

RLX Market Report

TRLX Prime Cattle Sale – Monday 13th January 2025

Total Yarding: 3645 (+2845)

Unsurprisingly there was a substantial increase in supply following last weeks small penning. After seeing the strong opening in the markets for 2025 producers took the opportunity to offload. Yearlings were offered in large numbers along with cows while well finished grown steers and heifers were in limited supply. The quality of the offering was quite mixed as was condition. All sectors were well catered for. The full field of buyers were in attendance along with the return of a few more orders.

The high demand for cattle was evident through the market with most trends through the young cattle firm to dearer. This despite the significant increase in supply. Light weight steers to restockers posted strong gains. The medium weight yearling steers to restock and feed also sold to a dearer trend with increases of 10c to 14c/kg. The heavy weight feeders sold on a firm to slightly dearer market trend for the most part. There was some quality related price change while an odd pen of long fed steers were a little cheaper. Strong feedlot and restocker competition on the medium and heavy weight yearling heifers resulted in dearer trends of 5c to 9c/kg. The increased supply contributed to quality variations that had some effect on price change in some classes.

There was a limited supply of well finished heavy grown steers suitable to processors, they sold to a dearer trend as did the well finished grown heifers. Grown heifers to feed were also dearer. Demand from processors was also high with competition strong. Market trends were dearer throughout with improvements of 10c to 15c and more on an isolated sale. There was some feedlot competition operating on a wide variety of cows.

Product	Weight Range	Head	c/Kg			\$/Head		
			Min	Avg	Max	Min	Avg	Max
Heifer \$/Head	Unweighed	3	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	120.00	160.00
	0-200	1	320.00	320.00	320.00	160.00	160.00	160.00
Total Heifer \$/Head		4	0.00	320.00	320.00	100.00	130.00	160.00
Total Sold \$/Head		4	0.00	320.00	320.00	100.00	130.00	160.00
Not Recorded c/kg	400-500	1	328.20	328.20	328.20	1,391.57	1,391.57	1,391.57
Total Not Recorded c/kg		1	328.20	328.20	328.20	1,391.57	1,391.57	1,391.57
ANGUS X ANGUS WEANER STEER c/kg	Unweighed	9	400.00	0.00	400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total ANGUS X ANGUS WEANER STEER c/kg		9	400.00	0.00	400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Bull c/kg	Unweighed	6	120.20	0.00	312.20	0.00	0.00	0.00
	200-280	2	270.00	276.83	285.20	604.62	653.31	702.00
	280-330	7	254.20	267.68	270.00	826.15	845.09	848.25
	330-400	14	242.20	282.53	294.20	930.05	1,073.43	1,135.41
	400-500	7	180.00	234.08	275.00	760.00	1,073.07	1,314.50
	500-600	4	240.00	254.99	266.20	1,332.00	1,370.58	1,475.00
	600+	34	150.00	272.01	305.00	1,119.00	2,159.76	3,068.00
Total Bull c/kg		74	120.20	269.29	312.20	0.00	1,468.59	3,068.00
Cow c/kg	Unweighed	169	80.00	0.00	2,992.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	280-330	14	142.20	180.99	230.00	443.66	591.18	749.80
	330-400	11	100.00	201.74	272.20	365.00	777.44	1,050.69
	400-500	118	100.00	278.20	304.20	446.00	1,268.19	1,496.66
	500-600	151	174.20	289.99	304.20	957.60	1,603.72	1,779.88
	600+	239	230.00	295.58	324.20	1,459.20	1,947.01	3,061.08
Total Cow c/kg		702	80.00	287.92	2,992.00	0.00	1,244.97	3,061.08
Heifer c/kg	Unweighed	320	20.00	0.00	355.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0-200	31	110.00	311.34	344.20	55.00	584.02	664.85
	200-280	70	50.00	313.80	344.20	122.50	791.44	958.84
	280-330	143	180.00	327.86	347.20	522.00	1,028.63	1,136.57
	330-400	342	270.00	336.13	358.20	922.76	1,250.50	1,406.57
	400-500	304	264.20	327.47	375.20	1,074.41	1,423.09	1,733.69
	500-600	91	270.00	338.84	356.20	1,522.80	1,872.55	2,033.35
	600+	16	314.20	332.56	350.00	1,920.00	2,059.99	2,143.75
Total Heifer c/kg		1317	20.00	331.09	375.20	0.00	975.13	2,143.75
Mixed c/kg	0-200	26	284.20	297.98	312.20	519.21	535.78	552.35
Total Mixed c/kg		26	284.20	297.98	312.20	519.21	535.78	552.35
Stag c/kg	Unweighed	3	220.00	0.00	276.20	0.00	0.00	0.00
	280-330	2	234.20	234.20	234.20	696.74	696.75	696.74
	330-400	2	286.20	288.35	290.20	958.77	1,045.28	1,131.78
	400-500	9	260.00	272.08	298.20	1,200.26	1,266.71	1,300.77
	600+	1	270.00	270.00	270.00	1,803.60	1,803.60	1,803.60
Total Stag c/kg		17	220.00	270.12	298.20	0.00	981.65	1,803.60
Steer c/kg	Unweighed	403	160.20	0.00	410.20	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0-200	3	320.00	331.36	338.20	351.73	417.52	454.40
	200-280	60	152.20	387.91	450.20	380.50	970.16	1,132.15
	280-330	109	238.20	374.20	414.20	762.24	1,146.02	1,307.88
	330-400	209	275.00	386.93	428.20	1,069.15	1,415.41	1,572.10
	400-500	346	220.00	373.46	407.20	920.33	1,678.12	1,982.32
	500-600	91	230.00	333.16	405.00	1,219.00	1,794.40	2,195.10
	600+	5	150.00	313.79	368.20	907.50	2,118.10	3,107.61
Total Steer c/kg		1226	150.00	370.69	450.20	0.00	1,007.10	3,107.61

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			Min	Avg	Max	Min	Avg	Max
Vealer Bull c/kg	280-330	1	250.20	250.20	250.20	740.59	740.59	740.59
	330-400	1	292.20	292.20	292.20	964.26	964.26	964.26
Total Vealer Bull c/kg		2	250.20	272.34	292.20	740.59	852.43	964.26
Vealer Heifer c/kg	Unweighed	5	326.20	0.00	340.20	0.00	0.00	0.00
	200-280	2	338.20	338.20	338.20	879.32	879.32	879.32
Total Vealer Heifer c/kg		7	326.20	338.20	340.20	0.00	251.23	879.32
Vealer Steer c/kg	Unweighed	1	280.00	0.00	280.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total Vealer Steer c/kg		1	280.00	0.00	280.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Yearling Heifer c/kg	Unweighed	80	290.20	0.00	345.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total Yearling Heifer c/kg		80	290.20	0.00	345.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Yearling Steer c/kg	Unweighed	105	304.20	0.00	397.20	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total Yearling Steer c/kg		105	304.20	0.00	397.20	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total Sold c/kg		3567	20.00	328.33	2,992.00	0.00	991.61	3,107.61