

Emerald Prime & Store Sale Market Report 17th September 2026

Sale Report Emerald Combined Agents yarded an increased offering of 3,200 head, comprising mainly larger runs of cattle, with strong buyer competition evident throughout the sale as increased numbers attracted greater participation. The bullock market remained stable to slightly dearer, particularly across second-rate descriptions, while the cow market softened by 5-12c/kg. The store market was very mixed in quality, with heavier in-spec cattle holding firm to slightly dearer on the back of increased buyer competition. The prime section bullocks over 550kgs sold to 458c/kg to average 440c/kg, while steers 500-550kg made to 506c/kg to average 460c/kg, heavy heifers over 400kgs made to 458c/kg to average 411c/kg, heavy cows over 520kgs topped at 370c/kg to average 330c/kg, cows 450-520kgs made as much as 355c/kg. Feeder steers 400-500kgs sold to 516c/kg to average 491c/kg, 350-400kg steers topped at 486c/kg to average 471c/kg, 280-350kg steers made as much as 559c/kg to average 450c/kg, 200-280kg weaner steers reached 559c/kg to average 445c/kg, while steers under 200kg made to 412c/kg to average 364, Trade feeder heifers 350-400kgs sold to 458c/kg to average 396c/kg, 280-350kg heifers topped at 434c/kg to average 379c/kg, weaner heifers 200-280kgs made as much as 414c/kg to average 362c/kg, while Heifers under 200kgs made to 358c/kg to average 307c/kg.

Sale Highlights The Perret Family, "Barakee" Springsure, offered and sold a commendable line of HGP-treated Charbray cross bullocks that made 446c/kg, weighing 698kg, to return \$3,115 per head. Heifers in the same consignment made 432c/kg, weighing 601kg, to return \$2,600 per head. K & H Grazing, "Barakee" Springsure, offered and sold HGP-treated Droughtmaster cross bullocks that made 444c/kg, weighing 627kg, to return \$2,787 per head. Lucknow Grazing Co, "Lucknow", offered and sold Santa Gertrudis ox that made 447c/kg, weighing 630kg, to return \$2,817 per head. Wotonga Grazing Company, "Wotonga", offered and sold a variety of ox and feeder-weight cattle, with a run of Santa Gertrudis four-tooth steers making 506c/kg, weighing 503kg, to return \$2,549 per head. The Siller Family, "Monkana" Capella, offered and sold Simmental cross cows that made 355c/kg, weighing 605kg, to return \$2,148 per head.

Category	Weight	No. of Head	Price Low	Price High	Ave
Bullocks - Heavy	Over 550kg	150	386	458	450
Bullocks - Medium	500kg-550kg	153	430	506	460
Steers - Heavy Feeder	400kg -500kg	424	300	516	491
Steers - Trade Feeder	350kg-400kg	56	454	486	471
Steers - Light Trade	280kg - 350kg	231	200	559	450
Steers - Weaner	200kg-280kg	620	280	559	445
Steers - Light	Under 200kg	151	270	412	364
Heifers - Heavy	Over 400kg	134	283	458	411
Heifers - Feeder	350kg-400kg	72	310	458	396
Heifers - Medium	280kg -350kg	138	272	434	379
Heifers - Weaner	200kg - 280kg	309	200	414	362
Heifers - Light	Under 200kg	245	200	358	307
Cows - Heavy	Over 520kg	167	200	370	330
Cows - Medium	450kg-520kg	126	260	355	317
Bulls	Over 600kg	27	307	367	400
Cows & Calves		N/Q			

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