



April 26, 2024

Number of Head: 1,266

There were 203 cows and 28 bulls. Packer cows and bulls finally hit a point where a correction was needed that lowered past levels. Packer bulls were off \$3/cwt to \$155, while cows were same at \$131/cwt. Each week had seen prices at or near all-time highs, but this week prices were steady. Demand continues to be very strong.

The calf market continued to improve as calves were over \$3.30/cwt higher. The negative impact of the bird flu in dairy cattle continues to diminish. The market was active and demand was strong.

Packer bulls: All Weights	90.00-155.00
Packer cows: Canners & Cutters	85.00-131.00
Poor & Weak	30.00-57.00
Palpated: 12 Bred	\$1,700- \$1,800
Pairs: 2	\$1,500 & \$2,500

Steer/Bull Calves: (AVG-HIGH)

Under 200 lbs	330.00-435.00
200-250 lbs	287.00-350.00
250-299 lbs	297.00-390.00
300-350 lbs	311.00-385.00
350-400 lbs	299.00-345.00
400-450 lbs	295.00-330.00
450-500 lbs	286.00-322.00
500-550 lbs	277.00-320.00
550-600 lbs	260.00-304.00
600-700 lbs	243.00-286.00
700-800 lbs	211.00-254.00

Heifer Calves:(AVG-HIGH)

Under 200 lbs	355.00-425.00
200-250 lbs	326.00-350.00
250-300 lbs	302.00-360.00
300-350 lbs	305.00-330.00
350-400 lbs	294.00-330.00
400-450 lbs	272.00-324.00
450-500 lbs	260.00-328.00
500-550 lbs	249.00-280.00
550-600 lbs	235.00-270.00
600-700 lbs	206.00-305.00*
Over 700 lbs	195.00-256.00

*Replacement Heifer

Note: This range reflects the average price to highest price recorded in each weight class. Lower quality animals may fall below these figures in the actual low range, see the market tops report on our website for low-avg-high prices.