00		360.00-385.00	350.00	365.00-370.00	379.63
350-400 lbs	380.00-400.00	360.00-390.00	360-370/375*	360.00-390.00		350.00-360.00	376.93
400-450 lbs	365.00-390.00	340.00-385.00	350.00	365.00		320.00-325.00	359.94
450-500 lbs		380.00	312.50-317.50	290.00-302.50			315.23
500-550 lbs	285.00			270.00			272.16
550-600 lbs	260.00						260.00
600-650 lbs		260.00					260.00
ML 1 Feeder Heifers							
200-250 lbs	320.00	270.00-295.00				290.00	289.14
250-300 lbs	295.00-320.00	285.00-295.00					293.59
300-350 lbs	300.00-320.00	265.00-290.00	302.50		290.00	275.00	291.24
350-400 lbs	282.50-305.00	260.00-285.00		257.50-277.50	295.00		279.53
400-450 lbs	270.00-290.00	260.00-280.00	277.50	270.00	280.00	250.00	276.89
450-500 lbs	265.00-277.50	260.00-270.00		252.50	300.00	260.00	263.04
500-550 lbs	251.00-267.50	245.00-260.00		245.00	260.00-270.00		255.35
550-600 lbs	247.50-257.50	245.00		232.50			248.97
600-650 lbs		235.00		230.00-232.50			231.90
650-700 lbs							

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	240.00-275.00	250.00-280.00	280.00-355.00		210.00-255.00	220.00-285.00		160.00
300-400 lbs	280.00-332.50	225.00-295.00	280.00-365.00	220.00-245.00	200.00-260.00	240.00-285.00		140.00
400-500 lbs	265.00-340.00	220.00-272.50	260.00-355.00	200.00-285.00	185.00-230.00	200.00-275.00		165.00-170.00
500-600 lbs	240.00-302.50	215.00-259.00	230.00-315.00	215.00-265.00	190.00-220.00	210.00-255.00		170.00-250.00
600-700 lbs	220.00-260.00	205.00-240.00	220.00-270.00	200.00-221.00	175.00-210.00	190.00-230.00	190.00-197.50	159.00
700-800 lbs	210.00-215.00	195.00-212.50	225.00-230.00					

Bred Cows (All Areas)

Medium and Large 1 1100-1420 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows 1-9 months bred 1215.00-2325.00 per head.

Medium and Large 2 730-1305 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows 1-9 months bred 1050.00-2325.00 per head.

Cow/Calf Pairs (All areas)

Medium and Large 1 1040-1485 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows with calves under 300 lbs 1485.00-2600.00 per pair.

Medium and Large 1 1155 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows with calves over 300 lbs 2575.00 per pair.

Medium and Large 2 890-1145 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows with calves under 300 lbs 1125.00-2425.00 per pair.

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

Receipts: 262 Last Week: 193 (Sel 1 = Thick / Sel 2 = Average / Sel 3 = Thin)

Kid: Sel 1 <20 lbs 35.00, 20-40 lbs 35.00-100.00, 40-60 lbs 55.00-142.00.

Sel 2 <20 lbs n/a, 20-40 lbs n/a, 40-60 lbs 40.00-55.00.

Nannie/Doe: Sel 1 50-70 lbs 105.00-140.00, 70-100 lbs n/a, 100-140 lbs 130.00-190.00.

Sel 2 50-70 lbs 65.00-100.00, 70-100 lbs 85.00-130.00, 100-140 lbs 100.00-130.00.

Billie/Buck: Sel 1 50-70 lbs 132.50-155.00, 70-100 lbs 127.50-230.00, 100-150 lbs 175.00-260.00, 150-250 lbs 195.00-300.00.

Sel 2 50-70 lbs 50.00-130.00, 70-100 lbs 67.50-115.00, 100-150 lbs 90.00, 150-250 lbs n/a.

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

Receipts: 265 Last Week: 264

B & G US 1-3 200-300 lbs 40.00-115.00, 300-400 lbs 50.00-115.00, 400-500 lbs 16.00-55.00, >500 lbs 50.00.

Sows US 1-3 200-300 lbs 60.00-87.50, 300-400 lbs 30.00-77.50, 400-500 lbs 10.00-107.50, >500 lbs 25.00-108.00.

Boars US 1-3 Under 300 lbs 50.00-60.00, >300 lbs 3.00.

BBQ/Roaster US 1-3 100-200 lbs 30.00-170.00.

