

South Carolina Auction Cattle (Monday through Wednesday) DATE: February 2, 2024

Compared to last week, feeder steers and feeder bulls were 12.00 higher. Feeder heifers were 4.00 higher. Slaughter cows were 5.00 higher. Slaughter bulls were 2.00 higher.

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| Auction Location | Williamston | Saluda | Darlington | Orangeburg | Laurens | Weekly Weighted Average | | |
|---|---|----------------------|---------------|---|----------------|-------------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Receipts | 409 | 484 | 273 | 198 | 346 | | | |
| Slaughter Cows | | | | *not reported due to illness | | | | |
| Breakers | | 112.00-123.00 | | | 110.00-116.00 | 116.93 | | |
| Boners | 100.00-118.00 | 105.00-120.00 | 104.00-115.00 | | 110.00-130.00 | 115.43 | | |
| High Dressing/High Yield Lean | | 122.00-135.00 | | | 132.00 | 130.14 | | |
| Lean | 98.00-110.00 | 91.00-107.00 | 95.00-105.00 | | 103.00-114.00 | 101.62 | | |
| Lean Low Dressing | 75.00-92.00 | 80.00-90.00 | 78.00-93.00 | | 85.00-96.00 | 87.13 | | |
| Slaughter Bulls | | | | | | | | |
| 950-2400lbs | 114.00-136.00 | 105.00-139.00 | 105.00-134.00 | | 103.00-130.00 | 125.26 | | |
| ★★★Please Note: Value Added Groups of Feeder Cattle are marked with * | | | | | | | | |
| ML 1 Feeder Steers | | | | | | | | |
| 200-250 lbs | 330.00 | | | | | 330.00 | | |
| 250-300 lbs | 280.00-300.00 | 300.00 | | | | 293.39 | | |
| 300-350 lbs | 285.00-300.00 | 300.00 | | | 300.00-315.00 | 299.95 | | |
| 350-400 lbs | 280.00-305.00 | | | | 300.00 | 295.50 | | |
| 400-450 lbs | 290.00-312.50 | 280.00-300.00 | 295.00 | | 305.00 | 299.50 | | |
| 450-500 lbs | 277.50-295.00 | 277.50 | | | 285.00-295.00 | 285.32 | | |
| 500-550 lbs | 270.00-287.50 | 265.00* | | | | 276.84 | | |
| 550-600 lbs | 270.00-285.00 | 267.50* | | | | 277.43 | | |
| 600-650 lbs | 230-250-263* | 232.50-235.00 | | | 243.00* | 236.86 | | |
| 650-700 lbs | 234.00 | 230.00 | | | | 232.99 | | |
| 700-800 lbs | | 220.00 | | | | 220.00 | | |
| ML 1 Feeder Bulls | | | | | | | | |
| 400-450 lbs | 290.00-300.00 | 275.00-290.00 | 280.00-285.00 | | 310.00-317.50 | 285.89 | | |
| 450-500 lbs | 267.50-275.00 | 270.00-285.00 | 270.00-285.00 | | 275.00-285.00 | 277.49 | | |
| 500-550 lbs | 265.00-275.00 | | 263.00 | | | 266.53 | | |
| 550-600 lbs | | 255.00 | 247.50 | | | 251.30 | | |
| 600-700 lbs | 235.00-252.00 | 230.00 | | | | 239.78 | | |
| 700-800 lbs | 205.00 | | | | | 205.00 | | |
| ML 1 Feeder Heifers | | | | | | | | |
| 200-250 lbs | 280.00 | | | | | 280.00 | | |
| 250-300 lbs | 280-290/300* | | | | 250.00 | 273.06 | | |
| 300-350 lbs | 270.00-287.50 | 235.00-245.00 | 230.00-232.50 | | 240.00-250.00 | 252.82 | | |
| 350-400 lbs | 260.00-277.50 | 232.50-245/244* | 230.00 | | 230.00-240.00 | 245.86 | | |
| 400-450 lbs | 232.50-245.00 | 230-242.50/257.50* | | | 220.00-232.50 | 229.76 | | |
| 450-500 lbs | 220-237.50/258* | 230.00-242.50 | | | 220.00-230.00 | 230.03 | | |
| 500-550 lbs | 219-235/244-245 | 219.00-225.00 | | | 205.00-225.00 | 220.51 | | |
| 550-600 lbs | 206-217.50/220* | 215.00 | | | 210.00-215.00 | 212.07 | | |
| 600-650 lbs | 200.00-204.00 | 197.50-205.00 | | | 210.00 | 203.41 | | |
| 650-700 lbs | 200.00-201.00 | 192.50/195.00* | | | | 197.83 | | |
| 700-800 lbs | | | | | | | | |
