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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 10/24/2021 - 10/30/2021

LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

	Current Week	Last Reported 10/18/2021	Last Year
Total Receipts:	22,814	28,401	14,208
Feeder Cattle:	10,690(46.9%)	17,243(60.7%)	8,648(60.9%)
Slaughter Cattle:	5,546(24.3%)	5,414(19.1%)	2,148(15.1%)
Replacement Cattle:	6,578(28.8%)	1,972(6.9%)	3,412(24.0%)
Feeder Sheep/Lambs:	0(0.0%)	1,954(6.9%)	0(0.0%)
Slaughter Sheep/Lambs:	0(0.0%)	762(2.7%)	0(0.0%)
Feeder Goats:	0(0.0%)	345(1.2%)	0(0.0%)
Slaughter Goats:	0(0.0%)	711(2.5%)	0(0.0%)

Special Note: *Weaned calves are left untagged*

Compared to last week: Yearling steers and heifers were all too lightly tested either this week or last to develop an accurate market trend, however higher undertones were noticed on both steers and heifers. Steer calves sold uneven from 6.00 lower to 5.00 higher. Heifer calves under 500 lbs sold steady to 10.00 lower, heifer calves over 500 sold mostly steady to 3.00 higher. Quality this week was average to very attractive. Transportation continues to be the biggest factor limiting demand. Many buyers refuse to buy un-weaned calves without trucks to get them out of the yards or if they buy them they are buying them way back from the front end calves. Buyers focused on buying front end cattle and passed or discounted calves with only one round of vaccinations or average quality calves. This led to very wide price spreads often around 25.00 cwt per 50 lbs weigh break. Local yard space remains tight as many remain full of cows. Heavy rains fell in California last week and these buyers were mostly out of the market due to poor weather conditions. CME positions traded mostly lower this week. The October contract closed Thursday at 156.675, 1.25 higher; the November contract closed 157.65, 0.75 higher. Market activity was moderate. Weigh up cows sold on moderate demand for heavy offerings. The additional packer buyer that was on hand last week was not at the sale this week. Packer buyers were not as aggressive this week and prices slide lower on very heavy supplies. Slaughter cows sold mostly steady to 2.00 lower on all offerings. Feeding cows sold 3.00-6.00 lower on boning flesh cows suitable to feed to premium white. Thin fleshed cow buyers have been buying cows to hold for the holidays. These offerings sold mostly steady to 1.00 higher. A large buyer pool was seen for thin cows this week as several feeding buyers were specify looking for these type offerings. Slaughter bulls sold steady to 2.00 lower in a narrow comparison. Many long strings of cows continue to be seen. Poor nutrition and water due to the drought led to poor breeding conditions and many open cows. Young age cows sold unevenly steady. Most of these offerings are destined for the southern plains and the corn belt. Quality was average to attractive but quality varied more than last week and prices reflect the differences in quality. Supply included: 47% Feeder Cattle (51% Steers, 48% Heifers, 1% Bulls); 24% Slaughter Cattle (96% Cows, 4% Bulls); 29% Replacement Cattle (21% Stock Cows, 41% Bred Cows, 38% Bred Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 14%.

FEEDER CATTLE

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
39	250-294	259	202.50-205.00	204.49	Unweaned
10	335-340	337	197.50	197.50	
169	301-346	320	187.50-220.00	208.58	Unweaned
132	350-399	372	184.00-212.00	196.04	Unweaned

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73	403-432	409	176.00-215.00	210.68	
324	400-444	425	176.00-201.00	190.96	Unweaned
45	469-487	484	179.00-193.00	183.67	
17	450-459	454	196.00-197.00	196.42	Fancy
353	453-499	472	166.00-196.00	177.57	Unweaned
21	507-520	511	163.00-165.00	163.68	
652	500-549	522	155.00-188.50	166.02	Unweaned
65	569-574	569	166.50-167.00	166.97	Fancy
968	550-595	574	148.50-172.50	158.47	Unweaned
3	602	602	152.00	152.00	
308	601-647	621	144.00-164.00	155.29	Unweaned
8	693	693	147.00	147.00	
12	664	664	146.50	146.50	Full
158	657-690	668	144.00-163.50	157.31	Unweaned
26	743-746	745	144.00-150.50	149.25	
3	730	730	143.00	143.00	Full
19	708-730	721	153.50-159.00	156.58	Unweaned
3	755	755	148.00	148.00	
14	753	753	144.00	144.00	Unweaned
20	840	840	159.50	159.50	
6	804	804	141.50	141.50	Unweaned
30	864	864	156.50	156.50	

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>	
11	255-259	257	190.00	190.00	Unweaned
30	311-343	321	167.50-180.00	172.80	Unweaned
43	355-388	374	167.50-182.50	176.65	Unweaned
19	442	442	161.00	161.00	
84	400-442	430	149.00-180.00	168.35	Unweaned
11	470-491	483	164.00-165.00	164.35	
72	457-498	485	140.00-165.00	159.17	Unweaned
3	517	517	140.00	140.00	
48	513-547	535	140.00-155.00	149.10	Unweaned
11	594	594	144.00	144.00	
41	550-588	571	135.00-150.00	140.32	Unweaned
5	660	660	145.00	145.00	Unweaned

