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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 12/15/2025 - Final

AUCTION

	This Week	Last Reported 12/8/2025	Last Year
Total Receipts:	386	492	405
Slaughter Cattle:	274(71.0%)	344(69.9%)	215(53.1%)
Replacement Cattle:	112(29.0%)	148(30.1%)	190(46.9%)

Special Note: *** This was the last regular Monday slaughter/replacement cattle sale of 2025. Monday sales will resume January 5th, 2026.***

Compared to last week, slaughter cows and bulls sold unevenly steady, from 2.00 lower to 3.00 higher. Demand was good on a moderate supply. Supply included: 71% Slaughter Cattle (90% Cows, 10% Bulls); 29% Replacement Cattle (26% Stock Cows, 58% Bred Cows, 3% Bred Heifers, 10% Cow-Calf Pairs, 2% Bulls).

SLAUGHTER CATTLE

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

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
36	1329-1845	1500	149.00-164.00	154.62	Average
4	1465-1820	1609	164.00-166.50	165.37	High
17	1185-1685	1482	145.00-149.00	146.74	Low

COWS - Boner 80-85% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
72	1035-1420	1282	149.00-160.00	154.65	Average
2	1405-1435	1420	163.00-170.00	166.54	High
11	1025-1400	1260	135.00-147.00	145.08	Low

COWS - Lean 85-90% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
38	910-1340	1137	125.00-147.00	136.53	Average
20	855-1280	1040	110.00-127.00	117.85	Low
8	850-1095	972	85.00-105.00	94.17	Very Low

BULLS - 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
12	1270-2060	1725	182.50-207.00	188.48	Average
7	1765-2240	2034	207.00-223.00	215.58	High
5	1390-2030	1618	170.00-181.00	175.50	Low

REPLACEMENT CATTLE

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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	4	810-1050	929	217.00-270.00	244.36
2-4	O	15	808-1280	984	177.00-289.00	229.24
2-8	O	5	1044-1045	1044	187.50-202.00	199.10

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>
2-8	T2-3	22	1188-1642	1448	3350.00-3850.00	3603.47

BRED COWS - Medium and Large 1-2 (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>
2-8	T1	4	1188-1260	1222	1900.00-2800.00	2503.95
2-8	T2-3	14	950-1718	1331	2200.00-3000.00	2627.18
>8	T2-3	13	1005-1455	1338	2000.00-2925.00	2450.28

BRED HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (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	1	965	965	2300.00	2300.00
2-4	T2-3	2	865	865	2600.00	2600.00

COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/ >300 lbs calf (Per Unit / Estimate 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>
2-8	T1	1	1660	1660	4400.00	4400.00

COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 1-2 w/ 150-300 lbs calf (Per Unit / Estimate 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>
2-8	O	3	1400-1675	1492	3500.00-3750.00	3666.67
>8	O	4	1382-1410	1389	2700.00-3400.00	2875.00

COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 1-2 w/ >300 lbs calf (Per Unit / Estimate 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>
2-8	O	1	1245	1245	3550.00	3550.00

BULLS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Unit / Actual Wt)

<u>Age</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
2-4	2	1765-1995	1880	4550.00-5000.00	4761.24



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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.