



SELX Market Report

Prime Cattle – 8 August 2024

Total Yarding: 520hd

There was a smaller yarding of 525 mixed quality cattle. There were a few good lines of yearling heifers suiting the feedlot buyers, along with some well-bred weaner steers returning to the paddock and also a larger number of plainer types. Finished cattle were in limited supply and there were 80 cows. Due to the plainer quality the market sold to a mostly softer trend.

Yearlings to process sold from 315c to 355c/kg. Feeder steers were considerably cheaper, quality and quantity related, making from 260c to 370c/kg. Heifers to feed were 10c dearer, ranging from 255c to 324c/kg. There was still strong demand for the better-quality weaner steers, topping at 432c/kg, however the plainer types were much harder to sell. The heifer portion were variable, selling from 110c to 320c/kg.

Heavy grown steers were price unchanged, with the steers making from 200c to 370c, and the heifers followed similar trends reaching 340c/kg. Two score cows slipped 10c, selling from 160c to 220c, and heavy prime cows were firm, topping at 312c/kg. Heavy bulls to process were cheaper, with the bestselling for 225c/kg.
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Upcoming Sales at SELX:

Prime Lamb & Sheep – Every Wednesday, 10am.

Prime Cattle – Every Thursday, 8am.

Monthly Store Cattle Sale – Friday 30 August, 10am.

| Cat. | Qty | T/A | c/kg | \$/ph |
|---------|-----|-----|------|--------|
| Steers | 311 | Top | 432c | \$2469 |
| | | Ave | 344c | \$1402 |
| Heifers | 103 | Top | 345c | \$2487 |
| | | Ave | 261c | \$1096 |
| Cows | 74 | Top | 340c | \$2669 |
| | | Ave | 263c | \$1595 |

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