

# Eastern Missouri Livestock Auction

**OCTOBER 5, 2012 • Bowling Green, Mo.**  
**Receipts: 825; Last Week: 1405; Year Ago: 500**

Compared to last week, steer and heifer calves weighing 400-550 lbs on a light test sold near steady to \$3 lower, with 550-600 lbs steer calves selling \$5-8 lower on a light test. Feeders over 600 lbs were not well tested with last week's larger receipts. Feeder supply consisted of mostly small packages and bunches of calves weighing between 400-550 lbs with several un-weaned and carrying flesh. Overnight rains and falling temperatures had receipts and orders backing off some as demand was moderate to good on calves. Feeder supply consisted of 46 percent steers and bulls, 54 percent heifers and near 47 percent weighing over 600 lbs. Slaughter cows accounted for near 28 percent of the total receipts. Slaughter cows sold fully steady to \$1 higher.

**FEEDER STEERS:** Medium and Large 1: Pkg fleshy 385 lbs \$170; 400-500 lbs \$170-178; 500-525 lbs few \$165-176; 550-600 lbs \$148-155; 600-700 lbs few \$140.50-148.50; pkg fleshy 725 lbs \$125.25. Medium and Large 1-2: 300-350 lbs \$176-183; lot thin 385 lbs \$182.50; lot fleshy 470 lbs \$150.50; lot thin 455 lbs \$178.50; 600-650 lbs \$140-146; pkg 708 lbs \$139.

**FEEDER HEIFERS:** Medium and Large 1: Pkg 378

lbs \$156; 400-425 lbs few \$160-164; 500-525 lbs \$157-159.50; 600-625 lbs \$134-137.50. Medium and Large 1-2: Few 400-430 lbs \$141-150.50; pkg 490 lbs \$136; few 500-550 lbs \$143-149.50; few 550-600 lbs \$128-135.50; 700-780 lbs fleshy \$118-120.25; two pot loads fleshy to partly fatten 936-996 lbs \$116.25-119.

**FEEDER BULLS:** Medium and Large 1-2: 400-500 lbs \$152-169; pkg 505 lbs \$168; pkg 605 lbs \$126.

**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking 70-80 Percent Lean, \$75-81.50, High Dressing \$80-86, Low Dressing \$72.50-73.50; Boning 80-85 Percent Lean, \$74.50-80.50, High Dressing \$81.50-84.50, gaunt \$88.50, Low Dressing \$71.50-74.50; Lean 85-90 Percent Lean, \$69-74.50, High Dressing \$74.50-81.50, few gaunt \$85-87.75, Low Dressing \$64-68, thin \$56-60.

**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield Grade 1-2: 1300-1850 lbs few \$90-99, Low Dressing \$82.50-88.50.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS:** (22 head) Select and Choice 2-3: 1050-1375 lbs \$115.50-119; pkg Holsteins 1405 lbs \$107.25.

**FEEDER/STOCKER COWS:** : Medium and Large 1-2: 2-4 yrs open blk 905-1025 lbs part load (30 head) \$107.50-108. △



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