

Wednesday, January 8, 2025
Cattle Marketed 472

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Market Snapshot



Choice Steers	Prices shown per CWT / per 100 pounds	Choice Heifers
\$285.00-\$385.00	300 LBS	\$250.00-\$350.00
\$265.00-\$365.00	400 LBS	\$225.00-\$325.00
\$240.00-\$340.00	500 LBS	\$200.00-\$300.00
\$235.00-\$305.00	600 LBS	\$200.00-\$275.00
\$200.00-\$260.00	700 LBS	\$185.00-\$245.00
\$190.00-\$240.00	800 LBS	\$175.00-\$225.00
\$180.00-\$230.00	900 LBS	\$165.00-\$215.00
Slaughter Bulls		Slaughter Cows
\$125.00-\$150.00	High Yield	\$120.00-\$140.00
\$100.00-\$125.00	Medium Yield	\$100.00-\$120.00
\$80.00-\$100.00	Low Yield	\$80.00-\$100.00
\$120.00-\$160.00	Feeder/Young	\$100.00-\$160.00
N/A	Heiferettes	\$125.00-\$155.00
Top Bull		Top Cow
\$142.00		\$141.00

This market did ramp right back up after the holiday break. As we approached the break, things did have added optimism coming off the fall lows and making new highs as stated in our last report. Now that we are back, we are seeing more of the same with the Futures market setting new highs yet again, forcing stocker and feeder operators to continue to step up. Grass weight cattle are leading the charge with anything that has the right quality, condition and shots seeming to have no top as the grass guys seem to be in a just get them mode. Feeder cattle also called higher, just not as dramatic with less offered and more limited buyer participation, mostly due to winter weather, but the limited supply is keeping those that need them coming to the market and setting some new highs here also. Butcher cows and bulls not as perky, we did think that things would be slightly better here after the break. We would call the cows and bulls just steady with a slightly lower tone when it comes to demand. We would note that this could also take another leg higher at any time. We will see.

Again as it is branding time, don't forget the proper vaccinations As well as proper handling of the vaccines being administered. This has become ever so important to most all buyers in this high market. Also if you are in the situation to use the value added programs with EID tags feel free to call or email Beth and she will get you set up to audit your ranch with third party verification.

If you are in need of any fill in pairs, this next Wednesday we will have a good consignment of local fall pairs all running back with the bulls from one ranch. Also a decent consignment of young corriente bred cows for those that may want to raise some ropers.

As always if you have any questions or concerns please don't hesitate to call.

See you at Ringside, Randy

Looking Ahead:

Wednesday, January 15th

Good Sale, Good run on all classes plus special consignment of running age Fall pairs, good Fall calves running back with bulls, partial dispersal due to weather. Also 25 young Corriente bred cows

Wednesday, January 22nd
 Regular Sale

Wednesday, January 29th
 Good Sale

Wednesday, February 5th
 Regular Sale

Wednesday, February 12th
 Regular Sale

*Your Complete Marketing
 Service!*

Basic Vac (At branding)

Inforce 3

One Shot BVD

Ultrabac 8

Show this card where you purchase your vaccines to make sure you get the right ones!

Premium Vac (3 to 6 weeks prior to marketing)

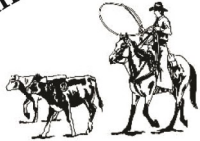
First shot with Basic Vac protocol plus second shot with: Bovi-Shield Gold One Shot

Ultrabac 7 Somubac



Current Live Auction Schedule
Cows/Bulls start at 9:30 AM
Bred Cows/ Pairs/ Stockers and Feeders at 11:00 AM or directly after cows and bulls.
Please plan accordingly when you drop off your livestock. Any questions please do not hesitate to ask. As always we will continue to receive cattle any days before Wednesday.

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**Visalia Livestock Market Value Added Program Card
 (Send This Card or Copy With Calves When Sold)**

Please select one program: _____ Basic Vac* _____ Premium Vac** (followed VLM protocol)

Date Vaccinated	No Head	Product	Route of Admin. Location of shot

Please circle if applicable NO Implants NO Antibiotics Age & Source Bangs Vac.

Comments _____

Name _____ Phone _____

Date Weaned _____ Type of Feed _____

I agree that by signing this affidavit that all shots listed above have been administered properly and that I have followed all guidelines set by Visalia Livestock Market and their vaccination program.

Signature _____ Date _____