EAST TEXAS LIVESTOCK, INC WEEKLY MARKET REPORT

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SLAUGHTER COWS:

SLAUGHTER BULLS: 89.00 to 116.00

Canners......64.00 to 79.00 UTILITY......80.00 to 88.00 CUTTERS.......89.00 to 97.00

SOME LOWER YIELDING AND UN-MERCHANTABLE COWS/BULLS FALL BELOW THESE FIGURES

Bred Cows: \$570.00 to \$1500.00

Cow/Calf Pairs...\$1100.00 to \$1475.00

Feeder Calves

#1 Large Frame	#1 Large Frame
Feeder Steers/Bulls	Feeder Heifers
150-200 lbs1.41 - 2.22	1.50 - 1.80
205-300 lbs1.33 - 2.20	1.37 - 1.80
305-400 lbs1.28 - 2.10	1.24 - 1.80
405-500 lbs1.21 - 1.84	1.16 - 1.72
505-600 lbs1.16 - 1.63	1.12 - 1.55
605-800 lbs1.12 - 1.50	1.07 - 1.44

SOME HARD TO PLACE # 11/2 OR #2 PLAINER CALVES FALL BELOW THESE FIGURES

THESE FIGURES POSTED ABOVE ARE SOLELY REPORTED ON CATTLE VALUES AT EAST TEXAS LIVESTOCK

Total Sellers......125

Total Buvers......42

Total Feeder Calf Buvers.....16

Packer Buyers..... 7

Compared to last week's market, feeder steers and heifers weight price averages ended fully \$5 to \$8 lower with certain lower class instances up to \$10 lower. Slaughter cows gained around and finished \$2.50 higher while the slaughter bulls remained steady. Buyer demand continues to remain good with caution being given to animal quality.

Even with the futures board closing higher today a dark cloud could be showing up on the horizon in the form of increasing drought in both the grazing country and corn belt.

Higher input cost along with runaway inflation could also weaken demand.