

December 7, 2002

Feeder Cattle Sales

Maritime Cattle Market, Truro

Cattle sold	254	Heifers	111
		Steers	143
Average weight	613 lbs		
Average price	115.23	per cwt	

Good Steers:		Good Heifers:	
300-400 lbs	112-127.5		
400-550 lbs	116-139	300 - 500 lbs	99-116
550-700 lbs	100-133	550-650 lbs	110-129
700-900 lbs	109-123	650-800 lbs	92-129
900+ lbs	95	800+ lbs	89-107.5
Plain Heifers & Steers		50-83	

Highest price paid was \$139/cwt for a group of 3 Charolais steers owned by Tony Rooyackers, West Bay, sold to Ivan Tingley, Midway, NB . Second highest price was \$136/cwt for a group of 3 mixed steers owned by Alex Cameron, Mabou, NS, sold to Marvin Ford, Winsloe, PEI

Prices paid for some groups:

	Average Weight (Lbs)	Price \$
5 Simmental Steers	616	132.00
4 Red Angus X Steers	551	127.00
2 Charolais Steers	530	130.00
5 Simmental X Steers	439	130.00
11 Limousin X Steers	400	127.50
8 Charolais Heifers	555	128.50
10 Charolais X Heifers	734	129.00
4 Charolais Steers	668	129.50
7 Charolais Heifers	701	129.00
2 Charolais Steers	642	132.50
4 Black Angus X Steers	781	124.00
5 Black Angus Steers	527	129.00
2 Charolais X Heifers	935	107.50

Number of cattle sold to buyers from:

N.S.	35
N.B.	35
P.E.I.	184

For Comparison:

Sale of	Dec 1/01	October 15/02	November 9/02
Cattle sold	417	1047	1071
Average weight	575 lbs.	621 lbs.	626 lbs.
Average price	118.46	110.50	103.38

Next Feeder Cattle Sale: January 25, 2003

