

Feeder Cattle Sale, Maritime Cattle Market

November 3, 2007

624 Cattle Sold: **338 Steers**
 286 Heifers

Average Weight: **551 lbs**
Average Prices: **\$82.88 cwt**

Average price paid was \$2.00 per cwt. lower compared to the October 7 feeder sale.

The highest price paid was \$105.00 per cwt. for four vaccinated Charolais cross Steer average weight 394 lbs owned by Duncan Campbell, Port Hood, N.S. and sold to Harry Friesen, RR#2, Pictou, N.S.

Second highest price was \$104.00 per cwt for four Charolais cross Steer average weight 400 lbs owned by Nicholas Miller, Margaree, N.S. and sold to Martyn Lund, Malagash, N.S.

Good Steers	Price	Good Heifers	Prices
300-400 lbs	\$76.00-\$105.00	300-400 lbs	\$72.00-\$98.00
400-500 lbs	\$70.00-\$104.00	400-500 lbs	\$71.00-\$92.00
500-600 lbs	\$67.00-\$98.00	500-600 lbs	\$69.00-\$94.00
600-700 lbs	\$70.00-\$92.00	600-700 lbs	\$66.00-\$82.00
700-800 lbs	\$65.00-\$84.00	700-800 lbs	\$69.00-\$75.00
800-900 lbs	\$70.00-\$74.00		

Plain Heifers and Steers all weights \$55.00-\$65.00.

Prices Paid for Some Groups:

Type	Average Weight (lbs)	Prices (\$)
13 Charolais cross Steers	565	96.00
3 Charolais cross Steers	330	102.00
4 Charolais cross Steers	446	96.00

8 Charolais cross Steers	513	96.50
4 Charolais cross Steers	690	92.00
4 Charolais cross Steers	694	83.00
3 Charolais cross Steers	373	100.00
2 Limousin cross Steers	418	96.00
3 Limousin cross Steers	555	94.00
3 Limousin cross Steers	512	91.00
8 Simmental cross Steers	511	93.50
8 Simmental cross Steers	575	83.00
10 Simmental cross Steers	705	75.00
7 Shorthorn cross Steers	523	85.00
4 Charolais cross Heifers	543	86.00
2 Charolais cross Heifers	372	98.00
5 Charolais cross Heifers	620	80.00
4 Charolais cross Heifers	540	87.00
12 Charolais cross Heifers	656	80.00
3 Limousin cross Heifers	368	93.00
3 Limousin cross Heifers	624	92.00
7 Limousin cross Heifers	523	85.00
3 Limousin cross Heifers	612	84.00
2 Limousin cross Heifers	372	98.00
3 Simmental cross Heifers	415	92.00
3 Simmental cross Heifers	577	82.00
3 Simmental cross Heifers	623	92.00

Number of Cattle sold to buyers from:

Nova Scotia	246
Prince Edward Island	179
Quebec	194
Newfoundland	5

For Comparison:

Date	Cattle Sold	Average Weight	Average Prices \$
Oct. 13, 2007	852	607	84.93

Past November Feeder Cattle Sales:

Year	Cattle Sold	Average Weight	Price \$
2001	1218	609	119.31
2002	1071	626	103.38
2003	971	644	97.73
2004	1626	580	67.52
2005	1099	566	95.46
2006	1033	579	99.29

Next Feeder Cattle Sale: Saturday, December 1, 2007 at 12:30 p.m.

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