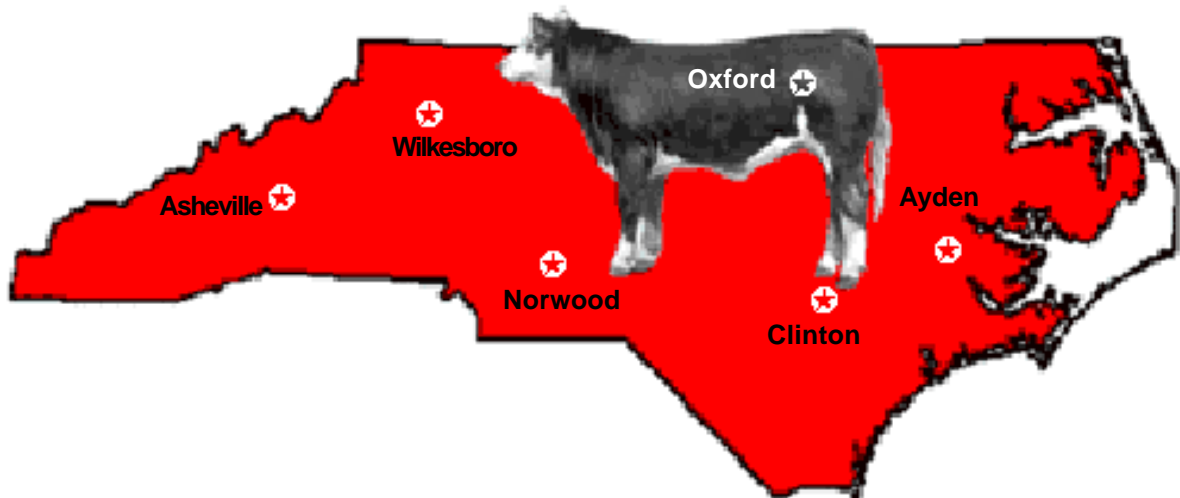




# 2000 North Carolina Spring Stocker Cattle Sale Summaries



Feeder cattle production is an important beef enterprise in North Carolina. Graded sales continue to be viable alternatives for marketing these cattle and increasing profits for producers who choose to participate. These sales were initiated in North Carolina in 1952 and have operated each year since that time.

All cattle sold through these sales are graded by trained personnel from the Marketing Division of the North Carolina Department of Agriculture. Cattle are commingled in uniform lots of grade, sex, and breed, and penned with similar cattle in 100 pound increments. Steers sold through these sales must be properly castrated and healed, and all horned cattle must be dehorned and healed. Feeder calves must be vaccinated for Blackleg and Malignant Edema.

The following USDA Feeder Cattle Grade standards are used:

- L-1            -Large frame cattle with average or better thickness
- M-1            -Medium frame cattle with average or better thickness
- S-1            -Small frame cattle with average or better thickness
- LMS-2        -Variable in frame size with less than average thickness.

Weights at which animals of various grades are expected to produce a Choice carcass are as follows:

Frame Size	Heifers	Steers
L	1000 and up	1200 and up
M	850 - 1000	1000-1200
S	< 850	< 1000

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## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** County Livestock Agents & Others

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**RE:** 2000 Spring Stocker Sale Summaries

This report contains the summaries of 6 stocker cattle sales held in the Spring of 2000. Graded sale price averages were the highest this spring for any year since 1991, but higher prices overall enticed many producers to sell early, thus reducing graded sale numbers. A total of 3,563 head were sold.

The following table contains total numbers and average weights of cattle, by sex, sold through North Carolina Spring Stocker Sales since 1994.

Year	# Steers	Wt (lb.)	Price (\$/cwt.)	# Heifers	Wt (lb.)	Price (\$/ct.)
2000	1,917	608	93.47	1,671	571	87.16
1999	2,888	602	75.64	2,775	569	67.60
1998	2,464	605	81.98	2,114	560	72.39
1997	2,551	597	78.07	1,983	545	66.47
1996	4,693	605	52.43	3,852	565	41.18
1995	3,938	625	68.60	2,292	558	60.31
1994	3,245	610	86.43	1,918	553	77.50

The summaries are now available on line in pdf format at  
[http://www.cals.ncsu.edu/an\\_sci/extension/animal/market/Ahmarket.html](http://www.cals.ncsu.edu/an_sci/extension/animal/market/Ahmarket.html).

## FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION FOR GRADED SALES

### SALE LOCATION

Location	Frequency	Percent
Asheville	859	24.05
Ayden	500	13.95
Clinton	478	12.99
Norwood	653	18.30
Oxford	376	10.47
Wilkesboro	722	20.24

### Sex

Sex	Frequency	Percent
HEIFER	1671	46.90
STEER	1917	53.10

### Grade

Grade	Frequency	Percent
L-1	282	7.91
M-1	1997	56.05
S-1	231	6.48
LMS-2	1053	29.55

### WEIGHT CLASS

Weight	Frequency	Percent
400-499	718	20.15
500-599	1005	28.21
600-699	862	24.19
700-799	482	13.53
800 UP	263	7.38
T0 400	233	6.54

Breed

Breed	Frequency	Percent
BLACKS	1765	49.54
B&W FACE	562	15.77
HEREFORD	47	1.32
EXOTIC CROSS	1097	30.79
OTHER BREED	29	0.81
BRAHMAN CROSS	23	0.65
HOLSTEIN	16	0.45
STRAIGHT CONTINENTAL	24	0.67

FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION FOR GRADED SALES

Sex	Grade	Frequency	Percent
HEIFER	L-1	109	3.06
HEIFER	M-1	905	25.40
HEIFER	S-1	122	3.42
HEIFER	LMS-2	535	15.02
STEER	L-1	173	4.86
STEER	M-1	1092	30.65
STEER	S-1	109	3.06
STEER	LMS-2	518	14.54

Sex	Breed	Frequency	Percent
HEIFER	BLACKS	850	23.86
HEIFER	B&W FACE	268	7.52
HEIFER	HEREFORD	23	0.65
HEIFER	EXOTIC CROSS	500	14.03
HEIFER	OTHER BREED	9	0.25
HEIFER	BRAHMAN CROSS	10	0.28
HEIFER	HOLSTEIN	0	0.00
HEIFER	STRAIGHT CONTINENTAL	11	0.31
STEER	BLACKS	915	25.68
STEER	B&W FACE	294	8.25
STEER	HEREFORD	24	0.67
STEER	EXOTIC CROSS	597	16.76
STEER	OTHER BREED	20	0.56
STEER	BRAHMAN CROSS	13	0.36
STEER	HOLSTEIN	16	0.45
STEER	STRAIGHT CONTINENTAL	13	0.36

NORTH CAROLINA GRADED STOCKER SALES

SUMMARY OF 6 SALES

2000

WEIGHT CLASS	STEERS				HEIFERS			
	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE PRICE		NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE PRICE	
			\$/CWT	\$/HEAD			\$/CWT	\$/HEAD
L-1 GRADE								
TO 400	1	385	116.00	446.60	0			
400-499	4	472	106.38	501.56	2	469	94.50	443.21
500-599	24	560	100.41	562.23	12	558	87.71	489.78
600-699	47	650	88.47	574.96	44	652	80.75	526.86
700-799	39	750	79.99	599.56	26	753	74.41	560.30
800 UP	58	897	70.38	631.46	25	868	66.36	576.30
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>737</b>	<b>82.72</b>	<b>609.78</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>712</b>	<b>76.96</b>	<b>548.12</b>
M-1 GRADE								
TO 400	50	366	117.92	431.87	47	359	101.40	364.54
400-499	156	458	108.67	498.22	162	460	97.44	448.15
500-599	303	553	101.40	561.10	267	554	89.12	493.27
600-699	271	647	90.16	583.69	252	644	83.32	536.83
700-799	220	749	80.99	606.70	134	747	76.04	567.97
800 UP	117	867	73.86	640.16	43	863	68.88	594.59
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>1117</b>	<b>626</b>	<b>93.52</b>	<b>585.38</b>	<b>905</b>	<b>595</b>	<b>86.73</b>	<b>516.34</b>
S-1 GRADE								
TO 400	22	362	103.45	374.18	20	362	90.15	326.39
400-499	34	455	100.38	456.36	41	449	87.06	390.50
500-599	34	549	91.65	503.28	34	546	79.63	435.05
600-699	18	650	82.00	532.73	18	644	75.72	487.57
700-799	0				7	763	71.14	542.72
800 UP	1	815	73.50	599.03	2	838	66.50	556.94
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>95.00</b>	<b>475.80</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>82.57</b>	<b>425.13</b>
LMS-2 GRADE								
TO 400	54	353	111.65	393.95	64	368	100.34	369.05
400-499	136	450	105.19	473.37	183	453	96.39	437.09
500-599	148	550	99.63	547.80	183	545	89.06	485.53
600-699	125	648	86.89	562.68	87	636	80.62	512.76
700-799	43	737	75.98	559.79	13	736	76.54	562.97
800 UP	12	839	70.27	589.75	5	878	66.00	579.61
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>96.63</b>	<b>530.38</b>	<b>535</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>91.02</b>	<b>468.86</b>
<b>ALL SALES</b>	<b>1917</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>93.47</b>	<b>568.33</b>	<b>1671</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>87.16</b>	<b>498.05</b>

