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Farm Market Report

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Hay Market Reports

Compiled by USDA Market News Service • St. Joseph, Mo.-Portland

Hay prices are dollars per ton or dollars per bale when sold to retail outlets. Basis is current delivery FOB barn or stack, or delivered customer as indicated. Grade guidelines used in this report have the following relationship to Relative Feed Value (RFV), Acid Detergent Fiber (ADF), TDN (Total Digestible Nutrients), or Crude Protein (CP) test numbers:

GRADE	RFV	ADF	TDN	CP
SUPREME	185+	<27	55.9+	22+
PREMIUM	170-185	27-29	54.5-55.9	20-22
GOOD	150-170	29-32	52.5-54.5	18-20
FAIR	130-150	32-35	50.5-52.5	16-18
UTILITY	<130	36+	<50.5	<16

WASHINGTON-OREGON HAY
(Columbia Basin)
(USDA Market News)
July 13

This week FOB	*Last week*	*Last year*
15,282	*11,200*	*25,400*

Compared to June 6: Export and domestic Alfalfa steady to weak. Timothy for export steady. Trade moderate to active with moderate demand. High testing Alfalfa is in short supply. Tariff increase to China went from 7.5 percent to now 32.5 percent. Note that commodities in general are struggling this week thanks to the announcement of another large round of tariffs imposed on Chinese goods. Furthermore, China is expected to retaliate. In short, the trade war appears to be worsening. Most Chinese hay exporters have pulled off the market. Retail/Feed store steady.

		Tons	Price
Alfalfa	Mid Square		
	Supreme	32	210.00
	Prem/Exp	200	190.00
	Good	700	187.14
	Export	2700	175.74
	Fair	2700	145.37
	Export	750	160.00
Alfalfa	Small Square		
	Prem/Ret/Stab	800	224.69
	Good/Exp	250	200.00
Alfalfa/Orchard Mix	Small Square		
	Prem/Ret/Stab	250	240.00
Orchard Grass	Small Square		
	Prem/Ret/Stab	200	235.00
Timothy Grass	Mid Square		
	Good/Exp	2000	247.50
	Fair/Exp	2000	220.00
Forage Mix-Three Way	Mid Square		
	Fair	700	125.00
Bluegrass Straw	Mid Square		
	Fair/Exp	2000	60.00

OREGON AREA HAY
(USDA Market News)
July 13

This week FOB	*Last week*	*Last year*
19,393	*873*	*11,151*

Compared to July 6: Prices trended generally steady compared to last week prices. Retail/Stable type hay remains the most demanded hay. Demand for export hay has improved since last report. Most hay growers have cut 2018 hay and are selling now. Recent rains in the growing areas have created a large supply rain damaged hay. All sales in this report are 2018 crop year hay, unless noted by Old Crop.

		Tons	Price
CROOK, DESCHUTES, JEFFERSON, WASCO COUNTIES:			
Alfalfa	Large Square		
	Good/Prem	800	185.00
	Small Square		
	Good/Prem/Ret/Stab	50	210.00
Orchard Grass	Small Square		
	Prem/Ret/Stab	63	235.00
	Good/Prem/Ret/Stab	50	215.00
Mixed Grass 7-Way	Small Square		
	Good/Prem/Ret/Stab	20	200.00
Orchard/Triticale Mix	Small Square		
	Good/Ret/Stab	50	175.00
EASTERN OREGON:			
Alfalfa	Large Square		
	Good/Rain	1100	140.00
Orchard Grass	Small Square		
	Prem/Ret/Stab	5	175.00
HARNEY COUNTY:			
Alfalfa	Large Square		
	Good	850	192.00
Mixed Grass	Large Square		
	Good	350	150.00
KLAMATH BASIN:			
Alfalfa	Small Square		
	Fair/Rain	100	122.50
LAKE COUNTY:			
Alfalfa	Large Square		
	Supreme	1500	225.00
	Export	4050	226.85
	Org/Export	1100	260.00
	Rain Damage	510	210.00
	Export, Rain Dam	310	220.00
	Premium	245	200.71
	Export	4600	220.00
	Organic	400	240.00
	Good/Prem/Rain	550	175.00
	Good/OC/Rain	300	180.00
	Rain Damage	50	185.00
	Fair/Rain	300	165.00
	Small Square		
	Prem/Exp	125	200.00
	Org/Rain Dam	50	250.00
	Ret/Stab	30	200.00
Alfalfa/Grass Mix	Small Square		
	Org/Prem/Rain	25	225.00
Timothy Grass	Large Square		
	Premium	600	285.00
	Retail/Stable	500	350.00
Barley	Large Square		
	Good	710	120.00

IDAHO HAY
(USDA Market News)
July 13

This week FOB	*Last week*	*Last year*
20,630	*12,100*	*42,900*

Compared to July 6: Alfalfa and Timothy steady. Trade active with good demand especially for export Timothy and non-rained on dairy hay for immediate take out. Most dairies continue paying 1.00 per point per RFV. Note that commodities in general are struggling this week thanks to the announcement of another large round of tariffs imposed on Chinese goods. Furthermore, China is expected to retaliate. In short, the trade war appears to be worsening. Retail/Feed store steady.

