

County Livestock Loss Authority
Market Value, 1Q2024

Livestock	Specifications on Representative Animal	Data Source(s) for Market Value	Market Value per Head
Cow (beef)	1150 pounds, 5-8 years old, bred, medium and large 1	NM Auction Reports	\$1800
Bull (beef)	1000 pounds, 12-18 months	NMSU bull survey	\$3900
Calf (beef)	550 pounds, 8 months, medium and large 1-2, 50/50 heifer/steer	USDA-AMS	\$1402.50 (\$2.55/lb)
Yearling (beef)	750 pounds, 12 months, medium and large 1-2, 50/50 heifer/steer	USDA-AMS	\$1702.50 (\$2.27/lb)
Ewe	Good 2-3, 150 Lb slaughter ewe, adjusted to running age breeding stock value	USDA AMS	\$198.77/head
Ram	1-2 slaughter buck, 150-200 lb. plus ewe breeding value adjustment due to no data on ram values.	USDA AMS	\$231.89/head
Lamb	Slaughter lamb, 70-80 lb.	San Angelo, USDA AMS	\$250.97/cwt

There has been significant volatility in the markets and further price movements are expected. Prices are likely to fluctuate week to week or month to month.

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