



South Eastern Livestock Exchange

## SELX Market Report Prime Cattle - 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2018

**Total Yarding:** 488

Numbers decreased, with the continuing seasonal conditions. Young light cattle were best supplied and ideal feeder weights were in short supply. No prime grown steers were penned and there were only a few heavy weight heifers suitable to process. The cow run was mostly plain light weights. The market was dearer on the restocking cattle, with extra competition in the market.

Weaners lifted 40c to 50c, with steers making from 172c to 230c and heifers receiving from 150c to 190c/kg. Yearling feeder steers sold to a dearer trend, making from 230c to 275c/kg. Feeder heifers were firm, making from 170c to 246c, while restockers paid to 261c/kg. There were no medium or heavy trade cattle sold.

Grown steers to feed reached 188c and the few heavy grown heifers, suitable to process, sold from 210c to 232c and lighter weights to feed made from 200c to 242c/kg. The 2 score cows were 8c dearer on average, with a few more higher yielding cows offered making from 145c to 160c/kg. Heavy cows held firm making from 180c to 210c to average 198c/kg.

**Market Report:** MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service – [CLICK HERE](#) for full MLA report.

Category	Weight	Qty	T/A	c / kg	\$/Hd
Light Steers	< 350	121	Top	242	\$740
			Aver	208.6	\$466
Light Heifers	< 350	112	Top	261	\$745
			Aver	163	\$389
Trade Steers	351 - 500	54	Top	275	\$1260
			Aver	231.8	\$924
Trade Heifers	351 - 500	42	Top	246.2	\$1094
			Aver	214.4	\$857
Export Steers	501+	2	Top	188	\$1006
			Aver	181.8	\$968
Export Heifers	501+	7	Top	240	\$1,260
			Aver	206	\$1162
Cows		110	Top	232	\$1438
			Aver	162.4	\$852
Bulls	< 700	17	Top	180.2	\$1112
			Aver	160.5	\$443
Bulls	> 700	4	Top	210	\$1770
			Aver	193.6	\$1573



## Upcoming Sales at SELX

- Prime Sheep & Lambs – Every Wednesday, 11:00am
- Prime Cattle – Every Thursday, 8:00am
- Goat Sale – Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September, 12:00pm
- Store Cattle – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September, 10:00am

## Today at SELX

