

**Mineral Wells Livestock Exchange**

Mineral Wells, WV  
Report Supplied by Auction  
October 11, 2003

778 HEAD.  
STOCK STEERS GRADE M-L  
300-UNDER .85-1.30, 300-500 .74-1.10, 500-700 .76-.99, 800-OVER .80-.93.  
STOCK HEIFERS GRADE M-L  
300-UNDER .85-1.07½, 300-500 .75-.91, 500-700 .70-84.50, 800-OVER .63-.82.  
STOCK BULLS GRADE M-L 300-UNDER, NONE, 300-500 .76-1.08, 500-700 .72-.90.  
SLAUGHTER BULLS: .70-.77, COWS AND CALVES BY THE HEAD 695.00-860.00; BRED COWS BY THE HEAD 310.00-685.00, BY THE LB. .48-.60.  
SLAUGHTER COWS: HIGH DRESS 45.50-47.50, UTILITY .38-.56, CANNER, NONE.  
SHEEP: EWES 31-36.  
BABY CALVES: 75.00-120.00 HEAD;  
DAIRY 35.00-65.00, HORSES 235.00-350.00 HEAD, PONIES 70.00-200.00 HEAD.  
HOGS: 300-500 LBS. .40-.43.  
PIGS BY THE HEAD 30.00-45.00.  
GOATS BY THE HEAD 32.50-82.50.

**Rockingham Graded Feeder Cattle Sale**

Warrenton, Va.  
October 10, 2003

Report Supplied by USDA

Rockingham State Graded Feeder Cattle Sale, Oct. 9 — 597 head (Steers On-Farm 55, Steers-In-Barn 340, Heifers 202). Prices per cwt.  
FEEDER CATTLE ON-FARM: FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1: 55 head, 800-900 avg 885.95.50.  
FEEDER CATTLE IN-BARN:  
FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1: 16 head, 400-500 lb avg 470 lb 108.00; 70 head, 500-600 lb avg 548 lb 107.00-108.00 avg 107.30; 77 head, 600-700 lb avg 644 lb 96.50-100.00 avg 99.12; 27 head, 700-800 lb avg 735 lb 88.75-98.00 avg 94.55; 21 head, 800-900 lb avg

lb 866 lb 94.75-97.00 avg 95.59; 17 head, 1000-1100 lb avg 1089 lb 85.25. Medium and Large 2: 9 head, 400-500 lb avg 459 lb 101.00; 11 head, 500-600 lb avg 547 lb 93.00; 14 head, 600-700 lb avg 680 lb 90.75; 7 head, 800-900 lb avg 898 lb 90.00. Small 1: 7 head, 400-500 lb avg 428 lb 90.00; 7 head, 600-700 lb avg 679 lb 87.00.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1: 23 head, 400-500 lb avg 458 lb 95.25; 72 head, 500-600 lb avg 555 lb 85.00-90.50 avg 90.03; 41 head, 600-700 lb avg 630 lb 87.50; 11 head, 700-800 lb avg 726 lb 87.00. Medium and Large 2: 6 head, 400-500 lb avg 441 lb 91.00; 15 head, 500-600 lb avg 555 lb 87.00; 5 head, 600-700 lb avg 634 lb 86.50. Small 1: 8 head, 600-700 lb avg 627 lb 76.25.

**Culpeper-Madison, Va. Feeder Cattle Sale**

Warrenton, Va.  
October 15, 2003

Report Supplied by USDA

CULPEPER-MADISON State Graded Feeder Cattle Sale, Oct. 14 — FEEDER CATTLE: 343 (Steers 185; Heifers 158). Weighted Averages, prices per cwt.  
FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1: 16 head, 400-500 lbs avg 550 lbs 94.00-100.75 avg 99.53; 37 head, 600-700 lbs avg 648 lbs 96.50; 12 head, 700-800 lbs avg 736 lbs 85.00-89.00 avg 87.99. Medium and Large 2: 22 head, 400-500 lbs avg 457 lbs 100.25; 14 head, 500-600 lbs avg 550 lbs 93.00; 5 head, 600-700 lbs avg 668 lbs 87.00. Small 1: 6 head, 500-600 lbs avg 572 lbs 81.50-82.00 avg 81.58.  
FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1: 26 head, 400-500 lbs avg 453 lbs 89.00-94.00 avg 93.46; 47 head, 500-600 lbs avg 554 lbs 87.50-91.25 avg 90.80; 16 head, 600-700 lbs avg 639 lbs 86.00-88.00 avg 87.62; 6 head, 700-800 lbs avg 743 lbs 88.00. Medium and Large 2: 6 head, 300-400 lbs avg 371 lbs 89.00; 15 head, 400-500 lbs avg 449 lbs 93.75; 14 head, 500-600 lbs avg 545 lbs 90.25; 7 head, 600-700 lbs avg 643 lbs 88.00.

