



South Eastern Livestock Exchange

## **SELX Market Report Prime Cattle - 5<sup>th</sup> October 2017**

Total Yarding: 854

Numbers eased and quality improved. Weaners were not as well supplied but there was a much better offering of yearlings, which suited the larger group of feedlot buyers. Heavy trade cattle were limited with the feedlots purchasing most weights and condition. Prime heavy grown steers were in good numbers and there were plenty of well-covered grown heifers. The market was dearer in most categories.

Weaners to re-stockers lifted 15c to 20c, selling from 240c to 278c/kg. Feeder steers lifted 13c on the medium weights and 10c/kg on the preferred lines of heavy weights. Feeder heifers were up by 15c to 20c/kg with the extra competition. Steers sold from 232c to 275c and the heifers made from 220c to 257c/kg. Trade steers ranged from 265c to 281c and heifers traded from 250c to 260c/kg.

Grown steers were up to 20c stronger, ranging between 250c and 265c, and heifers suited to slaughter lifted 10c to 15c, ranging from 180c to 247c/kg. The majority were heavy well-covered cows and sold 5c to 10c/kg better. Heavy 3 and 4 score cows ranged from 188c to 215c, with 6 tooth cows reaching 228c/kg.

Market Report: MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service – [CLICK HERE](#) for full MLA report.

Category	Weight		c / kg	\$ / Hd
Light Steers	< 350	Top	278	\$932
		Av	260.3	\$787
Light Heifers	< 350	Top	270	\$891
		Av	246.6	\$758
Trade Steers	351 - 500	Top	281.2	\$1,299
		Av	259.5	\$1,052
Trade Heifers	351 - 500	Top	258	\$1,139
		Av	232.3	\$936
Export Steers	501+	Top	265.2	\$1,833
		Av	249.1	\$1,442
Export Heifers	501+	Top	252	\$1,596
		Av	229	\$1,286
Cows		Top	228	\$1,785
		Av	202.6	\$1,255
Bulls	< 700	Top	242.2	\$1,462
		Av	209.6	\$1,020
Bulls	> 700	Top	245	\$2,585
		Av	233.4	\$2,034

### Upcoming Sales at SELX:

- Prime Sheep & Lambs – Every Wednesday, 11:00am
- Prime Cattle – Every Thursday, 8:00am
- XB Store Lambs – Monday 23rd October 10am
- Store Cattle – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October 10am

**Today at SELX**

