

# Eastern Missouri Livestock Auction

**DEC. 02, 2011 • Bowling Green, Mo.**

**Receipts: 2403; Last Week: 1210; Year Ago: 2122**

Compared to the previous auction from two weeks ago, steer and heifer calves traded \$6-12 higher. A higher undertone noted on yearlings although comparisons very limited with the light receipts from the previous sale. Slaughter cows \$1-2 higher. A good number of cattle finding their way to the sale barn thanks to record high fall prices and acceptable late fall weather conditions. The offering consisted of a large run of slaughter cows followed by nice run of calves, although many of the calves were sold in small drafts and many showed more flesh than buyers desired. With the incredible demand for cattle the buyers readily absorbed the offering of calves, when in past years a sale that featured so many small bunches, (some unweaned and needing vet work), often made for a long difficult sale. Demand good and supply moderate to heavy. The run consisted of 24 percent cows with 62 percent of the feeder supply steers and bulls, 38 percent heifers, and 40 percent of the feeders over 600 lbs.

**FEEDER STEERS:** Medium and Large 1: 400-500 lbs \$169.75-187.50, fleshy \$152-167.50; 500-600 lbs \$157-164.50, fleshy \$137.50-158.50; 600-700 lbs \$147.50-154.25, fleshy \$136-144.50; 700-750 lbs \$144.75-154.25; fleshy 700-800 lbs \$137.50-145.50; pkg 814 lbs \$144.50. Medium and Large 1-2: Pkg 472 lbs \$160.50; pkg 548 lbs \$160.50, fleshy 550-600 lbs \$139.75-145.50; pkg 621 lbs \$153.75; fleshy 600-700 lbs \$136-146.50; fleshy 770 lbs \$139.50;

fleshy 831 lbs \$128.50; fleshy 1029 lbs \$121.25. Large 1: Pkg 430 lbs \$147. Medium 1-2: 350-400 lbs \$176; 400-500 lbs \$155.50-163; pkg 547 lbs \$143.50; fleshy 633 lbs \$130.50.

**FEEDER HEIFERS:** Medium and Large 1: 300-400 lbs \$148-161; 400-500 lbs \$147-160; fleshy \$140.50-151; 500-600 lbs \$144-153; fleshy \$132.50-141.50; 600-650 lbs \$140-146; fleshy 650-700 lbs \$133.25-135.50. Medium and Large 1-2: 450-500 lbs \$146-151; 500-600 lbs \$139.50-148; fleshy \$126-140.50; pkg 680 lbs \$144.75; fleshy \$128-135.50; 700-800 lbs \$132.25-139; fleshy 771 lbs \$125.25. Medium 1-2: 400-500 lbs \$123.50-144; 500-550 lbs \$130.25-138.50.

**FEEDER BULLS:** Medium and Large 1-2: 350-400 lbs \$161-179; 450-500 lbs \$150.50-152; 550-600 lbs \$133-137.50; 600-650 lbs \$125.50-132; 700-750 lbs \$114.50-120.50. Medium 1-2: Pkg 353 lbs \$161; pkg 425 lbs \$155.

**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking 70-80 Percent Lean, \$65-70, High Dressing \$70-73.50, Low Dressing \$60-65; Boning 80-85 Percent Lean, \$63-67.50, High Dressing \$68-70.50, Low Dressing \$57-63; Lean 85-90 Percent Lean, \$57.50-62.50, High Dressing \$62.50-66, Low Dressing \$46.50-57.50.

**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield Grade 1-2: 1300-2350 lbs \$70-75.75, High Dressing \$80.25, Low Dressing \$62.25-69.75.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS:** (45 head) Choice 2-3: 1200-1400 lbs \$120.50-121; Select and Choice 2-3: 1150-1300 lbs \$115-118.     △



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