		Tons	Price
Alfalfa	Mid Square		
	Supreme	500	200.00
	Prem/Supr	1000	190.00
	Good/Prem/From Field	350	115.00
	Good	500	150.00
	Contracted	1000	134.00
	Export	1600	144.69
	Fair	200	135.00
	Util/Bleached	400	95.00
Alfalfa	Small Square		
	Fair	30	180.00
Orchard Grass	Small Square		
	Prem/Rain	200	200.00
	Ret/Stab	550	218.18
Timothy Grass	Mid Square		
	Good	300	250.00
	Export	2000	237.50
	Fair/Export	8000	197.50
	Util/Export	4000	167.50

Potato Market Reports

Compiled by North American Potato Market News and USDA Agricultural Market Service

Prices are weekly averages of daily prices. All prices are in dollars per hundredweight (cwt.). FWA is a weighted average of shipping point prices or common packs in each area. Weights differ by area. GRI is the Grower Returns Index for each individual area.

FRESH RUSSET POTATO MARKET REPORT
(North American Potato Market News)
(USDA Market News)
July 14

Shipping Area							
FWA	*Chg*	*GRI*	*Chg*	*70 ct*	*Chg*	*10# Film*	*Chg*
Idaho Burbanks							
$15.34	$0.18	$6.88	$0.11	$27.00	$0.00	$9.00	$0.50
San Luis Valley							
$21.54	$0.15	$13.89	$0.13	$33.00	$0.50	$17.50	$0.00
Columbia Basin							
$19.16	$0.37	$9.32	$0.23	$30.00	$1.00	$12.00	$0.00
Wisconsin							
$23.90	$0.85	$15.10	$0.68	$39.00	$0.50	$20.00	$0.50

Sheep/Wool Market Reports

Compiled by USDA Market News Service • Greeley, Colo.-San Angelo, Texas

Sheep prices in dollars per hundredweight (cwt.) except some replacement animals on per head basis as indicated.

NATIONAL WOOL REVIEW
(USDA Market News
July 13

Domestic wool trading on a clean or greasy basis was at a standstill this week. No confirmed trades were reported.

NATIONAL SHEEP SUMMARY
(USDA Market News)
San Angelo, Texas
July 13

Weekly Trends: Compared to two weeks ago slaughter lambs were mostly steady, instances 5.00-15.00 higher. Slaughter ewes were steady to 5.00 higher. Feeder lambs were not well tested. At San Angelo, Texas, 7335 head sold. No sales in Equity Electronic Auction. In direct trading no recent comparison on slaughter ewes and feeder lambs. 4500 head of negotiated sales of slaughter lambs were steady to 5.00 lower. 2,609 lamb carcasses sold with all weights no trend due to confidentiality. All sheep sold per hundred weight (CWT) unless otherwise specified.

Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 2-3 90-160 lbs:

San Angelo: shorn and wooled 100-125 lbs 120.00-125.00.

VA: wooled 110-125 lbs 152.50-230.00.

PA: shorn and wooled 90-110 lbs 210.00-230.00; 110-130 lbs 205.00; 130-150 lbs 205.00.

Ft. Collins, CO: no test.

South Dakota: shorn and wooled 115-165 lbs 148.00-157.50.

Kalona, IA: wooled 110-130 lbs 153.00-162.00.

Billings, MT: no test.

Missouri: 100-145 lbs 140.00-152.00.

Equity Elec: no sales.

Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 1-2:

San Angelo: 40-60 lbs 164.00-182.00, few 184.00-194.00; 60-70 lbs 153.00-169.00, few 145.00-148.00 and few 172.00-176.00; 70-80 lbs 138.00-150.00, few 154.00; 80-90 lbs 135.00-148.00, few 162.00; 90-110 lbs 130.00-142.00.

Pennsylvania: 40-50 lbs 180.00-227.00; 50-60 lbs 190.00-215.00; 60-70 lbs 190.00-220.00; 70-80 lbs 180.00-200.00; 80-90 lbs 175.00-205.00.

Kalona, IA: 45-60 lbs 172.50-185.00; 60-70 lbs 169.00-179.00; 70-80 lbs 165.00-177.00; 80-90 lbs 165.00-167.50; 90-110 lbs 156.00-166.00.

Ft. Collins: no test.

Missouri: 50-80 lbs 150.00-160.00; 80-100 lbs 145.00-157.50.

Virginia: 60-80 lbs 180.00-240.00; 80-110 lbs 160.00-240.00.

South Dakota: 80-90 lbs 147.00-155.00; 90-110 lbs 147.00-153.00.

Billings, MT: no test.

Direct Trading: (lambs fob with 3-4 percent shrink or equivalent)

4500: Slaughter Lambs shorn and wooled 129-176 lbs 135.00-180.00 (wtd avg 162.44).

CA: 1700: Feeder Lambs shorn 90-95 lbs 155.00; shorn 85-95 lbs 152.00 del; wooled 95-110 lbs 152.00.

500: Feeder Lambs pool 100-110 lbs 145.00.

