

MOUNT BARKER CATTLE SALE 25/11/2021

Numbers were up for a total yarding of 1,953 head of good quality cattle at Mt Barker. Young processor cattle trended up with an additional processor present. Weaner steer calves fluctuated on quality with heavy weights gaining 20c while the lighter calves eased on last week. Processor cows eased with demand while bulls lifted with competition.

Weaner steers sold from 580c to 738c while heifers made from 430c to 618c for light weights. Yearling steers eased selling from 480c to 604c while heifers returned 336c to 564c depending on quality.

Grown Steers weighing under 500kg made 404c to 556c while under 600kg weights returned 400c to 428c /kg. Grown heifers weighing under 540kg sold for 300c to 476c and heavier heifers sold for 386c to 394c/kg.

Heavy prime cows sold for 262c to 348c, restocker buyers paid from 220c up to 316c for younger aged cows. Store cows to processors ranged from 240c to 264c /kg.

Light weight bullies sold from 380c to 450c while prime heavy bulls were up 45c selling from 290c for extra heavy weights to 376c to processors.

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