

MARKET REPORT - DECATUR LIVESTOCK MARKET

Consignments from September 4, 2017, from 179 sellers were 1283 head including: 27 Bulls, 144 Cows, 38 Calves, 107 Longhorns, 280 Stocker Heifers, 374 Stocker Bulls/Steers, 107 Feeder Heifers, 206 Feeder Bulls/Steers. Average price = \$727. Last sale = \$758. A year ago = \$719. The calf market was better with 2-3 weight heifers \$20-\$23 higher, 5 weight heifers \$12, and steers \$12-\$17. The prices on others were \$2-\$4 higher. Bred cows were \$50 higher and pairs \$125-\$200 higher. A big crowd was on hand not only for the cattle but also to support the benefit auction for our neighbors down south suffering from the damage left by the hurricane – miles of fences need to be replaced in addition to the typical destruction of the infrastructure. Many places have established avenues for support – please help as you are able! It is very much appreciated.

NT = Not Tested

BEEF CATTLE						
STEERS:	Range	Wt. / Avg.	HEIFERS:	Range	Wt. / Avg.	
200 - 299 lbs.	100-232.5	189.30	200 - 299 lbs.	145-208	163.14	
300 - 399 lbs.	99-192.5	173.48	300 - 399 lbs.	117-167.5	150.22	
400 - 499 lbs.	92-177.5	154.63	400 - 499 lbs.	127-159	147.38	
500 - 599 lbs.	98-168	143.17	500 - 599 lbs.	117.5-158	141.89	
600 - 699 lbs.	93-154	143.63	600 - 699 lbs.	106-145	133.53	
700 - 799 lbs.	128-144	136.40	700 - 799 lbs.	114-131	125.97	
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.	65-117.5	89.38	
300 - 399 lbs.	102-137.5	112.65	300 - 399 lbs.	100-135	110.21	
400 - 499 lbs.	67-117.5	78.61	400 - 499 lbs.	NT	NT	
500 - 599 lbs.	60-87	69.00	500 - 599 lbs.	NT	NT	
600 - 699 lbs.	57-80	74.00	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	1525-1750	NT	Young	1225-1425	NT
Mid – Age	1475-1625	1350-1600	Mid - Age	1250-1400	1175-1400

	Low/High Yielding	Average
Cows under 1100#'s	61-80	66.12
Cows over 1100#'s	60-79	66.49
Feeder Bulls	119-137	
High Yield Grade Bulls (1400 lbs +)	91-97.5	
Low Yield Grade Bulls (1400 lbs +)	79-87	
Baby Calves under 100 lbs.	NT	
Baby Calves 100-200 lbs.	NT	

Some of the Higher Selling Cattle

**Sold in Weaned Segment

Don Hickey, Denton, 250# @ \$ 215.00	Eric Brown, Springtown, 215# @ \$ 205.00
**Betsi Bixby, Weatherford, 340# @ \$ 192.50	Walking S Cattle, Decatur, 355# @ \$ 167.50
**K Bar Ranch, Aledo, 12 Hd Deal, 449# @ \$ 177.50	**Johnny Nixon, Boyd, 415# @ \$ 159.00
**Harvey Demel, Decatur, 505# @ \$ 166.00	**Dry Creek Farms, Bridgeport, 14 Hd Deal, 558# @ \$ 158.00
**Dry Creek Farms, Bridgeport, 15 Hd Deal, 614# @ \$ 154.00	C M Cattle, Velma, 675# @ \$ 145.00
Yeary Farms, Weatherford, 2 Hd Deal, 710# @ \$ 144.00	Bill Munday, Paradise, 725# @ \$ 131.00

Thank you for your business!