| Feeder Price Ranges For Other Grades. All Locations Combined For Each Category. | | | | | | | | |
| Frame & Muscle | Medium and Large 2 | | | Medium and Large 3 | | | ML 3 Dairy | |
| | STEERS | HEIFERS | BULLS | STEERS | HEIFERS | BULLS | STEERS | HEIFERS |
| 200-300 lbs | | 195.00-235.00 | 250.00-255.00 | | 190.00-200.00 | 230.00-235.00 | | |
| 300-400 lbs | | 210.00-252.50 | 250.00-285.00 | 215.00-230.00 | 180.00-205.00 | 200.00-240.00 | | 140.00 |
| 400-500 lbs | 240.00-275.00 | 190.00-225.00 | 230.00-270.00 | 200.00-227.50 | 170.00-200.00 | 190.00-235.00 | | 155.00 |
| 500-600 lbs | 220.00-250.00 | 190.00-215.00 | 210.00-247.50 | 220.00 | 170.00-195.00 | 170.00-220.00 | 120.00 | 135.00-155.00 |
| 600-700 lbs | 200.00-215.00 | 182.50-190.00 | 185.00-217.50 | 195.00-210.00 | 170.00-175.00 | 168.00-195.00 | | |
| 700-800 lbs | | | 182.50-195.00 | 200.00 | 170.00 | 162.50-185.00 | | |
| Bred Cows (All Areas) 16 | | | | | | | | |
| Medium and Large 1 760-1200 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows 1-9 months bred 750.00-1400.00 per head. | | | | | | | | |
| Medium and Large 2 825-1065 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows 4-9 months bred 800.00-1225.00 per head. | | | | | | | | |
| Cow/Calf Pairs (All areas) 16 | | | | | | | | |
| Medium and Large 1 680-1195 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows with calves under 300 lbs 1225.00-1850.00 per pair. | | | | | | | | |
| Medium and Large 1 725-1025 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows with calves over 300 lbs 1475.00-1850.00 per pair. | | | | | | | | |
| Medium and Large 2 835-865 lbs Young to Middle Aged Cows with calves under 300 lbs 1075.00-1350.00 per pair. | | | | | | | | |
| Goats at SC Auctions (Monday to Wednesday) Slaughter and Replacement Classes: \$ Per Head | | | | | | | | |
| Receipts: | 151 | Week ago: 91 | | (Sel 1 = Thick / Sel 2 = Average / Sel 3 = Thin) | | | | |
| Kid: | Sel 1 Under 20 lbs 60.00-95.00, 20-40 lbs 50.00-125.00, 40-60 lbs 90.00-125.00 | | | | | | | |
| | Sel 2 20-40 lbs 40.00-65.00 | | | | | | | |
| Nannie/Doe: | Sel 1 40-60 lbs 100.00-200.00, 60-80 lbs 165.00-185.00, 100-150 lbs 195.00 | | | | | | | |
| | Sel 2 40-60 lbs 50.00-120.00, 60-80 lbs 100.00-155.00, 80-100 lbs 125.00, 100-150 lbs 150.00-170.00 | | | | | | | |
| Billie/Buck: | Sel 1 70-100 lbs 175.00-240.00, 100-150 lbs 190.00-330.00 | | | | | | | |
| | Sel 2 70-100 lbs 120.00-165.00, 100-150 lbs 165.00-225.00 | | | | | | | |
| Weekly South Carolina Auction Hog Prices (Monday to Wednesday) Sold Per 100 Lbs | | | | | | | | |
| Receipts: | 176 | Week ago: 264 | | | | | | |
| B & G | US 1-3 200-300 lbs 20.00-85.00, 300-400 lbs 30.00-80.00, 400-500 lbs 65.00, >500 lbs none reported | | | | | | | |
| Sows | US 1-3 200-300 lbs 40.00, 300-400 lbs 10.00-45.00, 400-500 lbs 22.50-52.50, 500-600 lbs 31.00-42.50, >600 lbs 52.50 | | | | | | | |
| Boars | US 1-3 200-300 lbs 50.00, over 300 lbs 30.00 | | | | | | | |
| BBQ Shoats | US 1-3 100-200 lbs 35.00-100.00 | | | | | | | |
| Feeder Pigs (per head) <100 lbs | US 1-3 47.50-70.00 | | | | | | | |

| Prices Paid To Producers For Grain Delivered To Elevators & Processors | | | | | | | Chicago Board Of Trade | |
|--|---------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|----------|------------------------|----------|--|----------|
