

MAREEBA COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE

Tuesday 25th March 2025

174 head were yard in Mareeba this week. Yarding compromised mainly of slaughter weight Cattle with some very good quality feeder weight Cattle. Buyer panel was limited due to the lack of Cattle numbers which was impacted by the increased rainfall across the region. However, prices were strong for good quality feeder weight Cattle and slaughter Cattle prices were firm on previous weeks.

Prime Quotes:

In the heavy Bullocks, the tops of these got out to 300cents/kg, to average around 270cents/kg. Lighter weight Bullocks, those that were not quite finished, prices were around the 240-250cents/kg. Cows saw similar money to previous weeks, with top quality Cows suitable to kill getting 260cents/kg. Cows in the 400-500kg weight category, prices averaged around the 240cents/kg. There were some heavy weight Bulls on offer and quality was suitable for both live export and meatworks. Prices for these were around the 250cents/kg.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers & Bullocks	400 – 500kg	16	186.2	252.2	280.0
	Over 500kg	20	264.2	293.7	300.2
Heifers	400 – 500kg	0	0	0	0
	Over 500kg	0	0	0	0
Cows	Up to 400kg	6	20.0	57.6	120.0
	400 – 600kg	37	120.2	230.2	258.2
	Over 600kg	0	0	0	0
Bulls	350 – 500kg	4	170.0	201.1	290.2
	500 – 750kg	2	235.0	237.3	240.0
	Over 750kg	1	250.0	250.0	250.0

Store Quotes:

In the store market, there was some quality Cattle which made good money. Tops of the store Steers got to 320cents/kg, to average 300cents/kg. This was for some Droughtmaster type Steers. Store Heifers were back a little due to limited buyers. Tops of the Heifers getting 224cents/kg, while the average was back around 160cents/kg due to some lesser quality pens.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200kg	0	0	0	0
	200 – 300kg	49	200.0	299.3	324.2
	300 – 400kg	0	0	0	0
Mickeys	Up to 350kg	2	140.2	197.5	270.0
Heifers	Up to 200kg	0	0	0	0
	200 – 300kg	33	100.0	159.2	222.2
	300 – 400kg	3	252.2	252.2	252.2

Next Mareeba Prime & Store Sale is booked for Tuesday 1st April 2025

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