NORTH CAROLINA GRADED STOCKER SALES

SUMMARY OF 6 SALES

2000

WEIGHT CLASS	STEERS				HEIFERS			
	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE PRICE \$/CWT	AVERAGE PRICE \$/HEAD	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE PRICE \$/CWT	AVERAGE PRICE \$/HEAD
L-1 BLACKS								
TO 400	0				0			
400-499	0				0			
500-599	3	557	103.67	577.77	3	558	87.50	488.25
600-699	8	652	90.31	588.84	7	644	81.14	522.79
700-799	9	743	82.08	610.06	6	742	75.00	556.50
800 UP	16	935	69.36	648.21	5	905	64.30	581.66
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>793</b>	<b>80.06</b>	<b>634.44</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>722</b>	<b>76.29</b>	<b>550.67</b>
M-1 BLACKS								
TO 400	25	370	119.92	444.04	30	356	102.47	364.92
400-499	84	460	110.24	506.74	70	456	98.26	448.00
500-599	153	553	102.96	569.18	134	554	89.50	496.02
600-699	154	648	90.80	588.20	138	641	84.00	538.74
700-799	135	748	81.61	610.45	88	746	76.53	570.58
800 UP	61	860	75.42	648.63	28	867	68.87	597.24
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>612</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>94.14</b>	<b>593.21</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>605</b>	<b>86.48</b>	<b>523.22</b>
S-1 BLACKS								
TO 400	13	358	106.69	382.20	14	359	92.07	330.54
400-499	17	463	101.71	471.20	23	451	87.91	396.83
500-599	18	547	93.25	510.28	20	546	79.68	435.18
600-699	11	652	84.00	547.83	9	634	75.78	480.43
700-799	0				6	768	71.00	545.52
800 UP	0				2	838	66.50	556.94
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>96.92</b>	<b>485.56</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>83.05</b>	<b>430.08</b>
LMS-2 BLACKS								
TO 400	26	345	117.54	405.69	32	374	100.45	375.69
400-499	60	457	110.76	505.72	97	454	97.24	441.57
500-599	65	553	100.71	557.02	93	545	89.82	489.31
600-699	59	650	87.87	571.03	42	637	81.01	515.97
700-799	17	742	77.15	572.75	3	743	77.83	578.56
800 UP	6	824	73.29	604.17	0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>99.50</b>	<b>547.58</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>508</b>	<b>92.27</b>	<b>468.81</b>
<b>BREED AVG</b>	<b>940</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>95.10</b>	<b>578.68</b>	<b>850</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>87.75</b>	<b>500.05</b>
<b>ALL SALES</b>	<b>1917</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>93.47</b>	<b>568.33</b>	<b>1671</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>87.16</b>	<b>498.05</b>

NORTH CAROLINA GRADED STOCKER SALES

SUMMARY OF 6 SALES

2000

WEIGHT CLASS	STEERS				HEIFERS			
	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD
L-1 B&W FACE								
TO 400	0				0			
400-499	0				0			
500-599	3	565	102.00	576.30	0			
600-699	5	657	93.25	613.03	2	653	82.00	535.05
700-799	3	758	81.67	619.31	0			
800 UP	8	864	73.63	636.21	1	885	64.00	566.40
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>746</b>	<b>84.54</b>	<b>630.49</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>730</b>	<b>76.00</b>	<b>554.80</b>
M-1 B&W FACE								
TO 400	17	357	118.76	424.13	10	360	103.30	371.88
400-499	30	458	112.83	516.63	28	462	98.23	453.94
500-599	46	554	102.98	570.45	53	555	90.07	499.83
600-699	49	648	91.21	591.39	36	643	83.39	536.03
700-799	31	752	81.52	613.24	12	746	76.35	569.22
800 UP	9	840	75.64	635.70	5	864	68.70	593.71
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>593</b>	<b>97.90</b>	<b>580.65</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>572</b>	<b>89.02</b>	<b>509.14</b>
S-1 B&W FACE								
TO 400	2	360	106.50	383.40	5	377	86.00	324.22
400-499	8	437	99.00	432.63	10	432	87.90	379.55
500-599	7	544	91.79	499.45	5	538	81.40	437.61
600-699	2	655	80.50	527.28	5	637	77.20	491.61
700-799	0				0			
800 UP	1	815	73.50	599.03	0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>508</b>	<b>94.10</b>	<b>477.56</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>483</b>	<b>84.08</b>	<b>406.11</b>
LMS-2 B&W FACE								
TO 400	4	380	114.00	433.49	7	364	102.07	371.83
400-499	21	440	111.36	489.60	33	454	96.37	437.23
500-599	24	551	100.75	554.71	37	543	90.27	489.87
600-699	16	655	88.25	577.60	15	627	82.03	514.24
700-799	4	713	78.63	560.20	4	718	78.63	564.33
800 UP	4	856	68.50	586.53	0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>98.81</b>	<b>551.09</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>91.46</b>	<b>475.14</b>
<b>BREED AVG</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>588</b>	<b>97.01</b>	<b>570.74</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>547</b>	<b>89.29</b>	<b>488.07</b>
<b>ALL SALES</b>	<b>1917</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>93.47</b>	<b>568.33</b>	<b>1671</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>87.16</b>	<b>498.05</b>

