

MARKET REPORT – DECATUR LIVESTOCK MARKET

Consignments from July 17, 2017, from 261 sellers were 1226 head including: 34 Bulls, 218 Cows, 23 Calves, 170 Longhorns, 208 Stocker Heifers, 294 Stocker Bulls/Steers, 112 Feeder Heifers, 167 Feeder Steers. Average price = \$721. Last sale = \$756. A year ago = \$703. The live market followed the upward movement of last week's future market. The buying criteria was more encompassing with higher prices required to fill orders – a positive situation for sellers. 3-4 weight and 6-7 weight steers had double digit gains as did 2-3 weight heifers. 6-9 weight heifers were \$2-\$4 higher. Most bred cattle were in 1st trimester with high ratio of bred heifers. Strong demand with prices creeping higher. All in all a good day to sell good cattle.

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NT = Not Tested

STEERS:	Range	Wt. / Avg.	HEIFERS:	Range	Wt. / Avg.
200 - 299 lbs.	120-200	171.88	200 - 299 lbs.	103-200	154.90
300 - 399 lbs.	101-190	158.75	300 - 399 lbs.	94-162.5	151.36
400 - 499 lbs.	99-185	147.85	400 - 499 lbs.	101-156	140.08
500 - 599 lbs.	103-171	144.49	500 - 599 lbs.	97-160	135.36
600 - 699 lbs.	90-161	147.92	600 - 699 lbs.	90-146	132.06
700 - 799 lbs.	99-150	137.17	700 - 799 lbs.	101-136	122.84
800 - 899 lbs.	110-145	126.80	800 - 899 lbs.	93-123	115.15
900 - 999 lbs.	NT	NT	900 - 999 lbs.	112-120.5	115.92

LONGHORNS

STEERS:	Range	Avg.	HEIFERS:	Range	Avg.
200 - 299 lbs.	60-120	105.42	200 - 299 lbs.	85-127.5	115.50
300 - 399 lbs.	67.5-170	106.25	300 - 399 lbs.	85-155	125.00
400 - 499 lbs.	52-105	80.09	400 - 499 lbs.	75-142.5	109.44
500 - 599 lbs.	60-87	75.54	500 - 599 lbs.	75-102.5	91.58
600 - 699 lbs.	60-91	82.90	600 - 699 lbs.	NT	NT
700 - 799 lbs.	NT	NT	700 - 799 lbs.	NT	NT

PAIRS:			PREG. TESTED:		
	PRICE RG	LAST WK		PRICE RG	LAST WK
Young	NT	1175-1750	Young	1030-1410	1125-1400
Mid – Age	1450-1750	1300-1675	Mid – Age	1125-1400	1190-1375

	Low/High Yielding	Average
Cows under 1100#'s	60-74	63.69
Cows over 1100#'s	64-79.5	68.74
Feeder Bulls	126-141	
High Yield Grade Bulls (1400 lbs +)	NT	
Low Yield Grade Bulls (1400 lbs +)	85-96	
Baby Calves under 100 lbs.	200-240	
Baby Calves 100-200 lbs.	NT	

Some of the Higher Selling Cattle

Betsy Glass, Azle, 2 Hd Deal, 205# @ \$ 20.00	Dustin Adams, Springtown, 255# @ \$ 200.00
BCM Farms, Weatherford, 300# @ \$ 190.00	Kevin Medlin, Alvord, 355# @ \$ 162.50
Rainey Farms, Denton, 400# @ \$ 185.00	Robert Nelson, Ft Worth, 400# @ \$ 156.00
Dennis Brooks, Alvord, 4 Hd Deal, 504# @ \$ 171.00	Rainey Farms, Denton, 4 Hd Deal, 544# @ \$ 146.00
Bagley Farms, Krum, 8 Hd Deal, 619# @ \$ 159.00	Anita Gardner, Santo, 615# @ \$ 148.00
Bagley Farms, Krum, 740# @ \$ 150.00	J P Hancock, Decatur, 2 Hd Deal, 703# @ \$ 136.00
Bobby Crozier, Granbury, 835# @ \$ 145.00	Gill Cattle Co, Decatur, 2 Hd Deal, 885# @ \$ 123.00
	Gill Cattle Co, Decatur, 2 Hd Deal, 930# @ \$ 120.50

Thank you for your business!