

Oklahoma City Feeder Cattle

Oklahoma City, OK
Wed Dec 15, 1999

USDA-OK Dept Ag Market News
Oklahoma National Stockyards - Weekly Cattle Summary

Compared to last week: Feeder steers steady. Steer calves steady to 3.00 lower. Feeder heifers steady to 2.00 lower on limited numbers; heifer calves 1.00-3.00 lower. Demand good for yearlings; moderate to good for calves. Buyers more selective for kind and condition than past two weeks. Numbers of feeders that had been lotted and fed nearly as plentiful as green feeders. Feeder cattle in thin to moderate flesh including several dried out 6 weight yearlings. Calves showed complete range from thin to fleshy. Weigh-ups average to full. Quality of supply plain to average, and attractive. Much of the state has received 3-6 inches of rain during this first half of December. Slaughter cows 2.50-3.00 higher. Slaughter bulls 1.00 higher. Demand extremely good from packer, replacement, and feeder cow orders. Holidays are just around the corner and numbers will be short over the next two weeks. Total of 750 cows and bulls sold with 32 percent to packers. Receipts this week 10,400; last week 8,008; last year 10,097. Supply consisted of 59 percent yearlings and calves

over 600 lbs; 34 percent calves under 600 lbs; 7 percent cows and bulls. Heifers comprised 30 percent supply. Prices follow with weighted average weight and price in parenthesis.

Feeder Steers: Medium and Large 1:
Calves: 350-400 lbs (372 lbs) 115.00-119.50 (116.71); 400-500 lbs (450 lbs) 100.00-110.50 (106.86); 500-550 lbs (527 lbs) 95.00-104.00 (97.66); 550-600 lbs (576 lbs) 89.50-98.00 (94.07); 600-700 lbs (650 lbs) 85.00-93.00 (90.27); Yearlings: 650-700 lbs (673 lbs) 89.00-93.50 (91.39); 700-750 lbs (728 lbs) 88.50-91.75 (89.99); 750-800 lbs (772 lb) 85.00-91.25 (88.81); few 800-850 lbs (814 lbs) 86.75-87.00 (86.92); few 850-900 lbs (874 lbs) 77.50-84.50 (79.57); few 900-950 lbs (909 lbs) 76.50-77.50 (77.02). Holsteins: few Large 2: 400-500 lbs 70.00; 575 lbs 67.50; 700-800 lbs 61.00-64.50.

Feeder Heifers: Medium and Large 1:
Calves: 350-400 lbs (379 lbs) 96.00-105.50 (99.36); 400-450 lbs (421 lbs) 87.50-97.50 (92.15); 450-500 lbs (479 lbs) 85.25-90.00 (87.87); 500-550 lbs (519 lbs) 83.00-91.50 (86.17); 550-600 lbs (577 lbs) 80.50-88.00 (83.86); 600-650 lbs (613 lb) 76.75-85.00 (82.81); 650-700 lbs (668 lbs) 77.25-80.00 (79.42); Yearlings: 600-700 lbs (650 lbs) 80.50-82.50 (81.93); 700-800 lbs (750 lbs) 77.00-83.00 (80.07); 800-900 lbs (850 lb) 74.00-75.75 (75.91); 925 lbs 75.50.

Slaughter Cows: Head %Lean Weight
Average Dress High Dress Low Dress
*Brk 30 75-80% 1050-1500 36.50-39.00
38.50-42.00 37.00 *Bnr 48 80-85%
900-1575 35.00-38.00 39.00-44.00
34.00-36.50 Lean 102 85-90% 850-1400
35.00-37.50 38.00-42.50 32.50-35.

00 Light 8 85-90% 750-850 33.00
27.00-31.50

*Brk=Breakers, *Bnr=Boners
Slaughter Bulls: Head Weight Average
Dress High Dress Low Dress Yield Grade
1-2 29 1400-2175 46.50-50.00
50.50-53.00 41.00-45.50

Estimated dressed cost at Oklahoma National Stockyards: Lean 78.35; Boners 75.10; Breakers 71.25. Bulls 86.65.

Replacement Cows: Pretested for bangs, pregnancy, and age Medium and Large 1
Age Weight Months Bred Quality Price
2-6 yr old 1000-1100 5-6 months High, blacks 635.00-690.00 3-6 yr old 900-1200 2-4 months High, blacks 545.00-610.00 4-7 yr old 825-1200 6-8 months Avg quality 500.00-580.00 4-7 yr old 850-1175 2-4 months Avg quality 460.00-490.00 9-10 yr old 950-1250 5-7 months High, blacks 465.00-550.00 9-10 yr old 875-1100 2-7 months Avg, blacks 375.00-460.00

Pairs: Medium and large 1 Age Cow
Weight Calf Weight Quality Price 6 yr old 1000-1100 300-350 Avg, bred back 820.00-840.00 7-8 yr old 850-950 100-250

Avg quality 640.00-680.00 10 yr old 1100 250 Avg, bred back 640.00 9-10 yr old 800-1250 100-250 Avg quality 530.00-560.00

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SLAUGHTER COWS: 95 HEAD,
1.00-2.00 HIGHER. UTILITY 36.00-40.00; HIGH DRESSING TO 41.50, 1 AT 44.00; CANNERS 33.00-37.00; SHELLY 32.50 DOWN.