NORTH CAROLINA GRADED STOCKER SALES

SUMMARY OF 6 SALES

2000

WEIGHT CLASS	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	STEERS AVERAGE PRICE		NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	HEIFERS AVERAGE PRICE	
			\$/CWT	\$/HEAD			\$/CWT	\$/HEAD
M-1 HEREFORD								
TO 400	2	348	97.50	338.81	1	385	81.00	311.85
400-499	2	448	88.00	394.24	1	460	92.00	423.20
500-599	2	533	93.00	495.23	5	555	83.20	461.76
600-699	1	625	86.00	537.50	4	650	78.25	508.63
700-799	1	735	82.00	602.70	1	750	73.00	547.50
800 UP	1	935	65.00	607.75	0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>87.78</b>	<b>482.88</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>581</b>	<b>81.25</b>	<b>471.93</b>
S-1 HEREFORD								
TO 400	3	382	84.00	320.60	0			
400-499	0				1	465	80.00	372.00
500-599	1	590	84.00	495.60	1	510	85.00	433.50
600-699	1	600	74.00	444.00	0			
700-799	0				0			
800 UP	0				0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>467</b>	<b>82.00</b>	<b>382.94</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>82.50</b>	<b>402.19</b>
LMS-2 HEREFORD								
TO 400	3	362	94.67	342.69	0			
400-499	2	425	90.00	382.50	2	473	92.50	437.06
500-599	2	550	90.00	495.00	5	533	83.00	442.22
600-699	3	620	81.83	507.37	2	650	72.00	468.00
700-799	0				0			
800 UP	0				0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>88.95</b>	<b>435.50</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>545</b>	<b>82.67</b>	<b>450.90</b>
<b>BREED AVG</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>508</b>	<b>87.06</b>	<b>441.91</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>559</b>	<b>81.91</b>	<b>457.79</b>
<b>ALL SALES</b>	<b>1917</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>93.47</b>	<b>568.33</b>	<b>1671</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>87.16</b>	<b>498.05</b>

NORTH CAROLINA GRADED STOCKER SALES

SUMMARY OF 6 SALES

2000

WEIGHT CLASS	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	STEERS		NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	HEIFERS	
			AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD			AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD
L-1 EXOTIC CROSS								
TO 400	1	385	116.00	446.60	0			
400-499	3	474	107.50	509.19	2	469	94.50	443.21
500-599	18	560	99.60	557.30	7	561	88.14	494.10
600-699	31	648	88.31	572.28	31	650	81.06	527.10
700-799	26	751	79.53	597.20	20	756	74.24	561.42
800 UP	33	890	70.34	625.78	18	860	66.69	573.50
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>722</b>	<b>83.55</b>	<b>603.14</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>713</b>	<b>76.98</b>	<b>548.93</b>
M-1 EXOTIC CROSS								
TO 400	6	382	114.00	434.91	5	373	96.60	360.70
400-499	36	456	103.75	473.50	61	463	96.70	447.95
500-599	97	554	99.12	549.31	73	551	88.25	486.57
600-699	65	647	88.15	569.91	73	650	82.23	534.62
700-799	53	750	79.10	593.38	30	754	74.79	563.58
800 UP	44	878	71.72	629.75	10	852	69.00	587.60
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>301</b>	<b>641</b>	<b>90.07</b>	<b>577.21</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>86.35</b>	<b>510.42</b>
S-1 EXOTIC CROSS								
TO 400	2	375	112.00	420.00	1	330	84.00	277.20
400-499	8	456	98.63	449.36	7	461	84.07	387.33
500-599	8	553	88.88	491.26	8	557	77.75	432.78
600-699	4	653	79.25	517.11	4	675	73.75	497.81
700-799	0				1	730	72.00	525.60
800 UP	0				0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>92.77</b>	<b>481.87</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>545</b>	<b>79.12</b>	<b>430.94</b>
LMS-2 EXOTIC CROSS								
TO 400	15	356	110.53	394.01	23	363	99.78	362.12
400-499	36	453	102.99	466.58	48	451	95.42	430.13
500-599	51	548	100.07	548.83	42	549	87.93	483.02
600-699	43	643	86.66	557.36	26	641	79.77	511.29
700-799	16	740	74.75	553.01	5	748	77.40	579.11
800 UP	1	820	72.00	590.40	5	878	66.00	579.61
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>555</b>	<b>95.45</b>	<b>529.94</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>523</b>	<b>89.66</b>	<b>468.47</b>
<b>BREED AVG</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>628</b>	<b>90.41</b>	<b>568.06</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>588</b>	<b>85.57</b>	<b>502.93</b>
<b>ALL SALES</b>	<b>1917</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>93.47</b>	<b>568.33</b>	<b>1671</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>87.16</b>	<b>498.05</b>

