

MOUNT BARKER CATTLE SALE 22/07/2021

Numbers were up for a total yarding of 537 head of good quality cattle at Mt Barker. Young cattle remained firm with fluctuations on quality. Yearling heifers gained 20c with feeder demand. A highlight of the sale was a pen quality young Angus cows with calves at foot selling for \$3300 per unit. Light weight weaner steers sold to a top of 602c while medium weight heifers topped at 498c/kg.

Weaner steers sold from 464c to 602c for lightweights while heifers sold from 410c to 498c for quality medium weights.

Yearling steers sold from 450c to 528c while yearling heifers gained with demand returning 424c to 484c to feeder buyers.

Grown Steers weighing under 500kg sold for 370c to 460c while heavier weights sold for 368c/kg.

A large run of grown heifers saw weights under 540kg selling for 300c to 444c depending on quality and the heavier weights sold from 364c to 394c /kg.

Heavy prime cows eased 8c selling for 292c to 340c while medium weights sold for 290c and store cows sold for 250c to 296c/kg.

Light weight bullies made 350c, medium weights sold from 290c to 338c while prime heavy bulls gained 10c selling for 306c to 322c/kg.

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