



South Eastern Livestock Exchange

**SELX Market Report
Prime Cattle – 24 October 2019**

Total Yarding: 1,580

Cattle numbers more than doubled and the quality was good. There were more well finished trade cattle and big runs of feeder cattle. Heavy cows were better supplied. Grown steers and heifers in prime condition were limited as were light weaners. Not all the usual buyers were operating in a dearer market.

Weaner steers to a backgrounder reached 302c and heavy vealer heifers to a butcher sold to 280c/kg. Feeder steers were 12c to 15c dearer with the medium and heavy weights making from 250c to 314c/kg. Medium weight feeder heifers gained 3c to 4c, selling from 262c to 280c with heavy weights reaching 286c/kg. Heavy trade steers made from 276c to 310c/kg.

The few prime grown steers sold from 290c to 295c and the best of the heifers made from 264c to 285c, gaining 10c/kg. Cows were firm to 4c stronger with the 2 score cows selling from 170c to 226c/kg. Heavy 3 and 4 scores made from 225c to 262c/kg.

Market Report: MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service.

Category	Weight	Qty		c / kg	\$ / Hd
Light Steers	< 350	294	Top	314.2	\$1,000
			Av	278	\$787
Light Heifers	< 350	381	Top	271.2	\$926
			Av	240.9	\$701
Trade Steers	351 - 500	178	Top	304.2	\$1,397
			Av	280	\$1,082
Trade Heifers	351 - 500	286	Top	288.2	\$1,410
			Av	269.8	\$1,077
Export Steers	501+	9	Top	310	\$2,378
			Av	300.7	\$1,864
Export Heifers	501+	30	Top	285	\$1,991
			Av	268	\$1,466
Cows		378	Top	272	\$1,880
			Av	236.9	\$1,291
Bulls	< 700	10	Top	210	\$1,216
			Av	182.7	\$752
Bulls	> 700	9	Top	262	\$2,092
			Av	239.1	\$1,617

Upcoming Sales at SELX:

- Prime Sheep & Lambs - Every Wednesday, 11am
- Prime Cattle - Every Thursday, 8am
- Special 1st X Ewes - Monday, 25 November, 10am
- Special Store Cattle - Friday, 29 November, 10am

Around the Laneways

