

# Eastern Missouri Livestock Auction

**MARCH 16, 2012 • Bowling Green, Mo.**

**Receipts: 1366; Last Week: 2403; Year Ago: 1660**

Compared to last week, few 400-450 lbs steers steady to firm and over 450 lbs weak to \$5 lower. Heifers 400-450 lbs \$5-10 higher, 450-500 lbs mostly steady and few over 500 lbs weak to \$5 lower. Demand moderate to good. Supply light to moderate on a cow special and feeders mostly small packages of calves, near 41 percent cows, 34 percent steers and bulls, 25 percent heifers and 5 percent feeders over 600 lbs. Slaughter cows lean firm to \$2 higher, boner and breakers steady to \$2 lower.

**FEEDER STEERS:** Medium and Large 1: Pkg 410 lbs \$213; small pkgs 450-500 lbs \$190-192.50; pkg 535 lbs \$188.75; 550-600 lbs \$170.50-172. Medium and Large 1-2: Few thin 350-380 lbs \$216-221; small pkgs 450-500 lbs \$188-190, pkg thin \$193.75; few pkgs 500-575 lbs \$170.50-188; few 725-750 lbs \$148.50.

**FEEDER HEIFERS:** Medium and Large 1: Small pkgs 350-400 lbs \$189-196; 400-450 lbs \$181-189, few thin/fancy \$190-195; 450-500 lbs \$172-175; few 500-550 lbs \$160-160.50. Medium and Large 1-2: 450-500 lbs \$168-171; 500-600 lbs \$150.50-157.50; few 650-700 lbs \$142.25-142.75.

**FEEDER BULLS:** Medium and Large 1: Pkg 410 lbs \$205. Medium and Large 1-2: 425-475 lbs \$176-187; pkg 558 lbs \$163.

**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking 70-80 Percent Lean, \$82-87, High Dressing \$87-89, Low Dressing few \$79-80; Boning 80-85 Percent Lean, \$82-87, High Dressing \$87-89, few \$92-95.50, Low Dressing \$76.50-82; Lean 85-90 Percent Lean, \$76.50-82.50, High Dressing \$82.50-87.50, Low Dressing \$66.50-76.50.

**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield Grade 1-2: 1500-2100 lbs \$94-99, High Dressing \$102-108.25, Low Dressing \$83-93.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS:** (34 head) Choice 2-3: 1200-1400 lbs \$127.25-129.25.

**BRED COWS:** Medium and Large 1-2: 3-6 yrs 1150-1650 lbs in 3rd stage \$1750-1925; 3-5 yrs 1050-1300 lbs in 2nd stage \$1500-1580, pkg \$1725; few 4-6 yrs 975-1175 lbs in 1st stage \$1160-1425, pkg 3-4 yrs \$1580. Medium and Large 2: 5-7 yrs 1150-1300 lbs in 2nd stage \$1125-1425.

**PAIRS:** Medium and Large 1-2:-6 yrs 1000-1200 lbs w/100/300 lb calves some back in 1st-2nd stages \$2100-2475. Δ



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