| Per Bushel As Of Thursday's Close | | | | | | | Thursday's Closing Prices | |
| Date: 2/1/2024 | | | | | | | | |
| Locations | US2 Yellow Corn | | US1 Yellow Soybeans | | US2 Soft Wheat | | | |
| Grain Elevators | Cash | New Crop | Cash | New Crop | Cash | New Crop | | |
| Anderson | 4.97 | | 11.53 | | 5.61 | 5.93 | Wheat | |
| Conway | 4.37 | | | | | | Mar | 601 1/2 |
| Darlington | 5.29 | 5.19 | 11.58 | | | 5.21 | May | 609 1/2 |
| Estill | 4.27 | | | | | | Jul | 613 3/4 |
| Kingstree | 4.27 | | | | | | Sep | 623 1/2 |
| Lake City | 5.29 | 5.19 | 11.58 | | | 5.21 | Corn | |
| Lynchburg | 4.27 | | | | | | Mar | 447 1/4 |
| Nichols | 5.29 | 5.19 | 11.58 | | | 5.21 | May | 458 1/4 |
| | | | | | | | Jul | 466 |
| | | | | | | | Sep | 471 |
| | | | | | | | Dec | 479 |
| | | | | | | | Mar | 490 |
| | | | | | | | May | 495 1/4 |
| | | | | | | | Oats | |
| | | | | | | | Mar | 384 1/4 |
| | | | | | | | May | 375 1/2 |
| | | | | | | | Jul | 373 1/2 |
| | | | | | | | Sep | 377 3/4 |
| | | | | | | | Soybeans | |
| | | | | | | | Mar | 1203 1/4 |
| | | | | | | | May | 1213 3/4 |
| | | | | | | | Jul | 1223 3/4 |
| | | | | | | | Aug | 1214 |
| | | | | | | | Sep | 1190 |
| | | | | | | | Nov | 1185 1/2 |
| | | | | | | | Jan | 1195 1/2 |
| | | | | | | | Chicago Merc. Exchange | |
| | | | | | | | Thursday's Closing Prices | |
| | | | | | | | Feeder Cattle | |
| | | | | | | | Mar | 244.87 |
| | | | | | | | Apr | 250.52 |
| | | | | | | | May | 255.70 |
| | | | | | | | Aug | 270.57 |
| | | | | | | | Sep | 272.85 |
| | | | | | | | Live Cattle | |
| | | | | | | | Feb | 179.75 |
| | | | | | | | Apr | 183.17 |
| | | | | | | | Jun | 181.12 |
| | | | | | | | Aug | 181.20 |
| | | | | | | | Oct | 185.15 |
| | | | | | | | Lean Hogs | |
| | | | | | | | Feb | 75.80 |
| | | | | | | | Apr | 83.75 |
| | | | | | | | May | 88.27 |
| | | | | | | | Jun | 97.20 |
| | | | | | | | Jul | 98.00 |
| | | | | | | | NY Cotton Exchange | |
| | | | | | | | Thursday's Futures Closing Prices | |
| | | | | | | | Mar | 86.49 |
| | | | | | | | May | 87.64 |
| | | | | | | | Jul | 88.25 |
| | | | | | | | Oct | 83.43 |
| | | | | | | | Dec | 81.86 |
| | | | | | | | Mar | 82.14 |
| | | | | | | | Southeast Spot Cotton Price | |
| | | | | | | | Thursday's close | |
| | | | | | | | 41-4/34 | 31-3/35 |
| | | | | | | | 85.74 | 88.49 |
| | | | | | | | Soybean Meal | |
| | | | | | | | 48% bulk price at | |
| | | | | | | | SC Processing Plants | |
| | | | | | | | Thursday's Close | |
| | | | | | | | 431.70 | |
| US Slaughter Sow Report | | | | | | | | |
| Actual weights & prices plant delivered | | | | | | | | |
| Date | 2/1/2024 | Receipts | 7,705 | | | | | |
| Wt Range | Avg Wt | Avg Price | | | | | | |
| 300-450 | 399 | 34.25 | | | | | | |
| 450-500 | 475 | 40.08 | | | | | | |
| 500-550 | 523 | 39.81 | | | | | | |
| 550 & up | 591 | 40.67 | | | | | | |
| US Direct Feeder Pig Summary | | | | | | | | |
| from last Friday Receipts: 144,667 | | | | | | | | |
| Prices are weighted average per head basis | | | | | | | | |
| | Formula | Cash | Combin. | | | | | |
| 10-12 lbs | 48.08 | 40.42 | 43.06 | | | | | |
| 40 lbs | | 47.85 | 47.85 | | | | | |
| *Delivered prices include freight and commission.* | | | | | | | | |
| USDA Estimated Boxed Beef | | | | | | | | |
