

Daily National Grain Market Summary

St. Joseph, MO

November 27, 2001

Report Supplied By USDA

Grain and soybean trade did another about face and bids turned lower, Midweek. Export sales continued slow, despite fair wheat orders and a good corn order overnight to Egypt. Wheat steady to 5 cents lower. Corn 3 to 6 cents lower. Sorghum steady to 2 cents lower.

Soybeans 1 to 8 cents lower.

Wheat bids were slightly lower influenced by slow export interest. A small order was announced today from South Korea but tonnage so far is slim. Winter wheat crops are looking good and favorable growing weather has been adding pressure. Corn and soybean bids were sharply lower again, pressured by continued slow foreign business. Farmers continue to hold on to their crops while prices remain so low.

EXPORT SALES: PURCHASER COMMODITY TONNAGE DELIV.

ERY DATE South Korea 11.5 pct Hard Red Winter 4,300 Jan 14.0 pct Dark Northern Spring Wheat 5,000 10.0 pct White Wheat Wheat 3,800 9.0-9.5 pct White Wheat Wheat 3,800 Tunisia Durum 43,000 Jan-Feb Egypt Corn 120,000 2001 Crop Yr

Totals: Wheat 59,900 tonnes. Corn 120,000 tonnes.

THESE MAY NOT BE THE ONLY EXPORT SALES THAT HAVE TRANSPIRED, BUT THEY ARE THE ONLY SALES THAT COULD BE CONFIRMED BY USDA GRAIN MARKET NEWS.

DATE CHANGE YEAR AGO TRUCK BIDS: 1/28/01 1/27/01 1/29/00 Wheat: Kansas City (HRW ORD) 2.86 dn 3 2.94 Minneapolis (DNS) 3.38 1/2 dn 3 3/4 3.56 Portland (SWW) 3.73 up 3-unch 2.97-2.99 St. Louis (SRW) 2.85-2.86 dn 5 2.43-2.44

Corn, US 2 Yellow: Kansas City 1.92-1.94 dn 5 1.96 Minneapolis 1.78 3/4 dn 5 1.79 1/2 So. Iowa 1.96 dn 3-6 1.88-2.01 Omaha 1.85-1.86 dn 5-4 1.88 Soybeans, US 1 Yellow: Kansas City 4.36 dn 1-3 4.95 Minneapolis 4.15 1/2 dn 5 1/2 4.62 1/4 So. Iowa 4.39-4.41 dn 7-8 4.90-4.95 Cent. II Processor 4.35 1/2-4.42 1/2 dn 7 1/2- 4.97 3/4-4.99 3/4 1/2

Minneapolis truck - to arrive 20 days FUTURES: Kansas City (Dec) Wheat 2.81 dn 3 3.06 1/4 Minneapolis (Dec) Wheat 2.93 1/2 dn 3 3/4 3.11 Chicago (Dec) Wheat 2.74 1/2 dn 5 2.51 1/2 Chicago (Dec) Corn 1.98 3/4 dn 5 2.05 Chicago (Nov) Soybeans 4.35 1/2 dn 8 1/4 4.99 3/4 EXPORT BIDS: Barge bids out of Port of New Orleans or Rail out of North Texas Gulf. Bids per bushel except sorghum per cwt.

US 1 HRW Wheat, Ord Protein: Rail 3.33-3.39 dn 2-3 3.43 1/4-3.53 1/4 US 2 Soft Red Winter Wheat: Barge 3.10 1/2-3.11 1/2 in 5 2.76 1/2-2.78 1/2 US 2 Yellow Corn Barge 2.24 3/4-2.25 1/4 dn 4-4 1/2 2.26-2.27 1/2 US 2 Yellow Sorghum Rail 4.22-4.26 dn 10 4.24-4.34 Barge 4.33-4.35 dn 9 4.29-4.34 US 2 Yellow Soybeans Barge 4.70 1/2 dn 8 1/2 5.21 3/4-5.26 3/4

Weekly Meat Production Under Federal Inspection

WASHINGTON, D.C., Nov 23 - (USDA-NASS) - Total red meat production under federal inspection for the week ending Saturday, Nov 24, was estimated at 811.0 million lb, according to the USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service. This was 11.0% lower than a week ago and 1.3% higher than a year ago. Cumulative meat production for the year to date was 1.9% lower compared to the previous year.

MEAT PRODUCTION (million pounds)
(excludes condemned)

Week Ending (1)	Beef	Calf/Veal	Pork (2)	Lamb/Mutton	Totals (3)
24-Nov-01	446.6	3.2	357.6	3.6	811.0
17-Nov-01	497.6	4.0	405.1	4.4	911.1
Change	dn 10.3%	dn 20.0%	dn 11.7%	dn 18.2%	dn 11.0%
25-Nov-00	448.0	3.5	345.2	3.6	800.3
Change	dn 0.3%	dn 8.6%	up 3.6%	0%	up 1.3%
2001 YTD	23,219.9	168.9	16,877.0	192.9	40,458.7
2000 YTD	24,047.5	184.4	16,797.3	200.5	41,229.7
Change	dn 3.4%	dn 8.4%	up 0.5%	dn 3.8%	dn 1.9%

1- Previous week estimates may be revised Year ago data are actuals
2- Excludes lard
3- Totals may not add due to rounding 2001 totals are subject to revision

LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER (head)

Week Ending	Cattle	Calves/Vealers	Hogs	Sheep/Lambs
24-Nov-01	589,000	17,000	1,795,000	53,000
17-Nov-01	656,000	21,000	2,044,000	64,000
Change	dn 10.2%	dn 19.0%	dn 12.2%	dn 17.2%
25-Nov-00	603,000	18,000	1,764,000	52,000
Change	dn 2.3%	-5.6%	up 1.8%	up 1.9%
2001 YTD	31,331,000	899,000	86,411,000	2,736,000
2000 YTD	32,435,000	981,000	86,940,000	2,963,000
Change	dn 3.4%	dn 8.4%	dn 0.6%	dn 7.7%

AVERAGE WEIGHTS (lbs.)