**Virginia Livestock Auction Summary**

Richmond, Va.  
October 15, 2003

Report Supplied by USDA

NORTHERN VIRGINIA LIVESTOCK — Front Royal, Marshall, Rockingham, Shenandoah, Staunton, and Winchester for Oct. 6-11. All prices per hundred pounds liveweight, except where noted.

FEEDER CATTLE: 3109 (Steers 1375; Holstein Steers 23; Heifers 1094; Bulls 617).

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1: 300-400 lbs 93.00-108.00; 400-500 lbs 85.00-105.00; 500-600 lbs 86.00-104.75 few low as 82.00; 600-700 lbs 81.50- 99.00 few low as 78.50; 700-800 lbs 85.00-102.00 few low as 78.50; 800-900 lbs 84.50- 99.00 few low as 77.50; 900-1000 lbs 79.00- 93.00. Medium and Large 2: 300-400 lbs 72.00- 91.00; 400-500 lbs 75.00-91.00; 500-600 lbs 75.00- 89.00; 600-700 lbs 72.00- 84.00; 700-800 lbs 70.00- 82.50; 800-900 lbs 79.00- 92.00; 900-1000 lbs 69.00- 83.00. Medium and Large 3: 300-400 lbs 76.00; 500-600 lbs 55.00- 69.00; 600-700 lbs 58.00. Small 1: 300-400 lbs 80.00-400-500 lbs 74.50- 81.50 few 58.00- 65.00 500-600 lbs 80.00- 87.00 few low as 65.00 600-700 lbs 75.00- 86.00 few low as 65.00 700-800 lbs 92.00 800-900 lbs 56.50.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Large 2-3: 500-600 lbs 65.50- 71.00; 800-900 lbs 71.50; 900-1000 lbs 51.00- 74.00.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1: 200-300 lbs 77.00- 81.00; 300-400 lbs 81.50-101.00; 400-500 lbs 82.00- 96.00 few low as 74.00; 500-600 lbs 75.00- 94.25; 600-700 lbs 76.00- 93.50; 700-800 lbs 67.50- 82.00. Medium and Large 2: 200-300 lbs 74.00- 85.00; 300-400 lbs 70.00- 86.00; 400-500 lbs 68.00- 83.00; 500-600 lbs 68.00- 81.00; 600-700 lbs 67.00-86.00; 700-800 lbs 70.00- 78.00 800-900 lbs 65.00- 70.00. Medium and Large 3: 300-400 lbs 55.50- 57.00; 500-600 lbs 42.00 Small 1: 300-400 lbs 64.50- 67.00 few low as 45.00; 400-500 lbs 61.00- 78.50; 500-600 lbs 61.00- 78.00; 600-700 lbs 62.00; 700-800 lbs 46.50- 60.50.

FEEDER BULLS: Medium and Large 1: 200-300 lbs 93.00-111.00; 300-400 lbs 82.00-102.50; 400-500 lbs 84.00-104.00; 500-600 lbs 80.00- 96.50 few low as 72.00; 600-700 lbs 71.00- 88.50; 700-800 lbs 71.00- 76.50. Medium

and Large 2. 200-300 lbs 80.00- 94.00, 300-400 lbs 78.00- 92.50, 400-500 lbs 84.00-103.00 few low as 71.50; 500-600 lbs 69.00- 84.00; 600-700 lbs 65.50- 75.50; 700-800 lbs 64.00. Medium and Large 3 400-500 lbs 71.00; 500-600 lbs 62.00. Small 1; 200-300 lbs 65.00; 300-400 lbs 56.00-70.00, 400-500 lbs 62.50- 68.00; 500-600 lbs 67.00- 70.00; 600-700 lbs 61.00.