NORTH CAROLINA GRADED STOCKER SALES

SUMMARY OF 6 SALES

2000

WEIGHT CLASS	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	STEERS		NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	HEIFERS	
			AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD			AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD
L-1 OTHER BREED								
TO 400	0				0			
400-499	0				0			
500-599	0				0			
600-699	1	605	80.00	484.00	1	660	83.00	547.80
700-799	1	745	68.00	506.60	0			
800 UP	1	815	62.00	505.30	1	825	73.00	602.25
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>722</b>	<b>70.00</b>	<b>505.17</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>743</b>	<b>78.00</b>	<b>579.15</b>
M-1 OTHER BREED								
TO 400	0				1	360	95.00	342.00
400-499	1	480	95.00	456.00	0			
500-599	2	555	84.50	468.98	0			
600-699	1	655	89.00	582.95	0			
700-799	0				1	720	78.50	565.20
800 UP	1	1010	64.25	648.93	0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>651</b>	<b>83.45</b>	<b>543.26</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>86.75</b>	<b>468.45</b>
S-1 OTHER BREED								
TO 400	1	320	96.00	307.20	0			
400-499	0				0			
500-599	0				0			
600-699	0				0			
700-799	0				0			
800 UP	0				0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>96.00</b>	<b>307.20</b>				
LMS-2 OTHER BREED								
TO 400	4	349	100.00	349.00	0			
400-499	3	437	88.33	385.72	1	495	89.00	440.55
500-599	1	535	84.00	449.40	2	518	86.00	445.48
600-699	2	675	70.00	472.50	1	610	85.00	518.50
700-799	1	730	73.50	536.55	1	720	60.00	432.00
800 UP	0				0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>87.50</b>	<b>423.26</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>572</b>	<b>81.20</b>	<b>464.63</b>
<b>BREED AVG</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>553</b>	<b>84.29</b>	<b>466.15</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>603</b>	<b>81.72</b>	<b>492.69</b>
<b>ALL SALES</b>	<b>1917</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>93.47</b>	<b>568.33</b>	<b>1671</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>87.16</b>	<b>498.05</b>

NORTH CAROLINA GRADED STOCKER SALES

SUMMARY OF 6 SALES

2000

WEIGHT CLASS	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	STEERS AVERAGE PRICE		NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	HEIFERS AVERAGE PRICE	
			\$/CWT	\$/HEAD			\$/CWT	\$/HEAD
L-1 BRAHMAN CROSS								
TO 400	0				0			
400-499	0				0			
500-599	0				1	540	88.00	475.20
600-699	0				0			
700-799	0				0			
800 UP	0				0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>					<b>1</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>88.00</b>	<b>475.20</b>
M-1 BRAHMAN CROSS								
TO 400	0				0			
400-499	2	443	97.00	429.71	2	470	82.50	387.75
500-599	2	555	84.50	468.98	1	520	85.00	442.00
600-699	1	610	76.00	463.60	0			
700-799	0				1	760	70.00	532.00
800 UP	1	805	75.00	603.75	0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>569</b>	<b>85.67</b>	<b>487.02</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>555</b>	<b>80.00</b>	<b>444.00</b>
S-1 BRAHMAN CROSS								
TO 400	1	365	104.00	379.60	0			
400-499	1	440	103.00	453.20	0			
500-599	0				0			
600-699	0				0			
700-799	0				0			
800 UP	0				0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>103.50</b>	<b>416.59</b>				
LMS-2 BRAHMAN CROSS								
TO 400	0				2	338	98.75	333.28
400-499	2	435	95.00	413.25	1	485	78.00	378.30
500-599	3	522	87.00	454.14	2	565	84.50	477.43
600-699	0				0			
700-799	0				0			
800 UP	0				0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>487</b>	<b>90.20</b>	<b>439.45</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>88.90</b>	<b>407.16</b>
<b>BREED AVG</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>512</b>	<b>90.15</b>	<b>461.31</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>505</b>	<b>85.25</b>	<b>430.51</b>
<b>ALL SALES</b>	<b>1917</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>93.47</b>	<b>568.33</b>	<b>1671</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>87.16</b>	<b>498.05</b>

NORTH CAROLINA GRADED STOCKER SALES

SUMMARY OF 6 SALES

2000

WEIGHT CLASS	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	STEERS		NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	HEIFERS	
			AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD			AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD
				LMS-2	HOLSTEIN			
TO 400	1	355	85.00	301.75	0			
400-499	10	433	80.00	346.40	0			
500-599	2	518	76.50	396.27	0			
600-699	1	625	74.50	465.63	0			
700-799	1	745	70.00	521.50	0			
800 UP	1	880	57.50	506.00	0			
TOT&AVG	16	498	77.50	386.10				
BREED AVG	16	498	77.50	386.10				
ALL SALES	1917	608	93.47	568.33	1671	571	87.16	498.05

