



SELX Market Report

Prime Cattle – 8 February 2024

Total Yarding: 675

Numbers decreased by 240, for a total yarding of 693 mixed quality cattle. There were some good lines of feeder steers and a few good pens of heavy trade cattle. There were some well-bred weaners returning to the paddock, along with some plainer types. Heavy grown cattle were limited and there was 122 cows, selling to a slightly softer market.

Light weight weaners to the restockers were mostly firm, with the steers selling from 300c to 402c and the heifer portion making from 280c to 364c/kg. Trade cattle were 6c cheaper, ranging from 260c to 330c/kg. Medium weight feeder steers up to 15c cheaper, topping at 380c and feeder heifers were down 10c, averaging 291c/kg.

Heavy grown cattle returned to prices of several sales ago, with the steers reaching 293c and the best heifer made 288c/kg. Heavy prime cows eased 20c, ranging from 252c to 272c/kg. Heavy bulls were a few cents dearer due to the improved quality, topping at 270c/kg.

Market Report: MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service.

Cat.	Wgt.	Qty	T/A	c/kg	\$/ph
Steers	0 - 200	5	Top	402.2	\$734
			Ave	398.7	\$681
Steers	201 - 300	26	Top	400.0	\$1065
			Ave	363.8	\$960
Steers	301 - 400	133	Top	399.6	\$1544
			Ave	358.7	\$1329
Steers	401 - 500	60	Top	360.2	\$1576
			Ave	305.6	\$1355
Steers	501 +	108	Top	308.0	\$2063
			Ave	265.3	\$1585
Heifers	0 - 200	5	Top	354.2	\$558
			Ave	333.1	\$503
Heifers	201 - 300	19	Top	364.2	\$980
			Ave	311.3	\$776
Heifers	301 - 400	62	Top	349.2	\$1252
			Ave	315.3	\$1115
Heifers	401 - 500	35	Top	315.0	\$1442
			Ave	291.0	\$1298
Heifers	501 +	20	Top	288.0	\$1931
			Ave	275.5	\$1599
Cows	401 - 600	54	Top	272.0	\$1523
			Ave	253.7	\$1388
Cows	601 +	65	Top	272.0	\$2292
			Ave	258.8	\$1728
Bulls	0 - 350	11	Top	400.0	\$828
			Ave	205.7	\$586
Bulls	351 - 500	12	Top	260.0	\$1170
			Ave	200.6	\$902
Bulls	501 - 750	8	Top	225.0	\$1544
			Ave	194.7	\$1174
Bulls	751 +	10	Top	270.0	\$3186
			Ave	239.8	\$2447

Upcoming Sales at SELX:

Prime Lamb & Sheep – Every Wednesday, 10am.

Prime Cattle – Every Thursday, 8am.

February Monthly Store Cattle – Friday 23 February, 10am

Special Weaner Cattle Sale – Friday 15 March 2024, 10am.

Around the Yards