SLAUGHTER CATTLE: 492 head. (Slaughter Steers and Heifers 44; Cows 387; Bulls 61) SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3; 1000-1100 lbs 90.00- 94.00; 1100-1300 lbs 93.25-101.00; 1300-1500 lbs 89.50- 98.25; 1540 91.50 Select 2-3; 1000-1100 lbs 90.75; 1300-1500 lbs 80.50

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS. Choice 2-3; 1000-1200 lbs 90.50- 98.00; 1200-1300 lbs 91.50-95.00; 1300-1535 lbs 85.00- 94.25 Select 2-3; 900-1000 lbs 85.00- 86.50; 1000-1200 lbs 77.50-82.50.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breakers 75-80% Lean: 850-1200 lbs 32.00- 38.50; 1200-1600 lbs 34.75- 46.00, High Yielding 40.50- 48.00. Boners 80-85% Lean: 800-1200 lbs 32.00- 39.00; 1200-2000 lbs 33.00- 42.50, High Yielding 40.00-47.00. Lean 85-90% Lean: 850 and under lbs 22.00- 37.50; 850 and over lbs 25.50- 33.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: YG 1-2; 1000-1500 lbs 42.50- 50.00; 1500-2500 lbs 43.25- 55.50, High Yielding 51.00- 52.50.

COWS RETURNED TO FARMS: 66 head, 975-1475 lbs: Medium and Large 1 few 2, 5 years to aged bred 2-7 months 300.00-610.00 per head.

COWS WITH CALVES AT SIDE: 18 head, 920-1225 lbs: Medium and Large 1, 5-8 years old with calves 100-305 lbs 480.00-710.00 per pair, 900-1200 lbs: Mostly Medium 1, 5-10 years old with calves baby to 300 lbs 565.00-825.00 per pair.

BABY CALVES RETURNED TO FARMS: 55 head, Holstein Bulls: 70-100 lbs 4.00- 40.00 per head; 100-200 lbs 23.00- 99.00 per cwt.

SHEEP: 172 (Slaughter Lambs 143; Feeder Lambs 24; Slaughter Ewes 5). SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Spring Woolled Choice and Prime 1-2 80-110 lbs 88.00- 95.00; 110-125 lbs 88.00- 94.00. Good and Choice 1-3: 60-90 lbs 72.50. FEEDER LAMBS: Spring Woolled Medium and Large 1-2: 60-90 lbs 92.00-100.00. Small and Medium 1-2: 40-60 lbs 102.00; 60-90 lbs 92.00-102.00. SLAUGHTER EWES: Choice 2-4 25.00- 26.00; Good 2-4 25.00.

**East Coast and North Central Veal Report**

Des Moines, Iowa  
October 14, 2003

Report Supplied by USDA

CARLOT VEAL CARCASS REPORT: Compared to trading last week Northeast special fed veal weak to lower on moderate demand and light offerings. North Central special fed veal, hide-on, lower on light test and hide-on, no recent test for accompanson on moderate demand and light offerings.

