Fruitland Livestock Market

AUGUST 26, 2008 • Fruitland, Mo. Receipts: 435; Last Week: 512; Year Ago: 630

Compared to last week, steers and heifers sold uneven, \$2 higher to \$3 lower on a limited test. Slaughter cows sold \$1 lower and bulls \$2 lower; Demand uneven and supply light. Cows made up approximately 31 percent of the run 69 percent feeders. Steers made up approximately 43 percent of the offering, 45 percent heifers. Offerings over 600 lbs totaled around 28 percent.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1-2: Few 300-400 lbs \$110-117; 400-450 lbs \$109-118; 450-500 lbs \$104.50-113; 500-550 lbs \$103-114; few 600-700 lbs \$103-111; 700-800 lbs \$102-109.25; pkg 876 lbs \$98; pkg 942 lbs \$90.25. Medium 2: 300-400 lbs \$93-110; 400-475 lbs \$95.50-105.50; few 500-600 lbs \$90-95.50; few 600-625 lbs \$93-97; few 750-800 lbs \$93-95.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1-2: Few 375-400 lbs \$101-104; 400-450 lbs \$105.50-114; few 450-500

lbs \$95.50-103; few 500-600 lbs \$94-108; 600-700 lbs \$87-98.50. Medium 2: Few 400-475 lbs \$90-100; 500-575 lbs \$87.50-94.

FEEDER BULLS: Medium and Large 1-2: 500-600 lbs \$91-104.50; 650-675 lbs \$97.50-99.50.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking 75-80 Percent Lean, \$55.50-57, High Dressing \$59; Boning 80-85 Percent Lean, \$54.75-57.50, High Dressing \$59-60.75, Low Dressing \$47; Lean 85-90 Percent Lean, \$46.25-47.50, High Dressing \$49.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2: Few 1660-2165 lbs, bulk \$66.75-68.75, High Dressing \$72.75.

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2: 4-7 yrs old, 1050-1560 lbs, 2nd and 3rd stage, \$740-905.

COW-CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2: Few 4-7 yrs old, 1035-1530 lbs wth 90-170 lbs calves, \$940-1000 per pair. $\ \Delta$