NORTH CAROLINA GRADED STOCKER SALES

SUMMARY OF 6 SALES

2000

WEIGHT CLASS	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	STEERS AVERAGE PRICE		NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	HEIFERS AVERAGE PRICE	
			\$/CWT	\$/HEAD			\$/CWT	\$/HEAD
L-1 STRAIGHT CONTINENTAL								
TO 400	0				0			
400-499	1	465	103.00	478.95	0			
500-599	0				1	563	85.00	478.55
600-699	2	673	76.00	511.48	3	692	75.00	519.00
700-799	0				0			
800 UP	0				0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>604</b>	<b>85.00</b>	<b>513.12</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>77.50</b>	<b>511.31</b>
M-1 STRAIGHT CONTINENTAL								
TO 400	0				0			
400-499	1	483	107.00	516.81	0			
500-599	1	565	95.00	536.75	1	563	85.00	478.55
600-699	0				1	660	86.00	567.60
700-799	0				1	705	72.50	511.13
800 UP	0				0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>524</b>	<b>101.00</b>	<b>529.24</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>643</b>	<b>81.17</b>	<b>521.63</b>
LMS-2 STRAIGHT CONTINENTAL								
TO 400	1	375	90.00	337.50	0			
400-499	2	453	89.50	404.99	1	400	95.00	380.00
500-599	0				2	560	78.00	436.80
600-699	1	640	79.00	505.60	1	605	78.00	471.90
700-799	4	725	75.38	546.28	0			
800 UP	0				0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>602</b>	<b>81.19</b>	<b>489.05</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>531</b>	<b>82.25</b>	<b>436.95</b>
<b>BREED AVG</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>85.12</b>	<b>502.70</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>80.23</b>	<b>488.07</b>
<b>ALL SALES</b>	<b>1917</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>93.47</b>	<b>568.33</b>	<b>1671</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>87.16</b>	<b>498.05</b>

NORTH CAROLINA GRADED STOCKER SALES

AYDEN

MARCH 21, 2000

WEIGHT CLASS	STEERS				HEIFERS			
	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD
M-1 GRADE								
TO 400	5	375	128.00	480.00	3	350	106.00	371.00
400-499	19	450	110.58	497.95	25	459	97.48	447.86
500-599	42	555	94.18	522.27	43	549	88.91	488.26
600-699	39	646	84.09	542.96	50	643	84.83	545.12
700-799	45	753	78.33	589.64	32	753	75.14	566.16
800 UP	29	867	70.71	613.27	17	865	70.46	609.32
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>659</b>	<b>86.88</b>	<b>572.39</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>84.83</b>	<b>534.42</b>
S-1 GRADE								
TO 400	2	373	93.00	346.43	3	385	81.00	311.85
400-499	6	434	88.83	385.83	4	457	84.00	383.46
500-599	3	532	84.00	446.88	2	520	77.00	400.40
600-699	1	675	75.50	509.63	0			
700-799	0				0			
800 UP	0				0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>87.21</b>	<b>408.57</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>447</b>	<b>81.44</b>	<b>363.88</b>
LMS-2 GRADE								
TO 400	8	363	123.00	446.18	9	369	102.11	376.79
400-499	17	439	104.82	460.55	33	445	96.61	430.22
500-599	17	535	99.74	533.29	25	533	89.56	477.03
600-699	11	640	83.09	531.93	6	617	82.67	510.33
700-799	1	740	71.00	525.40	2	743	68.00	504.90
800 UP	1	860	66.50	571.90	0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>100.24</b>	<b>512.17</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>487</b>	<b>93.04</b>	<b>453.07</b>
<b>SALE AVG</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>616</b>	<b>89.88</b>	<b>554.11</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>581</b>	<b>87.14</b>	<b>506.48</b>
<b>ALL SALES</b>	<b>1917</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>93.47</b>	<b>568.33</b>	<b>1671</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>87.16</b>	<b>498.05</b>

NORTH CAROLINA GRADED STOCKER SALES

NORWOOD

MARCH 23, 2000

WEIGHT CLASS	STEERS				HEIFERS			
	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD
L-1 GRADE								
TO 400	0				0			
400-499	1	465	103.00	478.95	1	465	95.00	441.75
500-599	2	565	97.00	548.05	4	564	88.75	500.55
600-699	5	636	86.20	548.40	10	659	84.50	556.86
700-799	8	759	76.44	580.16	3	733	77.67	569.56
800 UP	12	875	63.67	557.30	5	862	69.20	596.64
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>763</b>	<b>75.13</b>	<b>572.88</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>688</b>	<b>81.48</b>	<b>560.50</b>
M-1 GRADE								
TO 400	5	376	122.40	460.47	12	366	104.42	381.90
400-499	18	462	107.33	495.40	41	463	100.40	464.54
500-599	52	548	103.65	568.02	69	554	92.07	510.17
600-699	57	642	92.54	593.73	67	639	85.30	544.70
700-799	33	739	81.07	599.02	20	740	79.38	587.45
800 UP	15	857	70.90	607.42	2	848	74.00	627.15
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>625</b>	<b>94.15</b>	<b>588.41</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>573</b>	<b>90.87</b>	<b>520.54</b>
S-1 GRADE								
TO 400	1	320	121.00	387.20	1	380	93.00	353.40
400-499	0				5	447	92.50	413.66
500-599	5	546	95.20	519.60	5	543	87.40	474.41
600-699	3	668	81.50	544.69	3	658	76.00	500.33
700-799	0				0			
800 UP	1	815	73.50	599.03	0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>587</b>	<b>91.50</b>	<b>537.01</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>522</b>	<b>87.18</b>	<b>454.89</b>
LMS-2 GRADE								
TO 400	6	384	103.00	395.01	11	355	103.14	366.13
400-499	16	449	103.56	464.93	45	456	100.99	460.31
500-599	23	555	103.48	574.12	34	535	94.43	505.01
600-699	18	660	86.33	570.18	16	633	85.00	537.63
700-799	10	721	74.45	536.41	3	730	76.33	557.23
800 UP	1	800	73.75	590.00	4	894	66.25	592.28
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>569</b>	<b>94.96</b>	<b>540.75</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>95.08</b>	<b>492.09</b>
<b>SALE AVG</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>623</b>	<b>92.44</b>	<b>575.71</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>561</b>	<b>91.44</b>	<b>512.91</b>
<b>ALL SALES</b>	<b>1917</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>93.47</b>	<b>568.33</b>	<b>1671</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>87.16</b>	<b>498.05</b>