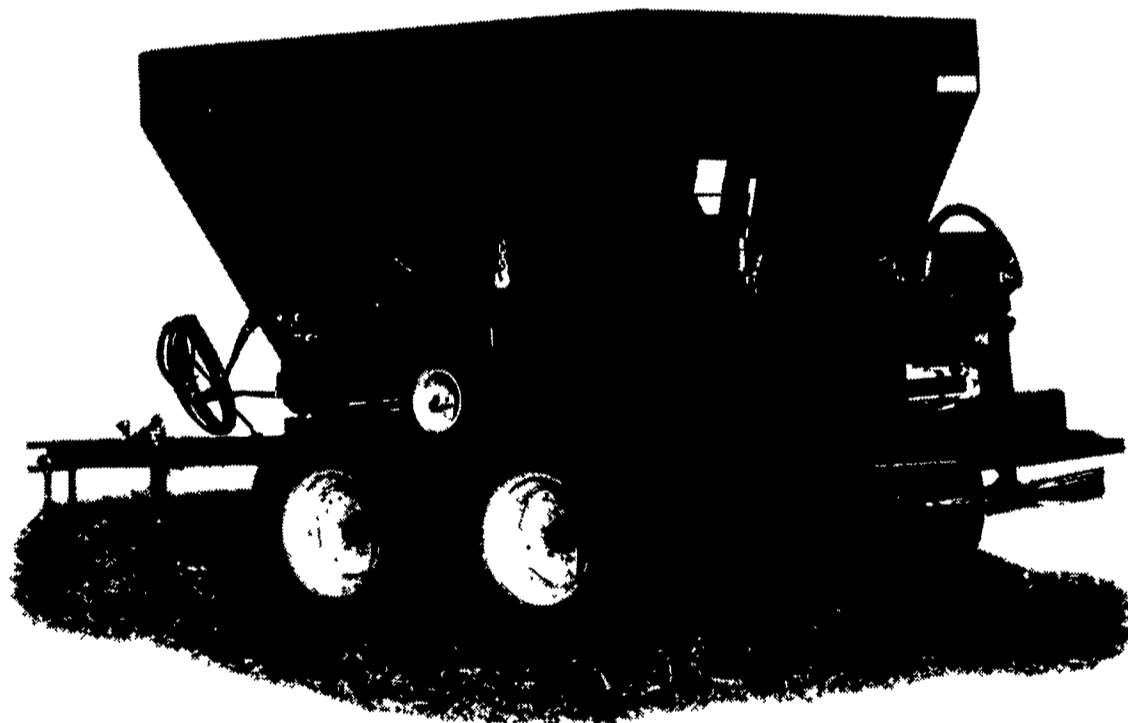
VEAL CARCASS, SPECIAL FED, HOT BASIS, FOB PRODUCTION POINTS Northeast 830 head. Hide-Off, 215-275 lbs: 245-260.00 North Central 200 head Hide-On, 240-300 lbs 230.00.

CONTRACT INFORMATION. Hot Basis, Hide-Off — (As of October 15, 2003) — Contract calves slaughtered this week: 200.00-255.00 Packers base market 220.00-235.00. Future Contracts offered: Firm Bottom 215.00, Firm Top 230.00-240.00, Firm Bottom/Open Top, 210.00, Firm Bottom 215.00, Split Half Top 230.00. Fixed, none offered  
• North Central - OH, IN, IL, MI & WI  
• Northeast - MA, MD, PA, NY, NJ, DE, CT & VT.

WEEKLY DISTRIBUTIVE, LESS THAN CARLOT, EAST COAST AREA VEAL CUTS TRADE, SPECIAL FED: Market for Tuesday, Oct. 14 — Distributive special fed veal cuts trading mostly weak to lower on light to moderate demand and offerings.

Prices per CWT: Carcass, hide off 200-250 lb 260-315.00; Foresaddles 90-110 lb 250-280.00; Kasher Foresaddles 90-110 lb 380-420.00; Hind-saddles 85-115 lb 380-410.00; Loins, regular 17-25 lb 380-420.00; Loins, 4x4 trmd 12-18 lb 700-800.00, Hotel Racks, 8 rib 15-21 lb 525-700.00, 7 rib 14-20 lb 525-750.00, 6 rib 13-17 lb 675.00-850.00; Chuck, square cut 36-47 lb 135-160.00; Shoulder, full 14-20 lb 175.00-225.00; Legs, double 70-90 lb 380-410.00, TBS 3-piece 24-32 lb 750-850.00, BHS heel-out 27-35 lb 600-750.00; Top Round, trmd, cap-off 8-10 lb 1150-1300.00; Breast 10-12 lb 80-110.00; Necks, bone-in 24-28 lb 140-175.00; Stew Meat, regular 275-350.00; Boneless Trimmings 75-80% lean 75-95.00; Heavy Nature Green Hides, per piece 36-41.00.

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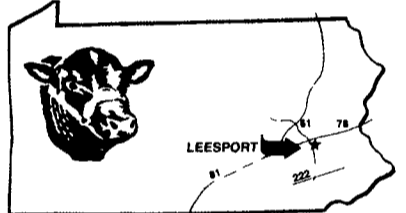
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