



Western Video Market Livestock Video/Internet Auction - Cottonwood, CA

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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 1/29/2026 (Final)

VIDEO AUCTION

This Week			Last Reported (1/6/2026)			
Offered	Reported	% PO	Offered	Reported	% PO	
Total Receipts:	8,867	8,723	1.1%	9,750	8,892	8.8%
Feeder Cattle:	8,186	8,138 (93.29%)		9,500	8,642 (97.19%)	9.0%
Slaughter Cattle:				179	179 (2.01%)	
Replacement Cattle:	681	585 (6.71%)	14.1%	71	71 (.8%)	

First reported sale in three weeks so comparison not applicable, however a higher undertone noted. Buyers bid readily throughout the day from in house buyers, buyers on the call in phone lines and on the internet. All cattle longtime weaned, fully vaccinated from reputation sellers from across the Western and Central areas of the Nation. Feeder cattle supply comprised of 89% from the West, 7% from the North Central, with the balance from the South Central. Deliveries are current through August. Current delivery is 14 days from the last day of the sale and is up to and including February 12, 2026. Value added commented cattle have at least two or more "Special Programs" listed for the lot. Supply included: 92% Feeder Cattle (52% Steers, 24% Heifers, 10% Beef/Dairy Steers, 14% Beef/Dairy Heifers); 8% Replacement Cattle (41% Bred Cows, 29% Bred Heifers, 20% Cow-Calf Pairs, 10% Heifer Pairs). Feeder cattle over 600 lbs was 80%. Feeder Cattle prices FOB based on net weights after a 3-24% pencil shrink or equivalent, with a 8-233 cent slide > 600 lbs and 25-30 cent slide < 600 lbs.

FEEDER CATTLE

North Central
(CO, IA, MT, ND, NE, SD, WY)

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

<u>Delivery</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
Current	75	760	760	376.00	376.00

HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
Current	140	715	715	355.00	355.00

BEEF/DAIRY HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
Feb	350	850	850	320.00	320.00



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South Central

(KS, MO, NM, OK, TX)

BEEF/DAIRY STEERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
Jul	90	550	550	464.00	464.00
Aug	90	550	550	464.00	464.00

BEEF/DAIRY HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
Jul	95	515	515	445.00	445.00
Aug	95	515	515	445.00	445.00

West

(AZ, CA, ID, NV, OR, UT, WA)

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

<u>Delivery</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
Current	40	515	515	520.00	520.00	Split Loads
	89	545	545	517.50	517.50	Value Added
	78	625	625	457.50	457.50	Value Added
	228	665 - 670	668	432.50 - 435.00	433.35	Value Added
	84	690	690	435.00	435.00	
	165	755	755	386.00	386.00	Value Added
	126	825	825	365.00	365.00	Value Added
	140	860	860	367.50	367.50	Value Added
	230	860	860	360.00	360.00	
	104	935	935	367.50	367.50	Value Added
Feb	585	630	630	450.00 - 460.00	458.72	Value Added
	172	630	630	429.00	429.00	
	70	680	680	435.00	435.00	Value Added
	260	730	730	370.00	370.00	
	481	750 - 775	760	378.00 - 385.00	382.24	Value Added
	420	760 - 780	767	360.00 - 385.00	377.66	
	220	850	850	357.00	357.00	Value Added
	55	925	925	340.00	340.00	
Mar	51	975	975	352.50	352.50	
	60	800	800	350.00	350.00	
	195	950	950	349.00	349.00	Value Added



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STEERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
Current	90	570 - 575	572	395.00 - 475.00	426.28	Split Loads
Feb	74	645	645	390.00	390.00	
	65	850	850	344.00	344.00	

STEERS - Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
Current	48	1225	1,225	225.00	225.00

BEEF/DAIRY STEERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
Current	118	415	415	537.50	537.50
	190	530	530	460.00	460.00
	77	650	650	390.00	390.00
	260	755	755	345.00	345.00

HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
Current	65	515	515	490.00	490.00	Split Loads
	85	530	530	460.00	460.00	
	45	575	575	450.00	450.00	Split Loads
	159	625 - 635	630	400.00 - 412.50	406.08	Value Added
Feb	86	680	680	392.50	392.50	
	88	540	540	465.00	465.00	Value Added
	420	600	600	417.50 - 420.00	419.52	Value Added
	90	660	660	405.00	405.00	Value Added
	160	700 - 740	720	345.00 - 354.00	349.38	
	600	800	800	343.00	343.00	

HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
Current	30	550	550	370.00	370.00	Split Loads

BEEF/DAIRY HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
Current	120	405	405	490.00	490.00
	270	540	540	400.00	400.00



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BEEF/DAIRY HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
	210	680	680	361.00	361.00

REPLACEMENT CATTLE

West
(AZ, CA, ID, NV, OR, UT, WA)

BRED COWS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Head / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<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>
Current	5-8	T2-3	37	1400	1,400	3900.00	3900.00
	5-8	T3	37	1350	1,350	3900.00	3900.00
	>8	T3	37	1350	1,350	3400.00	3400.00
Apr	2-4	T1	90	1150	1,150	3950.00 - 4100.00	4025.00

BRED HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Head / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<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>
Mar	2-4	T1	40	1025	1,025	5000.00	5000.00
Mar-Apr	<2	T2	12	1075	1,075	4700.00	4700.00

BRED HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Head / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<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>
Current	2-4	T3	113	1050 - 1300	1,142	3850.00 - 4400.00	4131.29
Feb	2-4	T3	11	1200	1,200	4400.00	4400.00

COW-CALF PAIRS - Medium and Large 1-2 w/150-300 calf (Per Head / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<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>
Current	2-8	O	12	1350	1,350	4600.00	4600.00
	Feb	2-4	35	1150	1,150	4800.00	4800.00
	5-8	O	66	1200	1,200	4600.00 - 5250.00	4925.00
Feb-Mar	2-4	O	25	1150	1,150	4950.00	4950.00

HEIFER PAIRS - Medium and Large 1 w/150-300 calf (Per Head / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<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>
Current	<2	O	10	1150	1,150	6000.00	6000.00



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HEIFER PAIRS - Medium and Large 1-2 w/150-300 calf (Per Head / Est. Wt)

<u>Delivery</u>	<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>
Current	<2	O	22	1100	1,100	5000.00	5000.00
Apr	<2	O	38	1100	1,100	4900.00	4900.00

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; E = Exposed; B = Bred)

Age - Numerical representation of age in years