

**South Carolina Auction Cattle (Monday through Wednesday)**

**DATE: March 25, 2016**

Compared to last week, feeder steers 3.00 lower, feeder heifers 7.00 lower, feeder bulls mostly steady. Slaughter bulls were mostly steady and slaughter cows were 5.00 higher.

Locations Cattle Rcpts	Williamston 525	Saluda 576	Chesnee 510	Chester 375	Darlington 163	Orangeburg 317	Weekly Weighted
<b>Slaug Cows</b>	(price ranges represent 2 or more head)						<b>Average</b>
Breakers	70-72		71-83	72-78			76.84
Boners	77-95	75-98	75-84	76-86	79-94	70-76	83.55
Hi Drs/Hi Yld							
Lean	72-78		75-88	74-80	73-84	70-75	74.68
Lean LD	56-68	55-69	56-69	40-55	54-70	47-68	53.70
<b>Slaug Bulls</b>							
950-2400lbs	93-110	85-103	101-112	89-102	85-100	73-91	97.17
<b>Md&amp;Lg 1-2</b>							
<b>Fdr Steers</b>							
200-250 lbs		227.50-247.50					233.01
250-300 lbs	242.50-250	222.50-235	220-230	205-222.50		215-230	234.43
300-350 lbs	230-245	220-235		207.50-212.50		215-225	230.22
350-400 lbs	210-220	205-220	205-210	195-205			212.09
400-450 lbs	205-208	185-202.50	177-185			185-196	184.86
450-500 lbs	186-190		172-180			182.50-195	184.91
500-550 lbs	177-180	165-178	170-178			175.00	175.76
550-600 lbs	175-178	159-173	156-170				170.56
600-650 lbs	161.00	157.50-160	156-161				159.56
650-700 lbs						150-155	152.55
700-800 lbs			126-141				
<b>Fdr Bulls</b>							
400-450 lbs	184-200	182.50-202.50	180-189	175-182.50		185-195	191.87
450-500 lbs	180-190	180-191	170-180			165-170	182.83
500-550 lbs	170-182	170-180	170-178	160-167.50		157.50-167.50	171.75
550-600 lbs	150-163	158-170	155-169	150-162			159.96
600-700 lbs				125-154	130-135	150-155	
700-800 lbs	120-140				117.50-125		129.41
<b>Fdr Heifers</b>							
200-250 lbs		210-225		202.50-205			216.12
250-300 lbs		210-215					
300-350 lbs		175-190		175-185			181.47
350-400 lbs	180-190	167.50-182.50		165-177.50			179.50
400-450 lbs	162-176	160-170	155-165	160-162.50	157.50-162.50		166.54
450-500 lbs	156-169	160-167.50	155-160	155-157.50	150-155	155-160	160.81
500-550 lbs	150-160	174-175	140-151	150-155		152.50-155	152.91
550-600 lbs	148-154		137-147		140-150		149.85
600-650 lbs			130-138				134.06
650-700 lbs					120-125		
700-800 lbs					110-120		