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>	
6	293	293	172.50	172.50	Unweaned
22	365	365	166.50	166.50	Unweaned



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20	430	430	153.00	153.00	
5	515-523	520	125.00-130.00	126.98	Unweaned

STEERS - 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>	
5	662	662	143.00	143.00	Unweaned

STEERS - 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>	
14	398	398	170.00	170.00	
3	373	373	162.00	162.00	Unweaned
6	423	423	152.50	152.50	
18	540	540	156.00	156.00	
31	504-528	519	154.00-158.00	156.50	Unweaned
4	604	604	126.00	126.00	Unweaned
33	687	687	152.50	152.50	

STEERS - Medium 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>	
15	267	267	178.00	178.00	Unweaned
21	373	373	167.50	167.50	
25	403	403	158.00	158.00	Unweaned

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>	
34	257	257	194.00	194.00	Unweaned
12	343	343	186.00	186.00	
31	314	314	201.00	201.00	Fancy
115	308-343	328	160.00-190.00	169.76	Unweaned
29	390-396	392	170.50-174.00	172.78	
224	350-399	373	158.00-183.00	166.43	Unweaned
99	416-436	430	162.00-170.50	167.47	
339	400-446	431	150.00-170.00	158.87	Unweaned
49	450-491	462	141.00-160.50	152.41	
4	454	454	174.00	174.00	Fancy
588	450-499	480	142.00-164.50	152.93	Unweaned
56	536	536	145.00	145.00	
90	516	516	154.50	154.50	Replacement
765	500-548	524	135.50-156.00	144.15	Unweaned
518	550-598	572	129.50-145.00	140.07	Unweaned
5	620-641	637	131.00-137.00	135.83	
123	600-630	615	131.00-141.75	137.93	Unweaned



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10	650	650	139.00	139.00	
73	653-690	660	127.00-142.00	138.73	Unweaned
32	716-739	722	128.50-146.00	141.52	
103	761-786	773	143.00-153.50	148.92	
5	820-822	821	138.00-139.00	138.40	
35	850-891	882	131.00-149.00	140.11	
9	900-940	922	135.00-137.00	135.87	
27	955-997	961	128.25-137.00	131.43	

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>	
48	289-293	292	153.00-170.00	156.95	Unweaned
45	308-347	336	149.00-174.00	154.88	Unweaned
9	374	374	147.50	147.50	
37	363-395	381	150.00-165.00	157.09	Unweaned
11	438	438	139.75	139.75	
26	445	445	141.00	141.00	Full
12	436-438	437	147.00-154.00	149.34	Unweaned
4	483	483	137.00	137.00	
11	465-499	479	136.00-144.00	138.50	Unweaned
17	505-541	533	128.00-141.00	138.52	Unweaned
13	575-595	588	126.50-130.00	128.66	Unweaned
4	828	828	127.50	127.50	
2	940	940	130.00	130.00	

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>	
8	338	338	140.00	140.00	
13	303	303	141.00	141.00	Unweaned
44	393	393	144.00	144.00	Unweaned

HEIFERS - 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>	
8	318	318	161.00	161.00	Unweaned
6	633-636	635	125.00-131.00	128.01	Unweaned
12	862	862	135.00	135.00	
4	1004	1004	136.75	136.75	
23	1058	1058	134.00	134.00	

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>	
23	309-326	322	151.00-160.00	157.74	Unweaned



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11	385	385	145.00	145.00	Unweaned
9	455	455	143.00	143.00	Unweaned
22	640-644	642	145.00-148.00	146.63	
5	788	788	140.00	140.00	

HEIFERS - Medium 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>	
16	361-384	367	130.00-141.00	138.12	

HEIFERS - Small and 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>	
12	496	496	121.00	121.00	Unweaned

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>	
5	347	347	185.00	185.00	Unweaned
10	353-385	366	175.00-180.00	177.90	Unweaned
5	407	407	168.00	168.00	Unweaned
22	490-496	491	147.00-158.00	149.52	Unweaned
14	500-540	526	132.50-148.00	141.34	Unweaned
7	552-598	576	130.00-147.00	141.44	Unweaned
6	625	625	145.00	145.00	Unweaned
3	725	725	120.00-130.00	123.33	Unweaned

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>	
23	386-390	389	142.50-152.50	150.34	Unweaned

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>	
7	400	400	129.00	129.00	

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>	
10	592	592	130.00	130.00	

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>
19	1386-1685	1546	63.00-68.00	65.83	Average
1	2030	2030	62.50	62.50	Average Heavy Weight
10	1525-1693	1582	64.00-67.50	65.98	Average Return to Feed



