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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 3/16/2023 - Final

AUCTION

	This Week	Last Reported 3/9/2023	Last Year
Total Receipts:	1,285	1,865	1,314
Feeder Cattle:	395(30.7%)	1,288(69.1%)	1,005(76.5%)
Slaughter Cattle:	469(36.5%)	446(23.9%)	141(10.7%)
Replacement Cattle:	421(32.8%)	131(7.0%)	168(12.8%)

Compared to last week: Steer and heifers calves were all too lightly tested to develop a full market trend, however steady undertones were noticed on a lower quality offering. Many crossbred calves were seen this week and buyers showed mostly good demand for all offerings. Buyers attempted to gather as many offering as possible as worry of shortness of supply takes hold. Quality today was mostly plain to average. All package sizes sold on good demand today. Market activity was active to very active with a very large crowd on hand for todays small sale. Weigh up cows sold on mostly good demand for moderate offerings. Packer buyers showed good demand for cows for immediate harvest and to feed this week. Packers continued to purchase a few packages of high quality cows to feed. Slaughter cows sold mostly 2.00 to 3.00 higher on all classes. Feeding cows sold mostly 2.00-3.00 higher in a narrow comparison. Slaughter bulls sold steady to firm, however high dressing bulls saw very good demand and sold sharply higher in a narrow comparison. Weigh up conditions were mostly average to above average this week and very attractive to buyers. Young age cows suitable to feed or rebreed sold with higher undertones. A very attractive, fancy set, of one iron cows off two ranches sold open and vet. checked safe to breed. These offerings were met with very good demand as most offerings in the consignment sold for over $1700 per head. Supply included: 31% Feeder Cattle (41% Steers, 46% Heifers, 13% Bulls); 36% Slaughter Cattle (91% Cows, 9% Bulls); 33% Replacement Cattle (75% Stock Cows, 25% Bred Cows). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 37%.

FEEDER CATTLE

STEERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
8	479	479	272.00	272.00
21	548	548	256.50	256.50
13	553-598	575	240.00-250.00	246.82
2	603	603	237.00	237.00
3	805	805	181.00-185.00	183.67

STEERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
13	385-389	389	270.00-280.00	270.76
3	407	407	270.00	270.00
12	455-488	470	252.00-270.00	259.41
6	510-540	530	236.00-237.00	236.68
2	588	588	233.00	233.00
24	622-623	623	223.00-229.00	225.25
1	735	735	190.00	190.00

3	817	817	165.00	165.00	Fleshy

STEERS - Medium and Large 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
1	460	460	230.00	230.00

STEERS - Large 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
3	492	492	185.00	185.00

STEERS - Medium 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
3	452	452	262.50	262.50

STEERS - Medium 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
2	505	505	155.00	155.00

HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
7	342	342	257.50	257.50	
12	411	411	237.00	237.00	
4	468	468	234.00	234.00	
6	550-567	561	222.00-227.00	225.85	
22	609-642	626	205.00-217.50	211.20	
29	670-687	682	198.00-202.00	200.86	
17	701	701	198.00	198.00	Replacement

HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
3	385	385	245.00	245.00	
6	498	498	215.00	215.00	
9	535-545	539	209.00-214.00	211.75	
8	555-563	558	207.00-211.00	209.01	
5	582	582	185.00	185.00	Fleshy
3	740	740	150.00	150.00	Fleshy

HEIFERS - Medium and Large 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
3	607	607	178.00	178.00

HEIFERS - Medium 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
3	422	422	185.00	185.00

BULLS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
14	430	430	262.00	262.00
2	485	485	240.00	240.00

BULLS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
4	336	336	247.50	247.50
2	438	438	245.00	245.00
7	539	539	239.00	239.00
2	578	578	210.00	210.00

BULLS - Medium and Large 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
3	372	372	207.50	207.50

BULLS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
2	1195	1195	111.00	111.00	Fleshy
2	1203	1203	109.00	109.00	Fleshy

SLAUGHTER CATTLE

COWS - Breaker 75-80% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
67	1502-1747	1546	93.00-97.25	96.41	Average
58	1478-1725	1485	98.00-100.50	98.78	High
17	1544	1544	91.50	91.50	Low

COWS - Boner 80-85% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing	
57	1287-1466	1388	87.00-96.50	92.13	Average	
24	1340-1446	1404	87.50-96.00	93.08	Average	Return to Feed
30	1264-1545	1369	97.00-104.00	98.02	High	
6	1363-1430	1404	97.00-99.00	97.65	High	Return to Feed
60	1294-1525	1330	80.00-85.00	83.56	Low	
4	1300-1433	1384	74.00-84.00	81.53	Low	Return to Feed

COWS - Lean 85-90% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing

30	1065-1325	1223	86.00-94.00	89.40	Average	
2	1273	1273	87.00	87.00	Average	Return to Feed
5	1205-1305	1240	95.00-98.00	97.00	High	
33	1030-1280	1186	76.00-85.00	83.11	Low	
4	880-995	939	79.00-86.00	81.85	Low	Light Weight
9	1020-1220	1094	79.00-85.00	82.57	Low	Return to Feed
6	1085-1320	1174	70.00-73.00	71.17	Very Low	

BULLS - 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing	
3	1430-2050	1753	106.00-117.00	110.27	Average	
5	1205-1265	1219	105.00-114.00	110.12	Average	Return to Feed
10	1505-2095	1906	126.00-139.00	133.22	High	
24	1420-2100	1736	90.00-103.00	99.44	Low	

REPLACEMENT CATTLE

STOCK COWS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Age	Stage	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
<2	O	38	760-1375	1040	109.50-142.00	128.62	
2-4	O	67	809-1400	1033	89.00-123.00	111.29	
2-4	O	170	1032-1168	1119	149.00-167.00	154.59	Fancy

STOCK COWS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Age	Stage	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
<2	O	1	860	860	130.00	130.00

STOCK COWS - Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Age	Stage	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
<2	O	2	1403	1403	105.00	105.00

STOCK COWS - Medium 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Age	Stage	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
2-4	O	4	683	683	149.00	149.00

STOCK COWS - Medium 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Age	Stage	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
2-4	O	29	823-892	875	110.00-116.00	111.36

BRED COWS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Unit / Actual Wt)

Age	Stage	Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
2-4	T1-2	8	1155-1247	1224	1500.00	1500.00
2-4	T3	3	1088	1088	1700.00	1700.00

5-8	T3	2	1408	1408	1675.00	1675.00	
>5	T3	15	1474-1493	1480	1710.00	1710.00	
>8	T3	68	1509-1543	1522	1525.00-1675.00	1650.17	Broken Mouth
>8	T3	7	1316	1316	1150.00	1150.00	Thin Fleshed

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Explanatory Notes:
Stage (Cattle) - Represents pregnancy stage (O = open; T1 = 1st Trimester, 1 to 3 months; T1-2 = 1st/2nd trimester, 1 to 6 months; T2 = 2nd Trimester, 4 to 6 months; T2-3 = 2nd/3rd Trimester, 4 to 9 months; T3 = 3rd Trimester, 7 to 9 months; T1-3 = all trimesters, 1 to 9 months)

Age - Numerical representation of age in years.