

# Livestock market and auction news

## St. Louis Cattle

Thursday, June 17

Report supplied by USDA

Receipts This Week 4,500  
Week Ago 4,900  
Year Ago 4,100

Compared with the previous weeks bulk sales, Slaughter Steers and Heifers .50-1.00 lower. Cows 2.00-4.00, mostly 3.00 lower. Bulls steady. Slaughter supply mainly Choice and Prime 2-4 1050-1150 lb. Steers, around 35% Heifers and 10% Cows.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 1050-1250 lbs. 70.00-71.00, mostly 70.00-70.50. Choice 2-4 90-1250 lbs. 69.00-70.50, closing 69.50-70.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-4 900-1200 lbs. 67.00-69.50. Good 2-3 900-1175 lbs. 64.50-67.50. Mostly Good 2-3 1025-1325 lb. Holsteins 56.00-62.00. Standard to Good 2-3 1000-1200 lbs. 52.00-55.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 900-1050 lbs. 67.50-68.00, load 68.50. Choice 2-4 900-1075 lbs. 66.00-67.50; 800-900 lbs. 69.00-63.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 850-1000 lbs. 62.00-66.00. Good 1-2 800-950 lbs. 59.00-62.00; 750-800 lbs. 57.00-59.00.

**COWS:** Closing week sales: Utility and Commercial 2-4 38.00-41.00. Boning Utility 1-2 41.00-42.00. Cutter 1-2 36.00-40.00. Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 32.00-36.00.

**BULLS:** YG 1-2 1025-1900 lbs. 46.00-51.00. Few YG 1 52.00. Couple outstanding YG 1 1540 and 1690 lbs. 53.50. 1540 and 1690 lbs.

**FEEDERS:** (including around 1,200 at the regular Thursday Auction.) Feeder Steers and Heifers steady to 1.00 lower. Supply mainly medium frame 1 and Mixed 1-2 400-800 lb. Steers and 400-700 lb. Heifers. Demand moderate for bulk of represented grades and weights.

**FEEDER STEERS:** Medium Frame 1: 300-800 lbs. 65.25-68.75; 600-1000 lbs. 60.50-65.75, mostly 62.75-64.25. Medium Frame 1-2 and some small frame 1: 500-625 lbs. 59.50-63.00. large frame 2 holsteins: 540-900 lbs. 52.50-55.50; lot thin 732 lbs. 57.00.

**BULLS:** Medium Frame 1: 325-550 lbs. 59.25-64.00; 600-750 lbs. 54.75-57.00.

**FEEDER HEIFERS:** medium

frame 1: 375-600 lbs. 55.00-57.75; lot 294 lbs. 61.00. 600-800 lbs. 56.25-59.00. Medium Frame 1-2 300-700 lbs. 51.25-54.75.

## Carlisle Auction

Carlisle, Pa.

Tuesday, June 15

Report supplied by auction

**CATTLE:** Strong demand for steers and cows. Steers: good run, very active; Choice to 66.00-69.25; Good 59.75-63.25; Standard 55.00-58.25; Utility 52.75-55.00. Heifers: Choice to 61.00; Good 53.75-54.00; Standard 49.75-50.75. Cows: very active; earlybird pen 1.00 higher; Utility & Commercial 46.10-48.35; Cutter 43.00-46.00; Canner & Low Cutter 39.60-43.00; Shells down to 32.75. Bulls: Yield Grade No. 2, 51.85-53.00 Yield Grade No. 3, 46.00-49.00.

**FEEDERS:** Strong demand, good run, prices higher! Steers: Choice 300-310 lbs. 80.00-81.00; Good 340-385 lbs. 54.00-63.00; Good 545-610 lbs. 55.00-49.00. Heifers: Good 300-360 lbs. 52.00-60.00. Medium 420-485 lbs. 51.50-54.00. Medium 450-560 lbs. 49.00-54.00. Medium 590-645 lbs. 45.00-49.50. Bulls: Good 265-460 lbs. 58.00-62.00; Medium 560-710 lbs. 47.50-49.00. Medium 855-980 lbs. 45.25-46.00.

