

Hamilton Commission Company

Cattle Sale Results

Sale Date:	08/02/16		Head Count:	127	
<u>No 1 Steers</u>			<u>Cow & Calf Pairs</u>		
200-300 lb:	155-175	CWT	Choice:	1600-1725	PR
300-400 lb:	140-160	CWT	Med Quality:	1250-1550	PR
400-500 lb:	131-145	CWT	Aged:	NT	PR
500-600lb:	125-140	CWT			
600-700 lb:	125-143	CWT	<u>Bred Cows</u>		
700 lb & up:	120-133	CWT	Choice:	1200-1500	HD
			Med Quality:	950-1175	HD
			Aged:	900-1150	HD
<u>No 1 Heifers</u>					
200-300 lb:	NT	CWT			
300-400 lb:	128-145	CWT			
400-500 lb:	125-135	CWT	<u>Trends</u>		
500-600 lb:	115-125	CWT	Stocker Steers:	Steady	
600-700 lb:	115-120	CWT	Feeder Steers:	\$5 to \$10 Higher	
700 lb & up:	105-116	CWT	Stocker Heifers:	Steady	
			Feeder Heifers:	Steady to \$5 Higher	
<u>Packer Cows</u>			Packer Cows:	\$5 Higher	
High Yield:	73-78	CWT	Packer Bulls:	\$5 Higher	
Med Yield:	65-72	CWT	Cow & Calf Pairs:	Steady	
Low Yield:	50-64	CWT	Bred Cows:	Steady	
<u>Packer Bulls</u>					
High Yield:	95-102	CWT			
Low Yield:	85-94	CWT			

After putting together a full week with a more bullish attitude last week, the cattle futures exploded Monday with a good follow up Tuesday. It seems we may have found a bottom to this midsummer market and although it is too early to say we are in an "up" market, maybe we have seen the worst for a little while. Keep in mind, cattle prices usually take a hit in mid September/ early October on calves that are not weaned and straightened out due to the sickness caused by the cooler nights and hot days. It might be a good idea to take advantage of this market in the next few weeks. We would like the opportunity to market your livestock! Let us know how we can help.

** The prices quoted are for # 1 feeder steers and heifers. Prices adjust down according to quality, kind and fill.*