



IN VIRGINIA, feeder cattle mostly steady to 12.00 higher. Slaughter cows mostly 1.00 to 4.00 lower. Slaughter bulls mostly 1.00 to 2.00 higher. Wheat mostly .04 higher, new crop .06 higher. Corn mostly .02 higher, new crop mostly .02 higher. Soybeans mostly .05 to .19 higher, new crop .06 higher. Barley steady. Milo .02 higher, new crop .02 higher.

IN THE NATION, feeder cattle fully steady to 5.00 higher. Slaughter cattle live basis mostly 3.00 lower at 110.00 to 111.50; dressed basis 3.00 lower at mostly 175.00. Slaughter cows steady to 4.00 lower. Slaughter bulls mostly 1.00 to 2.00 lower. Slaughter lambs steady to 5.00 higher. Feeder lambs steady in a light test. Hogs carcass basis 9.53 lower. Wheat steady to .32 higher. Corn uneven, .08 lower to .03 higher. Soybeans uneven, .04 lower to .10 higher. Cotton .0281 lower per pound in the Southeast.

Northern Virginia Livestock Summary

including Rockingham, Staunton and Winchester for August 6-10

Feeder Cattle 1005 head (Steers 458; Holstein Steers 11; Heifers 305; Bulls 231)

Feeder Steers Medium and Large 1

300- 400	130.00-167.00
400- 500	142.00-169.00
500- 600	145.00-161.00
600- 700	143.00-160.00
700- 800	120.00-148.00
800- 900	105.00-138.75
900-1000	114.00-137.00

Feeder Steers Medium and Large 2

300- 400	108.00-143.00
400- 500	117.50-153.00
500- 600	110.00-148.00
600- 700	110.00-147.00
700- 800	125.00-131.00
800- 900	96.00-119.00

Feeder Steers Medium and Large 3

400- 500	122.00-133.00
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Feeder Steers Small 1

400- 500	117.00-120.00
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Feeder Holstein Steers Large 2-3

500- 600	55.00-62.50
800- 900	78.00

Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 1

300- 400	124.00-143.00
400- 500	125.00-142.00
500- 600	126.00-143.00
600- 700	123.00-135.50
700- 800	109.00-119.00

Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 2

300- 400	105.00-138.00
400- 500	108.00-127.00
500- 600	115.00-132.00
600- 700	113.00-125.00

Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 3

400- 500	100.00-115.00
500- 600	110.00-115.00
600- 700	113.00-117.00

Feeder Heifers Small 1

300- 400	113.00-115.00
400- 500	109.00-120.00
500- 600	100.00-108.00
600- 700	110.00

Feeder Bulls Medium and Large 1

300- 400	140.00-166.00
400- 500	137.00-170.00
500- 600	131.00-143.00
600- 700	120.00-133.00
700- 800	94.00-115.00
800- 900	93.00-108.00

Feeder Bulls Medium and Large 2

300- 400	121.00-136.00
400- 500	124.00-143.00
500- 600	114.00-131.00
600- 700	103.00-118.00

Feeder Bulls Small 1

400- 500	120.00
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Slaughter Cattle 221 head
(Cows 205; Bulls 16)

Slaughter Cows Breaker 75-80% Lean

850-1200	45.00-60.00
1200-1600	44.50-67.00

Slaughter Cows Breaker High Yielding

1200-1600	54.00-56.00
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Slaughter Cows Boner 80-85% Lean

800-1200	35.00-58.00
1200-2000	37.50-55.00

Slaughter Cows Boner High Yielding

1200-2000	47.00-49.50
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Slaughter Cows Lean 85-90% Lean