BULLS: 6 HEAD. YG#1 1100-1600
LBS. 45.00-47.00; YG#2 43.00-45.00.

FED STEERS: FEW OFFERED.
CHOICE 1400-1500 LBS. 68.00-69.75; 1 LOW DRESSING 1138 LBS. AT 66.50; SELECT 1100-1200 LBS. 54.00-57.00.

FED HEIFERS: HIGH CHOICE TO
PRIME 1075-1300 LBS. 69.00-72.50; SELECT HOLSTEINS 43.00-44.25.

VEAL CALVES: 93 HEAD. CULLS
85-110 LBS. 26.00-32.00; 60-85 LBS. 18.00-25.00.

FARM CALVES: 20.00-30.00 HIGH-ER.
HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 95-120 LBS. 130.00-167.00; 90-95 LBS. 90.00-125.00; #2 85-90 LBS. 35.00-60.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 95-120 LBS. 250.00-317.00; 80-95 LBS. 120.00-250.00; BEEF X BULLS TO 138.00; BEEF X HEIFERS TO 110.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: 1 274 LBS. AT
46.00; 1 408 LBS. AT 44.00.

SOWS: 27 HEAD. 300-400 LBS.
24.00-31.00; 400-500 LBS. 24.00-29.75; 500-700 LBS. 28.50-32.25.

BOARS: 3 HEAD. 670-785 LBS.
6.25-6.75.

STOCK CATTLE: 103 HEAD,
STEADY TO HIGHER PRICES. STEERS

MED. AND LARGE FRAME 200-400
LBS. 90.00-105.00; 400-600 LBS. 73.00-85.00; 600-700 LBS. 64.00-73.00; 700-900 LBS. 59.00-73.00; 900-1050 LBS. 60.00-68.00.

HEIFERS: MED. AND LARGE
FRAME 300-500 LBS. 70.00 79.00; 500-700 LBS. 71.00-78.00.

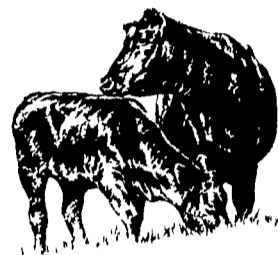
BULLS: MED. AND LARGE FRAME
300-500 LBS. TO 76.00; 500-700 LBS. 65.00-75.00; 700-800 LBS. 55.00-60.00.

DAIRY REPLACEMENTS: 30 HEAD.
LARGE SPRINGING HEIFERS 1100.00-1325.00; MEDIUM SPRINGING HEIFERS 675.00-1075.00; LARGE SPRINGING COWS 1050.00-1200.00; 1 LARGE FRESH HEIFER 1150.00; 1 SM. RED AND WHITE 575.00; 1 SHORT BRED 760.00; HOLSTEIN BULL 1235 LBS. AT 48.00; SMALL OPEN HEIFERS 215.00-420.00; MED. OPEN HEIFERS 360.00-510.00.

SHEEP: 26.00-36.00.
GOATS: 14 HEAD. LARGE
54.00-79.00; MEDIUM 35.00-70.00.

LAMBS: 14 HEAD. CHOICE 100-120
LBS. 80.00-89.00; 125-140 LBS. 66.00-75.00; 70-85 LBS. 90.00-105.00.

PIGS AND SHOATS: 40 HEAD. MOST
WERE CULLS. BY THE HEAD, 3 HEAD 54 LBS. AT 28.50; 1 70 LBS. AT 39.00; BY THE LB. 5 HEAD 63 LBS. AT 37.00; 3 HEAD 78 LBS. AT 50.00.



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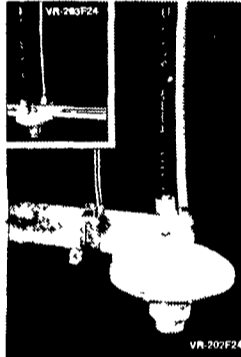
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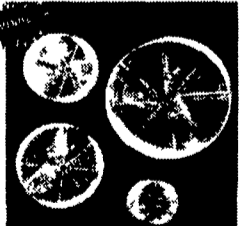
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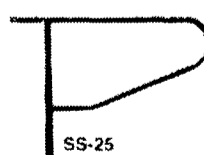
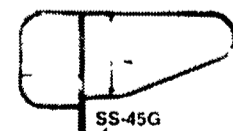
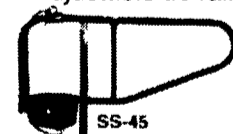
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