

## Prime Cattle – 22 June 2023

**Total Yarding: 522**

Numbers lifted and the quality varied. There were several good drafts of feeder steers and a few pens of very good trade cattle, the secondary cattle were plainer. There was an extra southern restocker operating on light grown heifers and cows. The market sold to a firm to dearer trend on the better cattle while an ordinary run of secondary cattle were cheaper.

Light weaner steers sold to 338c and heifers sold from 233c to 260c/kg. Feeder steers lifted 35c on a much better breed and consistence run and sold to 368c and heifers lifted 14c selling from 228c to 300c/kg. The few trade cattle were firm selling from 250c to 300c/kg.

A plainer line up of grown steers reached 275c and the best of the heavy grown heifers reached 280c/kg. Most of the 2 score cows lifted 30c with the aid of the restocking orders and sold from 130c to 190c/kg while the heavy 3 and 4 score cows to process were firm to 5c stronger ranging from 168c to 210c/kg.

**Market Report:** MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service.

Cat.	Wgt.	Qty	T/A	c/kg	\$/ph
Steers	0 - 200	8	Top	338.2	\$602
			Ave	N/A	N/A
Steers	201 - 300	26	Top	338.2	\$865
			Ave	300.6	\$753
Steers	301 - 400	44	Top	368.0	\$1443
			Ave	276.0	\$1026
Steers	401 - 500	47	Top	364.2	\$1743
			Ave	320.1	\$1465
Steers	501 +	25	Top	280.2	\$1599
			Ave	232.8	\$1283
Heifers	0 - 200	14	Top	277.2	\$549
			Ave	241.3	\$433
Heifers	201 - 300	34	Top	281.2	\$751
			Ave	227.7	\$591
Heifers	301 - 400	61	Top	265.2	\$969
			Ave	194.2	\$698
Heifers	401 - 500	55	Top	300.0	\$1285
			Ave	254.1	\$1088
Heifers	501 +	22	Top	258.0	\$1560
			Ave	214.5	\$1156
Cows	401 - 600	58	Top	197.2	\$1070
			Ave	172.1	\$872
Cows	601 +	64	Top	210.0	\$1596
			Ave	181.4	\$1228
Bulls	0 - 350	17	Top	261.2	\$616
			Ave	192.1	\$471
Bulls	351 - 500	7	Top	180.0	\$630
			Ave	98.8	\$421
Bulls	501 - 750	6	Top	80.0	\$424
			Ave	47.0	\$239
Bulls	751 +	4	Top	220.0	\$2398
			Ave	200.4	\$1967