

Prime Cattle – 21 July 2022

Total Yarding: 565

There was an increase in numbers but the quality was condition of most of the cattle was plainer. There were plenty of weaners and a good number of heavy feeder steers while heavy trade and gown cattle were in short supply. Only 50 cows were offered in a much cheaper market that reflexed the quality and cheaper trends in the market place.

Weaner steers back to the paddock sold from 380c to 500c/kg and the heifers 345c to 405c/kg. Restockers purchased most of the light and medium weight yearling steers and sold from 380c to 472c/kg. Heavy feeder steers eased 6c and averaged 470c/kg and heifers to feed 330c to 376c/kg. Heavy trade steers and heifers ranged from 360c to 370c/kg.

Grown heifers to process sold from 284c to 320c and 2 and 4 tooth heifers to feed on reached 370c/kg. Cows were 17c cheaper on the heavy weights and sold from 266c to 290c and medium weight 2 scores 230c to 272c/kg.

Market Report: MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service.

Cat.	Wgt.	Qty	T/A	c/kg	\$/ph
Steers	0 - 200	19	Top	550.0	\$955
			Ave	475.9	\$827
Steers	201 - 300	76	Top	500.0	\$1355
			Ave	432.3	\$1077
Steers	301 - 400	92	Top	500.0	\$1936
			Ave	453.8	\$1560
Steers	401 - 500	45	Top	505.0	\$2202
			Ave	423.7	\$1851
Steers	501 +	20	Top	455.0	\$2511
			Ave	421.3	\$2302
Heifers	0 - 200	25	Top	450.0	\$819
			Ave	430.4	\$742
Heifers	201 - 300	68	Top	450.2	\$1198
			Ave	394.1	\$1017
Heifers	301 - 400	48	Top	400.0	\$1466
			Ave	359.8	\$1264
Heifers	401 - 500	52	Top	420.0	\$1813
			Ave	330.5	\$1424
Heifers	501 +	21	Top	370.0	\$2595
			Ave	326.9	\$2004
Cows	250 - 400	0	Top	N/A	N/A
			Ave	N/A	N/A
Cows	401 - 600	19	Top	272.0	\$1418
			Ave	241.4	\$1219
Cows	601 +	32	Top	290.0	\$2268

			Ave	277.0	\$1817
Bulls	0 - 350	8	Top	375.0	\$1055
			Ave	374.3	\$1013
Bulls	351 - 500	8	Top	360.0	\$1595
			Ave	335.4	\$1365
Bulls	501 - 750	0	Top	N/A	N/A
			Ave	N/A	N/A
Bulls	751 +	6	Top	300.0	\$2943
			Ave	276.4	\$2552