<b>Feeder Price Ranges For Other Grades. All Locations Combined For Each Category.</b>							
<b>Frame &amp; Muscle</b>	<b>Medium 2</b>		<b>Medium and Large 3</b>		<b>Holstein Large 3</b>		
	<b>STEERS</b>	<b>HEIFERS</b>	<b>STEERS</b>	<b>HEIFERS</b>	<b>STEERS</b>		
200-300 lbs		185-200					
300-400 lbs	185-217.50	160-186					
400-500 lbs	165-180	140-160					
500-600 lbs	156-170	128-150					
600-700 lbs		120-132					
700-800 lbs							
<b>Bred Cows (All Areas)</b>							
Medium and Large 1-2 935-1380 lbs Young to Middle age cows bred 4-6 months 850.00-1275.00 per head.							
Medium and Large 1-2 1015-1480 lbs Young age cows bred 7-9 months 1030.00-1650.00 per head.							
<b>Cow/Calf Pairs (All areas)</b>							
Medium and Large 1-2 900-1630 lbs Young to Middle Age cows with 80-450 lbs calves 1000.00-2375.00 per pair.							
Small 1-2 700-875 lbs Young to Middle age cows with 85-245 lbs calves 990.00-1475.00 per pair.							
<b>Goats at SC Auctions (Monday to Wednesday) Slaughter and Replacement Classes: \$ Per Head</b>							
<b>Receipts:</b>	262		Week Ago: 279		(Sel 1 = Thick / Sel 2 = Average / Sel 3 = Thin)		
<b>Kid:</b>	Sel 1 Under 20 lbs 50.00-77.50, 20-40 lbs 82.50-117.50, 40-60 lbs 102.50-142.50.						
	Sel 2 Under 20 lbs 40.00-47.50, 20-40 lbs 47.50-82.50, 40-60 lbs one @ 80.00.						
<b>Nannie/Doe:</b>	Sel 1 50-70 lbs 70.00-95.00, 70-100 lbs 92.50-132.00, 100-140 lbs 117.50-170.00.						
	Sel 2 50-70 lbs 50.00-105.00, 70-100 lbs 72.50-127.50.						
<b>Billie/Buck:</b>	Sel 1 70-100 lbs 142.50-170.00, 100-150 lbs 130.00-145.00 with several 205.00-250.00 Fancy, 150-250 lbs 185.00-228.00.						
	Sel 2 70-100 lbs 82.50-127.50, 100-150 lbs 110.00-137.50.						
<b>Weekly South Carolina Auction Hog Prices (Monday to Wednesday) Sold Per 100 Lbs</b>							
<b>Receipts:</b>	545		Week Ago: 358				
<b>B &amp; G</b>	US 1-3 200-250 lbs 20.00-79.00, 250-300 lbs 35.00-75.00, 300-350 lbs 37.00-75.00.						
<b>BBQ Shoats</b>	US 1-3 100-200 lbs 17.50-68.00.						
<b>Sows</b>	US 1-3 300-400 lbs 20.00-67.00, 400-500 lbs 25.00-53.00, 500-600 lbs 20.00-42.00, Over 600 lbs 29.00-75.00.						
<b>Boars</b>	200-300 lbs 12.00-36.00, Over 300 lbs 5.00-11.00.						
<b>Feeder Pigs (per head) &lt;100 lbs</b>	US 1-3 Under 100 lbs 25.00-70.00.						

