

## MARKET REPORT – DECATUR LIVESTOCK MARKET

**Consignments** from March 9, 2020, were 1245 head including: 30 Bulls, 227 Cows, 71 Calves, 146 Longhorns, 263 Stocker Heifers, 322 Stocker Bulls/Steers, 61 Feeder Heifers, 125 Feeder Steers. Several variables played an active part in the market today – DOW market down 2000 points, cattle futures down the limit, coronavirus media hype, inconsistent quality – equating to a lower market on most classes. We had several individual buyers present that were active bidders on light weight cattle driving 2-3 weight average prices \$9-\$14/cwt higher. The special consignment of registered Angus cows was well received with a lot of active bidding that continued on through the regular portion of the breds/pairs. Packer cows and bulls were steady to \$6 higher. *Our special female replacement sale is scheduled for Saturday, April 18. To consign your cattle, give us a call at 940-627-5599. Sale will begin at 12 noon.*

**PRICES REFLECT BEEF CALVES ONLY.**

<b>BEEF CATTLE</b>					
Steers/Bulls:	Range	Average	Heifers:	Range	Average
200 - 299 lbs.	100-216	186.00	200 - 299 lbs.	131-190	152.28
300 - 399 lbs.	87.5-207.5	165.79	300 - 399 lbs.	67.5-165	144.61
400 - 499 lbs.	70-177.5	150.24	400 - 499 lbs.	105-167.5	135.62
500 - 599 lbs.	80-150	142.24	500 - 599 lbs.	52.5-138	124.73
600 - 699 lbs.	56-151	138.71	600 - 699 lbs.	60-136	112.15
700 - 799 lbs.	68-120.35	117.11	700 - 799 lbs.	70-106	99.28
800 - 899 lbs.	NT	NT	800 - 899 lbs.	NT	NT
900 - 999 lbs.	NT	NT	900 - 999 lbs.	NT	NT

<b>HORN CATTLE</b>					
Steers/Bulls:	Range	Average	Heifers:	Range	Average
200 - 299 lbs.	NT	NT	200 - 299 lbs.	150-350/hd	260.00/hd
300 - 399 lbs.	110-300/hd	215.00/hd	300 - 399 lbs.	120-340/hd	260.00/hd
400 - 499 lbs.	180-350/hd	265.00/hd	400 - 499 lbs.	175-290/hd	255.00/hd
500 - 599 lbs.	43-60	47.81	500 - 599 lbs.	NT	NT
600 - 699 lbs.	NT	NT	600 - 699 lbs.	NT	NT
700 - 799 lbs.	NT	NT	700 - 799 lbs.	NT	NT

<b>PAIRS (price per pair)</b>			<b>PREG. TESTED (price per head)</b>		
	Range	Last Week		Range	Last Week
Young	NT	1050-1350	Young	NT	925-1100
Mid – Age	875-1400	850-1000	Mid – Age	875-1175	850-1050

	Range
High Yield Cows	58-69.5
Low Yield Cows	22-57
Feeder Bulls	NT
High Yield Grade Bulls (1400 lbs +)	83-94.5
Low Yield Grade Bulls (1400 lbs +)	54-79
Baby Calves under 100 lbs.	NT
Baby Calves 100-200 lbs.	300-440

### Some of the Higher Selling Cattle

Dan Busch, Ponder, 230# @ \$ 216.00	Kirt Shaw, Springtown, 215# @ \$ 190.00
Kathy Baty, Sunset, 315# @ \$ 207.50	Ben Burnside, Denton, 8 Hd Deal, 386# @ \$ 163.00
Malcolm Lillard, Celina, 405# @ \$ 177.50	Becky Pope, Weatherford, 415# @ \$ 167.50
Tony Redwine, Decatur, 500# @ \$ 150.00	Jerry Compton, Lipan, 500# @ \$ 138.00
Greg Norman, Rhome, 615# @ \$ 151.00	R & T Reiter Farms, Era, 3 Hd Deal, 632# @ \$ 136.00
Hoppy Eason, Cleburne, 13 Hd Deal, 783# @ \$ 120.35	Hoppy Eason, Cleburne, 9 Hd Deal, 748# @ \$ 106.00

Thank you for your business!

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