OR: 600: Feeder Lambs 95-100 lbs 140.00.

TX: 400: Feeder Lambs 60-75 lbs 156.00.

UT: 700: Slaughter Ewes Utility and Good 1-3 60.00; Utility 1-2 45.00.

Slaughter Ewes:

San Angelo: Good 3-4 (very fleshy) no test; Good 2-3 (fleshy) 35.00-54.00; Utility and Good 1-3 (medium flesh) 55.00-70.00, high-yielding 74.00-79.00; Utility 1-2 (thin) 45.00-55.00; Cull and Utility 1-2 (very thin) 38.00-45.00; Cull 1 (extremely thin) 20.00-35.00.

Pennsylvania: Good 3-4 (very fleshy) no test; Good 2-3 (fleshy) 70.00-105.00; Utility 1-2 (thin) 55.00-75.00; Cull 1 65.00-70.00.

Ft. Collins: Good 3-5 (very fleshy) no test; Good 2-3 (fleshy) no test; Utility 1-2 (thin) no test; Cull 1 (extremely thin) no test.

Billings, MT: Good 3-4 (very fleshy) no test; Good 2-3 (fleshy) no test; Utility 1-2 (thin) no test; Cull and Utility 1-2 (very thin) no test; Cull 1 no test.

So Dakota: Good 3-4 (very fleshy) 36.00-56.00; Good 2-3 (fleshy) 43.00-55.00; Utility 1-2 (thin) 40.00-46.00; Cull 1 31.00-36.00.

Missouri: Good 2-4 50.00-69.00; Utility 1-2 30.00-50.00.

Virginia: Good 2-4 87.00-125.00.

Kalona: Good 3-4 (very fleshy) no test; Good 2-3 (fleshy) 63.00-73.00; Utility and Good 1-2 (medium flesh) 57.00-63.00; Utility 1-2 (thin) 45.00-62.00; Cull 1 7.00.

Feeder Lambs: Medium and Large 1-2:

San Angelo: 50-90 lbs 150.00-162.00.

Virginia: no test.

Ft. Collins: no test.

Billings: no test.

Kalona: no test.

So Dakota: 46 lbs 220.00; 50-60 lbs 184.00-207.50; 65 lbs 185.00; 70-80 lbs 150.00-170.00; 80-90 lbs 147.00-160.00; 90-100 lbs 143.00-158.00; 102 lbs 144.00; 110 lbs 132.00-134.00.

Missouri: 30-50 lbs 140.00-167.50.

Replacement Ewes: Medium and Large 1-2:

San Angelo: yearling wool ewes 136.00 per head; yearling hair ewes 162.00 per head; mixed age hair ewes 80-130 lbs 70.00-120.00 cwt.

Ft. Collins: no test.

Billings: no test.

So Dakota: open baby tooth 126 lbs 112.50 cwt; open solid mouth 156 lbs 51.00 cwt.

Kalona, IA: baby tooth blackface 145-185 lbs 86.00-92.50 cwt.

Missouri: baby tooth to solid mouth 155-220 lbs 80.00-92.50 cwt.

Virginia: no test.

Sheep and lamb slaughter under federal inspection for the week to date totaled 36,000 compared with 32,000 last week and 37,000 last year.

Grain Market Reports

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Grains are stated in dollars per bushel or hundredweight (cwt.) except feed grains traded in dollars per ton. National grain report bids are for rail delivery unless truck indicated.

PORTLAND GRAIN
(USDA Market News)
Portland
July 12

Pacific Northwest Market Summary: Cash wheat bids for July delivery ended the reporting week on Thursday, July 12, mixed compared to week ago noon bids for July delivery.

September wheat futures ended the reporting week on Thursday, July 12, lower as follows compared to week ago closes: Chicago wheat futures were 21 cents lower at 4.8450, Kansas City wheat futures were 22 cents lower at 4.8125 and Minneapolis wheat futures trended 17 cents lower at 5.3050. Chicago September corn futures trended 6.50 cents lower at 3.4575 and August soybean futures closed 5.50 cents lower at 8.3375.

Bids for US 1 Soft White Wheat delivered to Portland in unit trains or barges during July for ordinary protein trended 5.00 to 18.00 cents per bushel higher compared to week ago prices for the same delivery period from 5.85-6.08.

Some exporters were not issuing bids for nearby delivery.

White club wheat premiums were minus five to zero cents per bushel over soft white wheat bids this week and last week.

One year ago bids for US 1 Soft White Wheat any protein for July delivery by unit trains and barges to Portland were 5.47-5.58 and bids for White Club Wheat were 5.47-5.63.

Forward month bids for soft white wheat ordinary protein were as follows: August New Crop 5.85-6.00, September 5.87-5.96, October and November 5.9125-6.02.

One year ago, forward month bids for soft white wheat for any protein were as follows: August New Crop 5.47-5.58, September 5.52-5.62, October 5.6550-5.66 and November 5.70-5.7050.

Bids for US 1 Soft White Wheat guaranteed maximum 10.5 percent protein during July trended steady to five cents per bushel higher compared to week ago prices for the same delivery period from 5.85-5.90. Some exporters were not issuing bids for nearby delivery.