Prices Paid To Producers For Grain Delivered To Elevators & Processors							Chicago Board		
Per Bushel As Of Thursday's Close							Of Trade		
							Thursday's		
							Closing Prices		
Locations		US2 Yellow Corn		US1 Yellow Soybeans		US2 Soft Wheat			
Grain Elevators		Cash	New Crop	Cash	New Crop	Cash	New Crop		
Anderson		3.70		8.50		4.23	4.30	<b>Wheat</b>	
Kingstree			3.89		8.73		4.95	May	463
Hamer		4.10		8.90			4.36	Jul	470 3/4
Lynchburg			3.89		8.73		4.95	Sep	480 3/4
Conway			4.09		8.83		4.95	Dec	495 1/4
Estill		3.60	3.59	8.65	8.83		3.96	<b>Corn</b>	
Ridge Spring				8.55			4.12	May	370
<b>Processors</b>								Jul	374 1/2
Orangeburg 2		4.10						Sep	379 1/4
Monetta		4.62						Dec	387 1/4
Sumter		4.70						Mar	395 1/2
Cassett		4.65				4.70		May	400
Columbia								Jul	403 1/4
Kershaw				9.35				<b>Oats</b>	
Export- Mt Pleasant				9.35				May	187
<b>Weekly Trends</b>								Jul	197 1/4
Cash		mostly 2 cents higher		12 to 17 cents higher		too few bids to trend		Sep	203 3/4
New Crop		mixed; 15 cents lower to 11 cents higher		too few bids to trend		mostly steady to 1 cent higher		Dec	210 1/2
<b>US Slaughter Sow Report</b>				<b>US Direct Feeder Pig Summary</b>				<b>Soybeans</b>	
Actual weights & prices plant delivered				from last Friday				Receipts: 93,292	
Date 3/24/2016		Receipts 5,660		Prices are weighted average per head basis				May 910 1/2	
Wt Range		Avg Wt		Avg Price		Formula		Cash	
300-450		399		31.01		10-12 lbs		40.90	
450-500		475		31.69		40 lbs		79.01	
500-550		524		34.86				79.01	
550 & up		584		36.30					
Slaughter Cattle - Strs & Hfrs				Cut-Out Values Based On Wholesale Prices				Chicago Merc.	
In TX, OK, KS, NE, CO, IA, MN				Of Primal Cuts As Of Wednesday's Close				Exchange	
5 Area Weekly Accumulated Weighted Avg.				Choice				Thursday's	
Beef Breeds		Last Week This Week		233.92		218.15		Closing Prices	
Select & Choice		Mon-Fri Mon-Tue		Trend: dn 7.74		dn 5.53		<b>Feeder Cattle</b>	
Live Steer		139.18 N/A		<b>Southeast Weekly Hay Report</b>				Mar 160.98	
Live Heifer		139.17 N/A		**Dollars per ton FOB**				Apr 155.83	
Dressed Steer		222.89 218.00		Hay		Tons		May 155.03	
Dressed Heifer		222.99 N/A		Price Range		Wtd Avg		Aug 154.85	
<b>Georgia FOB Dock (cents/lb) Wed.</b>				<b>Bermuda Grass Small Square</b>				Sep 153.58	
Whl Bird		Thigh Meat (B/S)		Leg Qtrts		Wings		<b>Live Cattle</b>	
111.50		125.50		32.00		162.50		Apr 135.85	
<b>Brst(B/S)</b>		<b>Brst(Whole)</b>		<b>LR Tenders</b>		<b>Bermuda Grass Mid Round</b>		Jun 125.38	
141.50		90.00		174.50		Premium		Aug 120.83	
						Good		Oct 120.38	
<b>SC Crop Production Bi-Monthly</b>				<b>Bahia Grass Small Square</b>				Dec 120.08	
		Avg Price		Premium		2		<b>Lean Hogs</b>	
Cottonseed		237.50		Fair		1		Apr 69.63	
Lime		47.75				200-200		May 76.65	
Potash		328.75				160-160		Jun 80.85	
Diesel Fuel <1000 gal		1.47		<b>National Direct Hogs</b>				Jul 80.13	
<b>North Carolina Eggs</b>				<b>Plant Delivered</b>				Aug 79.23	
Extra Lrg		Large		Medium		Small		<b>NY Cotton</b>	
127.96		119.43		92.38		64.00		Exchange	
consumer grade eggs in cartons delivered to nearby retail outlets. (Wed) cents per dozen				Barrows and Gilts- Weighted average negotiated live price for US 1's 50-54% Lean 240-280 lbs				Thursday's Futures	
				47.99				Closing Prices	
				Compared to last week Thursday:				May 57.72	
				up 0.48				Jul 57.58	
<b>Oklahoma National Stockyards Weekly Cattle Summary</b>								Oct 57.51	
Compared to last week: Feeder steers and heifers steady to 3.00 lower with moderate to good demand. Steer and heifer calves sold steady to 3.00 higher. Demand good for calves. Quality average to attractive with several cattle in thin to medium flesh conditions. Demand for feeder cattle remained good, despite the CME cattle futures posting another day of losses. Cold front pushed thru the state over the weekend, dropping temperatures into the mid 20's overnight. This could be very detrimental to what was a good wheat crop. Supply included 74 percent over 600 lbs and 34 percent heifers.								Dec 57.35	
Slaughter cows and bulls mostly steady in a light test. Packer demand remains good. Demand also good for replacement cows and pairs. A total of 307 cows and bulls sold with 50 percent going to packers.								Mar 58.06	
								May 58.75	
								<b>Southeast Spot Cotton Price</b>	
								Thursday's Close	
								41-4/34	
								58.72	
								31-3/35	
								61.97	
<b>Daily East Coast Cow and Bull Bids - Plant Delivered - Dressed Basis</b>									
		Lean (Cutter)		Boning Utility		Breaking Utility		<b>Soybean Meal</b>	
Carcass Wt		90 % Lean		85% Lean		75 % Lean		48% bulk price at	
500 lbs & up		144-158		132-148		112-141		SC Processing Plants	
400-500 lbs		138-152		120-143		112-136		Thursday's Close	
350-400 lbs		133-145		120-135		108-126		325.30	
Bulls		92%Lean		>600 lbs		Under 600			
				147-175		132-165			