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Direct Livestock Weighted Average Report for week ending 12/20/2024

Direct Livestock

		This Week	Last Reported (12/13/2024)	Last Year (12/22/2023)
Total Direct Receipts:		2,201	5,211	4,350
Feeder Cattle	DEL	2,018 (91.7%)	3,283 (63.0%)	3,151 (72.4%)
	FOB	183 (8.3%)	1,928 (37.0%)	1,199 (27.6%)
Total Receipts:		2,201	5,211	4,350

Compared to last week: Feeder steers and heifers traded mostly steady. Buyer demand was good, but movement slowed some this week ahead of next weeks holiday. Supply included: 100% Feeder Cattle (37.5% Steers, 62.5% Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 100%. Unless otherwise noted, Feeder Cattle prices FOB based on net weights after a2-3% shrink or equivalent, with a 8-12 cent slide > 600 lbs. Livestock reported this week originated from CO, KS, MS, OK, TX.

FEEDER CATTLE

DIRECT TRADES

Steers - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt)

<u>Delivery/Freight</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
Current DEL	522	658 - 669	659	275.00	275.00
	65	775	775	259.00	259.00
	175	875	875	247.00 - 248.00	247.67
	63	968	968	239.00	239.00

Heifers - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt)

<u>Delivery/Freight</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
Current FOB	63	775	775	240.00	240.00
	120	860	860	225.75	225.75
Current DEL	565	675 - 680	676	250.00 - 258.00	253.04
	72	726	726	243.50	243.50
	203	775 - 776	775	236.00 - 244.00	241.12
	63	834	834	233.50	233.50
Jan DEL	290	825	825	238.00	238.00

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.