White club wheat premiums for guaranteed maximum 10.5 percent protein soft white wheat this week were zero cents per bushel over soft white wheat bids this week and last week.

One year ago bids for US 1 Soft White Wheat guaranteed maximum 10.5 percent protein for July delivery by unit trains and barges to Portland were 5.47-5.60 and bids for White Club Wheat were 5.47-5.60. Forward month bids for soft white wheat guaranteed 10.5 percent proteins were as follows: August New Crop 5.85-5.95, September 5.87-5.95, October and November 5.9625-6.00.

One year ago, forward month bids for soft white wheat for any protein were as follows: August New Crop 5.47-5.60, September 5.52-5.65, October 5.6550-5.75 and November 5.7050-5.75.

Bids for 11.5 percent protein US 1 Hard Red Winter Wheat for July delivery trended six to 26 cents per bushel lower than week ago bids for the same delivery period. Some exporters were not issuing bids for nearby delivery. This week, bids were as follows: July 6.0125-6.1125, August New Crop 5.8125-6.0625, September 5.9125-6.1125, October 6.1575-6.3575 and November 6.2075-6.3575.

Bids for non-guaranteed 14.0 percent protein US 1 Dark Northern Spring Wheat for Portland delivery during July trended 36 to 38 cents per bushel lower than week ago bids for the same delivery period. Some exporters were not issuing bids for nearby delivery.

This week, bids for non-guaranteed 14 percent protein were as follows: July 6.3050-6.4550, August New Crop 6.3050-6.5050, September 6.3050-6.4050 and October 6.4925-6.5925.

Coarse feeding grains: Bids for US 2 Yellow Corn delivered full coast Pacific Northwest - BNSF shuttle trains for July delivery trended 13.50 cents per bushel lower than week ago bids for the same delivery period at 4.4075. Some exporters were not issuing bids for nearby delivery. Forward month corn bids were as follows: August 4.4075-4.4575, September 4.4575-4.4675, October 4.4725, November 4.4725-4.4925 and December 4.5125.

Bids for US 1 Yellow Soybeans delivered full coast Pacific Northwest - BNSF shuttle trains for July delivery were not available as most exporters were not issuing bids for nearby delivery. Forward month soybean bids were as follows: August not available. Bids for US 2 Heavy White Oats for July delivery trended steady at 3.7750 per bushel.

Outstanding Export Sales: Outstanding U.S. white wheat export sales can be found at the following link: https://apps.fas.usda.gov/export-sales/wheat.htm

Outstanding U.S. barley export sales can be found at the following link: https://apps.fas.usda.gov/export-sales/barley.htm

Pacific Northwest Export News: There were 12 grain vessels in Columbia River ports on Thursday, July 12, with five docked compared to 15 last week with four docked. There were no new confirmed export sales this week from the Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC) of the USDA.

CALIFORNIA GRAIN
(USDA Market News)
July 13

Paid by feed manufacturers and other users, delivered plant or receiving station. All prices are offers for prompt shipment unless otherwise stated.

CORN US No 2 Yellow		
FOB:	**Stockton-Modesto-Oakdale-Turlock**	NA
	Modesto-Oakdale-Turlock	1.39+U
	Kings-Tulare-Fresno	1.39+U
	Turlock/Tulare	1.22+U
Rail: Single Car Units via BNSF		
	Los Angeles-Chino Valley	1.31+U
SORGHUM US No 2 Yellow (Milo)		
Rail	**Los Angeles-Chino Valley**	1.34+U
WHEAT US Durum Wheat		
FOB	**Imperial County**	NA
Truck	**Imperial County**	8.75 Del

Dairy Report

Compiled by USDA Market News Service • Madison, Wis.

FLUID MILK AND CREAM
REVIEW – WEST
(USDA Market News)
July 12

In California, milk supplies are reported to be extremely tight in some areas, but steady in others. Recent heatwaves have created an uncomfortable environment for cows.

Some buyers noted not being able to get the quantity of milk they need as spot loads of milk are limited in the market. Consequently, milk prices have somewhat increased. Class 1 sales remained steady throughout the week. A few plants are doing maintenance and repair work, but their daily processing schedules are not being affected.

According to industry contacts, in recent weeks a number of dairies in California have closed while a few others have sold out to other dairies. Some domestic dairies are pushing for lower alfalfa hay prices. In addition, export buyers are bidding lower on alfalfa hay due to China's increase of the alfalfa hay import tariff.

Recent storms in Arizona have flooded many roads. As the result, milk transportation from the dairies has been difficult. Increased humidity in the area is also putting more stress on cows.

Overall, milk production continues to drop week by week. However, milk supplies are enough to meet all processing needs. Class I milk intakes are lower, but they are expected to increase in coming weeks when the schools reopen.

To help with manufacturing duties, some processors in Arizona are taking in milk from states with higher output levels.

Several plant operators are also using the slowdown in activities to perform equipment repair and maintenance workloads.

In New Mexico, farm milk output is steady to slightly up. Class I demand has decreased.

