

Prime Cattle – 20 April 2023

Total Yarding: 1108

Numbers lifted and the quality remains good. The main rise in numbers was in the cow run with around 375 offered. There were good numbers of heavy trade cattle and grown steers and heifers. Medium and light feeders were limited. Restockers were strong on the plainer cows and grown heifers.

Weaner steers sold from 320c to 368c and heifers reached 370c/kg. Medium weight feeder steers sold to 385c and heavy feeders slipped 5c with most 342c to 417c/kg. Heavy feeder heifers gained 2c selling between 322c and 380c/kg. Heavy trade cattle were firm to 5c better ranging from 340c to 375c/kg.

Heavy grown heifers gained 5c selling from 300c to 348c and the grown steers and heifers lifted 6c to 11c to ranged from 318c to 375c/kg. Medium weight cows were 7c to 8c dearer 222c to 276c and there was a big rise of 20c on the heavy 3 score cows with restockers active on heavier weights, the prime 4 score cows were 4c to 6c dearer reaching 296c/kg.

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	28	Top	386.2	\$1072
			Ave	319.6	\$800
Steers	301 - 400	78	Top	400.0	\$1580
			Ave	357.3	\$1237
Steers	401 - 500	153	Top	417.2	\$1945
			Ave	366.2	\$1669
Steers	501 +	56	Top	380.0	\$2905
			Ave	351.6	\$2027
Heifers	0 - 200	4	Top	350.0	\$613
			Ave	305.2	\$534
Heifers	201 - 300	57	Top	370.0	\$1066
			Ave	335.5	\$842
Heifers	301 - 400	83	Top	370.0	\$1351
			Ave	309.7	\$1069
Heifers	401 - 500	140	Top	361.0	\$1716
			Ave	321.2	\$1426
Heifers	501 +	24	Top	350.0	\$2265
			Ave	322.3	\$1797
Cows	401 - 600	309	Top	348.2	\$1950
			Ave	252.8	\$1312
Cows	601 +	100	Top	320.0	\$2296
			Ave	282.7	\$1865
Bulls	0 - 350	3	Top	300.0	\$698
			Ave	234.8	\$626
Bulls	351 - 500	2	Top	200.0	\$990
			Ave	200.0	\$975
Bulls	501 - 750	5	Top	260.0	\$1755
			Ave	226.6	\$1393
Bulls	751 +	15	Top	280.0	\$2792
			Ave	236.5	\$2081