750- 850	30.00-37.00
850-1200	32.00-51.00

Slaughter Bulls YG 1-2

1000-1500	63.00-77.00
1500-2500	66.50-77.00

Cows Returned To Farm 31 head

Medium and Large 1, 2-4 years old
1045-1140 59.00-64.00

**Medium and Large 1-2,
3-8 months bred, 3-7 years old**
650-1150 515.00-900.00 per head

Calves Returned To Farm 56 head

Holstein Bulls

70- 100 35.00-60.00 per head
100- 130 75.00-86.00

Slaughter Lambs 59 head

Spring, Woolled Choice and Prime
80- 110 155.00-175.00
110- 125 177.50-250.00

Slaughter Rams and Ewes 11 head

Slaughter Ewes

Choice 2-4 92.50-105.00
Good 2-4 85.00-88.00

Goats 124 head

Kids Selection No 1-2

40- 60 260.00-320.00
60- 80 255.00-320.00

Slaughter Bucks Selection No 1-2
70- 110 215.00-260.00

Slaughter Does Selection No 1-2
50- 70 255.00
70- 100 172.00-260.00

Soybean Forecast Up; Corn, Cotton, Winter Wheat Down

Corn production is forecast at 14.6 billion bushels, down less than 1 percent from last year. Based on conditions as of August 1, yields are expected to average 178.4 bushels per acre, up 1.8 bushels from 2017. If realized, this will be the highest yield on record for the United States. Area harvested for grain is forecast at 81.8 million acres, unchanged from the June forecast, but down 1 percent from 2017.

Soybean production is forecast at 4.59 billion bushels, up 4 percent from last year.

Based on conditions as of August 1, yields are expected to average 51.6 bushels per acre, up 2.5 bushels from last year. Area for harvest in the United States is forecast at 88.9 million acres, unchanged from the June forecast.

All Cotton production is forecast at 19.2 million 480-pound bales, down 8 percent from last year. Yield is expected to average 911 pounds per harvested acre, up 6 pounds from last year. Harvested area for all cotton is expected to total 10.1 million acres, down 9 percent from 2017.

All wheat production, at 1.88 billion bushels, is down less than 1 percent from the July forecast but up 8 percent from 2017. Based on August 1 conditions, the United States yield is forecast at 47.4 bushels per acre, down 0.1 bushel from last month, but up 1.1 bushel from last year. The area expected to be harvested for grain or seed totals 39.6 million acres, down slightly from last month, but up 5 percent from last year.

Livestock prices per hundredweight unless otherwise stated

Southwest Virginia Livestock Summary

including Tri-State and Wythe County for August 6-10

Feeder Cattle 978 head

(Steers 362; Holstein Steers 23; Heifers 360; Bulls 233)

Feeder Steers Medium and Large 1

200- 300	148.00-157.00
300- 400	142.00-157.00
400- 500	142.00-155.00
500- 600	136.00-165.00
600- 700	137.00-157.00
700- 800	130.00-149.00
800- 900	139.00-152.00
900-1000	139.00
1000-1100	100.00

Feeder Steers Medium and Large 2

300- 400	148.00-154.00
400- 500	141.00-148.00
500- 600	100.00-158.00
600- 700	130.00-154.00
700- 800	139.00-153.50
800- 900	120.00-146.50

Feeder Holstein Steers Large 2-3

500- 600	73.00
600- 700	78.00-82.00
700- 800	75.00
800- 900	72.00

Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 1

200- 300	120.00-126.00
300- 400	126.00-128.00
400- 500	120.00-147.00
500- 600	127.00-143.50
600- 700	117.00-138.50
700- 800	113.00-124.00
800- 900	111.50-127.50

Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 2

200- 300	110.00-130.00
300- 400	128.00-131.00
400- 500	128.00-136.00
500- 600	125.00-144.00
600- 700	109.00-129.00
700- 800	94.00-113.00
800- 900	65.50

Feeder Bulls Medium and Large 1

200- 300	131.00-151.00
300- 400	139.00-150.00
400- 500	128.00-150.00
500- 600	123.00-153.00
600- 700	119.00-139.00
700- 800	100.00-122.00
800- 900	80.00-90.00
900-1000	86.00

Feeder Bulls Medium and Large 2

300- 400	128.00-141.00
400- 500	127.00-140.00
500- 600	130.00-148.00
600- 700	109.00-147.00
700- 800	102.00-110.00

Slaughter Cattle 357 head (Cows 280; Bulls 77)**Slaughter Cows Breaker 75-80% Lean**