As ice cream and frozen desert manufacturers take on more loads of cream, Class II demand increased. Class III sales are mostly steady. Heat is building into the Pacific Northwest. Some temperatures inland are expected to reach into the triple digits over the next week. Industry contacts asseverate that cow comfort has been favorable through the first half of the year, however as the canicular season begins, contacts expect milk production and components to decrease.

Current production levels are strong, and manufacturers have had no trouble getting the milk needed for processing runs.

Furthermore, although cream volumes appear to be tightening, there is still sufficient supplies of cream available for butter and Class II manufacturing.

Milk supplies in the mountain states of Idaho, Utah and Colorado are long. Although the recent heat wave in Colorado has depressed milk production, there is plenty of milk to meet most processing needs. In Idaho and Utah, milk production is still near its zenith for the year.

The nimiety of milk is spilling over into surrounding states. In addition, there are a few suggestions that some milk was discarded within the last week, likely the result of the holiday, but quite possibly also due to temporary production hiccups at several processing facilities.

In the West, condensed skim supplies are tight, and prices have increased. This could be due to lower milk output in some parts of the region and an increase in condensed skim demand for ice cream making. Cream demand has been strong in some areas, but steady in others.

Cream requests for ice cream manufacturing are the strongest at the moment. Several butter makers are selling some of their cream in lieu of making more butter. As cream availability drops in some places, butter is being re-melted for use in cheese manufacturing. Some contacts noted that some buyers are unwilling to pay the current higher prices for cream, so they are waiting to see in which direction the market will move.

California Egg Reports

Compiled by USDA Market News Service • Des Moines

Shell egg marketer's benchmark price for negotiated egg sales of USDA Grade A and Grade AA in cartons, cents per dozen. This price does not reflect discounts or other contract terms.

DAILY CALIFORNIA SHELL EGGS
(USDA Market News)
July 13

Benchmark prices are steady. Asking prices for next week are unchanged for Jumbo and Extra Large, 4 cents lower for Large and 7 cents lower for Medium and Small. The undertone is steady for Jumbo and Extra Large, steady to mostly lower for Large and lower for Medium. Offerings are light to short for Jumbo, light for Extra Large, moderate to more available for Large and usually heavy for Medium. Demand ranges light to fairly good, mostly moderate to fairly good. Supplies are light to moderate. Market activity is slow to moderate. Small benchmark price $1.15.

Size	*Range*	*Size*	*Range*
Jumbo	211	**Extra large**	209
Large	200	**Medium**	135

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Prices to retailers, sales to volume buyers, USDA Grade AA and Grade AA, white eggs in cartons, delivered to store door.

Size	*Range*	*Size*	*Range*
Jumbo	197-209	**Extra Large**	196-203
Large	187-194	**Medium**	123-130

Livestock Auctions

Oregon

EUGENE
(Eugene Livestock Auction)
July 14

Head County: 339

Comments: cows and bulls up $3-5. Light feeders off $3-5. Yearlings steady.

High Dressers: 70.00-79.00

Low Dressers: 60.00-70.00

Top 10 Cows: 71.70

Top Bulls High Dressers: 80.00-85.50

Feeder Bulls: 300-500 lbs 93.00-146.00; 500-700 lbs 90.00-131.50; 700-900 lbs 82.00-97.00;

Choice Steers: Medium-Large Frame No. 1&2's:

Feeder Steers: 300-400 lbs 136.00; 400-500 lbs 120.00-149.50; 500-600 lbs 111.00-139.00; 600-700 lbs 110.00-133.50; 700-800 lbs 104.50; 800-900 lbs 110.00-119.00

Choice Heifers Medium-Large Frame No. 1&2's:

Feeder Heifers: 300-400 lbs 107.50; 400-500 lbs 115.00-145.00; 500-600 lbs 110.00-130.00; 600-700 lbs 110.00-130.50; 700-800 lbs 115.00-124.00; 800 and Up 89.00-116.00

Bred Cows: NT

Pairs: $1430 Pr

Head Calves (Up-250 lbs) Beef: 100-260 Hd; Dairy: NT

Feeder Lambs: 50-90 lbs 130.00-168.00; 90 to 130 lbs 100.00-129.00

LEBANON
(Lebanon Auction Yard)
July 12

Total receipts: 263

Butcher Cows: Conventional: Top Cow, $74.75; Top 10 Cows, $70.42; Top 50 Cows, $67.02; Top 100 Cows, $63.74; Organic: Top Cow, $90.00; Top 10 Cows, $74.74.

Bulls: Conventional: Top Bull, $83.50.

Cow/Calf Pairs: $950.00-$1025.00.

Feeder Heifers: 300-399 lbs $122.50; 400-499 lbs $117.00; 500-599 lbs $102.50; 600-699 lbs $123.00; 700-799 lbs $115.00; 800-899 lbs $100.00-$110.00; 1100-1199 lbs $71.50.

Feeder Steers: 400-499 lbs $102.50-$132.50; 500-599 lbs $60.00-$136.00; 600-699 lbs $125.00; 700-799 lbs $105.00; 800-899 lbs $100.00-127.50; 900-999 lbs $97.00; 1000-1099 lbs $111.00-$112.50.

