

Store Report - Cattle

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Yarding	2200	comparison date	04/03/2021
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The second of the annual Autumn weaner sales for 2021 was at Powranna on Thursday with another outstanding quality yarding of 2,200 weaners. With such a great season statewide there was more weight than most years and all were in very fresh condition. The vast majority were straight bred Angus (Hereford sale is in two weeks time) and came from all over the state. The market was very good although there were some easier parts in the sale after last weeks record sale. Most were bought by Tasmanian restockers and backgrounders while an agent from Gundagai in N.S.W. bought 121 Angus heifers.

The heaviest steer weaners (330 + kg) made \$1,730 to \$2,280 to average 515c/kg, medium (280-330 kg) \$1,640 to \$1,880 (580c/kg) and light (200-280 kg) \$1,480 to \$1,720 (630c/kg).

The heavy heifer weaners made \$1,560 to \$1,820 (480c/kg), medium \$1,420 to \$1,640 (510c/kg), light \$1,140 to \$1,410 (533c/kg) and a few very small (0-200 kg) made \$1,160 to \$1,200 (605c/kg).

Category	Breed	Sub Breed	Muscle Score*	Fat Score*	Head	Low c/kg	High c/kg	Average c/kg	Low \$/head	High \$/head	Average \$/head
Weaner Steers											
0-200											
	Angus		C	1	22	778	778	778	1540.0	1540.0	1540.0
200-280											
	Angus		C	2	561	542	734	631	1490.0	1720.0	1608.9
	Black Baldy		C	2	23	569	638	601	1480.0	1660.0	1587.0
	Murray Grey		C	2	12	574	574	574	1550.0	1550.0	1550.0
280-330											
	Angus		C	2	363	559	620	580	1640.0	1880.0	1775.9
	Murray Grey		C	2	17	540	554	545	1680.0	1740.0	1701.2
330+											
	Angus		C	2	278	460	568	516	1730.0	2280.0	1916.5
	Murray Grey		C	2	13	490	500	494	1760.0	1800.0	1784.6
					1,289	460	778		1480.0	2280.0	
Weaner Heifers											
0-200											
	Angus		C	1	17	601	606	604	1160.0	1200.0	1181.2
200-280											
	Angus		C	2	255	489	583	533	1140.0	1410.0	1306.5
	Murray Grey		C	2	5	491	491	491	1310.0	1310.0	1310.0
280-330											
	Angus		C	2	210	472	541	509	1420.0	1640.0	1507.1
	Murray Grey		C	2	5	453	453	453	1460.0	1460.0	1460.0
330+											
	Angus		C	2	88	457	496	479	1560.0	1820.0	1677.0
	Murray Grey		C	2	16	439	453	446	1560.0	1680.0	1620.0
					596	439	606		1140.0	1820.0	

* N/A indicates that supporting animal assessment data was not available at time of publishing

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