**CALVES:** Prices lower than last week. Vealers: Low Choice 76.00-89.00; Good 70.00-85.00; Standard & Good 60.00-70.00; Standard & Good 55.00-65.00; Back To Farm: Hol. Bulls 88.00-98.00; Hol. Heifers 73.00-89.00.

**HOGS:** Very active, 2.00 higher. US No. 1-2, 61.50-63.10. US No. 1-3, 60.25-61.50; US No. 2-3, 54.00-55.00 Heavy.

**SOWS:** US No. 1-3, 54.50-59.50; No. 2-3, 49.00-55.00 (4.00 higher).

**BOARS:** 43.00-45.00.

**FEEDER PIGS:** US No. 1-3 20-27 lbs. 26.00-31.00 Hd. No. 1-3 40-52 lbs. 48.00-61.00 Hd. No. 1-3 33-40 lbs. 43.00-50.00.

**LAMBS:** Good 54.00-58.00; Utility 46.00-52.00.

**EWES:** 10.00-18.50.

**GOATS:** Mother & 3 Kids 70.00 Hd.; 40.00-58.00 Hd.

## Omaha Cattle

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Through midweek Slaughter Steers 1.00-1.50 lower. Heifers .50-1.00 lower. Sharp declines in the dressed beef trade led Steer and Heifer prices markedly lower for the second consecutive session, ending the period at the lowest point in the past six weeks. Demand by most interests proved cautious and selective throughout and best interest again centered on choice Steers 1125 lbs. and up and Choice Heifers 950 lbs. and up.

A 14 pct. decrease in salable numbers did little to stimulate the trade. Slaughter cows also suffered wide reversals ending the week 1.50-2.50 lower. Bulls steady.

Four day Receipts 10120; last week 11757; year ago 14634.

Steers made up 50 pct of the week's receipts; Heifers 32 pct.; Cows 12 pct.; Feeders 4 pct.

**STEERS:** Earlier in week, ten loads Choice few Prime 2-4 1100-1300 lbs. 72.75-73.50. At the close, two loads and part load Choice, few Prime mostly 3 1200-1250 lbs. 72.25-72.50. Choice 2-4 1100-1250 lbs. 70.00-72.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1050-1200 lbs. 69.00-70.50. Good 67.00-69.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1200-1475 lb. Holsteins 62.00-63.50.

**HEIFERS:** Earlier in week nine loads Choice, few Prime 2-4 950-1050 lbs. 71.50. At the close, load Choice 2-3 1025 lbs. 71.00. Two loads Choice few Prime 2-4 975-1150 lbs. 70.50. Choice 2-4 950-1050 lbs. 69.00-70.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 925-1025 lbs. 68.00-69.00. Good 62.00-68.00.

Average of LS-214 detailed quotations for Choice 900-1100 lb. steers 70.30; 1100-1300 lbs. 71.62. Average cost Steers 70.66, average weight 1128 lbs., as compared 72.02 and 1141 lbs. a week ago. Average cost Heifers 68.89, average weight 966 lbs. as compared 70.47 and 982 lbs. a week ago.

**COWS:** High Cutter, Utility and Commercial 1-3 41.00-43.00. Cutter 39.00-41.00. Canner and low Cutter 37.00-39.00.

**BULLS:** 1-2 1100-2000 lbs. 48.00-54.00.

## Four States Livestock

Hagerstown, Md.

Wednesday, June 9

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**SLAUGHTER:** Fed Steers steady prices. Choice 68.00-68.50; Good 63.00-67.00; Medium 62.00 Down. Heifers Good 56.00-59.50; Medium 55 Down Cows, steady with last week. Individual 52.75; High Yield 45.50-49.00; Average 41.00-45.00; Big Middle 37.00-40.00; Fatty Herf. 38.00-42.00; Shelly 40.00 Down Fat Bulls few offered. Good 50.00-52.00; Medium 47.00-49.00. Veal Calves \$3.00 higher. Choice 90.00-93.00; Good 84.00-89.00; Medium 75.00-83.00; Farm Hfrs. to 122.50; Farm Bulls to 117.00; Light & Weak 52.00 Down. Lambs no choice offered. Good 54.00-57.00; Medium 53.00 Down.