WOODBURN
(Woodburn Livestock Exchange)
July 10

Total Receipts: 382, 380 Cattle

Top 10 Slaughter Cows A/P: 71.14 cwt

Top 50 Slaughter Cows A/P: 67.18 cwt

Top 100 Slaughter Cows A/P: 62.10 cwt

Back-The Country Cows: 70.00 cwt

Certified Cows: 80.00-140.00 cwt

Top Certified Organic Cattle: 60.00-86.50 cwt

All Slaughter Bulls: 70.00-86.00 cwt

Top Beef Steers: 200-300 lbs NT; 300-400 lbs 125.00-137.00; 400-500 lbs 125.00-138.00 cwt; 500-600 lbs 125.00-138.00 cwt; 600-700 lbs 120.00-130.00; 700-800 lbs 115.00-129.50; 800-900 lbs NT; 900-1000 lbs NT

Top Beef Heifers: 200-300 lbs NT; 300-400 lbs 120.00-132.50 cwt; 400-500 lbs 120.00-131.00 cwt; 500-600 lbs 117.50-129.005; 600-700 lbs 115.00-121.00 cwt; 700-800 lbs 110.00-121.00 cwt; 800-900 lbs NT; 900-1000 lbs NT

Cow/Calf Pairs: 985.00-1270.00 HD

Bred Cows: NT

Day-Old Beef Cross Cows: 60.00-120.00 HD

Day-Old Dairy Cows: 2.00-47.00 HD

Lambs: 40-70 lbs 125.00-140.00 cwt; 75-150 lbs 102.50-142.50 cwt

Thin Ewes: 25.00-108.00 cwt

Fleshy Ewes: 22.50-81.00 cwt

Ewe/Lamb Pairs: NT

Goats: 10-39 lbs 15.00-90.00 HD; 40-69 lbs 40.00-150.00 HD; 70-79 lbs 100.00-165.00 HD; 80-89 lbs 92.50-170.00 HD; 90-99 lbs 35.00-205.00 HD; 100-199 lbs 60.00-210.00 HD; 200-300 lbs 160.00-195.00 HD

MADRAS
(Central Oregon Livestock Auction)
July 16

Steers: 300-400 lbs NT; 400-500 lbs 160.00-180.00 cwt; 500-600 lbs 155.00-175.00 cwt; 600-700 lbs 145.00-160.00; 700-800 lbs 135.00-145.00; 800-900 lbs 128.00-135.00

Heifers: 300-400 lbs NT; 400-500 lbs 160.00-170.00 cwt; 500-600 lbs 148.00-159.00 cwt; 600-700 lbs 135.00-147.00; 700-800 lbs 125.00-135.00; 800-900 lbs 115.00-124.00

Butcher Cows: High Yield Lean 70.00-75.00; High Yield Fleshy 67.00-72.00; Med Yield 62.00-66.00; Low Yield 55.00-61.00

Feeder Cows: 70.00-77.00

Heiferettes: 85.00-110.00

Bulls: High Yield 90.00-93.00; Med Yield 88.00-90.00; Feeder 80.00-88.00

Washington

TOPPENISH
(Toppenish Livestock Auction)
July 12

Receipts: 1520

Compared to July 5: Not enough stocker or feeder cattle last week for accurate market test, a steady undertone was noted. Trade active with good demand especially for small lots to fill pasture needs. Slaughter cows steady to weak. Slaughter bulls steady. Trade active with good demand. Slaughter cows 50 percent, slaughter bulls 10 percent, 20 percent replacement cows, and feeders 20 percent of the supply. The feeder supply included 53 percent steers and 47 percent heifers. Near 70 percent of the run weighed over 600 lbs.

Feeder Steers: Medium and Large 1-2: 300-400 lbs 610.00, Per Head; 400-500 lbs 785.00, Per Head; 600-700 lbs 147.00; 700-800 lbs 147.00; 800-900 lbs 124.50-135.00. Small 4: 400-500 lbs 55.00.

Feeder Holstein Steers: Medium and Large 2: 600-700 lbs 120.00; 700-800 lbs 119.50. Medium and Large 3-4: 500-600 lbs 82.50. Large 2-3: 300-400 lbs 100.50-105.00; 500-600 lbs 87.00; 600-700 lbs 90.50.

Feeder Bulls: Large 1-2: 800-900 lbs 111.00; 900-1000 lbs 96.00.

Feeder Heifers: Medium and Large 1-2: 300-400 lbs 660.00, Per Head; 500-600 lbs 145.00-150.00; 600-700 lbs 142.00; 700-800 lbs 124.50. Medium and Large 2: 700-800 lbs 110.00. Medium and Large 2-3: 700-800 lbs 118.00. Large 2-3: 600-700 lbs 83.50; 700-800 lbs 81.50-87.50; 800-900 lbs 83.00-88.50; 900-1000 lbs 80.00; 1200-1300 lbs 80.50.