| Cut-Out Values Based On Wholesale Prices | | | | | | | | |
| Of Primal Cuts As Of Wednesday's Close | | | | | | | | |
| | Choice | Select | | | | | | |
| | 294.54 | 284.17 | | | | | | |
| Trend: | down 4.96 | down 3.07 | | | | | | |
| Slaughter Cattle - Strs & Hfirs | | | | | | | | |
| In TX, OK, KS, NE, CO, IA, MN | | | | | | | | |
| 5 Area Weekly Accumulated Weighted Avg. | | | | | | | | |
| Beef Breeds | Last Week | This Week | | | | | | |
| Select & Choice | Mon-Fri | Mon-Wed | | | | | | |
| Live Steer | 175.44 | 175.49 | | | | | | |
| Live Heifer | 175.05 | 176.00 | | | | | | |
| Dressed Steer | 276.87 | 275.00 | | | | | | |
| Dressed Heifer | 276.80 | N/A | | | | | | |
| Southeast Weekly Hay Report | | | | | | | | |
| **Dollars per ton FOB** | | | | | | | | |
| | Hay | Tons | Price Range | Wtd Avg | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| South Carolina Grass Fed Beef Average Retail Prices | | | | | | | | |
| Ribeye | NY Strip | Sirloin | Brisket | | | | | |
| 21.49/lb | 20.19/lb | 14.35/lb | 11.30/lb | | | | | |
| Cube Steak | Chuck Roast | Ground | Stew | | | | | |
| 8.87/lb | 10.50/lb | 9.55/lb | 9.00/lb | | | | | |
| South Carolina Pasture Raised Pork Average Retail Prices | | | | | | | | |
| Tenderloin | Boston Butt | Bacon | Pork Chops | | | | | |
| 15.48/lb | 7.14/lb | 10.50/lb | 11.87/lb | | | | | |
| Ham Roast | Ground Pork | Fat Back | Sausage | | | | | |
| 7.41/lb | 7.89/lb | 3.81/lb | 8.44/lb | | | | | |
| North Carolina Eggs | | | | | | | | |
| Extra Lrg | Large | Medium | Small | | | | | |
| 289.61 | 285.20 | 223.55 | 152.00 | | | | | |
| consumer grade eggs in cartons delivered to nearby retail outlets. (Thu) cents per dozen | | | | | | | | |
| Oklahoma National Stockyards Weekly Cattle Summary | | | | | | | | |
| Compared to last week: Feeder steers and heifers 5.00-10.00 higher. Steer and heifer calves 10.00-20.00 higher. Demand extremely good for all classes with very active trade. Quality average to attractive. Cattle futures continue to move higher but took an about face, closing lower ahead of this week's Cattle Inventory report. More spring like weather is in the forecast for this week and this on the heels of good rains over many areas of the state. Rain is a good thing but many cattle in supply carrying some mud. Supply included: 100% Feeder Cattle (57% Steers, 42% Heifers, 1% Bulls) Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 61%. | | | | | | | | |
| Compared to last week: Slaughter cows 2.00-3.00 lower. Slaughter bulls mostly steady. Packer demand moderate. Supply included: 59% Feeder Cattle (100% Steers); 33% Slaughter Cattle (87% Cows, 13% Bulls); 9% Replacement Cattle (78% Bred Cows, 11% Bred Heifers, 11% Cow-Calf Pairs). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 0%. | | | | | | | | |
| Daily Eastern Area Cow and Bull Bids - Plant Delivered - Dressed Basis | | | | | | | | |
| Carcass Wt | Breaking Utility 75% Lean | | Boning Utility 85% Lean | | Lean (Cutter) 90% Lean | | | |
| 500 lbs & up | 167.00-217.00 | | 155.00-212.00 | | 155.00-218.00 | | | |
| 400-500 lbs | 163.00-215.00 | | 151.00-209.00 | | 151.00-215.00 | | | |
| 350-400 lbs | 162.00-205.00 | | 150.00-207.00 | | 136.00-207.00 | | | |
| | Bulls | 92%Lean | >600 lbs | 165-235 | Under 600 | 160-229 | | |