

Prime Cattle – 18 August 2022

Total Yarding: 204

Numbers improved and the quality was good. Weaners made up the bulk and there were only limited numbers of yearlings. Grown cattle were very limited and around 20 cows were penned along with a few open auction cow/calf units. The market sold to a dearer trend.

Weaners lifted 40c to 50c/kg with the return of a feeder order and a slightly bigger restocking gallery. Steers sold from 555c to 590c and heifers 530c to 570c/kg for the medium weights. Feeder yearling steers were 6c stronger selling from 509c to 540c. Heifers jumped nearly 100c, mostly quality driven and the medium and heavy weights ranged between 490c and 536c/kg.

Grown steers to feed on reached 491c and cows were up to 50c dearer with the bulk of the cows 3 and 4 score heavy weights and sold from 320c to 350c/kg. Open auction cow and calf units sold to \$2870/unit.

Market Report: MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service.

Cat.	Wgt.	Qty	T/A	c/kg	\$/ph
Steers	0 - 200	0	Top	N/A	N/A
			Ave	N/A	N/A
Steers	201 - 300	14	Top	585.2	\$1746
			Ave	546.9	\$1527
Steers	301 - 400	32	Top	540.0	\$2133
			Ave	509.5	\$1849
Steers	401 - 500	4	Top	450.0	\$2055
			Ave	433.6	\$1940
Steers	501 +	1	Top	400.0	\$2380
			Ave	N/A	N/A
Bullocks	750+	1	Top	240.0	\$2076
			Ave	N/A	N/A
Heifers	0 - 200	0	Top	N/A	N/A
			Ave	N/A	N/A
Heifers	201 - 300	4	Top	385.0	\$1049
			Ave	341.0	\$963
Heifers	301 - 400	21	Top	440.0	\$1590
			Ave	367.8	\$1398
Heifers	401 - 500	10	Top	410.0	\$1860
			Ave	350.5	\$1537
Heifers	501 +	5	Top	400.0	\$2047
			Ave	373.8	\$1921
Cows	250 - 400	0	Top	N/A	N/A
			Ave	N/A	N/A
Cows	401 - 600	6	Top	300.0	\$1760
			Ave	267.0	\$1482

Cows	601 +	10	Top	315.0	\$2410
			Ave	298.9	\$1989
Bulls	0 - 350	0	Top	N/A	N/A
			Ave	N/A	N/A
Bulls	351 - 500	2	Top	300.0	\$1110
			Ave	273.3	\$1086
Bulls	501 - 750	2	Top	270.0	\$1904
			Ave	234.6	\$1672
Bulls	751 +	0	Top	N/A	N/A
			Ave	N/A	N/A