

South Carolina Auction Cattle (Monday through Wednesday) DATE: 1/24/2025

Compared to last week, no comparisons on feeder steers, feeder heifers and feeder bulls 5.00 higher, slaughter cows 9.00 higher, slaughter bulls 7.00 higher all based on limited comparable sales due to extremely cold temperatures and inclement weather in the state.

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Auction Location	Williamston	Saluda Lvstk	Saluda Stkyrds	Darlington	Orangeburg	Laurens	Weekly Weighted Average
Receipts	504	505	170	116	not reported	not reported	
Slaughter Cows							
Breakers	136.00-145.00	138.00-148.00		133.00			142.84
Boners	135.00-150.00	127.00-151.00	125.00-148.00	125.00-140.00			140.90
High Dressing/High Yield	153.00-154.00	157.00-162.00	149.00-150.00	145.00			152.95
Lean	123.00-135.00	120.00-144.00	110.00	119.00-130.00			128.14
Lean Low Dressing	65.00-115.00	88.00-117.00	92.00				104.24
Slaughter Bulls							
950-2400lbs	132.50-169.00	152.00-174.00	107.00-164.00	141.00-170.00			150.46
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							
300-350 lbs		450.00		390.00-395.00			411.69
350-400 lbs	392.50-410.00	385.00	355.00-382.50*				390.22
400-450 lbs			375.00*				375.00
450-500 lbs	377.50		323.00				349.25
500-550 lbs	320.00		305.00				315.11
550-600 lbs							
ML 1 Feeder Bulls							
200-250 lbs	420.00	450.00-465.00	407.50				442.42
250-300 lbs	417.50-425.00	440.00-470.00	410.00	385.00			443.86
300-350 lbs	410.00-425.00	415.00-455.00	380.00-418.00	380.00-412.50			408.55
350-400 lbs	400.00-425.00	390.00-425.00	388.00-400.00				400.65
400-450 lbs	383.00-400.00		342.50-390.00				376.76
450-500 lbs	355.00-377.50						367.45
500-550 lbs	312.50-320.00		305.00				312.73
550-600 lbs	260.00						260.00
600-650 lbs							
650-700 lbs							
ML 1 Feeder Heifers							
200-250 lbs	350.00	350.00					350.00
250-300 lbs	325.00	335.00-370.00		340.00			351.77
300-350 lbs	320.00-377.50	325.00-355.00	327.50-332.50				343.62
350-400 lbs	300.00-360.00*	315.00-325.00	310.00-317.50	302.50-330.00			321.31
400-450 lbs	295.00-362.50*	305.00-322.50	300.00-320.00*	290.00			311.59
450-500 lbs	275.50-311.00*	285.00-300.00					283.24
500-550 lbs	295.00-298.00	270.00-315.00					282.45
550-600 lbs							
600-650 lbs	260.00-269.00						263.70
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		280.00-325.00	350.00-385.00		250.00-275.00	300.00-340.00		
300-400 lbs	345.00-380.00	270.00-300.00	300.00-392.50		245.00-265.00	300.00-345.00		
400-500 lbs	295.00-370.00	250.00-295.00	267.50-367.50	270.00-290.00	215.00-260.00	185.00-337.50		
500-600 lbs	270.00-320.00	240.00-265.00	260.00-320.00	260.00-290.00	200.00-230.00	220.00-295.00		
600-700 lbs	255.00-282.50	217.50-247.50	220.00-265.00	222.50-255.00	200.00-207.50	190.00-270.00		185.00
700-800 lbs	255.00-258.00	200.00-222.50			190.00-197.50	225.00		

Bred Cows (All Areas)

Medium and Large 1 850-1220 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows 1-9 months bred 1500.00-2200.00 per head.

Medium and Large 2 790-1215 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows 1-9 months bred 1175.00-1725.00 per head.

Cow/Calf Pairs (All areas)

Medium and Large 1 855-875 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows with calves under 300 lbs 1475.00-1700.00 per pair.

Medium and Large 2 845-1090 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows with calves under 300 lbs 1375.00-2750.00.

Medium and Large 2 1125 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows with calves over 300 lbs 2200.00 per pair.

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

Receipts: 63 Week Ago: 93 (Sel 1 = Thick / Sel 2 = Average / Sel 3 = Thin)
Kid: Sel 1 <20 lbs 30.00, 20-40 lbs 45.00-107.50, 40-60 lbs 75.00-100.00.
 Sel 2 <20 lbs n/a, 20-40 lbs 30.00-35.00, 40-60 lbs n/a.
Nannie/Doe: Sel 1 50-70 lbs 130.00-185.00, 70-100 lbs 110.00-180.00, 100-140 lbs 120.00-130.00.
 Sel 2 50-70 lbs n/a, 70-100 lbs n/a, 100-140 lbs 125.00.
Billie/Buck: Sel 1 50-70 lbs 110.00-170.00, 70-100 lbs 120.00-210.00, 100-150 lbs n/a, 150-250 lbs 260.00.
 Sel 2 50-70 lbs n/a, 70-100 lbs n/a, 100-150 lbs 140.00-175.00, 150-250 lbs n/a.

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

Receipts: 36 Week Ago: 192

B & G US 1-2 200-300 lbs 55.00-80.00, 300-400 lbs 71.00-72.00, 400-500 lbs n/a, >500 lbs n/a.

