

## **MT BARKER TRADE SALE 19/01/2024**

Numbers were up for a total yarding of 776 head at Mt Barker. All categories trended up with demand with grown steers selling to 226c and heifers up to 200c/kg. Heavy cows gained 30c while competition from processors and feeders pushed store cows up as well. A large yarding of heavy bulls were in demand selling to 172c/kg.

Grown steers weighing 500kg to 600kg made 194c to 226c and lighter weights returned 180c to 218c/kg. Grown heifers weighing under 540kg sold from 150c to 196c while the heavier weight heifers made 168c to 200c/kg.

Heavy cows sold from 140c to 172c while medium weights made from 144c to 160c/kg. Store cows sold to processors for 80c to 150c while feeder buyers paid from 100c to 156c/kg. Heavy bulls gained returning 120c to 172c /kg.

PTIC mixed aged cows sold by appraisal from \$950 to \$1050, second calvers from \$650 to \$825 and heifers from \$875 to \$900/head

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