

## Market Report

## **Emerald Prime & Store Sale**

## Sale Report:

Agents yarded 1600 head of cattle at Emerald sale today, with what was a fairly mixed quality offering. Prime cattle rates remained stable on last week, even with more HGP treated steers in hand. Cows were relatively solid across the board with a fair varding of store cows that were on offer, young feeder and kill cattle remain firm while weaner steers and heifers eased by 10-30c/kg. Over 550kgs steers sold to 345c/kg to average 332c/kg, heavy steers 500-550kgs coming under slaughter & feeder competition reached 320c/kg to average 303c/kg, heavy heifers over 400kgs made to 307c/kg to average 298c/kg, heavy cows over 520kgs topped at 269c/kg to average 261c/kg, cows 450-520kgs made as much as 262c/kg to average 233c/kg, while bulls over 600kgs sold to 264c/kg. In the store section, heavy feeder steers 400-500kgs sold to 362c/kg to average 299c/kg, 350-400kg steers made out to 360c/kg to average 332c/kg, 280-350kg steers made as much as 346c/kg to average 272c/kg, weaner steers 200-280kgs made to 353 cents to average 379c/kg. Trade feeder heifers 350-400kgs sold to 286c/kg to average 247c/kg,280-350kg heifers topped at 268c/kg to average 218c/kg, weaner heifers 200-280kgs made as much as 280c/kg to average 214c/kg, while light heifers under 200kgs made out to 238 cents to retain an average of 219c/kg.

Category	Weight	No. of Head	Price Low	Price High	Ave
Bullocks - Heavy	Over 550kg	116	264	345	332
Bullocks - Medium	500kg-550kg	40	263	320	303
Steers – Heavy Feeder	400kg -500kg	131	210	362	300
Steers – Trade Feeder	350kg-400kg	33	260	360	332
Steers - Light Trade	280kg – 350kg	93	220	346	272
Steers - Weaner	200kg-280kg	153	210	353	280
Steers – Light	Under 200kg	55	210	360	283
Heifers - Heavy	Over 400kg	30	268	307	299
Heifers - Feeder	350kg-400kg	27	209	286	247
Heifers - Medium	280kg -350kg	166	180	268	218
Heifers - Weaner	200kg – 280kg	253	112	280	214
Heifers – Light	Under 200kg	60	130	238	220
Cows - Heavy	Over 520kg	80	245	269	261
Cows - Medium	450kg-520kg	139	190	262	233
Bulls	Over 600kg	9	224	264	246
Cows & Calves					

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