

Eastern Missouri Livestock Auction

MARCH 14, 2008 • Bowling Green, Mo.

Receipts: 2873; Last Week: 1331; Year Ago: 2083

Compared to last week, feeder steers few 450-500 lbs weak to \$10 lower, 500-750 lbs steady to \$3 lower and over 750 lbs \$3-5 lower. Feeder heifers 450-600 lbs firm to \$2 higher and over 600 lbs steady to \$3 lower. Demand uneven, light to good, best on 550-750 lbs steers and 450-650 lbs heifers. Supply moderate to heavy on feeder special, near 48 percent steers, 37 percent heifers, 13 percent cows, 2 percent slaughter steers and heifers and 40 percent feeders over 600 lbs. Slaughter cows steady to \$1 lower.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1: Few pkgs 420-460 lbs \$123 and pkg fleshy not/weaned 488 lbs \$111.75; 525-600 lbs \$112-124.50; 600-650 lbs \$105.50-116.25; 650-700 lbs \$99.75-108.25; 700-800 lbs \$91.50-100, lot thin blacks 701 lbs \$105.35; 800-875 lbs \$85.25-89.25, pot load 850 lbs \$91.35, few pkgs fleshy \$82.75-83.75; two pkgs fleshy 910 lbs \$85.75-88.10. Medium and Large 1-2: Few 450-475 lbs \$118.50-121.50; 500-575 lbs \$115.25-119.50; 600-700 lbs \$94.50-104.50; 700-750 lbs \$92-99.85.

Medium 1: 450-500 lbs \$110.50-115.50; 500-600 lbs \$100.50-110.50; 600-650 lbs \$105-107.50.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1: 400-500 lbs \$106-115, few fleshy not/weaned \$103.50-107.50; 500-600 lbs \$100-114.50, two pkgs thin \$113.50-116; 600-700 lbs \$91.25-104.50; 700-750 lbs \$86.75-89.75, few replacement blacks \$93.50-100. Medium and Large 1-2: 425-500 lbs \$102-105, two pkgs thin 450-500 lbs \$116; 550-600 lbs \$97-98.50; 600-700 lbs \$85-97; 700-750 lbs \$84-89. Medium 1: 400-425 lbs \$102-104.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking 70-80 Percent Lean, \$50-55, High Dressing few \$55-58, Low Dressing \$42-50; Boning 80-85 Percent Lean, \$49-54, High Dressing \$52-57, Low Dressing \$44-49; Lean 85-90 Percent Lean, \$42-47, High Dressing \$47-52, few \$52-55, Low Dressing \$42-46.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2: 1400-2300 lbs \$60-65; High Dressing \$67.50-68.50; Low Dressing \$54-60.

SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS: Select and Choice 2-4: 1050-1450 lbs \$85-90. △