**STOCKER:** Steers 300-550 lbs. Small run mostly heavy wts. offered. Good 63.00-66.00; Medium 58.00-62.00; Culls 57.00 Down. Steers 600-850 lbs. Choice 62.00-65.00; Good 58.00-61.00; Medium 57.00 Down. Heifers (All Weights) Choice 51.00-55.50; Good 46.00-50.00; Medium 45.00 Down. Bulls Choice 56.00-59.00; Good 52.00-55.00; Medium 51.00 Down. Springing Heifers to 585.00. Pigs, Hd. strong demand higher prices. 20-30 lbs. 28.00-44.00; 40-60 lbs. 45.00-60.00. Shoats by Lb. to 55.00. Slaughter Hogs 50 cents lower. 210-230 lbs. 59.00-59.50; 240-260 lbs. 58.50-59.25; 190-205 lbs. 55.00-56.50; No. #3 190-255 lbs. 50.00-54. Sows 450-600 lbs. 51.00-54.75; 300-400 lbs. 48.00-50.00.

## Shenandoah Valley Livestock

Harrisonburg, Va.

Saturday, June 12

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**FEEDER CATTLE:** Trend-Steers 3.00 lower; Heifers 4.00 lower; Bulls steady. Steers: M&L-1 300-500 lbs. 62.00-67.00; 500-700 lbs. 60.00-67.00; 700-100 lbs. 61.00-67.00. S-1 & M&L-2 300-500 lbs. 53.00-61.00; 500-700 lbs. 52.00-58.00. Feeder Bulls: 300-500 lbs. 58.00-65.00; 500-700 lbs. 53.00-57.00; 700-1000 lbs. 52.00-61.00. S-1 & M&L-2 300-500 lbs. 55.50-61.00; 500-700 lbs.

45.00-52.00. Heifers: 300-500 lbs. 48.00-52.50, 500-700 lbs. 50.00-57.50. Stock Cows: Beef 485 00-525.00, Dairy 450.00-510.00; Baby Calves 35.00-60.00 smalls; 65 00-95.00 large.

**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Utility & Commercial 2-4 37.00-46.75; Canner & Cutters 1-3 31.00-37.00. Slaughter Bulls 1 & 2 45.50-57.75

**LAMBS:** Trend slaughter lambs 2.25 lower. High Choice & Prime Choice 45-48.50; Slaughter Ewes 9.50-14.00; Head Ewes 30 00-49.50

**HOGS:** US 1-3 200-240 lbs 59.85, Sows 1-3 47.50-53.50; Boars 44.75. Veal - Choice & Prime 72.00-78.00, Good 68.00-72.00.

**SLAUGHTER CALVES:** Good & Choice 55 00-59.50.

## Joliet Cattle

Wednesday, June 16

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Friday through Wednesday's salable receipts 2500; same period last week 2922; same period last year 3498. Trading moderate on Monday; slow on Wednesday. Slaughter Steers ended the week steady to .50, instances 1.00 lower compared with Wednesday of last week. Slaughter Heifers ended the week steady. Cows closed the week steady.

Slaughter Steers: Mixed High Choice and Prime 3-4 1200-1350 lbs. 74.00, load 74.50 Monday; 74.00-74.25 Wednesday. Choice 2-4 1100-1300 lb. 70.50-74.00, mostly 70.50-73.00, 975-1100 lbs. 69.00-71.00 Monday; 68.50-70.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 950-1100 lbs. 67.50-69.50 Monday; 66.00-68.50 Wednesday.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-4 925-1100 lbs. 68.50-70.50; 850-925 lbs. 67.00-68.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1000 lb. 64.50-68.00.

**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Cutter & Utility 1-3 40.00-44.00 Monday; 39.00-42.00 Wednesday.

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