

Market Report

Emerald Prime & Store Sale

Store & Prime Sale - Thursday 04/04/23

<u>Sale Report</u> With a reduced number of cattle on previous weeks Emerald Agents today yarded just over 760 head. With Slaughter categories coming under stronger competition with increases of 35-40 cents in some categories, while weaner weight types held firm on pre easter markets.

Heavy steers over 550kg topped at 291c/kg to average 281 cents, while steer 500-550kg topped at 310 cents and averaged 298 cents, steers 400-500kg reached 305c/kg to average 287 cents with steers 280-350kg topping at 316c/kg to average 280 cents, weaner weight steers made to 382c/kg and averaged 342 cents.

Heavy heifers over 400kg reached 294c/kg to average 277 cents, while heifers 350-400kg made to 270c/kg and averaged 254 cents, 280-350kg heifers topped at 224c/kg, while heifers in the weaner weight category made to 246c/kg and averaged 226 cents.

Cows over 520kg topped at 263c/kg and averaged 255 cents, cows 450-520kg reached 258c/kg and averaged 252 cents.

Category	Weight	No. of Head	Price Low	Price High	Ave
Bullocks - Heavy	Over 550kg	36	266	291	281
Bullocks - Medium	500kg-550kg	27	286	310	298
Steers – Heavy Feeder	400kg -500kg	34	170	305	287
Steers – Trade Feeder	350kg-400kg	31	122	338	291
Steers – Light Trade	280kg – 350kg	29	100	316	280
Steers - Weaner	200kg-280kg	51	276	382	342
Steers – Light	Under 200kg				N/Q
Heifers - Heavy	Over 400kg	164	230	294	277
Heifers - Feeder	350kg-400kg	54	220	270	254
Heifers - Medium	280kg -350kg	20	180	224	218
Heifers - Weaner	200kg – 280kg	52	150	246	226
Heifers – Light	Under 200kg				N/Q
Cows - Heavy	Over 520kg	140	229	263	255
Cows - Medium	450kg-520kg	43	210	258	252
Bulls	Over 600kg	28	150	258	227
Cows & Calves					N/Q

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