

Atlantic Stockyards Limited – Feeder Sale Results – April 11th, 2015

All time record average price driven by high buyer demand for quality, vaccinated calves. **Next feeder sale Saturday May 2nd, 2015.**

Top Single > 500lbs – 1 vaccinated red steer weighing 565lbs @ \$2.85, owned by Owen McCarron, bought by B&M Stockers. 2nd top single – 1 vacc Char steer weighing 605lbs @ \$2.80, owned by Donald Beals, bought by B&M Stockers.

Top Group >500lbs – vaccinated 17 red steers ave weight 537lbs @ \$3.22, owned by Dean and Catherine Manning, bought by John Houley and Son. 2nd top group vacc 14 red steers ave weight 600lbs @ \$3.195 owned by East St Farm, bought by B&M Stockers.

Sale Summary

573 head 642 lb average 246 cents per lb average Gross Return \$1578/hd

318 steers (\$259 @ 665lbs), 211 heifers (\$234 @ 626lbs), 44 bulls (\$194 @ 558lbs)

117 unvaccinated cattle sold for 225 cents per lb at 592lbs for a gross return of \$1333

456 vaccinated cattle sold for 250 cents per lb at 655lbs for a gross return of \$1641 (\$308 premium over unvacc)

		Good Steers			Good Heifers			
Weight (lbs)	#	Ave Price	Ave Wt	Range	#	Ave Price	Ave Wt	Range
<400	7	331	359	323-340	2	323	380	305-340
400-500	5	290	443	252-318	19	270	458	245-325
500-600	44	304	549	260-322	50	241	559	220-275
600-700	108	282	636	225-320	72	243	631	223-260
700-800	76	257	748	232-276	34	234	729	220-250
800-900	22	227	821	216-247	8	213	816	200-217
>900	6	173	993	165-207	3	185	963	170-194

Plain Heifers (23 head) – average 185 cents/lb at 654lbs, range 102-212

Plain Steers (50 head) – average 207 cents/lb at 660lbs, range 100-250

Sample Groups

22 LM x steers, vac, 605lb ave at \$3.05/lb

9 Black heifers, vac, 508lb ave at \$2.75/lb

10 red heifers, vac, 603lb ave at \$2.60/lb

6 Char steers, vac, 900lb ave at \$2.10/lb

10 Char heifers, vac, 714lb ave at \$2.30/lb

Sale Comparison – April 2014, 486 head, 152 cents/lb at 621lbs

Cattle Destination	NS	NB	PEI	Que	Ont
	102	75	115	139	142