

MARKET REPORT – DECATUR LIVESTOCK MARKET

Consignments from August 21, 2017, from 208 sellers were 1098 head including: 28 Bulls, 208 Cows, 31 Calves, 91 Longhorns, 192 Stocker Heifers, 310 Stocker Bulls/Steers, 77 Feeder Heifers, 161 Feeder Steers. Average price = \$736. Last sale = \$717. A year ago = \$690. The USDA reported a rebound in the overall market and your local market also rebounded with 3-5 weight steers \$6-\$9 higher on average and 8 weights \$10-\$12 higher while 7 weights were steady. Heifer prices were unsteady with 4-5 weights \$2 back from last week. 3-6 weights steady and 7-9 weights \$1 higher. Bred cows had drop off in quality and prices followed. More pairs available with prices \$125-\$200 higher on young ones. Packer cows steady to \$2 higher on average but \$1-\$3 lower on high prices. Bulls dropped back \$5-\$6 reflecting heavy culling in upper Midwest that is dealing with draught conditions.

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NT = Not Tested

STEERS:	Range	Wt. / Avg.	HEIFERS:	Range	Wt. / Avg.
200 - 299 lbs.	101-225	156.47	200 - 299 lbs.	91-178	147.43
300 - 399 lbs.	108-192.5	178.02	300 - 399 lbs.	101-164	138.84
400 - 499 lbs.	120-182	157.94	400 - 499 lbs.	99-150	136.98
500 - 599 lbs.	99-160	147.84	500 - 599 lbs.	95-139	130.49
600 - 699 lbs.	103-148	135.60	600 - 699 lbs.	103-140.5	131.56
700 - 799 lbs.	101-141	131.62	700 - 799 lbs.	101-130	120.05
800 - 899 lbs.	122-134	131.57	800 - 899 lbs.	NT	NT
900 - 999 lbs.	NT	NT	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.	78-107.5	92.58	300 - 399 lbs.	NT	NT
400 - 499 lbs.	70-102.5	86.56	400 - 499 lbs.	75-123	104.69
500 - 599 lbs.	61-103	78.00	500 - 599 lbs.	90-118	100.67
600 - 699 lbs.	NT	NT	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	1490-1750	NT	Young	1090-1350	NT
Mid – Age	1375-1450	NT	Mid – Age	1000-1220	1130-1375

	Low/High Yielding	Average
Cows under 1100#'s	66-72	68.30
Cows over 1100#'s	63.5-77.5	69.39
Feeder Bulls	123-134	
High Yield Grade Bulls (1400 lbs +)	86-92	
Low Yield Grade Bulls (1400 lbs +)	79.5-89	
Baby Calves under 100 lbs.	NT	
Baby Calves 100-200 lbs.	200-430	

Some of the Higher Selling Cattle

John Zormeier, Decatur, 2 Hd Deal, 207# @ \$ 225.00	JA 1 Farms, Bowie, 2 Hd Deal, 297# @ \$ 178.00
Norma Davis, Decatur, 365# @ \$ 192.50	Norma Davis, Decatur, 350# @ \$ 164.00
G L Handshumaker, Alvord, 4 Hd Deal, 410# @ \$ 182.50	Jayson Berndt, Sanger, 400# @ \$ 150.00
Bill Baty, Sunset, 12 Hd Deal, 503# @ \$ 159.00	Glen Underwood, Springtown, 3 Hd Deal, 528# @ \$ 139.00
Greg Hovenkamp, Gainesville, 625# @ \$ 147.00	Joe Max Wilson, Rhome, 5 Hd Deal, 605# @ \$ 140.50
Bill Baty, Sunset, 6 Hd Deal, 713# @ \$ 141.00	Peggy Ihnfeldt, Justin, 705# @ \$ 130.00
John Barrett, Chico, 5 Hd Deal, 864# @ \$ 134.00	

Thank you for your business!