Jordan Cattle Auction Thursday, December 6, 2012

MASON & SAN SABA – Receipts totaled 5457 head for the week. The market was active and demand good. The market had a softer tone on the light weight calves due to the continued dry conditions causing the wheat field grazing to deteriorate and sending those light calves to grow yards or feed yards where the cost of gain is much higher than the wheat fields. The stocker steers were selling \$4.00 lower and the heifers were \$5.00 lower. The bigger feeder steers and heifers were steady to \$1.00 higher. Packer cows and bulls sold steady to \$3.00 lower after last week's \$3.00 increase. Bred cows, pairs and young bulls were in strong demand on a good offering of over 500 bred cows and 50 bulls.

Steers: choice lightweight calves 160.00-205.00; choice medium weight calves 135.00-173.00; choice heavyweight calves 130.00-147.00

Heifers: choice lightweight calves 150.00-197.50; choice medium weight calves 125.00-168.00; choice heavyweight calves 120.00-130.00

Yearlings: choice lightweight steer yearlings 125.00-131.00; choice heavyweight steer yearlings 120.00-126.00; choice lightweight heifer yearlings 115.00-124.00; choice heavyweight heifer yearlings 110.00-121.00; #2 steer calves and yearlings 120.00-150.00; #2 heifer calves and yearlings 110.00-135.00; shorties and plainer calves and yearlings 110.00-125.00

Bred Cows: choice bred cows 1300.00-2675.00; medium to good bred cows 1090.00-1290.00; plainer and older bred cows 900.00-1080.00

Slaughter Cows: high yield 77.00-84.00; medium yield 71.00-76.00; low yield 65.00-70.00; heiferetts and young stockers 85.00-115.00

Bulls: high yield 88.00-90.00; medium yield 85.00-89.00; low yield 82.00-84.00; feeder 80.00-88.00

Pairs: Choice 1410.00-2300.00; medium to good 1260.00-1400.00; plainer and older 1050.00-1250.00

Representative sales: Diamond D Ranch, Austin, 1 steer, 330 lbs 196.00 Rocking M Ranch, San Saba, 1 steer, 415 lbs 173.00 Fall Creek Ranch, Austin, 15 steers, 390 lbs 166.00 Rocking D Ranch, Goldthwaite, 1 steer, 445 lbs 164.00 Ernest Ligon, Llano, 4 steers, 449 lbs 152.00 Paul Heard, Beeville, 5 steers, 534 lbs 147.00 Buel Clark, Menard, 6 steers, 481 lbs 146.00 Hemphill Ranch Co, Coleman, 3 steers, 588 lbs 143.00 Earl and Perry Patrick, Rochelle, 7 steers, 605 lbs 141.50 Diamond K Ranch Company, Brady, 9 steers, 591 lbs 139.50 Ronald T Ellis, Brownwood, 1 steer, 615 lbs 136.00 Pecan Creek's 4 Oaks Ranch, Llano, 3 steers, 692 lbs 131.00 Osborne Linguist, Goldthwaite, 1 steer, 705 lbs 131.00 Diamond K Ranch Company, Brady, 10 steers, 786 lbs 129.00 J W Jennings, Menard, 6 steers, 676 lbs 128.00 Hemphill Ranch Company, Coleman, 5 steers, 721 lbs 127.00 Lasswell Ranch, Fredericksburg, 9 steers, 750 lbs 126.50 Vernon V Fritze, Jr, San Angelo, 5 steers, 786 lbs 126.00 Pat Pool, San Saba, 7 steers, 745 lbs 125.00 B & S Cattle Company, Llano, 1 steer, 880 lbs 125.00 Lehrer Ranch, Cherokee, 1 steer, 885 lbs 125.00 A & E Cattle Company, Mullin, 1 heifer, 440 lbs 164.00 Ernest Ligon, Llano, 4 heifers, 411 lbs 154.00 Cody and Josh Bauman, Comanche, 1 heifer, 420 lbs 150.00 Rocking D Ranch, Goldthwaite, 5 heifers, 404 lbs 143.00

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