850-1200	45.00-57.00
1200-1600	50.00-59.00

Slaughter Cows Breaker High Yielding

1200-1600	59.00-62.00
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Slaughter Cows Boner 80-85% Lean

800-1200	40.00-50.00
1200-2000	44.00-54.00

Slaughter Cows Boner High Yielding

1200-2000	53.00-55.00
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Slaughter Cows Lean 85-90% Lean

750- 850	35.00-48.00
850-1200	39.00-52.00

Slaughter Bulls YG 1-2

1000-1500	75.00-83.00
1500-2500	72.00-88.00

Slaughter Bulls High Yielding

1000-1500	85.00-90.00
1500-2500	90.00-95.00

Cows Returned To Farm 36 head**Medium and Large 1, 2-12 years old**

750-1500	350.00-1000.00 per head
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Cows With Calves At Side 3 pair

Medium and Large 1, 3-12 years old with calves 250-300 lbs	
800-900	690.00-1200.00 per pair

Calves Returned To Farm 5 head**Holstein Bulls**

70- 100	80.00 per head
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Central Virginia Livestock Summary

including Blackstone and Lynchburg for August 6-10

Slaughter Cattle 182 head (Cows 164; Bulls 18)**Slaughter Cows Breaker 75-80% Lean**

850-1200	50.50
1200-1600	47.50-53.50

Slaughter Cows Boner 80-85% Lean

800-1200	40.00-58.00
1200-2000	42.00-57.00

Slaughter Cows Boner High Yielding

1200-2000	49.00-63.00
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Slaughter Cows Lean 85-90% Lean

750- 850	34.00-54.50
850-1200	30.00-55.00

Slaughter Bulls YG 1-2

1000-1500	71.00-78.00
1500-2500	75.00-85.00

Slaughter Bulls High Yielding

1000-1500	80.00-83.00
1500-2500	89.00-93.50

Cows Returned To Farm 16 head**Medium and Large 1, 2-8 years old**

810-1190	57.00-119.00
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Slaughter Lambs 42 head**Spring, Woolled Choice and Prime**

60- 80	200.00-205.00
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Spring, Woolled Good and Choice 1-3

60- 90	175.00-190.00
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Slaughter Rams and Ewes 10 head**Slaughter Ewes**

Good 2-4	77.50-90.00
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Goats 15 head**Kids Selection No 1-2**

60- 80	200.00-205.00 per head
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Slaughter Does Selection No 1-2

70- 100	110.00-120.00 per head
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Slaughter Hogs 11 head**Barrows and Gilts US 1-3**

270- 300	34.00-38.00
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Sows US 1-3

500+	28.00-30.00
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Virginia State Graded Feeder Cattle Summary including
 Blackstone, Culpeper, Dublin, Front Royal, Hollins, Lynchburg,
 Narrows, Radiant, Radiant CVCA, Shenandoah and Springlake
 for August 2-8

Feeder Cattle 6515 (Steers 3421; Heifers 2538; Bulls 556)
 Last Week 3041 Last Year 3342

