



Western Victoria Livestock Exchange

# WVLX Market Report

## Prime Cattle - 7th of February, 2022

### **Total Yarding: 654**

Quality was again mixed but mainly good for the near regular field of buyers of which not all operated or operated fully in the yarding of 654 cattle 49 more. Prices remained close to last week for vealers and yearling steers however heifers eased slightly. Grown steers averaged 10c/kg less but the friesians were closer to unchanged. Beef cows gained 10c, aided by strong restocker competition and bulls lifted 20c to 30c/kg.

Most vealers sold between 498c and 558c with restockers going to 565c/kg. All the yearling steers went to restockers and they paid mainly 440c to 550c/kg. The yearling heifers were from 430c to 510c for most, with tops to the trade at 528c and restockers went to 522c/kg.

Beef cows made 310c to 365c and restockers paid 314c to 414c/kg. The leaner cows were from 256c to 280c and restockers paid 273c to 370c/kg. Poorer conditioned cows were down to 165c/kg. Beef bulls made 300c, 312c and 330c/kg.

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Category	Weight		c/kg	\$/Hd
<b>Bulls</b>	0-700	<b>Top</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>\$1891.08</b>
		Av	294.8	\$1509.35
<b>Bulls</b>	700+	<b>Top</b>	<b>330.0</b>	<b>\$3425.40</b>
		Av	313.6	\$2645.13
<b>Light Steers</b>	0-350	<b>Top</b>	<b>565.0</b>	<b>\$1966.20</b>
		Av	494.4	\$1503.73
<b>Light Heifers</b>	0-350	<b>Top</b>	<b>547.0</b>	<b>\$1723.08</b>
		Av	429.5	\$1336.51
<b>Trade Steers</b>	351-500	<b>Top</b>	<b>558.0</b>	<b>\$2535.32</b>
		Av	481.8	\$2024.31
<b>Trade Heifers</b>	351-500	<b>Top</b>	<b>526.0</b>	<b>\$2432.57</b>
		Av	450.0	\$1926.73
<b>Grown Steers</b>	500+	<b>Top</b>	<b>488.0</b>	<b>\$2881.00</b>
		Av	421.9	\$2356.83
<b>Grown Heifers</b>	500+	<b>Top</b>	<b>485.0</b>	<b>\$3211.60</b>
		Av	450.4	\$2430.28
<b>Cows</b>		<b>Top</b>	<b>414.0</b>	<b>\$2662.27</b>
		Av	309.2	\$1763.92

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**Top Left:** RT Pemberton Family Trust had this great pen of Angus bullocks that Elders Kerr & Co sold for a top today of 468c/kg, returning just shy of \$3000ph.

**Top Right:** Topping the market today were these Charolais X steers that Elders Kerr & Co sold on behalf of CA Fulford for 565c/kg for 3 and 500c/kg for the lightest one.

**Bottom Left:** This good pen of cows was sold by Elders Kerr & Co for 388c/kg today, with the Angus girl returning \$1987ph for DJ Pearce Business Trust (marked on the loin) and the Black Baldy returning \$1800ph for SJ & VA French.

**Bottom Right:** Charles Stewart Nash McVilly sold the top Limousin X heifer today from this pen for a high 547c/kg, returning \$1652ph for T & P Moran. The other Angus X heifers in the pen sold for between 498-514c/kg, returning \$1480-\$1723ph.

**Upcoming Sales and Events:**

- Monday 14th February - Prime Market, starts 9am
- Thursday 17th February - Store Sale, starts 10am
- Monday 21st February - Prime Market, starts 9am
- Monday 28th February - Prime Market, starts 9am