Sows US 1-2 200-300 lbs 76.00, 300-400 lbs 68.00, 400-500 lbs 86.00, >500 lbs 67.50.

Boars US 1-2 Under 300 lbs n/a, >300 lbs n/a.

BBQ/Roaster US 1-2 100-200 lbs 51.00-102.50.

Feeder Pigs (per head) <100 lbs none reported

Prices Paid To Producers For Grain Delivered To Elevators & Processors							Chicago Board Of Trade		
Per Bushel As Of Thursday's Close							Date: 1/23/2025		
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	5.59		10.45		4.94	5.53	Wheat		
Conway	4.94		10.35				Mar	554	
Darlington		5.19	10.65			5.61	May	567 3/4	
Estill							Jul	578 1/4	
Kingstree	4.94		10.35				Sep	591 3/4	
Lake City		5.19	10.65			5.61	Corn		
Lynchburg	4.99		10.35				Mar	489 3/4	
Nichols		5.19	10.65			5.61	May	499 1/4	
Processors								Jul	500 3/4
Batesburg	5.69						Sep	467	
Cassatt	5.64				5.75		Dec	464 1/4	
Columbia					7.04		Mar	475 1/4	
Orangeburg							May	481 1/2	
Kershaw			10.90	10.78			Oats		
Export- Mt Pleasant			10.95				Mar	367 1/4	
Weekly Trends								May	372 1/2
Cash	15 cents higher		46 cents higher		16-17 cents higher		Jul	377 1/4	
New Crop	too few bids to trend		too few bids to trend		15-19 cents higher		Sep	373	
US Slaughter Sow Report							Soybeans		
Actual weights & prices plant delivered							Mar	1065 1/2	
Date	1/23/2025	Receipts	6,411				May	1077 3/4	
Wt Range	Avg Wt	Avg Price						Jul	1088 1/2
300-450	400	53.03						Aug	1080
450-500	475	60.06						Sep	1054 3/4
500-550	523	60.28						Nov	1053 1/4
550 & up	592	60.80						Jan	1061 1/4
US Direct Feeder Pig Summary							Chicago Merc. Exchange		
from last Friday							Thursday's Closing Prices		
Receipts: 122,636							Feeder Cattle		
Prices are weighted average per head basis							Jan	277.07	
				Formula	Cash	Combin.	Mar	274.07	
10-12 lbs				67.42	84.33	79.13	Apr	272.45	
40 lbs					105.05	105.05	May	270.47	
Delivered prices include freight and commission.							Aug	272.55	
USDA Estimated Boxed Beef							Live Cattle		
Cut-Out Values Based On Wholesale Prices							Feb	201.10	
Of Primal Cuts As Of Wednesday's Close							Apr	200.72	
				Choice		Select	Jun	195.70	
				332.02		317.99	Aug	192.90	
				Trend: down 0.03		down 1.56	Oct	193.60	
Southeast Weekly Hay Report							Lean Hogs		
Dollars per ton FOB							Feb	82.12	
				Hay	Tons	Price Range	Apr	87.20	
							May	92.00	
South Carolina Grass Fed Beef Average Retail Prices							Jun	100.67	
Ribeye	NY Strip	Sirloin	Brisket					Jul	101.50
21.49/lb	20.19/lb	14.35/lb	11.30/lb					NY Cotton Exchange	
South Carolina Pasture Raised Pork Average Retail Prices							Thursday's Futures Closing Prices		
Tenderloin	Boston Butt	Bacon	Pork Chops					Mar	67.47
15.48/lb	7.14/lb	10.50/lb	11.87/lb					May	68.54
North Carolina Eggs							Jul	69.64	
Extra Lrg	Large	Medium	Small					Oct	69.83
681.51	686.83	532.76	242.00					Dec	69.46
consumer grade eggs in cartons delivered to nearby retail outlets. (Wed) cents per dozen							Mar	70.49	
Oklahoma National Stockyards Weekly Cattle Summary 1/21/2025							Southeast Spot Cotton Price		
Feeder Cattle:							Thursday's close		
Compared to last week: Feeder steers over 700lbs 2.00-4.00 lower, under 700lbs 1.00-4.00 higher. Feeder heifers steady to 5.00 lower. Steer and heifer calves steady to 4.00 higher. Demand moderate to good. Condition very uneven. Quality plain to fancy. The quality and condition contributed to a very up and down market.							41-4/34	31-3/35	
Slaughter/Replacement Cattle:							65.97	70.22	
Compared to last week: Slaughter cows and bulls not well tested. Very cold temps and some light snow reduced receipts. Demand good as cow numbers have been running light since the beginning of the year.									
Daily Eastern Area Cow and Bull Bids - Plant Delivered - Dressed Basis							Soybean Meal		
Carcass Wt	Breaking Utility 75% Lean		Bonning Utility 85% Lean		Lean (Cutter) 90% Lean		48% bulk price at		
500 lbs & up	203.00-256.00		214.00-271.00		229.00-271.00		SC Processing Plants		
400-500 lbs	210.00-250.00		208.00-264.00		214.00-270.00		Thursday's Close		
350-400 lbs	208.00-247.00		208.00-251.00		204.00-260.00		369.80		
	Bulls	92%Lean	>600 lbs	228.00-302.00	Under 600	222.00-287.00			