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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 2/3/2026 - Final

**AUCTION**

	This Week	Last Reported 1/27/2026	Last Year
<b>Total Receipts:</b>	1,200	707	670
<b>Feeder Cattle:</b>	720(60.0%)	619(87.6%)	296(44.2%)
<b>Slaughter Cattle:</b>	186(15.5%)	55(7.8%)	199(29.7%)
<b>Replacement Cattle:</b>	294(24.5%)	33(4.7%)	175(26.1%)

Compared to last week (1-27-26): 500-699 lbs steers offered the best test this week selling mostly 5.00-10.00 higher in a narrow comparison. All other weights of steers were to lightly tested to develop a full market trend, however steady to firm undertones were noticed. Heifers were all too lightly tested last week to develop an accurate market trend, however steady to higher undertones were noticed. Demand for all feeders was good to very good on light to moderate offerings. Demand for light weight cattle suitable to develop into yearlings was mostly very good again this week. Quality this week was average to attractive. Some backgrounded offerings were pushing moderate plus to fleshy conditions this week. Most cattle were offered in smaller groups this week with no full load lots on offer. Heifer demand was very good as feeders and ranchers looking for replacements showed very good demand for heifers 600 lbs and heavier. CME positions continue their march higher, driven by tight supplies and a bullish cattle inventory report that showed continued heard contraction. CME positions added another day of triple digit higher movement as traders reflect on the estimated cow inventory of 86.2 million head, the smallest since 1951 and the smallest calf crop since 1941. Market activity was mostly active this week with a slightly smaller buyer pool noticed compared to last week. Weigh up cows sold on moderate to good demand for light offerings. Feeding demand continues to drive the cow market as buyers all showed good to very good demand for high quality cows to feed. Feeding cows sold mostly steady to 4.00 higher despite fewer feeding buyers in the stands. Cow quality this week was average to very attractive and overall more attractive compared to last week. Slaughter cows were too lightly tested to develop an accurate market trend, however steady undertones were noticed on all offerings. Slaughter bulls were too lightly tested last week to develop an accurate market trend, however steady to lower undertones were noticed. Young age cows were too lightly tested to develop an accurate market trend, however higher undertones were noticed. Quality this week was mostly average. Supply included: 60% Feeder Cattle (40% Steers, 60% Heifers); 16% Slaughter Cattle (81% Cows, 19% Bulls); 25% Replacement Cattle (18% Stock Cows, 64% Bred Cows, 18% Bred Heifers). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 50%.

**FEEDER CATTLE****STEERS - 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>	
1	340	340	650.00	650.00	
1	355	355	620.00	620.00	
23	433-439	437	585.00-600.00	588.87	
2	450	450	580.00	580.00	
26	504-540	526	514.00-535.00	523.74	
30	565-595	573	460.00-484.50	479.75	
53	607-630	610	436.00-455.00	452.32	
18	639	639	415.00	415.00	Fleshy
25	661	661	427.50	427.50	
26	695	695	377.50	377.50	Fleshy
12	718-745	732	382.00-384.00	383.02	



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14	935	935	307.50	307.50	Fleshy
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**STEERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
2	268	268	660.00	660.00
2	383	383	605.00	605.00
3	418-425	420	570.00	570.00
8	497	497	527.00	527.00
2	545	545	495.00	495.00
8	600-609	608	435.00-439.00	438.51

**STEERS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
3	765	765	359.00	359.00

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
6	395	395	561.00	561.00	
33	460-494	474	490.00-506.00	494.23	
121	500-547	533	451.00-490.00	460.14	
3	572	572	419.00	419.00	
7	596	596	390.00	390.00	Fleshy
38	590	590	422.00	422.00	Replacement
55	605-633	611	400.00-405.00	401.37	
92	668-670	669	386.00-393.00	388.29	
26	653-654	654	392.00-407.50	399.74	Replacement

**HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
2	323	323	540.00	540.00
11	406-425	411	507.50-540.00	516.17
2	695	695	345.00	345.00

**SLAUGHTER CATTLE****COWS - Breaker 75-80% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
1	1775	1775	162.00	162.00	Average
11	1499-1640	1512	168.00-169.00	168.90	Average Return to Feed
7	1330	1330	174.00	174.00	High Return to Feed
3	1455-1960	1648	131.00-155.00	147.01	Low
3	1655-1663	1660	151.00-158.00	155.67	Low Return to Feed



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**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>
1	1450	1450	146.00	146.00	Average
16	1105-1495	1370	162.00-173.00	168.10	Average Return to Feed
1	1345	1345	147.00	147.00	High
59	1220-1432	1361	175.00-179.00	176.52	High Return to Feed
1	1350	1350	122.00	122.00	Low
4	1245-1505	1391	130.00-155.00	147.04	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>
5	1115-1195	1158	122.00-132.50	129.14	Average
1	910	910	123.00	123.00	Average Light Weight
3	1030-1200	1103	159.00-164.00	162.06	Average Return to Feed
4	1153-1260	1207	170.00-173.00	171.57	High Return to Feed
1	1095	1095	106.00	106.00	Low
8	1025-1225	1147	122.50-150.00	138.80	Low Return to Feed
1	1245	1245	85.00	85.00	Very Low

**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>
10	1530-2160	1895	176.00-185.00	181.95	Average
6	1455-1720	1580	175.00-182.00	179.14	Average Return to Feed
1	1845	1845	191.00	191.00	High
7	1440-1835	1643	155.00-175.00	167.09	Low
2	1435-1680	1558	150.00-172.00	160.13	Low Return to Feed

**BULLS - 2-3 (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>
2	2348	2348	178.00	178.00	Average
2	2293	2293	190.00	190.00	High
1	2530	2530	178.00	178.00	High Heavy Weight

**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	5	712-1235	820	232.00-327.50	290.93
2-4	O	30	770-1350	1066	182.00-320.00	248.19
2-8	O	8	1331	1331	183.00	183.00

**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>
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2-4	O	6	785-1185	1051	176.00-280.00	218.04
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**STOCK COWS - 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	O	1	970	970	250.00	250.00

**BRED COWS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Unit / 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	T2-3	60	1022-1272	1143	4450.00-4660.00	4562.97
5-8	T2-3	39	1311	1311	4525.00	4525.00
>5	T2-3	38	1300	1300	4185.00	4185.00
>8	T2-3	33	1268	1268	3325.00	3325.00

Broken Mouth

**BRED COWS - Medium 1 (Per Unit / 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	T2-3	3	895	895	3500.00	3500.00

**BRED HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Unit / 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	T2-3	45	985	985	3950.00	3950.00

**BRED HEIFERS - Medium 1 (Per Unit / 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	T2-3	3	893	893	3550.00	3550.00

**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.

**Explanatory Notes:**

Stage (Cattle) - Represents pregnancy stage (O = open; T1 = 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.