



EMERALD PRIME & STORE CATTLE SALE

Thursday 23rd January 2025

Market Report

Category	Weight	No. of Head	Price Low	Price High	Ave
Bullocks - Heavy	Over 550kg	21	270	367	349
Bullocks - Medium	500kg-550kg	30	292	376	353
Steers – Heavy Feeder	400kg -500kg	339	254	393	357
Steers – Trade Feeder	350kg-400kg	152	238	396	339
Steers – Light Trade	280kg – 350kg	367	200	420	338
Steers - Weaner	200kg-280kg	215	228	414	351
Steers – Light	Under 200kg	17	218	240	223
Heifers - Heavy	Over 400kg	134	270	348	330
Heifers - Feeder	350kg-400kg	82	270	338	306
Heifers - Medium	280kg –350kg	410	228	322	295
Heifers - Weaner	200kg – 280kg	313	214	318	271
Heifers – Light	Under 200kg	14	214	230	229
Cows - Heavy	Over 520kg	310	244	305	292
Cows - Medium	450kg-520kg	245	208	301	276
Bulls	Over 600kg	46	222	286	266
Cows & Calves		45		1575	

Sale Report:

The first sale for the year saw just under 3000 head on offer, with a large portion of the yarding consisting of slaughter cows & heifers.

Prices held firm to other selling center's for the week with good competition in all sectors, Heavy bullocks over 550kg topped at 367 cents, with steers 500-550kg reaching 376c/kg and averaged 353 cents, steers 400-500kg topped at 393c/kg, 350-400kg steers made to 396c/kg and averaged 339 cents, steers 280-350kg topped at 420c/kg and averaged 338 cents, while steers in the weaner weight ranges topped at 414c/kg and averaged 351 cents, heavy heifers over 400kg topped at 348c/kg, heifers 350-400kg made to 338c/kg and averaged 306 cents, 280-350kg heifers reached 322c/kg and averaged 295 cents, while heifers in the weaner weights topped at 318c/kg and averaged 271 cents. Heavy cows topped at 305c/kg to average 292 cents, while cows 450-520kg topped at 301c/kg and averaged 276 cents. A variety of cows and calves were on offer with a line of Brahman Cows and Calves making to \$1575 per unit.

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