Feeder Pigs (per head) <100 lbs 15.00-115.00

Prices Paid To Producers For Grain Delivered To Elevators & Processors							Chicago Board Of Trade			
Per Bushel As Of Thursday's Close							Date: 12/19/2024			
Locations	US2 Yellow Corn		US1 Yellow Soybeans		US2 Soft Wheat		Thursday's Closing Prices			
Grain Elevators	Cash	New Crop	Cash	New Crop	Cash	New Crop				
Anderson	5.10		9.43		4.73	5.26	Wheat			
Conway	4.45		9.33				Mar	533		
Darlington	4.65		9.43				May	543 1/2		
Estill							Jul	551		
Kingstree	4.45		9.33				Sep	566 3/4		
Lake City	4.65		9.43				Corn			
Lynchburg	4.50		9.33				Mar	440 3/4		
Nichols	4.65		9.43				May	446 1/4		
Processors							Jul	449 1/4		
Batesburg	5.20				5.41		Sep	431		
Cassatt	5.00				6.83		Dec	434 3/4		
Columbia							Mar	446 1/2		
Orangeburg							May	452 3/4		
Kershaw			9.93	10.03			Oats			
Export- Mt Pleasant			10.03	10.03			Mar	355 3/4		
Weekly Trends							May	361 1/4		
Cash	21 to 36 cents higher		14 to 24 cents lower		3 to 22 cents higher		Jul	367 1/2		
New Crop	too few bids to trend		too few bids to trend		too few bids to trend		Sep	363 1/4		
US Slaughter Sow Report			US Direct Feeder Pig Summary				Soybeans			
Actual weights & prices plant delivered			from last Friday				Receipts: 78,598			
Date	12/19/2024	Receipts	6,623		Prices are weighted average per head basis					
Wt Range	Avg Wt	Avg Price		Formula	Cash	Combin.				
300-450	398	40.45		10-12 lbs	66.21	64.71	65.47			
450-500	476	47.55		40 lbs		82.66	82.66			
500-550	523	48.50		*Delivered prices include freight and commission.*						
550 & up	583	50.27		USDA Estimated Boxed Beef						
Slaughter Cattle - Strs & Hfrs			Cut-Out Values Based On Wholesale Prices				Chicago Merc. Exchange			
In TX, OK, KS, NE, CO, IA, MN			Of Primal Cuts As Of Wednesday's Close				Thursday's Closing Prices			
5 Area Weekly Accumulated Weighted Avg.			Choice				Select			
Beef Breeds			Last Week		This Week		Feeder Cattle			
Select & Choice			Mon-Fri	Mon-Wed		Trend:		Jan	254.47	
Live Steer			194.31	194.69		down 0.79		Mar	254.57	
Live Heifer			193.85	191.50		down 2.95		Apr	255.45	
Dressed Steer			303.44	305.00		Southeast Weekly Hay Report				
Dressed Heifer			302.65	305.00		**Dollars per ton FOB**				
South Carolina Grass Fed Beef Average Retail Prices				Bermuda Grass Small Square				Live Cattle		
Ribeye	NY Strip	Sirloin	Brisket	Premium	204.5	280.00-440.00		318.23	Dec	190.35
21.49/lb	20.19/lb	14.35/lb	11.30/lb	Good					Feb	186.55
Cube Steak	Chuck Roast	Ground	Stew	Bermuda Grass Large Round					Apr	188.60
8.87/lb	10.50/lb	9.55/lb	9.00/lb	Premium	9	200.00	200.00		Jun	183.60
South Carolina Pasture Raised Pork Average Retail Prices				Good					Aug	260.22
Tenderloin	Boston Butt	Bacon	Pork Chops	Bermuda Grass Medium Round					Lean Hogs	
15.48/lb	7.14/lb	10.50/lb	11.87/lb	Premium	100.5	150.00-200.00		160.00	Feb	83.62
Ham Roast	Ground Pork	Fat Back	Sausage	Good	235.5	100.00-110.00		100.21	Apr	88.62
7.41/lb	7.89/lb	3.81/lb	8.44/lb	South Carolina Crop Production					May	92.72
North Carolina Eggs				Monthly Average Prices					Jun	100.80
Extra Lrg	Large	Medium	Small	Product / average price per ton					Jul	100.80
539.14	537.69	399.27	204.00	10-10-10	488.33	Cotton Seed	N/A	NY Cotton Exchange		
consumer grade eggs in cartons delivered to nearby retail outlets. (Wed) cents per dozen				APP 10-34-0	N/A	Lime	76.67	Thursday's Futures		
				25-S	570.00	Potash 0-0-60	473.33	Closing Prices		
				DAP 18-46-0	878.33	Urea 46-0-0	495.00	Mar	67.91	
Oklahoma National Stockyards Weekly Cattle Summary							12/18/2024		May	69.03
Feeder Cattle:									Jul	69.98
Compared to last week: Feeder steers 5.00-10.00 higher, over 800 lbs. not fully established.									Oct	68.63
Feeder heifers were fully steady. Steer calves 8.00-13.00 higher. Heifer calves steady.									Dec	69.12
Demand good. Quality average few, fancy drafts but still not as attractive as last week.									Mar	69.97
Flesh conditions from average to fleshy, few thin. The weather has been warm and dry for the season.									Southeast Spot Cotton Price	
Slaughter/Replacement Cattle:									Thursday's close	
Compared to last week: Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter bulls mostly steady.									41-4/34	31-3/35
Demand moderate to good.									66.16	70.41
Daily Eastern Area Cow and Bull Bids - Plant Delivered - Dressed Basis									Soybean Meal	
Carcass Wt	Breaking Utility 75% Lean		Boning Utility 85% Lean		Lean (Cutter) 90% Lean		48% bulk price at		SC Processing Plants	
500 lbs & up	200.00-256.00		200.00-266.00		212.00-271.00		Thursday's Close		359.20	
400-500 lbs	205.00-250.00		197.00-260.00		203.00-270.00					
350-400 lbs	202.00-235.00		196.00-250.00		196.00-260.00					
	Bulls	92%Lean	>600 lbs	232.00-275.00	Under 600	222.00-260.00				