

Eastern Missouri Livestock Auction

JULY 25, 2008 • Bowling Green, Mo.

Receipts: 816; Last Week: 356; Year Ago: 1043

Compared to two weeks ago, feeder steers and heifers steady to \$2 lower, spots \$3-4 lower on 550-650 lbs heifers. Demand moderate to good. Supply light on a feeder special, mostly small packages of 500-800 lbs feeders, near 38 percent steers and bulls, 34 percent heifers, 23 percent cows, 5 percent slaughter steers and heifers and 27 percent feeders over 600 lbs. Slaughter cows firm to \$2 higher.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1 and 1-2: Two pkgs 415-435 lbs \$123.75-125; small pkgs 475-500 lbs \$117.50-118.50; 500-600 lbs \$114.50-118.50; 600-700 lbs \$110.50-115.50; 750-800 lbs \$108.50-111.70; pkg 902 lbs \$104.25.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1 and 1-2: Two pkgs 350-375 lbs \$121-125; small

pkgs 400-500 lbs \$109.50-117.50, pkg fancy 418 lbs \$122; 500-600 lbs \$105.25-111.75; 625-675 lbs \$105.25-105.50; few 700-725 lbs \$103.50-105.25; lot 800 lbs \$102.75; pkg 885 lbs \$96.50.

FEEDER BULLS: Medium and Large 1-2: Few pkgs 500-550 lbs \$106-114.50.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking 70-80 Percent Lean, \$66-70, High Dressing few \$70-75.25; Boning 80-85 Percent Lean, \$62-67, High Dressing \$67-72, few \$72.25-75.25; Lean 85-90 Percent Lean, \$52-57, High Dressing \$57-62, few \$62-67, Low Dressing \$47-52.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2: 1300-2200 lbs \$72-77; High Dressing few \$77-81.25; Low Dressing \$65.25-70.25.

SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS: Few Choice 2-3: 1200-1350 lbs \$91.75-92.25, few mixed Select and Choice 2-3: 1050-1300 lbs \$88-90. △