

MARKET REPORT - DECATUR LIVESTOCK MARKET

Consignments from May 22, 2017, from 262 sellers were 1419 head including: 43 Bulls, 259 Cows, 83 Calves, 133 Longhorns, 225 Stocker Heifers, 334 Stocker Bulls/Steers, 85 Feeder Heifers, 257 Feeder Bulls/Steers. Average price = \$726. Last sale = \$705. A year ago = \$799. USDA quoted the regional market as \$2.00-\$5.00 lower on feeders, reflecting the decreased demand as the flood of feeders from 2 weeks ago get processed another week. The stocker market was also less than robust in spite of gains in futures market late last week. Your local market had a wide variance in quality. The better 4-6 weight steers were steady to \$4.00 higher while 7 weights were \$4.75 higher on weighted average. 4-5 weight heifers \$1.00-\$5.00 higher. Bred cows \$100-\$225 higher while pairs were steady to \$75 higher. Packer prices steady. **Early consignments for Monday, May 29 (Memorial Day) include: Dispersal of 45 registered Black Angus cows and 3 Black Angus bulls from a reputation Angus ranch. The cows were sired by Cox Mandate, Mitty in Focus, SS Traveler or Band Desire. Mostly coming 2-6 years old. Also 15-18 very fancy 1st calf 2 year old pairs – big frame cows with March – April calves by side. As well as a consignment of 20 mostly Black midage cows bred to Black bulls for fall calving. Cattle will be on yard and available for viewing Saturday, May 27.**

NT = Not Tested

BEEF CATTLE						
STEERS:	Range	Wt. / Avg.	HEIFERS:	Range	Wt. / Avg.	
200 - 299 lbs.	103-202.5	162.50	200 - 299 lbs.	100-175	150.13	
300 - 399 lbs.	98-212.5	150.29	300 - 399 lbs.	95-165	141.03	
400 - 499 lbs.	99-169	148.90	400 - 499 lbs.	99-167.5	139.90	
500 - 599 lbs.	98-165	144.22	500 - 599 lbs.	88-150	135.88	
600 - 699 lbs.	100-162	140.98	600 - 699 lbs.	91-135	126.03	
700 - 799 lbs.	105-142	129.79	700 - 799 lbs.	NT	NT	
800 - 899 lbs.	NT	NT	800 - 899 lbs.	NT	NT	
900 - 999 lbs.	102-128.75	124.10	900 - 999 lbs.	NT	NT	

HORN CATTLE						
STEERS:	Range	Wt. / Avg.	HEIFERS:	Range	Wt. / Avg.	
200 - 299 lbs.	110-130	118.13	200 - 299 lbs.	NT	NT	
300 - 399 lbs.	105-112.5	108.13	300 - 399 lbs.	90-115	102.50	
400 - 499 lbs.	85-125	100.00	400 - 499 lbs.	60-105	88.13	
500 - 599 lbs.	65-97.5	86.21	500 - 599 lbs.	70-92.5	81.56	
600 - 699 lbs.	55-95	85.04	600 - 699 lbs.	NT	NT	
700 - 799 lbs.	72.5-89	83.58	700 - 799 lbs.	NT	NT	

PAIRS			PREG. TESTED		
	PRICE RG	LAST WK		PRICE RG	LAST WK
Young	1150-1625	1125-1550	Young	NT	1025-1300
Mid – Age	1100-1530	1175-1600	Mid - Age	1110-1500	1050-1225

	Low/High Yielding	Average
Cows under 1100#'s	52-72	68.86
Cows over 1100#'s	60-78.5	67.26
Feeder Bulls	126-136	
High Yield Grade Bulls (1400 lbs +)	93.5-102	
Low Yield Grade Bulls (1400 lbs +)	80.5-90	
Baby Calves under 100 lbs.	100-230	
Baby Calves 100-200 lbs.	260-450	

Some of the Higher Selling Cattle

Nolin Ragsdale, Roanoke, 235# @ \$ 202.50	Donna Stokes, Poolville, 290# @ \$ 165.00
Mark Rankin, Bridgeport, 335# @ \$ 202.50	Jerry Miller, Decatur, 340# @ \$ 165.00
Mark Wilson, Weatherford, 475# @ \$ 169.00	Mark Wilson, Weatherford, 410# @ \$ 167.50
Mark Wilson, Weatherford, 8 Hd Deal, 547# @ \$ 165.00	Benny King, Decatur, 3 Hd Deal, 510# @ \$ 150.00
Doug Parr, Boyd, 625# @ \$ 162.00	DDM Ranch, Saint Jo, 3 Hd Deal, 632# @ \$ 133.00
Jerry Walden, Millsap, 9 Hd Deal, 707# @ \$ 137.00	
Jerry Walden, Millsap, 10 Hd Deal, 928# @ \$ 128.75	

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