Eastern Missouri Livestock Auction

MARCH 8, 2013 · Bowling Green, Mo.

Receipts: 2722; Last Week: 1028; Year Ago: 2403 With the last good test which was actually three weeks ago as two major snow storms limited feeder receipts in area. Undertone on steer and heifer calves under 650 lbs trading firm to higher with undertone on yearlings weak to lower. Supply was moderate to heavy with demand best on calves and light yearlings suitable for grass with demand light for heavier feeders and yearlings bound for the feedlot. This week's sharp losses from the CME cattle futures are showing little support for yearling prices. Slaughter cows and bulls traded fully steady to firm, spots \$2 higher on high dressing cows. Supply included near 6 percent slaughter cows and bulls with the balance feeders. Feeder supply included 49 percent steers and 51 percent heifers with near 70 percent weighing over 600 lbs.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1: 400-450 lbs \$186-195; 450-500 lbs \$168-180; 500-550 lbs \$166.50-178.50; 550-600 lbs \$159-167, fleshy 580 lbs \$150.50; 600-650 lbs \$147.50-159.50; 650-700 lbs \$137-146.50; pkg thin 658 lbs \$155; 700-800 lbs \$129.50-136; 800-900 lbs \$127-129.75; 900-950 lbs \$123.25-124.85. Medium and Large 1-2: Few 400-500 lbs \$169.50-180.50; 500-600 lbs \$148.50-159.50; 600-650 lbs \$142.50-148; 650-700 lbs \$135.50-140.50; pkg 705 lbs \$133. Medium and Large 2: 600-650 lbs \$130.50-135.50.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1: Pkg 390 lbs \$164; 400-500 lbs \$142-152; 500-550 lbs \$141-148; 550-600 lbs \$135-147.50; 600-650 lbs \$133.25-138.25; 650-700 lbs \$126.75-133; 700-800 lbs \$124.75-133; part load replacements 755 lbs \$138.50; 850-900 lbs \$118-124.75. Medium and Large 1-2: 300-400 lbs \$151-159; 400-500 lbs \$140.50-142; 500-550 lbs \$137-139; 550-600 lbs \$125.50-135.50; 600-700 lbs \$122.50-131.50; 700-750 lbs \$121-125.25; pot load 867 lbs \$118.75; pot load 955 lbs \$116.

FEEDER BULLS: Medium and Large 1-2: Pkg 425 lbs \$177; 475-500 lbs \$159-167; 500-560 lbs \$137-150.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking 70-80 Percent Lean, \$79-83.50, High Dressing \$84.50-89.50, Ind. \$90.50, Low Dressing \$73-78; Boning 80-85 Percent Lean, \$78.50-84.50, High Dressing \$84.50-89.50, few \$90-95, Low Dressing \$73-77; Lean 85-90 Percent Lean, \$73-83, High Dressing \$83-87, Low Dressing \$64-73.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2: 1250-2200 lbs \$96-106, High Dressing \$108-113, Low Dressing \$94.50-95.50.

SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS: (25 head) Choice 2-3: 1230-1310 lbs \$126.50-128.50, pkg Select and Choice 2: 1275 lbs \$124.50. Δ



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