HAMILTON COMMISSION COMPANY

Roping Cattle Sale

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, JUNE 3RD & 4TH, 2022
MARKET REPORT

2,148 HEAD 99 CONSIGNERS 95 ACTIVE BUYERS

Drought across cattle country throughout much of Texas has carried over from Spring into Summer adding stress on depleting forage conditions and overall rangeland health. Feed costs are rising weekly and in turn are putting pressure on the bottom line of many feeder/stocker operations across the livestock sector. With that being said, our hats are off to our loyal consignors for having their cattle in great marketing shape for this sale.

Friday's cow sale featured 1,000 hd of pairs, bred cows, and roped outs that sold on a strong market with active demand from across the south through the Plains to the Midwest. The better end of the cows sold mainly \$50 higher than our April sale and closer to \$100 higher than our June sale last year. Pairs sold mostly steady along with the bulls and roped outs.

Saturday's sale featured about 1,300 head of ropers and potentials. While most ropers sold on a softer tone than our April sale, they were still \$25-\$50 higher than our sale last June. A lot of this can be attributed to higher inputs, especially freight costs from \$5.00 diesel when these contractors are working their breakevens. The livestock industry is no doubt accustomed to facing new challenges every year..... It's just not fun when it seems like we are taking on so many at one time.

Thank you for the continued support from all of our loyal buyers and customers alike!! We are looking forward to our next sale on September 23rd and 24th and hope to see you all here! Call in those consignments now!!

CORRIENTES		
HEIFERS - READY TO ROPE	475-610	HD
STEERS / BULLS - READY TO ROPE	425-585	HD
HEIFER POTENTIALS - HORNS 1/2 EAR & LONGER	325-475	HD
HEIFER POTENTIALS - HORNS LESS THAN 1/2 EAR	275-425	HD
STEER POTENTIALS - HORNS 1/2 EAR & LONGER	300-425	HD
STEER POTENTIALS - HORNS LESS THAN 1/2 EAR	275-350	HD
ROPED OUT OPEN HEIFERS	300-450	HD
SHORT BRED YOUNG COWS	350-525	HD
MEDIUM TO HEAVY YOUNG COWS	400-700	HD
BABY TOOTH PAIRS	410-750	PR
AGED PAIRS	450-600	PR
BRED COWS - BRED TO HORNED BULLS	275-600	HD
BRED COWS - BRED TO BEEF BULLS	300-750	HD
BULLS	400-900	HD
PAIRS WITH BEEF CALVES	525-800	PR
ONGHORNS		
EIFERS - READY TO ROPE	350-450	HD
STEERS / BULLS - READY TO ROPE	325-450	HD
ROPED OUT STEERS	.4080	LB