Fruitland Livestock Market

AUGUST 12, 2008 • Fruitland, Mo. Receipts: 416; Last Week: 243; Year Ago: 337

Compared to last week, steers and heifers sold \$2-5 higher. Slaughter cows sold steady and bulls scarce; Demand moderate and supply light. Cows made up approximately 22 percent of the run, 78 percent feeders. Steers made up approximately 56 percent of the offering 36 percent heifers. Offerings over 600 lbs totaled around 48 percent.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1-2: Few 300-400 lbs \$106-118; few 400-450 lbs \$106-117; 450-500 lbs \$101-113; fancy pkg 457 lbs \$117.75; 500-600 lbs \$100-111.50; few 600-650 lbs \$105-111.50; 775-800 lbs \$104.75-109.75. Medium 2: Pkg 520 lbs \$95.

FEEDER HOLSTEINS: Large 3: Pkg 343 lbs \$79.50; 400-450 lbs \$72-79; pkg 629 lbs \$63.25.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1-2: Few 325-

375 lbs \$98-107.50; few 400-500 lbs \$95.50-101; 500-600 lbs \$95.50-106.50; 625-700 lbs \$92.50-99.75; 725-750 lbs \$95.25-101; pkg 943 lbs \$85.25. Medium 2: pkg 560 lbs \$92.

FEEDER BULLS: Medium and Large 1-2: 525-575 lbs \$86.50-101; 625-700 lbs \$99-104.50; pkg 785 lbs \$90.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking 75-80 Percent Lean, \$57-61; Boning 80-85 Percent Lean, \$55.25-60.75, High Dressing \$61.25-65.50, Low Dressing \$49.50; Lean 85-90 Percent Lean, \$45.50-48.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2: Scarce. REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2: 4-7 yrs old, 925-1345 lbs, 2nd and 3rd stage, \$650-760.

COW-CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2: Few 3-7 yrs old, 1045-1320 lbs with 90-160 lbs calves, \$990-1150 per pair. Δ