Virginia Livestock Auction Summary

Richmond, Va. November 18, 2002 Report Supplied By USDA

NORTHERN VIRGINIA LIVE-STOCK — Front Royal, Marshall, Rockingham, Shenandoah, Staunton Union and Winchester for the week of Nov. 11-16. All prices per hundred pounds liveweight (CWT.), except where noted.

FEEDER CATTLE: 2,490 head.

FEEDER STEERS: Med./Lge. 1: 300-400 lb 92-105.00; 400-500 lb 85-102.00 few 70-78.00; 500-600 lb 71.50-88.50; 600-700 lb 70-88.25 few 65.00; 900-1000 lb 71-74.00. Med./Lge. 2: 300-400 lb 85-87.00 few 68-69.00; 400-500 lb 74-77.50; 500-600 lb 65-72.00; 700-800 lb 66-67.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Med./Lge. 2: 500-700 lb 45.50-53.00; 700-900 lb 51.50-53.50.

HEIFERS: Med./Lge. 1: 300-400 lb 67-81.00; 400-500 lb 61.50-74.50; 500-600 lb 63-75.50; 600-700 lb 64-69.75; 700-800 lb 62.50-72.50. Med./Lge. 2: 300-400 lb 60.50-67.50; 400-500 lb 53.50-69.00; 500-600 lb 55-67.00; 600-700 lb 54-67.00; 700-800 lb 55-60.00.

BULLS: Med./Lge. 1: 200-300 lb 83.00; 300-400 lb 84-100.00; 400-500 lb 79-90.00 few 61.50-68.00; 500-600 lb 65-80.00; 600-700 lb 60.25-69.00; 700-900 lb 56.50-62.50. Med./Lge. 2: 300-400 lb 65-81.50; 400-500 lb 65-76.50 few 53-58.00; 500-600 lb 54-64.00.

SLAUGHTER CATTLE: 323 head.

SLAUGHTER COWS: 270 head. Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4, 29.50-41.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3, 29-40.25;

Boning Utility 1-3, 29-40.25; Canner and Low Cutter 1-2, 22.50-33.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: 53 head. Yield Grade 1-2, 900-1300 lb 39.25-41.50, 1300-1600 lb 40-45.50, 1600 lb and over 39-44.25.

COWS RETURNED TO FARM: 46 head. Med./Lge. 1: 2 yrs old 900-1000 lb vred 4-6 months 775-810.00 per head; 4-7 yrs old 1000-1100 lb 485-650.00.

BABY CALVES RETURNED TO FARMS: 74 head. Newborn to 4 weeks 1.00-60.00 per head; over 100 lbs 10-74.00 cwt.

SHEEP: 224 head. **SLAUGHTER LAMBS: 103** head. Wooled: Choice and few Prime 1-2 few 3, 94-113 lbs 80-86.00; Good and few Choice 1-2, 93-95 lbs 75-89.00. FEEDER LAMBS: 81 head. Med./Lge. 1-2: 70-85 lbs 84-90.00 few 75-77.00, 60-70 lbs 80-86.00, 50-60 lbs 75-83.00. Small 1-2: 84 lbs 85.50. SLAUGH-TER EWES: 40 head. Choice 2-4, 19.50-27.00; Utility and Good 1-3, 22-24.00; Cull and low Utility 1-2, 25-35.00.

SLAUGHTER HOGS: 25 head. BARROWS AND GILTS: US 2-4, 250-300 lb 30-33.50.



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Wytheville Weekly Feeder Cattle

Richmond, Va.
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WEEKLY AUCTION at Wytheville, Nov. 19 — FEEDER CATTLE: 378 head. Prices per hundredweight, based on in weights.

STEERS: 102 head. Med./Lge. 1: 200-300 lb 88-100.00; 300-400 lb 96.00; 400-500 lb 78.50-84.00; 500-600 lb 79.50-81.00; 600-700 lb 73-76.00; 700-800 lb 72.50-73.50. Med./Lge. 2: 300-400 lb 94.00; 400-500 lb 78-82.00; 500-600 lb 76-79.00; 600-700 lb 71-75.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: 137 head. Med./Lge. 2: 200-300 lb 48-60.00; 300-500 lb 45-68.00; 500-700 lb 45-56.00; 700-900 lb 45-55.00; 900-1100 lb 45-49.00.

