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## Weekly Market Report

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### Slaughter Cows

Slaughter Bulls: \$201.00 to \$226.00

Canners.....\$ 155.00 to \$170.00.

Boning Utility..... \$ 171.00 to \$179.00

Cutters..... \$ 180.00 to \$186.00

(Some lower grading or lower yielding cows and bulls fall below these figures)

Bred Cows: \$2400.00 to \$3,600.00 Cow/Calf Pairs:\$3300.00 to \$4,600.00

### Feeder Calves

#### Large Frame #1

#### Feeder Steers/Bulls

150 to 200 lbs.....\$4.08 to \$8.60

205 to 300 lbs.....\$4.01 to \$8.40

305 to 400 lbs.....\$3.80 to \$7.10

405 to 500 lbs..... \$3.72 to \$6.05

505 to 600 lbs..... \$3.61 to \$4.95

605 to 800 lbs..... \$3.15 to \$4.52

#### Large Frame #1

#### Feeder Heifers

\$2.35 to \$8.10

\$2.25 to \$8.30

\$2.18 to \$6.05

\$2.12 to \$5.55

\$2.06 to \$4.90

\$1.85 to \$5.00

Some lower quality and hard-to-place cattle fall below these figures.

Total Sellers: 222

Order Buyers: 16

Packer Buyers: 7

### Weekly Summary

Compared to last week's market, the average prices of all classes of feeder steers and heifers ended fully \$4 to \$8 higher. Both the slaughter cows and slaughter bulls today finished mostly firm with last week's ending figures.

Both Monday and today's feeder and live cattle futures posted extremely strong closing figures as live (fats) prices jumped \$9. Even with today's feeder quality offering being mixed the buyers seemed to have overlooked some poorer quality and charged aggressively ahead to secure more inventory for the summer grazing programs. Demand remains extremely strong on all classes of feeder calves.

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Example of how our Flat Rate Commission Works:

Ex. 575 lbs Steer at \$4.00 /lbs is \$2300 total  
Avg. commission at ETL: \$33.75  
Commission at other local sales at 3.5% is \$80.50