

HAMILTON COMMISSION COMPANY					
<i>Cattle Sale Results</i>					
SALE DATE:	10/17/2017		HEAD COUNT:	153	
No. 1 Steers			Cow & Calf Pairs		
200 - 300 lb:	180-195	CWT	Choice:	1200-1400	PR
300 - 400 lb:	170-180	CWT	Med Quality:	900-1150	PR
400 - 500 lb:	160-170	CWT	Aged:	SPLIT	PR
500 - 600 lb:	145-155	CWT			
600 - 700 lb:	135-145	CWT	Bred Cows:		
700 lb & up:	125-140	CWT	Choice:	900-1150	HD
			Med Quality:	800-950	HD
No. 1 Heifers			Aged:	NT	HD
200 - 300 lb:	150-160	CWT			
300 - 400 lb:	135-150	CWT			
400 - 500 lb:	130-145	CWT	Trends:		
500 - 600 lb:	125-135	CWT	Stocker Steers:	Steady	
600 - 700 lb:	122-137	CWT	Feeder Steers:	Steady	
700 lb & up:	NT	CWT	Stocker Heifers:	Steady	
			Feeder Heifers:	Steady	
Packer Cows			Packer Cows:	Steady	
High Yield:	58-63	CWT	Packer Bulls:	Steady	
Med Yield:	52-57	CWT	Cow & Calf Pairs:	Steady	
Low Yield:	40-50	CWT	Bred Cows:	Steady	
Packer Bulls:					
High Yield:	80-83	CWT			
Low Yield:	69-77	CWT			

Comments:

Just as the outlook for winter oats/wheat was looking promising for stocker operators after our recent rains, the army worms have invaded and left their mark on almost everyone's small grain. As stocker operators wait and see the extent of the damage, the demand for stocker calves may fall off some in the weeks to come. The market today was mostly steady across the board on good demand. We had several Brangus heifers today that went back home to make replacements. Fat, juicy calves are still selling well, but are discounted compared to weaned calves of the same size. Next week we have a couple sets of weaned calves and the following week we will have more Brangus cattle like we had today. Keep this in mind if you are looking for some good feeder/stocker calves.

***THE PRICES QUOTED ARE FOR #1 FEEDER STEERS AND HEIFERS. PRICES ADJUST DOWN ACCORDING TO QUALITY , KIND AND FILL.**