



MT BARKER TRADE CATTLE SALE
Thursday, 7th March 2019

Numbers were down for total yarding of 1056 cattle at Mt Barker. The yarding was dominated by young cattle in mainly store condition with prices easing on these categories on demand. Light weight bull calves topped at 298c/kg while prime cows gained selling to a top of 202c /kg.

Grown steers weighing between 500 to 600kg made 200c to 264c while steers weighing between 400 to 500 kg sold for 216c to 258c to average 244c/kg.

Grown heifers weighing over 540 kg sold for 220c to 230c/kg.

Yearling steers sold from 265c to 276c averaging 272c/kg. Yearling heifers made from 226c to 268c to average 251c/kg.

Heavy weight weaner steers made 248c to 280c to average 273c/kg. Medium weights between 280 and 330kg sold for 220c to 282c while lighter weights gained making from 260c to 286c to average 279c/kg. Weaner heifers remained firm selling for 190c to 270c for the best to average 228c/kg.

Heavy prime cows were up 6c selling for 170c to 202c to average 193c/kg. Medium weight cows made 185c to 192c while boners sold for 148c to 188c to average 178c/kg.

Prime heavy bulls were up 5c making from 172c to 192c to average 184c /kg. Light weight bulls gained 26c selling to live export for 245c to 298c to average 281c/kg.

MARKET TONE FROM LAST WEEK C/KG LIVEWEIGHT

	Values this week c/kg live weight	Up	Down
BULLOCKS >750kg	NY	-	-
BULLOCKS 600-750kg	206	NQ	
GROWN STEERS 500-600KG	200-264 avg 241		9
GROWN STEERS 400-500KG	216-258 avg 244		3
GROWN HEIFERS >540KG	220-230		5
GROWN HEIFERS <540KG	215-256 avg 240		5
YEARLING STEERS >400KG	265-276 avg 272	NQ	
YEARLING STEERS 330-400KG	NY		
YEARLING STEERS <330KG	NY		
YEARLING HEIFERS >400KG	226-268 avg 251	10	
YEARLING HEIFERS 330-400KG	246-258 avg 251	NQ	
YEARLING HEIFERS <330KG	NY		
WEANER STEERS >330KG	248-280 avg 273		9
WEANER STEERS 280-330KG	220-282 avg 269		15
WEANER STEERS <280KG	260-286 avg 279	19	
WEANER HEIFERS >330KG	190-270 avg 243	4	
WEANER HEIFERS 280-330KG	184-240 avg 218		1
WEANER HEIFERS <280KG	200-248 avg 224	FIRM	
COWS PRIME >520KG	170-202 avg 193	6	
COWS MEDIUM 400-520KG	185-192 avg 188	13	
COWS BONERS	148-188 avg 178	14	
BULLS HEAVY >600KG	172-192 avg 184	5	
BULLS 450-600KG	178-216 avg 197	NQ	
BULLS <450KG	245-298 avg 281	26	