Feeder Steers Medium and Large 1				
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
10	300-400	369	160.00-169.00	166.79
74	400-500	461	110.00-167.50	156.32
		mostly	148.00-159.50	
370	500-600	565	110.00-186.00	163.11
		mostly	159.00-186.00	
847	600-700	664	125.00-170.00	159.33
		mostly	157.00-168.00	
729	700-800	748	115.00-162.00	155.90
		mostly	150.00-162.00	
621	800-900	836	125.00-159.00	151.25
		mostly	147.75-159.00	
71	900-1000	922	117.00-142.50	138.54
		mostly	142.50	
Feeder Steers Small 1				
1	300-400	380	129.00	129.00
19	400-500	454	102.00-143.00	130.07
13	500-600	542	118.00-139.50	123.31
6	600-700	653	111.50-120.00	116.98
1	700-800	710	126.00	126.00
Feeder Steers Medium and Large 1-2				
3	200-300	258	160.00	160.00
8	400-500	461	165.50	165.50
18	500-600	550	133.00-156.00	144.12
48	600-700	647	144.00-164.50	154.84
		mostly	150.00-164.50	
60	700-800	745	144.00-159.50	153.57
11	800-900	800	155.00	155.00
16	900-1000	973	140.00	140.00
Feeder Steers Medium and Large 2				
15	300-400	359	100.00-168.00	158.13
92	400-500	458	111.00-167.00	153.53
		mostly	150.50-159.25	
179	500-600	551	102.00-166.00	149.58
		mostly	140.00-153.00	
99	600-700	655	65.00-159.00	142.67
		mostly	141.25-159.00	
28	700-800	746	109.00-146.00	131.86
4	800-900	888	121.00-148.00	135.87
1	900-1000	910	118.00	118.00
Feeder Steers Small 2				
1	200-300	250	99.00	99.00
1	400-500	480	93.00	93.00
1	700-800	775	79.00	79.00
Feeder Steers Medium and Large 2-3				
8	600-700	623	139.50	139.50
Feeder Steers Medium and Large 3				
6	300-400	380	125.00-167.00	141.26
15	400-500	459	65.00-143.50	133.26
24	500-600	549	125.00-139.50	134.79
13	600-700	659	120.00-126.00	122.14
2	700-800	738	110.00-115.00	112.42
Feeder Bulls Medium and Large 1				
2	200-300	275	145.00-153.00	149.29
30	300-400	361	142.50-178.50	167.87
103	400-500	464	122.50-165.00	150.23
		mostly	142.00-159.00	
74	500-600	554	115.00-147.00	137.56
		mostly	126.00-144.00	
33	600-700	642	110.00-136.50	128.20
6	700-800	719	103.00-112.00	110.10
4	800-900	837	93.00-97.00	95.51
Feeder Bulls Small 1				
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
1	300-400	370	120.00	120.00
10	400-500	459	119.50-128.00	121.67
3	500-600	586	119.00	119.00
1	600-700	625	103.00	103.00

Feeder Bulls Medium and Large 1-2				
2	400-500	430	114.00	114.00
9	500-600	581	125.00-144.00	139.90
8	700-800	738	116.00	116.00
Feeder Bulls Medium and Large 2				
47	300-400	354	125.00-170.50	159.23
		mostly	158.00-170.50	
116	400-500	445	91.00-158.00	148.62
		mostly	140.00-156.00	
44	500-600	552	121.00-143.00	135.63
		mostly	129.00-143.00	
32	600-700	645	83.00-142.00	121.77
9	700-800	744	76.00-109.00	92.46
1	800-900	815	87.00	87.00
Feeder Bulls Small 2				
1	200-300	270	105.00	105.00
Feeder Bulls Medium and Large 2-3				
3	300-400	375	129.00	129.00
Feeder Bulls Medium and Large 3				
3	300-400	353	120.00-169.00	143.36
7	400-500	488	94.00-117.00	105.62
1	600-700	615	87.00	87.00
4	700-800	708	86.00	86.00
1	800-900	860	82.00	82.00
Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 1				
1	200-300	295	130.00	130.00
36	300-400	352	135.00-149.00	144.03
125	400-500	454	105.00-147.75	141.54
		mostly	136.00-147.75	
449	500-600	554	91.00-160.00	143.48
		mostly	140.00-160.00	
799	600-700	654	110.00-150.50	140.93
		mostly	137.00-150.50	
306	700-800	738	91.00-148.00	135.87
		mostly	134.00-148.00	
14	800-900	847	100.00-123.00	117.89
7	900-1000	935	91.00-125.00	104.34
1	1000-1100	1020	90.00	90.00
Feeder Heifers Small 1				
5	300-400	356	116.00-141.00	131.68
14	400-500	461	98.50-119.00	115.52
19	500-600	567	98.50-120.50	115.12
5	600-700	625	102.00-109.00	107.59
1	700-800	705	93.00	93.00
Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 1-2				
8	400-500	469	133.00	133.00
43	500-600	543	131.00-147.75	139.90
41	600-700	645	152.00	152.00
7	700-800	713	121.00	121.00
8	800-900	887	115.00	115.00
Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 2				
4	200-300	284	136.00-146.00	142.85
57	300-400	366	100.00-144.50	136.70
		mostly	134.00-144.50	
144	400-500	454	110.00-148.50	139.67
		mostly	137.00-148.50	
191	500-600	545	101.00-143.00	133.00
		mostly	130.00-139.00	
91	600-700	643	111.00-137.00	125.44
		mostly	135.00-137.00	
22	700-800	736	81.00-133.00	114.25
1	800-900	880	115.00	115.00
Feeder Heifers Small 2				
1	200-300	285	89.00	89.00
Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 2-3				
8	500-600	503	129.50	129.50
Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 3				
23	300-400	371	115.00-137.50	131.18
47	400-500	461	71.00-132.50	125.40
		mostly	120.00-132.50	
43	500-600	544	72.00-134.50	126.10
		mostly	120.00-134.50	
11	600-700	635	85.00-115.00	103.56
2	700-800	740	81.00-85.00	82.95