HEIFERS: 84 head. Med./Lge. 1: 200-300 lb 75-80.00; 300-400 lb 77-87.50; 500-600 lb 71.00; 600-700 lb 68-71.25; 700-800 lb 67-68.00. Med./Lge. 2: 300-400 lb 76-78.00; 400-500 lb 72-74.00; 500-600 lb 70-71.75; 600-700 lb 70.50-61.00.

BULLS: 55 head. Med./Lge. 1: 200-300 lb 95-110.00; 300-400 lb 90-96.00; 400-500 lb 74-80.00; 500-600 lb 68-75.00; 600-700 lb 79-75.00; 700-800 lb 62.50-63.00. Med./Lge. 2: 300-400 lb 85-92.00.

Southwest Virginia Feeder Cattle Board Sale

Richmond, Va. November 19, 2002 Report Supplied By USDA

Special State Graded Sale at Daleville, Nov. 18. 184 head sold. Prices per hundredweight.

STEERS: Ceres: 40 head; Med./Lge. 1, few 2: 725-850 lb (780 lb) 79.75. Galax: 144 head; Med./Lge. 1: 635-735 lb (685 lb) 78.50.

Front Royal Graded Feeder Cattle Sale

Warrenton, Va.

November 20, 2002 Report Supplied by USDA

Front Royal State Graded Feeder Cattle Sale, Nov. 19 — 592 head. Prices per CWT. Average weights and average prices where applicable in parentheses.

BOARD CATTLE (On Farm): FEED-ER HEIFERS: Med/Lge. 1: 62 head, 800-900 lb (800 lb) 73.25.

IN BARN CATTLE: 530 head.

FEEDER STEERS: 351 head. Med./ Lge. 1: 24 head, 400-500 lb (470 lb) 84-92.50 (91.45); 74 head, 500-600 lb (551 lb) 82.50-85.50 (85.02); 45 head, 600-700 lb (650 lb) 76-84.75 (82.44); 21 head, 700-800 lb (747 lb) 77.00; 16 head, 800-900 lb (859 lb) 77.25-79.75 (77.40). Med./Lge. 2: 13 head, 300-400 lb (374 lb) 96.50; 16 head, 400-500 lb (452 lb) 88.00; 500-600 lb (452 lb) 88.00; 29 head, 500-600 lb (548 lb) 76-79.00 (78.69); 22 head, 600-700 lb (655 lb) 76.00; 17 head, 700-800 lb (753 lb) 74.50; 20 head, 800-900 lb (844 lb) 74.75-79.75 (78.25).

FEEDER HEIFERS: 179 head. Med./ Lge. 1: 11 head, 400-500 lb (445 lb) 78.50; 38 head, 500-600 lb (552 lb) 68.75-71.75 (71.43); 12 head; 600-700 lb (630 lb) 70.25. Med./Lge. 2: 20 head; 400-500 lb (451 lb) 67-73.00 (72.11); 25 head, 500-600 lb (547 lb) 70.25. Small 1: 12 head, 400-500 lb (432 lb) 64.75.

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Eastern Cornbelt Direct Feeder Cattle Weekly

Springfield, Ill. November 15, 2002

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Eastern Cornbelt Direct Feeder Cattle

Summary — Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, and Ohio: Feeder steers were mostly 1.00-3.00 lower in a light market test. Heifer sales were 2.00-4.00 higher. Trading was slow to moderate. Demand was moderate to good. Reported sales about 27% beef steers, 47% heifers and 26% Holstein steers. Approximately 100% of

the cattle marketed this week weighed over 600 lbs. Confirmed sales 1200 this week, 2200 last week and 1050 last year.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1-2: 675-700 lbs 80.00-82.00.

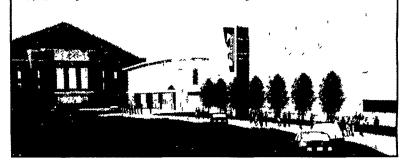
HOLSTEIN STEERS: Medium and Large 3: 725-850 lbs 54.00-57.50.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1-2: 625-700 lbs 79.50-82.00; 700-825 lbs 74.75-78.00.

Prices are based FOB the farm unless otherwise indicated. Delivered prices include freight, commissions, and other expenses.

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