Slaughter Cows:

Breakers: 75-80 Pct. Lean; 1400-1600 lbs; Avg Dressing 66.00-68.00; Low Dressing 62.00-66.00

Boners: 80-85 Pct. Lean; 1300-1900 lbs; Avg Dressing 68.00-73.00; Low Dressing 63.00-68.00

Lean: 85-90 Pct. Lean; 1100-1700 lbs; Avg Dressing 66.00-71.00; Low Dressing 61.00-66.00

Lean: 90 Pct. Lean; 900-1500 lbs; Avg Dressing 56.00-61.00; Low Dressing 50.00-56.00

Slaughter Bulls:

Yield Grade 1-2: 1600-2400 lbs; Avg Dressing 87.00-94.00; High Dressing 96.00-97.50; Low Dressing 75.00-87.00

Bred Heifers (Per Head): Medium and Large 1-2: Few 1440 lbs 925.00 6-9 mos. Bred.

Bred Cows (Per Head): Medium and Large 1-2: Young (4 yrs. Old) 1450-1500 lbs.

1500.00 6-9 mos bred, few 1388 lbs 1100.00 3-6 mos bred.

Feeder Cows: Large 1-2: 1500-1600 lbs 66.00, Aged.

Please Note: The 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 a per cwt basis, unless otherwise noted.

California

Turlock
(Turlock Livestock Auction Yard)
July 10

Receipts: 1644

Comments: Good receipts of smaller lots and singles. Light test on most weighted classes. Sale consisted of 1000 HD feeder cattle and 600 weigh cows and bulls.

No. 1 Med and Large Frame Steers: 300-400 lbs NT; 400-500 lbs 165.00-182.00; 500-600 lbs 150.00-165.00; 600-700 lbs 144.00-155.50; 700-800 lbs 125.00-135.50; 800-900 lbs 120.00-132.50

No. 2 Med and Large Frame Steers: 300-400 lbs 140.00-170.00; 400-500 lbs 130.00-164.00; 500-600 lbs 125.00-149.00; 600-700 lbs 118.00-143.00; 700-800 lbs 105.00-124.00; 800-900 lbs 100.00-119.00

No. 1 Med and Large Heifers: 300-400 lbs 156.00-176.00; 400-500 lbs 140.00-156.00; 500-600 lbs 135.00-156.00; 600-700 lbs 127.00-137.00; 700-800 lbs 114.00-121.00; 800-900 lbs NT

No. 2 Med and Large Frame Heifers: 300-400 lbs 135.00-155.00; 400-500 lbs 125.00-139.00; 500-600 lbs 120.00-134.00; 600-700 lbs 118.00-126.00; 700-800 lbs 100.00-113.00; 800-900 lbs 99.00-105.00

No. 1 Holstein Steers: 300-400 lbs NT; 400-500 lbs NT; 500-600 lbs 70.00-85.00; 600-700 lbs 70.00-87.00; 700-800 lbs 70.00-88.00; 800-900 lbs 70.00-88.50

Weigh Beef Cows: High Yield 68.00-78.00; Med Yield 63.00-67.00; Low Yield 50.00-62.00

Weigh Dairy Cows: High Yield 65.00-76.50; Med Yield 58.00-64.00; Low Yield 45.00-57.00

Weigh Bulls: High Yield 84.00-94.50; Med Yield 75.00-83.00; Low Yield 60.00-74.00

Holstein Barren Heifers: 70.00-87.00 cwt

COTTONWOOD
(Shasta Livestock Auction Yard)
July 13

Receipts: 652

Compared to last sale: Weigh-up cows $2 lower, but some feeder types up to $77.00. Light test on feeders with sale going on earlier in the week.

Feeder Steers: 500-550 lbs 150.00-166.00; 650-700 lbs 140.00-158.50; 700-750 lbs 128.00-141.50; 750-800 lbs 135.00; 800-900 lbs 120.00-131.50

Feeder Heifers: 400-450 lbs 142.00-157.50; 750-800 lbs 115.00-125.25

Calvy Cows: Light test $800.00-1025

Idaho

LEWISTON
(Lewiston Livestock Market)
July 11

Comments: Market active with good demand. Cows and bulls $10 lower.

Steers: 300-400 lbs NT; 400-500 lbs NT; 500-600 lbs 162.00-181.00; 600-700 lbs 153.00-166.50; 700-800 lbs 152.00-163.00; 800-900 lbs 135.00-142.00; 900-1000 lbs 130.00-135.00; 1000-up 105.00-120.00

Heifers: 300-400 lbs NT; 400-500 lbs NT; 500-600 lbs 142.00-160.00; 600-700 lbs 140.00-150.50; 700-800 lbs 132.00-139.00; 800-900 lbs 127.00-134.00; 900-1000 lbs 103.00-113.00; 1000-up 88.00-107.00

Cows: 65.00-73.00

Breaking Cows: 58.00-63.00

Canners and Cutters: 40-50

Young Feeders: 70.00-90.00

Bulls: 75.00-86.00

Baby Calves: 200.00-300.00

JEROME
(Producers Livestock Marketing Association)
July 10

Head Count: 926

Started Bull & Str Cfs: 100.00-240.00 HD

Started Hfr Cfs: 130.00-200.00 HD

Brk/Ut/Com Cows: 66.00-75.25

Cut/Bon Cows: 60.00-65.00

Shelly/Lie Cows: 45.00-60.00

Slaughter Bulls: 71.00-94.25

Beef Cows: 64.00-71.00

Holstein Strs: 400-500 lbs 91.00-100.00; 500-600 lbs 91.00-100.00; 600-700 lbs 82.00-102.75; 700-800 lbs 85-93.00; 800-1000 lbs 85.00-93.00

