

## MARKET REPORT – DECATUR LIVESTOCK MARKET

**Consignments** from April 27, 2020, were 1130 head including: 39 Bulls, 187 Cows, 41 Calves, 145 Longhorns, 223 Stocker Heifers, 293 Stocker Bulls/Steers, 77 Feeder Heifers, 125 Feeder Steers. Compared to last week, steers experienced \$2-\$6 lower prices on average; heifers were \$5-\$10 lower. Quality of cattle were a big factor in the drop in price, comparable quality cattle sold about the same as last week. Good bred cows and pairs still in high demand – just not seeing many of them come to town. Packer cows were steady to \$5 cheaper; bulls were steady to \$4 higher. *Next Monday is the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the month and we will feature our weaned calf segment. Requirments to be in this segment are: Weaned a minimum of 45 days and arrive at DLM pens by 5 pm Saturday.*

PRICES REFLECT BEEF CALVES ONLY.

BEEF CATTLE					
Steers/Bulls:	Range	Average	Heifers:	Range	Average
200 - 299 lbs.	82-217.5	182.78	200 - 299 lbs.	122-160	149.25
300 - 399 lbs.	107-192.5	157.18	300 - 399 lbs.	84-157.5	132.49
400 - 499 lbs.	60-167.5	146.19	400 - 499 lbs.	62.5-140	120.16
500 - 599 lbs.	62-145	134.00	500 - 599 lbs.	70-128	115.07
600 - 699 lbs.	66-137.5	126.20	600 - 699 lbs.	80-121	109.12
700 - 799 lbs.	68-119	110.63	700 - 799 lbs.	40-104	90.50
800 - 899 lbs.	65-110	92.67	800 - 899 lbs.	77-97	92.35
900 - 999 lbs.	NT	NT	900 - 999 lbs.	NT	NT

HORN CATTLE					
Steers/Bulls:	Range	Average	Heifers:	Range	Average
200 - 299 lbs.	NT	NT	200 - 299 lbs.	85-125	117.27
300 - 399 lbs.	85-125	112.62	300 - 399 lbs.	80-130	110.80
400 - 499 lbs.	45-95	76.04	400 - 499 lbs.	67.5-95	77.50
500 - 599 lbs.	NT	NT	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

PAIRS (price per pair)			PREG. TESTED (price per head)		
	Range	Last Week		Range	Last Week
Young	1150-1500	1125-1400	Young	975-1300	925-1125
Mid – Age	925-1230	875-1150	Mid – Age	875-1075	850-1000

	Range
High Yield Cows	56-68
Low Yield Cows	32-56
Feeder Bulls	83-96
High Yield Grade Bulls (1400 lbs +)	88-99
Low Yield Grade Bulls (1400 lbs +)	54-85
Baby Calves under 100 lbs.	NT
Baby Calves 100-200 lbs.	330-410/hd

### Some of the Higher Selling Cattle

JRI Cattle, Krum, 260# @ \$ 217.50	Karen Prince, Paradise, 360# @ \$ 160.00
3 D Cattle, Sanger, 300# @ \$ 192.50	Cowden Land & Cattle, Peaster, 325# @ \$ 157.50
Jerry Lewis, Valley View, 455# @ \$ 167.50	3 D Cattle, Sanger, 6 Hd Deal, 459# @ \$ 139.00
Ben Long, Weatherford, 13 Hd Deal, 533# @ \$ 143.00	Kenneth Bahnsen, Denton, 3 Hd Deal, 566# @ \$ 128.00
John Autry, Gunter, 9 Hd Deal, 629# @ \$ 137.50	Kirk Carrell, Godley, 9 Hd Deal, 600# @ \$ 121.00
Kirk Carrell, Godley, 715# @ \$ 119.00	3 G Cattle, Gainesville, 2 Hd Deal, 745# @ \$ 104.00
Inez Hand, Chico, 800# @ \$ 110.00	Blue Star Land, Frisco, 824# @ \$ 97.00

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