

Special Weaner & Store Sale – 19 March 2021

Total Yarding: 1,649

There were 1,300 weaners offered at the first of three special weaner/store sales to be held at SELX. The quality was good with weight a feature. Weaners up to 260kg were in short supply. There were also a few PTIC heifers and cows penned and a mixed run of cow and calf units. A large gallery of buyers attended and prices were strong.

Weaner steers under 200kg sold from \$1,240 to \$1,520/head. Medium weights 200kg to 280kg ranged from \$1,420 to \$1,700/head averaging from 590c to 660c/kg lwt. Heavy weights reached \$1,960/head or an average of 520c to 550c/kg lwt. Medium weight weaner heifers sold from \$1,300 to \$1,690/head, 545c to 585c/kg lwt on average. Heavy weights reached \$1,760/head with most making 500c to 540c/kg lwt.

PTIC heifers ranged from \$1,780 to \$2,375/head and PTIC cows reached \$2,320/head. Cow and calf units started at \$2,100 and topped at \$3,500, with most selling between \$2,800 and \$3,100/unit.

Market Report: MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service.

Category	Qty		\$ / Hd
Heifers (Grown)	76	Top	\$2,375
		Aver	\$2,025
Steers (Weaner)	1005	Top	\$1,940
		Aver	\$1,636
Heifers (Weaner)	448	Top	\$1,760
		Aver	\$1,429
Cows	21	Top	\$2,320
		Aver	\$2,145
Cows & Calves	99	Top	\$3,500
		Aver	\$2,884