

MARKET REPORT – DECATUR LIVESTOCK MARKET

Consignments from March 13, 2017, from 194 sellers were 751 head including: 26 Bulls, 167 Cows, 24 Calves, 89 Longhorns, 94 Stocker Heifers, 165 Stocker Bulls/Steers, 54 Feeder Heifers, 132 Feeder Steers. Average price = \$717. Last sale = \$703. A year ago = \$807. USDA regional market quote was feeders and calves steady to \$2 higher. Your local market had greater gains even as compared to last week's weaned calf influenced sale. 2-5 weight heifers \$8-\$10 higher with 6-8 weights \$1.00-\$2.50 higher. 6-8 weight steers steady to \$4.50 higher with 3-5 weights significantly higher. 2 weights had double digit as we had good supply 275-325# dried out calves ready for grass. Good bred cows and pairs continue to be in good command. Packer prices \$5-\$6 higher. Today was a good day to sell cattle. *We had a special segment to sell donated items to raise funds for the ranchers in the Texas Panhandle who suffered losses due to wildfires. The outpouring of support by our neighbors and businesses was overwhelming. Some of these contributors have experienced the same tragedy and know the heartache and devastation that it brings. Folks in our marketing area have big hearts and dig deeply when it comes to helping those in need. The funds raised so far is approximately \$54000 and more is on the way. Our 25th annual "Bringing in the Green" Special Replacement Sale is scheduled for Saturday, April 22. Consignments open – to consign your cattle please give us a call at 940-627-5599 or by email dlnteam@aol.com.*

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NT = Not Tested

STEERS:	Range	Wt. / Avg.	HEIFERS:	Range	Wt. / Avg.
200 - 299 lbs.	145-235	187.14	200 - 299 lbs.	95-170	156.04
300 - 399 lbs.	110-195	170.19	300 - 399 lbs.	95-170.5	149.58
400 - 499 lbs.	112.5-180	157.80	400 - 499 lbs.	87-155	139.05
500 - 599 lbs.	105-175	148.44	500 - 599 lbs.	92.5-145	132.27
600 - 699 lbs.	99-149	138.64	600 - 699 lbs.	70-130	115.26
700 - 799 lbs.	101-130	115.86	700 - 799 lbs.	105-123	113.10
800 - 899 lbs.	99-124	118.57	800 - 899 lbs.	81-112.5	103.25
900 - 999 lbs.	90-112.5	106.88	900 - 999 lbs.	NT	NT

LONGHORNS

STEERS:	Range	Avg.	HEIFERS:	Range	Avg.
200 - 299 lbs.	NT	NT	200 - 299 lbs.	NT	NT
300 - 399 lbs.	NT	NT	300 - 399 lbs.	NT	NT
400 - 499 lbs.	53-105	69.61	400 - 499 lbs.	NT	NT
500 - 599 lbs.	52.5-95	74.76	500 - 599 lbs.	74-77.5	75.80
600 - 699 lbs.	67.5-87.5	78.44	600 - 699 lbs.	NT	NT

PAIRS:			PREG. TESTED:		
	PRICE RG	LAST WK		PRICE RG	LAST WK
Young	NT	NT	Young	1225-1375	NT
Mid – Age	1225-1425	NT	Mid – Age	1050-1375	NT

	Low/High Yielding	Average
Cows under 1100#'s	NT	NT
Cows over 1100#'s	57.5-77.5	68.35
Feeder Bulls	115-125	
High Yield Grade Bulls (1400 lbs +)	97-105.5	
Low Yield Grade Bulls (1400 lbs +)	90-95	
Baby Calves under 100 lbs.	210-270	
Baby Calves 100-200 lbs.	180-460	

Some of the Higher Selling Cattle

A K Cattle, Bowie, 215# @ \$ 235.00	Cindy Eischler, Sunset, 295# @ \$ 170.00
5 Aces Ranch, Aledo, 345# @ \$ 195.00	5 Aces Ranch, Aledo, 320# @ \$ 170.00
James Henderson, Dallas, 450# @ \$ 180.00	Wayne Robinson, Azle, 410# @ \$ 155.00
James Henderson, Dallas, 500# @ \$ 175.00	Kirk Duvall, Grand Prairie, 500# @ \$ 145.00
Floy Jo Wilson, Denton, 600# @ \$ 147.50	Hank Ponce, Ft Worth, 3 Hd Deal, 618# @ \$ 130.00
David Prescher, Gainesville, 705# @ \$ 130.00	Pedro Lara, Azle, 715# @ \$ 123.00
Johnny Smotherman, Collinsville, 7 Hd Deal, 801# @ \$ 124.00	White Ranches, Weatherford, 2 Hd Deal, 873# @ \$ 112.50

Brayden Hodge, Ft Worth, 3 Hd Deal, 937# @ \$ 112.50	
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