

Winchester Graded Feeder Cattle Sale

Warrenton, Va.
October 28, 2002

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Winchester State Graded Feeder Cattle Sale, Oct. 23 — 2,604 head. Prices per cwt. Average weights and average prices where applicable in parentheses.

BOARD CATTLE (On-Farm): 361 head, all steers. **STEERS:** Med./Lge. 1-2: 69 head, 600-700 lb (675 lb) 82.50; 67 head, 700-800 lb (775 lb) 79.25; 116 head, 800-900 lb (855 lb) 76.50-78.85 (77.62); 56 head, 900-1000 lb (915 lb) 75.75. **HOLSTEINS:** Lge. 2: 53 head, 900-1000 lb (920 lb) 52.75.

IN-FARM CATTLE: 2,243 head (1239 steers and 1004 heifers).

STEERS: Med./Lge. 1: 49 head, 300-400 lb (384) 92.50-94.00 (93.00); 152 head, 400-500 lb (452 lb) 88.50-94.50 (92.09); 288 head, 500-600 lb (550 lb) 76-88.75 (84.45); 181 head, 600-700 lb (652 lb) 76.25-80.55 (79.27); 64 head, 700-800 lb (748 lb) 75.25-78.00 (77.20); 98 head, 800-900 lb (818 lb) 76-79.75 (78.46); 8 head, 900-1000 lb (932 lb) 75.00. **Med./Lge. 2:** 31 head, 300-400 lb (369 lb) 91.50-92.50 (91.70); 146 head, 400-500 lb (448 lb) 80-94.50 (85.09); 65 head, 500-600 lb (542 lb) 80.25; 27 head, 600-700 lb (645 lb) 77.50; 20 head, 700-800 lb (766 lb) 75.50-78.00 (76.78).

HEIFERS: Med./Lge. 1: 25 head, 300-400 lb (363 lb) 78.50-82.50 (81.06); 118 head, 400-500 lb (459 lb) 70.50-75.00 (74.66); 215 head, 500-600 lb (548 lb) 64.75-77.85 (74.82); 116 head, 600-700 lb (638 lb) 69.50-76.00 (71.38); 20 head, 700-800 lb (743 lb) 75.50. **Med./Lge. 2:** 38 head, 300-400 lb (367 lb) 79-82.50 (79.36); 120 head, 400-500 lb (447 lb) 74.50-76.10 (75.94); 135 head, 500-600 lb (539 lb) 70.80-74.75 (72.34); 43 head, 600-700 lb (640 lb) 69.50-76.00 (72.73); 15 head, 700-800 lb (733 lb) 71.75.

Southwest Virginia Feeder Cattle Board Sale

Richmond, Va.
October 24, 2002

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Special State Graded Sale at Daleville, Oct. 21. Highland-Bath VQA Calf Sale: 599 head sold. Prices per hundredweight.

STEERS: 413 head. **Med./Lge. 1:** 40 head (weaned), avg. 590 lbs 88.75; 36 head (weaned), avg. 640 lbs 87.30; 62 head, avg. 560 lbs 88.35; 78 head, avg. 635 lbs 85.50; 72 head, avg. 685 lbs 85.50; 66 head, avg. 750 lbs 81.80; 57 head, avg. 855 lbs 75.90.

HEIFERS: 186 head. **Med./Lge. 1:** 18 head, avg. 470 lbs 74.00; 88 head, avg. 550 lbs. 79.50; 72 head, avg. 670 lbs 75.75.

Special Virginia Board Feeder Cattle Sale

Richmond, Va.
October 29, 2002

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Special Electronic Feeder Cattle Sale at Daleville, Oct. 28: 1072 head sold by cwt. Cattle on farms at location noted with average weight in parentheses.

STEER CALVES (Weaned; Preconditioned): Augusta/Rockbridge: 84 head, **Med. 1,** 525-625 lb (575 lb) 90.50; 72 head, **Med./Lge. 1-2,** 625-750 lb (675 lb) 86.50; 53 head, **Med. 1** few 2, 400-525 lb (475 lb) 93.25; 57 head, **Med./Lge. 1-2,** 500-700 lb (585 lb) 87.00; 14 head, **Med./Lge. 1-2,** 400-500 lb (450 lb) 86.00.

HEIFER CALVES (Weaned; Preconditioned): Augusta/Rockbridge: 102 head, **Med./Lge. 1-2,** 400-525 lb (475 lb) 81.00; 86 head, **Med./Lge. 1-2,** 525-625 lb (560 lb) 76.50; 74 head, **Med./Lge. 1,** 625-725 lb (660 lb) 76.75; 24 head, **Med./Lge. 1-2,** 324-425 lb (400 lb) 75.50.

STEER CALVES (Red Angus Sired; Weaned; Preconditioned): Virginia: 88 head, **Med./Lge. 1-2,** 400-550 lb (475 lb) 83.75; 66 head, **Med./Lge. 1-2,** 550-700 lb (625 lb) 84.00.

HEIFER CALVES (Red Angus Sired; Weaned; Preconditioned): Virginia: 40 head, **Med./Lge. 1** few 2, 425-600 lb (525 lb) 73.50.

STEER CALVES (VQA Tag Program): Botetourt/Craig: 90 head, **Med./Lge. 1** few 2, 500-675 lb (580 lb) 89.00.

STEERS: Dugspur: 54 head; **Med. 1,** Sm. 1, **Med./Lge. 2:** 500-600 lb (650 lb) 75.00. Radford: 60 head; **Med./Lge. 1** few 2; 775-900 lb (825 lb) 80.20. Burkes Garden: 54 head; **Med./Lge. 1** few 2; 850-975 lb (825 lb) 76.75. Sutherland: 54 head; **Med./Lge. 1-2;** 825-975 lb (900 lb) 75.10.

