

# Fruitland Livestock Market

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Receipts: 575; Last Week: 490; Year Ago: 368

Compared to last week, steers and heifers sold \$4-8 lower on a poor quality offering. Slaughter cows sold \$1 lower and bulls sold \$3 lower; Demand and supply light. Bought calves are getting sick and buyers are mainly interested in weaned and vaccinated calves. Cows made up approximately 16 percent of the run, 84 percent feeders. Steers made up approximately 25 percent of the offering, 60 percent heifers. Offerings over 600 lbs totaled around 12 percent.

**FEEDER STEERS:** Medium and Large 1-2: Few 325-400 lbs \$93.50-101.50; few 475-500 lbs \$83-92; few 500-575 lbs \$85-96; pkg 743 lbs \$84. Medium 2: Pkg 291 lbs \$94; few 325-400 lbs \$85.50-92; few 400-450 lbs \$80-82.50; 650-700 lbs \$75-79.50.

**FEEDER HOLSTEINS:** Large 3: Pkg 418 lbs \$60; pkg 630 lbs \$59.25.

**FEEDER HEIFERS:** Medium and Large 1-2: Few 250-275 lbs \$90-95.50; 300-400 lbs \$82-88.25; 400-500 lbs \$81.50-86.50; 500-600 lbs \$75.25-84; few 600-625 lbs

\$75.25-78.50. Medium 1-2: Few 425-475 lbs \$82.50-86.50; few 500-525 lbs \$75-75.50. Medium 2: 350-400 lbs \$76-80; few 400-500 lbs \$70-82.75; 500-600 lbs \$70-75.25; pkg 735 lbs \$97.25.

**FEEDER BULLS:** Medium and Large 1-2: 450-500 lbs \$87-88.50; 500-600 lbs \$75.25-90.50; pkg 615 lbs \$77.50. Medium 2: Pkg 642 lbs \$70.25.

**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking 75-80 Percent Lean, Scarce; Boning 80-85 Percent Lean, \$38.75-43.50, High Dressing \$47.50, Low Dressing \$35; Lean 85-90 Percent Lean, few \$34-36.50, High Dressing \$40.

**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield Grade 1-2: Few 1280-2120 lbs, bulk \$48.50-51, High Dressing \$55, Low Dressing \$47.

**STOCKER COWS:** Medium and Large 1-2: 865-1105 lbs \$51-60.

**REPLACEMENT COWS:** Medium and Large 1-2: Few 3-7 yrs old, 930-1220 lbs, 2nd and 3rd stage, \$590-750.

**COW-CALF PAIRS:** Medium and Large 1-2: Few 8 to short and solid mouth, 935-1255 lbs with 70-110 lbs calves, \$580-605 per pair. Δ



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