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4	1495-1667	1624	71.00-72.00	71.23	High
20	1320-1728	1622	52.00-64.50	60.09	Low
8	1407-1720	1518	53.00-57.50	54.74	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>
29	1290-1650	1387	52.00-62.00	55.64	Average
228	1245-1685	1425	52.00-64.00	59.48	Average Return to Feed
107	1293-1620	1396	64.00-68.50	65.49	High Return to Feed
114	1308-1655	1425	42.00-53.00	46.30	Low
295	1075-1685	1393	42.50-55.50	49.40	Low Return to Feed
1	1475	1475	40.50	40.50	Very Low
1	1435	1435	39.50	39.50	Very 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>
93	1050-1475	1256	46.00-53.00	48.72	Average
2	923	923	47.00	47.00	Average Light Weight
854	945-1540	1203	46.00-58.00	49.97	Average Return to Feed
25	1179-1339	1258	56.50-66.00	60.33	High Return to Feed
207	1007-1500	1167	38.00-46.00	42.62	Low
1	865	865	46.00	46.00	Low Light Weight
674	1013-1375	1171	38.00-48.50	45.22	Low Return to Feed
70	988-1400	1136	31.00-39.50	34.12	Very Low
25	805-991	943	22.00-37.50	31.97	Very Low Light Weight
152	765-1310	1075	32.00-42.00	39.01	Very Low Return to Feed

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>
30	1445-2320	1798	75.00-85.00	80.33	Average
28	1245-1860	1597	75.00-83.00	79.16	Average Return to Feed
5	1920-2225	2085	89.00-94.00	91.29	High
1	2570	2570	85.00	85.00	High Heavy Weight
39	1380-2115	1798	61.00-78.00	72.05	Low
13	1185-1873	1558	63.00-75.00	71.78	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	494	781-1255	931	63.00-119.00	96.41	
<2	O	1	750	750	85.00	85.00	Thin Fleshed
2-4	O	465	795-1315	1015	48.00-95.50	75.23	



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2-4	O	17	880-1195	960	41.00-58.00	48.59	Thin Fleshed
2-8	O	44	891-1369	1249	45.00-78.00	52.75	
2-8	O	39	895-1140	1023	38.00-45.00	43.66	Thin Fleshed
5-8	O	4	1391	1391	46.00	46.00	
5-8	O	2	983	983	44.00	44.00	Thin Fleshed
>5	O	40	1360-1470	1429	48.00-49.00	48.02	
>5	O	28	885-1143	1084	36.00-47.00	44.59	Thin Fleshed

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	9	845-1055	934	60.00-75.00	67.79	
2-4	O	1	990	990	47.00	47.00	Thin Fleshed

BRED 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>	
2-4	T1	8	1196	1196	71.00	71.00	
>5	T1	24	1330-1340	1334	57.50-62.00	60.30	
>5	T1-2	21	1248-1581	1411	56.50-73.00	59.09	
>5	T2	8	1141	1141	52.50	52.50	Thin Fleshed
>8	T1	35	1440-1499	1457	54.50	54.50	Broken Mouth
>8	T1	11	1253	1253	47.50	47.50	Thin Fleshed
>8	T1-2	3	1375	1375	54.50	54.50	Thin Fleshed

BRED COWS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Head / 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	T1	167	924-1400	1064	1000.00-1725.00	1402.33	
2-4	T1	32	897-1109	997	950.00-1125.00	1012.52	Thin Fleshed
2-4	T1-2	130	1059-1383	1200	1025.00-2350.00	1733.76	
2-4	T2	1257	903-1435	1108	1150.00-2575.00	1983.99	
2-4	T2	12	1177	1177	1425.00	1425.00	Fleshy
2-4	T2	19	956-1188	1056	1185.00-1310.00	1224.36	Thin Fleshed
2-4	T3	3	1078	1078	1275.00	1275.00	
2-8	T1	3	1202	1202	1125.00	1125.00	
2-8	T1-2	3	1143	1143	1150.00	1150.00	
5-8	T1	37	1018-1415	1251	875.00-1100.00	982.56	
5-8	T1-2	4	1375	1375	950.00	950.00	
5-8	T2	82	1130-1392	1231	1010.00-1300.00	1124.33	
>5	T1-2	65	1290-1313	1303	925.00-1125.00	980.80	
>5	T2	157	1208-1493	1357	850.00-1075.00	972.39	
>8	T1-2	43	1286-1339	1308	725.00-750.00	739.29	Broken Mouth
>8	T2	126	1198-1507	1291	700.00-875.00	810.51	Broken Mouth
>8	T2	13	1145	1145	600.00	600.00	Thin Fleshed



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BRED COWS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Head / 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	39	1242-1302	1262	975.00-1075.00	1009.39
>5	T2	3	1187	1187	825.00	825.00

BRED HEIFERS - 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>
2-4	T1	10	906	906	129.00	129.00

BRED HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Head / 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	T1	19	936	936	1110.00	1110.00	
2-4	T2	2052	875-1077	1027	1325.00-2050.00	1760.52	
2-4	T2	13	950	950	1135.00	1135.00	Thin Fleshed

BRED HEIFERS - Medium 1 (Per Head / 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	27	784-906	814	900.00-1025.00	1004.39

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; 1 = 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.