NORTH CAROLINA GRADED STOCKER SALES

CLINTON

MARCH 28, 2000

WEIGHT CLASS	STEERS				HEIFERS			
	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD
M-1 GRADE								
TO 400	19	368	116.53	428.63	18	366	99.28	363.08
400-499	37	447	105.70	472.89	39	451	97.04	437.65
500-599	46	544	101.64	552.44	38	553	89.05	492.60
600-699	28	650	89.89	584.62	25	635	84.79	538.52
700-799	35	751	81.94	615.31	30	750	75.70	567.65
800 UP	29	877	76.50	671.14	1	945	64.00	604.80
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>611</b>	<b>94.86</b>	<b>579.36</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>88.81</b>	<b>497.05</b>
S-1 GRADE								
TO 400	2	340	87.50	297.50	1	340	84.00	285.60
400-499	3	462	93.00	429.66	3	473	90.00	425.70
500-599	0				2	538	76.00	408.88
600-699	2	613	85.50	524.12	0			
700-799	0				6	758	72.00	545.40
800 UP	0				0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>89.29</b>	<b>419.90</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>615</b>	<b>78.17</b>	<b>480.73</b>
LMS-2 GRADE								
TO 400	18	339	111.83	379.43	7	366	100.00	366.00
400-499	13	454	102.31	464.08	17	440	96.24	423.77
500-599	14	550	96.50	530.96	20	557	89.13	496.60
600-699	8	644	87.50	563.50	12	638	80.00	510.40
700-799	5	771	72.00	555.12	0			
800 UP	0				0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>495</b>	<b>99.21</b>	<b>491.14</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>90.69</b>	<b>467.17</b>
<b>SALE AVG</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>581</b>	<b>95.69</b>	<b>555.96</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>551</b>	<b>88.71</b>	<b>489.06</b>
<b>ALL SALES</b>	<b>1917</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>93.47</b>	<b>568.33</b>	<b>1671</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>87.16</b>	<b>498.05</b>

NORTH CAROLINA GRADED STOCKER SALES

OXFORD

MARCH 29, 2000

WEIGHT CLASS	STEERS				HEIFERS			
	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD
M-1 GRADE								
TO 400	17	352	117.24	412.46	6	330	101.00	333.30
400-499	13	448	113.23	507.27	6	441	97.00	427.93
500-599	15	543	99.53	540.27	13	551	88.27	486.23
600-699	36	656	92.39	605.76	34	662	82.91	548.58
700-799	28	750	82.39	618.01	21	736	77.57	570.74
800 UP	14	877	75.43	661.72	4	840	68.00	571.20
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>625</b>	<b>94.69</b>	<b>591.51</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>632</b>	<b>83.99</b>	<b>530.91</b>
S-1 GRADE								
TO 400	3	347	104.00	360.88	7	356	92.57	329.95
400-499	0				2	468	82.50	386.10
500-599	4	544	89.50	486.88	7	541	82.50	446.44
600-699	3	663	87.50	580.13	1	655	72.00	471.60
700-799	0				1	795	66.00	524.70
800 UP	0				1	835	68.50	571.98
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>93.25</b>	<b>485.46</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>84.05</b>	<b>420.44</b>
LMS-2 GRADE								
TO 400	3	340	103.33	351.68	12	356	100.42	356.98
400-499	20	438	113.90	499.22	22	450	97.00	436.68
500-599	7	554	97.00	537.66	31	543	88.50	480.41
600-699	19	637	87.79	559.31	15	622	80.10	498.12
700-799	6	739	79.50	587.77	2	708	78.50	555.78
800 UP	3	873	63.67	556.02	0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>566</b>	<b>96.60</b>	<b>546.78</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>509</b>	<b>90.74</b>	<b>461.93</b>
<b>SALE AVG</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>601</b>	<b>95.20</b>	<b>572.52</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>564</b>	<b>86.99</b>	<b>490.64</b>
<b>ALL SALES</b>	<b>1917</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>93.47</b>	<b>568.33</b>	<b>1671</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>87.16</b>	<b>498.05</b>