Cattle Market Reports

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NATIONAL FEEDER
AND STOCKER CATTLE
(Federal-State Market News)
St. Joseph, Mo.
July 13

This week	*Last week*	*2017 (Hd)*
604,300	*80,300*	*370,100*

Compared to the last tested market two weeks ago, steers and heifers sold 1.00 to 4.00 higher with instances 6.00 to 7.00 higher. Feeder cattle auctions bucked the lower futures trend this week by fetching some handsome prices for yearlings this week.

Long strings and load lots of backgrounded steers and heifers on hand at many auctions in the Northern Plains this week.

Active markets were evident this week in spite of hot and humid weather scorching the center of the country with no end in sight for drought stricken areas.

Buyers were ready to fill pens after last week's sharp uptick in negotiated cash sales of fed cattle in the North and South Plains.

On Wednesday in the Sandhills of Nebraska at Bassett Livestock, a load of 767 lb steers sold at 174.00, while two loads of 919 lb steers sold at 157.75. In addition, a load of 1023 lb steers sold for 145.50 at their Annual BBQ Yearling and Fall Calf Auction.

At Valentine Livestock Auction in Valentine, Neb., a load of 574 lb thin fleshed steers sold at 199.75 and three drafts of 705 to 729 lb steers that would combine to a short load sold at 177.25.

Also, two loads of steers weighing 914 and 924 lbs sold at 159.85.

For the cow-calf producer, the hot dry weather and lack of any rains is making water and grass conditions very concerning. The water situation in some areas are at critical levels and producers can find ways to feed animals, however hauling water gets to be an even bigger burden. A consequence of the extra dollars being spent this summer on water and feed is leading to cattle being sold at auction more so than in a normal year when receipts get light in the summer.

Reports of some supplemental hay feeding taking place as the latest drought monitor showed over 8 percent of Missouri and Oklahoma, 6 percent of Kansas, and near 5 percent of Texas is the D3 Extreme Drought status.

This week's total volume on this report totals 604,300, which is the largest total volume since week ending July 16, 2010.

Grain prices have fallen sharply over the last few weeks as most of the major grain producing states are not in drought status. Corn and soybeans are finding pressure from the good to excellent crop ratings at 75 percent and 71 percent respectively.

Late last week, beef export sales were reported for May at 89,823 MT, near 20 percent higher than the previous year.

Strong demand and more beef available for export drove the volume as merchandisers were able to let the market pull product through the pipeline.

Fed cattle have not been established yet as of this writing as packers continue to try and hold their margin where it is for as long as they can.

Boxed-beef prices continue to seek its seasonal low as Choice closed the week 3.89 cents lower at 204.14 and Select closed 2.34 cents lower at 196.37, putting the Choice-Select spread at 7.77. Auction volume this week included 52 percent weighing over 600 lbs and 40 percent heifers.

National Slaughter
Cattle Summary
July 13

Thus far for the week: No trend available for live or cash cattle so far this week due to limited receipts. Boxed Beef prices as of Friday afternoon averaged 200.26 down 3.11 from last Friday.

The Choice/Select spread is 7.77.

Slaughter cattle on a national basis for negotiated cash trades through Friday afternoon totaled 11,377 head. Last week's total head count was 101,607.

Midwest Direct Markets:

Live Basis: Steers and Heifers: N/A.

Dressed Basis: Steers and Heifers: N/A.

South Plains Direct Markets:

Live Basis: Steers and Heifers N/A.

Slaughter Cows and Bulls (Average Yielding Prices): No trend available for slaughter cows and bulls this week due to last week's holiday and most auctions were closed. Packer demand moderate to good. Cutter Cow Carcass Cut-out Value on Friday afternoon was 186.81 up 0.83 from last Friday.

Northwest Weighted
Direct Feeder Cattle
July 13

This week	*Last week*	*Last year*
1,522	*3,822*	*4,250*

Compared to last week: Limited comparable weight ranges from last week to compare to. Demand remains good as packing houses are trying to get their hands on inventories and feedlots filling back up.

The feeder supply included 100 percent over 600 lbs and 18 percent heifers. Unless otherwise stated prices are FOB weighting points with 2-3 percent shrink or equivalent and a 5-10 cent slide on calves and a 4-12 cent slide on yearlings from base weights. Current sales are up to 14 days delivery.

Feeder Steers Medium and Large 1:

130 Head: 825 lbs; Avg Price 155.00; Current Del

450 Head: 935 lbs; Avg Price 149.00; Current Del

140 Head: 800 lbs; Avg Price 150.00; Aug Del

525 Head: 650 lbs; Avg Price 154.25; Nov Del

Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 1

277 Head: 825 lbs; Avg Price 142.00; Aug Del