Week Ending	LIVE CATTLE	Calves/Vealers	Hogs	Sheep/Lamb
24-Nov-01	Estimate	1256	312	269
17-Nov-01	Estimate	1255	316	269
25-Nov-00	Actual	1234	318	265
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24-Nov-01	Estimate	762	192	200
17-Nov-01	Estimate	762	194	199
25-Nov-00	Actual	746	197	197

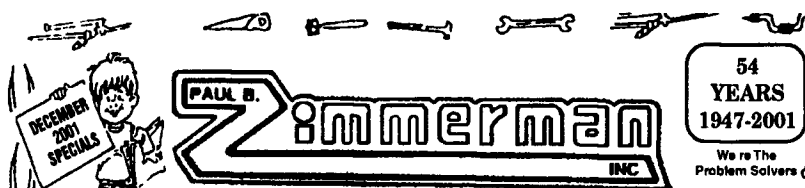
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Wk Ending	CATTLE				HOGS		
	Steers	Heifers	Cows	Bulls/Stags	Barrows/Gilts	Sows	Boars/Stags
10-Nov-01	46.2%	33.2%	18.8%	1.8%	96.7%	3.0%	0.3%
11-Nov-00	47.2%	33.0%	18.0%	1.7%	96.5%	3.2%	0.3%

Weaverland Hay

New Holland, Pa
Report Supplied By Auction
Thursday, Nov. 29, 2001
Hay—Straw—Grain
TOTAL LOADS: 33.
ALFALFA: 138.00-175.00.

TIMOTHY HAY: 145.00-190.00.
MIXED HAY: 62.00-175.00.
GRASS: 84.00-115.00.
STRAW: 85.00-155.00.
FIREWOOD: 42.00-100.00.
CORN FODDER: 50.00-57.00.
SOYBEAN STUBBLE: 45.00-52.00.
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47011	Water Filter String (5 Micron)	\$1.99
4701	Water Filter String (25 Micron)	\$2.23
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43121804	Single Lever Faucet 4"	\$23.89

LAWN & GARDEN		
55540	John Deere "A" Wind Chimes	\$29.95
WB105	Wheelbarrow 5 cu. M5 Jackson	\$84.95
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739707	Plant Pet Cardinal	\$8.75
01721	Clock Bluebirds 11 1/2 in	\$8.95
611360	CLR Cleaner CL12	\$5.25
13005	Simple Green 1 gal	\$12.95
4399929	Simple Green 24 oz	\$5.95
2004	Cinnamon Spice Spray	\$2.95
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1421	Digital Temp Indoor/Outdoor Therme	\$13.95
31401	Jaguar 25 GM 10pk Place Pac Box	\$4.95
R5805S	2805 Waste Basket Slate Blue	\$3.95
71111	Dust Pan Super Scooper	\$11.95

BATTERIES		
MN1300B4	4-D Cell Duracell Batteries	\$5.75
MN1500B8	8-AA Duracell Batteries	\$6.89
MN1604B2	2-q Volt Duracell Batteries	\$5.69
E522BP	1-q Volt Energizer Battery	\$2.95
UM14P	4-pk Panasonic D Batteries	\$9.99

MISCELLANEOUS		
7710	2-AA Mag-Lite w/battery	\$9.98
7719	2-D Mag-Lite	\$15.95
E3215BP2	2-pk. Flashlight Eveready	\$3.49
70*AF2	Sure-Start Litr	\$3.49
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T1222G	12"x22" Green Tarp	\$16.16
H50234152	5/16-3/8 Lever Chain Binder	\$16.95
6207504	5/16-3/8 Ratchet Chain Binder	\$22.98
R300M-XL	Yellow Raincoats (M-XL)	\$8.50
GL950	Brown Jersey Gloves	\$8.95/dz.
GL708L	Double Palm Leather Work Glove	\$17.25/dz.

PAINT		
405248	2"x60 yd Silver Duct Tape	\$2.69 ea.
611	Linzer 11 pc. Roller & Tray Set	\$6.95 ea.
776068	Zinser Cover Stain Oil Base Primer	\$10.99 gal.
1847640	Gateway Oil Base Red Barn Paint	\$58.95 gal.
M68005	5 lb. Painter Choice White Rags	\$8.99 ea.
240001	Bruning Ultra-Low Odor Stain Killing Primer	\$11.99 gal.
200845	Bruning Latex Flat Wallpaint Glove White	\$49.95 gal.

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647580	Plug-in Timer	\$3.97
70AB	Colored Electrical Tape	\$.99
37350	Twist Bulb 15W-20W-23W	\$8.95
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STR500	Stanley Electric Stapler	\$23.95
STR100HL	Stanley Stapler	\$15.95
59200	Handi-Clamp Quick Grip	\$4.75
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