NORTH CAROLINA GRADED STOCKER SALES

ASHEVILLE

APRIL 10, 2000

WEIGHT CLASS	STEERS				HEIFERS			
	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD
L-1 GRADE								
TO 400	0				0			
400-499	1	467	102.50	478.68	1	473	94.00	444.62
500-599	14	555	98.70	547.77	8	556	87.19	484.44
600-699	28	649	87.37	566.79	28	649	79.46	515.84
700-799	22	746	79.76	595.20	13	751	74.25	557.67
800 UP	31	905	71.94	650.83	15	880	65.37	575.44
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>738</b>	<b>82.45</b>	<b>608.63</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>709</b>	<b>76.34</b>	<b>541.01</b>
M-1 GRADE								
TO 400	3	397	107.00	424.79	6	376	99.00	372.57
400-499	26	469	107.77	505.48	24	468	94.50	442.46
500-599	79	558	100.38	560.03	50	555	87.40	485.28
600-699	66	646	89.28	577.03	44	643	80.00	514.64
700-799	61	751	80.84	607.26	17	749	73.90	553.53
800 UP	16	859	76.14	654.29	13	869	67.50	586.32
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>636</b>	<b>92.01</b>	<b>585.39</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>83.67</b>	<b>508.50</b>
S-1 GRADE								
TO 400	5	356	98.80	351.93	3	332	90.00	298.80
400-499	3	438	97.00	425.18	4	414	86.25	357.08
500-599	7	554	90.50	501.63	4	535	74.00	395.72
600-699	5	643	80.00	514.24	4	632	71.00	448.37
700-799	0				0			
800 UP	0				0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>510</b>	<b>90.93</b>	<b>463.26</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>79.67</b>	<b>388.61</b>
LMS-2 GRADE								
TO 400	5	348	95.20	331.49	10	388	95.80	371.51
400-499	34	457	93.81	428.46	22	467	89.59	418.27
500-599	56	552	96.71	533.59	34	548	86.55	474.45
600-699	55	647	86.60	560.65	19	652	78.24	510.06
700-799	14	731	78.32	572.36	5	751	79.00	593.45
800 UP	4	830	74.00	614.39	0			
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>579</b>	<b>90.69</b>	<b>525.42</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>544</b>	<b>86.15</b>	<b>468.35</b>
<b>SALE AVG</b>	<b>535</b>	<b>632</b>	<b>89.84</b>	<b>567.72</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>605</b>	<b>82.70</b>	<b>500.05</b>
<b>ALL SALES</b>	<b>1917</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>93.47</b>	<b>568.33</b>	<b>1671</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>87.16</b>	<b>498.05</b>

NORTH CAROLINA GRADED STOCKER SALES

WILKESBORO

APRIL 12, 2000

WEIGHT CLASS	STEERS				HEIFERS			
	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD	NO. HEAD	AVG WT (LBS)	AVERAGE \$/CWT	PRICE \$/HEAD
L-1 GRADE								
TO 400	1	385	116.00	446.60	0			
400-499	2	477	110.00	524.70	0			
500-599	8	567	104.25	591.49	0			
600-699	14	657	91.50	601.16	6	657	80.50	528.89
700-799	9	749	83.69	627.15	10	761	73.65	560.70
800 UP	15	899	72.52	652.21	5	839	66.50	557.94
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>721</b>	<b>87.59</b>	<b>631.22</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>73.90</b>	<b>554.29</b>
M-1 GRADE								
TO 400	1	395	116.00	458.20	2	318	104.00	330.72
400-499	43	467	110.09	514.31	27	466	96.17	448.14
500-599	69	560	105.49	591.16	54	555	87.35	485.21
600-699	45	649	92.08	597.93	32	649	80.64	523.53
700-799	18	746	84.00	626.92	14	750	74.32	557.52
800 UP	14	852	73.89	629.88	6	854	67.08	573.12
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>599</b>	<b>99.05</b>	<b>592.92</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>590</b>	<b>85.52</b>	<b>504.34</b>
S-1 GRADE								
TO 400	9	377	109.78	413.50	5	375	93.00	348.75
400-499	22	461	105.00	484.43	23	449	86.57	388.30
500-599	15	553	93.10	514.53	14	558	77.93	435.18
600-699	4	646	80.63	521.04	10	643	77.90	501.21
700-799	0				0			
800 UP	0				1	840	64.50	541.80
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>100.34</b>	<b>489.96</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>82.84</b>	<b>426.45</b>
LMS-2 GRADE								
TO 400	14	356	116.29	413.81	15	374	100.33	375.11
400-499	36	454	113.03	513.65	44	457	94.68	432.85
500-599	31	550	104.02	571.79	39	555	86.67	481.20
600-699	14	653	90.21	589.49	19	639	79.47	507.71
700-799	7	745	74.00	551.30	1	715	78.00	557.70
800 UP	3	823	72.00	592.80	1	815	65.00	529.75
<b>TOT&amp;AVG</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>103.99</b>	<b>546.83</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>89.95</b>	<b>461.43</b>
<b>SALE AVG</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>580</b>	<b>99.10</b>	<b>575.20</b>	<b>328</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>85.95</b>	<b>481.36</b>
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