

Special Weaner & Store Sale – 16 April 2021

Total Yarding: 3,436

Just under 4,000 good quality weaners were penned and there was more weight throughout the sale with most ranged from 270kg to 330kg. There was a large buying group that were competitive through the sale and kept most of the cattle under 300kg at similar values while the heavier runs were up to \$100/head softer.

Light weaner steers under 200kg \$1,210 to \$1,260/head. Medium weights 200kg to 280kg sold from \$1,400 to \$1,760/head with most averaging around 645c/kg lwt. Heavy weaners 280kg and heavier, \$1,510 to a top of \$1,890/head. Light weaner heifers sold from \$1,090 to \$1,270 and the medium weights \$1,300 to \$1,610/head with the medium weights 540c to 620c/kg for the lighter weights around 220 to 240kg. Heavy heifers ranged from \$1,500 to \$1,820/head. Yearling steers just over 12 months of age reached \$1,980/head.

PTIC heifers were limited and reached \$2,400 and the cows topped at \$2,350/head. Cow and calf units reached \$3,150/unit for an Angus cow with a Euro cross calf at foot.

Market Report: MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service.

| Category | Qty | | \$ / Hd |
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| Heifers (Grown) | 11 | Top | \$2,400 |
| | | Aver | \$2,368 |
| Steers (Weaner) | 2371 | Top | \$2,255 |
| | | Aver | \$1,750 |
| Heifers (Weaner) | 1008 | Top | \$1,820 |
| | | Aver | \$1,546 |
| Cows / Cows & Calves | 46 | Top | \$3,150 |
| | | Aver | \$2,152 |