

April 7, 2003

Feeder Cattle Sales

Maritime Cattle Market, Truro

Cattle sold	217	Heifers	80
		Steers	137
Average weight	613 lbs		
Average price	110.68	per cwt	

Good Steers:

Good Heifers:

300-400 lbs	124-141.5		
400-550 lbs	100-135	300 - 500 lbs	95-132.5
550-700 lbs	95-130	550-650 lbs	85-118.5
700-900 lbs	92-113.5	650-800 lbs	93-109
900+ lbs		800+ lbs	

Plain Heifers & Steers 55-80

Highest price paid was \$141.50/cwt for a group of 3 Charolais Steers weighing 1115 lbs owned by Dean Manning, Falmouth, Nova Scotia and sold to Scott Drake, Vernon, Prince Edward Island.

Prices paid for some groups:

	Average Weight (Lbs)	Price \$
7 Limousin Steers	565	130.00
10 Limousin Steers	563	128.00
9 Charolais Steers	552	120.50
7 Black Angus X Steers	607	119.00
11 Red Angus X Steers	690	117.50
5 Limousin X Heifers	435	132.50
11 Charolais X Heifers	568	118.00

Number of cattle sold to buyers from:

N.S. 54

P.E.I. 163

For Comparison:

Sale of April 8, 2002		Sale of March 1, 2003	
Cattle sold	358	Cattle sold	316
Average weight	565 lbs.	Average weight	678 lbs.
Average price	121.10	Average price	102.43

Next Feeder Cattle Sale: Saturday, May 10 - 12:30 p.m.

