

MARKET REPORT - DECATUR LIVESTOCK MARKET

Consignments from April 4, 2016 from 261 sellers were 1576 head including: 15 Bulls, 162 Cows, 23 Calves, 84 Longhorns, 406 Stocker Heifers, 477 Stocker Bulls/Steers, 169 Feeder Heifers, 240 Feeder Bulls/Steers. Average price = \$878. Last sale = \$872. A year ago = \$1329. 76% of stocker steers and 72% of stocker heifers were 4-5 weights with prices on steers \$5-\$10 higher and heifers \$4.50-\$9.00/cwt higher than last week, reflecting impact of weaned calves. Overall quality was inconsistent with high ratio of #2 and #3 grade cattle and prices responded accordingly with buyers being very picky. Packers were \$2 lower. Most bred cows and pairs were older cattle. *Make plans to be at our "Bringing in the Green" Special Sale, Saturday, April 9. Sale starts at 12:00. Very good selection of young bred cows and pairs as well as 7 different breeds of bulls to choose from. We will also have an excellent selection of open heifers for you - to go with the bull you buy.*

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NT = Not Tested

BEEF CATTLE							
STEERS:	Range	Wt. / Avg.		HEIFERS:	Range	Wt. / Avg.	
200 - 299 lbs.	NT	NT		200 - 299 lbs.	135-260	203.23	
300 - 399 lbs.	110-250	191.14		300 - 399 lbs.	119-225	183.60	
400 - 499 lbs.	123-225	184.87		400 - 499 lbs.	105-197	174.85	
500 - 599 lbs.	99-208	179.73		500 - 599 lbs.	99-184	169.35	
600 - 699 lbs.	105-171.5	164.32		600 - 699 lbs.	115-167	157.71	
700 - 799 lbs.	NT	NT		700 - 799 lbs.	112.5-150	139.45	
800 - 899 lbs.	NT	NT		800 - 899 lbs.	NT	NT	
900 - 999 lbs.	NT	NT		900 - 999 lbs.	NT	NT	

HORN CATTLE							
STEERS:	Range	Wt. / Avg.		HEIFERS:	Range	Wt. / Avg.	
200 - 299 lbs.	NT	NT		200 - 299 lbs.	NT	NT	
300 - 399 lbs.	97.5-215	159.64		300 - 399 lbs.	NT	NT	
400 - 499 lbs.	100-185	135.36		400 - 499 lbs.	81-155	122.06	
500 - 599 lbs.	77-110	92.10		500 - 599 lbs.	102.5-125	110.36	
600 - 699 lbs.	NT	NT		600 - 699 lbs.	NT	NT	

PAIRS				PREG. TESTED			
	PRICE RG	LAST WK			PRICE RG	LAST WK	
Young	NT	NT		Young	NT	NT	
Mid - Age	NT	NT		Mid - Age	NT	1400-1850	

	Low/High Yielding	Average	
Cows under 1100#'s	68-93	80.63	
Cows over 1100#'s	71-91	81.19	
Feeder Bulls	128.5-153		
High Yield Grade Bulls (1400 lbs +)	109-115		
Low Yield Grade Bulls (1400 lbs +)	92-101		
Baby Calves under 100 lbs.	NT		
Baby Calves 100-200 lbs.	460-570		

Some of the Higher Selling Cattle

**Sold in Weaned Segment

	**R P Cattle, Decatur, 2 Hd Deal, 218# @ \$ 260.00
Tony Davidson, Paradise, 2 Hd Deal, 335# @ \$ 250.00	**R P Cattle, Decatur, 3 Hd Deal, 330# @ \$ 215.00
**Steve James, Jacksboro, 4 Hd Deal, 400# @ \$ 225.00	**R P Cattle, Decatur, 3 Hd Deal, 483# @ \$ 197.00
**Randy Geeslin, Burlison, 14 Hd Deal, 531# @ \$ 208.00	**Draggin S Ranch, Pilot Point, 32 Hd Deal, 507# @ \$ 184.00
**Draggin S Ranch, Pilot Point, 87 Hd Deal, 698# @ \$ 167.50	**Draggin S Ranch, Pilot Point, 43 Hd Deal, 627# @ \$ 166.00
	**3 H Farm, Decatur, 6 Hd Deal, 703# @ \$ 150.00

Thank you for your business!