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No. 2 Red Winter Wheat

	August 9	August 2	
Eastern Shore	5.25		No trend
new crop	5.54-5.59		.06 higher
Middle Peninsula	5.30		.21 lower
new crop	5.84		.06 higher
Norfolk	5.20		.04 higher
new crop	5.89		.06 higher
Petersburg	---		---
new crop	---		---
Roanoke	5.65		.04 higher
new crop	---		---
Wakefield	---		---
new crop	5.39-5.84		.06 higher

No. 2 Yellow Corn

Eastern Shore	3.99		.02 higher
new crop	3.93		.02 higher
Harrisonburg	4.00-4.25		Steady-.10 higher
new crop	4.48-4.53		.02 higher
Hopewell	4.09		.02 higher
new crop	4.13		.02 higher
Middle Peninsula	---		---
new crop	3.73		.02 higher
Norfolk	3.94		.02 higher
new crop	3.78-3.98		.02 higher
Petersburg	4.18		.02 higher
new crop	4.03		.02 higher
Wakefield	3.77-4.18		.01-.02 higher
new crop	3.59-4.23		No trend

No. 1 Soybeans

Eastern Shore	8.44-8.59		.07-.12 higher
new crop	8.49-8.64		.06 higher
Harrisonburg	7.50-8.25		Steady-.05 higher
Middle Peninsula	---		---
new crop	8.59		.06 higher
Norfolk	8.89		.06 higher
new crop	8.74-8.95		.06 higher
Petersburg	8.78		.06 higher
new crop	8.69		.06 higher
Wakefield	8.39-9.14		.06-.19 higher
new crop	8.45-8.89		.06 higher

No. 2 Barley

Eastern Shore	---		---
Harrisonburg	3.00		Steady

No. 2 Milo

Eastern Shore	---		---
new crop	3.23-3.33		.02 higher
Petersburg	3.98		.02 higher
new crop	3.83		.02 higher
Wakefield	3.97		.02 higher
new crop	4.02		.02 higher

Cotton	Aug 10	41/34	31/35	Settlement Price
Southeast	85.36		87.61	Oct 18 85.86
North/South Delta	84.36		86.11	Dec 18 85.23
National Direct Hogs	Aug 10			
Barrows and Gilts (Carcass Basis)	43.00-46.00, weighted average 45.05.			
(Live Basis)	31.75-44.00, weighted average 36.49.			

Virginia State Graded Tel-O-Auction for August 6

Feeder Cattle 1707 (Steers 1221; Heifers 486)

All cattle are from the Buckingham Cattlemens Association located in Buckingham County. Cattle are Virginia Quality Assured tag program, weaned and home raised. Heifers are guaranteed open

Feeder Steers Medium and Large 1

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
303	600-700	650	161.50-167.00	165.12
273	700-800	725	161.00-165.00	163.12
243	800-900	813	148.00-156.50	152.51

Feeder Steers Medium and Large 1-2

184	500-600	539	174.50-178.00	176.24
80	600-700	620	167.50	167.50
138	700-800	720	161.50-163.00	162.25

Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 1

222	600-700	668	139.00-144.00	140.99
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Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 1-2

264	500-600	564	146.50-149.50	147.66
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