Tri-State Weekly Feeder Cattle Sale

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WEEKLY AUCTION at Tri-State, Oct. 18 — FEEDER CATTLE: 1,394 head. Prices cwt., based on in weights.

FEEDER STEERS: 600 head. **Med./Lge. 1:** 200-300 lb 90-101.00; 300-400 lb 90-99.00; 400-500 lb 89-97.00; 500-600 lb 80-88.00; 600-700 lb 69-77.00; 700-800 lb 69.50-76.00; 800-900 lb 70.50-73.00; 900-1000 lb 65-72.50. **Med./Lge. 2:** 300-400 lb 80-87.00; 400-500 lb 77-86.00; 500-600 lb 72-78.00; 600-700 lb 65-71.00; 700-800 lb 66.50-69.50; 800-900 lb 64-68.50.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: 20 head. **Med./Lge. 2:** 200-300 lb 51-64.00; 300-500 lb 51-61.00.

HEIFERS: 500 head. **Med./Lge. 1:** 200-300 lb 80-87.00; 300-400 lb 76-84.50; 400-500 lb 80-87.00; 500-600 lb 68-75.00; 600-700 lb 63-70.50; 700-800 lb 62.50-65.00; 800-900 lb 62.50-65.00. **Med./Lge. 2:** 200-300 lb 70-77.00; 300-400 lb 70-76.00; 400-500 lb 64-72.00; 500-600 lb 64-69.00; 600-700 lb 59.50-67.00.

BULLS: 274 head. **Med./Lge. 1:** 200-300 lb 75-82.50; 300-400 lb 92-100.00; 400-500 lb 85-93.00; 500-600 lb 76-84.00; 600-700 lb 63-70.00; 700-800 lb 57-65.00. **Med./Lge. 2:** 200-300 lb 70-77.00; 300-400 lb 78-86.00; 400-500 lb 75-83.00; 500-600 lb 68-75.00; 600-700 lb 61-65.00; 700-900 lb 51-58.00.

Dublin State Graded Feeder Cattle Sale

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Dublin State Graded Feeder Cattle Sale, Oct. 23 - 602 head. Prices per cwt. Prices follow with average weights and average prices in parentheses where applicable.

FEEDER STEERS: 319 head. **Med./Lge. 1:** 9 head, 300-400 lb (375 lb) 96.50-97.00 (96.95); 61 head, 400-500 lb (469 lb) 87-94.50 (91.94); 84 head, 500-600 lb (547 lb) 79.50-88.75 (85.26); 50 head, 600-700 lb (628 lb) 76-80.50 (79.53); 21 head, 700-800 lb (747 lb) 75.25-76.75 (76.32). **Med./Lge. 2:** 16 head, 300-400 lb (347 lb) 83.50-94.00 (90.11); 20 head, 400-500 lb (447 lb) 94.25; 13 head, 500-600 lb (554 lb) 76.75-87.75 (84.27); 6 head, 600-700 lb (638 lb) 72.25-76.00 (74.76).

HEIFERS: 283 head. **Med./Lge. 1:** 15 head, 300-400 lb (360 lb) 75.50-82.00 (79.97); 49 head, 400-500 lb (462 lb) 72.50-74.25 (73.35); 55 head, 500-600 lb (548 lb) 72-73.50 (72.90); 25 head, 600-700 lb (635 lb) 73.25-75.25 (74.09); 6 head, 700-800 lb (715 lb) 69.75-70.75 (79.25). **Med./Lge. 2:** 38 head, 300-400 lb (350 lb) 75.25-79.25 (78.48); 36 head, 400-500 lb (450 lb) 72-74.50 (73.29); 24 head, 500-600 lb (535 lb) 71-72.00 (71.83). **Small 1:** 12 head, 400-500 lb (454 lb) 70.50-71.00 (70.88).

Wytheville Weekly Feeder Cattle

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WEEKLY AUCTION at Wytheville, Oct. 29 — FEEDER CATTLE: 193 head. Prices per hundredweight, based on in weights.

STEERS: 43 head. **Med./Lge. 1:** 200-300 lb 78-87.00; 300-400 lb 95.00; 400-500 lb 88.00; 500-600 lb 74-80.00; 600-700 lb 66-77.00; 700-800 lb 71-73.00; 800-900 lb 70.00; 1000-1100 lb 54.00. **Med./Lge. 2:** 300-400 lb 83-89.00; 400-500 lb 76-80.00; 500-600 lb 68-78.00; 600-700 lb 66.50-71.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: 78 head. **Med./Lge. 2:** 200-300 lb 64-73.00; 300-400 lb 68-74.00; 400-500 lb 60.00; 500-600 lb 50-54.00; 600-700 lb 52.50-66.50; 700-800 lb 50-54.00.

HEIFERS: 75 head. **Med./Lge. 1:** 200-300 lb 70.00; 300-400 lb 72.00; 400-500 lb 70-72.00; 500-600 lb 67.00; 600-700 lb 66-67.00; 700-800 lb 63.00. **Med./Lge. 2:** 200-300 lb 71-73.00; 300-400 lb 68-72.00; 400-500 lb 63.50-67.50; 500-600 lb 63-65.00.

BULLS: 35 head. **Med./Lge. 1:** 200-300 lb 80.00; 300-400 lb 72-86.00; 400-500 lb 76-84.00; 500-600 lb 65-70.00; 600-700 lb 65-66.00; 700-900 lb 65.50.

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