

Fruitland Livestock Market

MARCH 18, 2008 • Fruitland, Mo.

Receipts: 945; Last Week: 767; Year Ago: 1061

Compared to last week, steers and heifers under 500 lbs sold \$7-10 lower, the offering over 500 lbs sold steady to \$4 lower. Slaughter cows and bulls sold \$2-3 lower; Demand and supply light. Cows made up approximately 24 percent of the run, 76 percent feeders. Steers made up approximately 46 percent of the offering, 50 percent heifers. Offerings over 600 lbs totaled around 33 percent.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1-2: 300-400 lbs \$111-121; 400-500 lbs \$105-118; 500-600 lbs \$96-106; 600-700 lbs \$92-100.50; 700-775 lbs \$80.25-94. Medium 2: Few 300-350 lbs \$103-110; 400-475 lbs \$88-99.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1-2: Few 275-300 lbs \$107-112; 300-400 lbs \$101-108.50; 400-500 lbs \$94-108; 500-550 lbs \$85.25-95; 550-600 lbs \$81-90; 600-700 lbs \$82-92; 700-800 lbs \$82-85.25. Medium 2: Few

300-400 lbs \$85-100.50; 400-500 lbs \$80-96; pkg 588 lbs \$80; few 600-625 lbs \$75-83.

FEEDER BULLS: Medium and Large 1-2: 525-575 lbs \$94.25-100; 600-650 lbs \$87.75-88.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking 75-80 Percent Lean, \$47.25-51, High Dressing \$52.75; Boning 80-85 Percent Lean, \$45.50-50.25, High Dressing \$52.50-54.75, Low Dressing \$43; Lean 85-90 Percent Lean, \$36.25-40, High Dressing \$42.75, Low Dressing \$31.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2: Few 1430-2115 lbs \$55.75-61, High Dressing \$64.25, Low Dressing \$52.50.

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2: 4-7 yrs old, 910-1380 lbs, 2nd and 3rd stage, \$560-740.

COW-CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2: Few 835-1235 lbs, 4-7 yrs old, with 65-120 lbs calves, \$660-790 per pair. Δ