

RLX Market Report

NVLX Prime Cattle Sale – Tuesday 15th April 2025

1,224 Head

Numbers almost halved leading into Easter. It was a smaller field of export buyers; however, all domestic processors were at the sale. Quality was mixed with a few good pens of well finished yearlings and vealers. The market was stronger with domestic processors stepping up to fill orders. Export cattle were limited with most selling to domestic buyers.

Trade steers and heifers were in limited numbers selling to dearer tends making from 348c to 434c/kg. Medium weight feeder steers sold to weaker demand which was quality related. The better types range from 374c to 391c/kg. The heifer portion was keenly contested by feedlots which resulted in a dearer trend of 20c/kg. Feed heifers 400 to 500kg made from 314c to 360c/kg.

In the export market competition lifted over all categories. Heavy steers averaged 381c/kg. Bullocks sold to a smaller group of buyers. Prices ranging from 346c to 390c/kg. A mixed range of cows met a bigger field of buyers. Cow prices softened over all classes. Heavy cows traded between 305c to 336c/kg slipping 15c/kg. D3 cows under 520kg made from 256c to 284c/kg Store cows were well supplied making from 120c to 258c/kg. Heavy bulls sold at varying prices; the bulk of heaviest types made from 270c to 310c/kg.

- MLA Reporter, Leann Dax

Sex	Weight Range	Head	c/Kg			\$/Head			Total
			Min	Avg	Max	Min	Avg	Max	
BULL c/kg	330-400	1	320.20	320.20	320.20	1,216.76	1,216.76	1,216.76	1,216.00
	400-500	4	280.00	280.00	280.00	1,267.00	1,267.00	1,267.00	5,068.00
	500-600	3	245.20	259.88	285.00	1,262.78	1,425.01	1,524.75	4,275.00
	600+	19	165.20	274.47	308.00	1,189.44	2,247.01	2,941.40	42,693.00
Total BULL c/kg		27	165.20	274.64	320.20	1,189.44	1,972.33	2,941.40	53,252.00
COW c/kg	330-400	40	140.00	190.54	285.20	529.67	732.73	1,051.52	29,309.00
	400-500	182	160.20	250.41	310.00	690.20	1,133.75	1,506.60	206,342.00
	500-600	231	120.00	287.08	328.00	612.00	1,585.43	1,943.19	366,233.00
	600+	61	267.20	309.72	332.00	1,685.59	2,047.02	2,433.50	124,868.00
Total COW c/kg		514	120.00	273.55	332.00	529.67	1,413.92	2,433.50	726,753.00

Sex	Weight Range	Head	c/Kg			\$/Head			Total
			Min	Avg	Max	Min	Avg	Max	
HEIFER c/kg	0-200	2	200.00	256.67	310.00	320.00	423.50	527.00	847.00
	200-280	36	100.00	269.75	334.20	265.00	687.92	884.60	24,765.00
	280-330	77	50.00	272.68	366.00	140.00	845.63	1,143.75	65,113.00
	330-400	96	142.20	286.63	425.20	523.30	1,016.69	1,658.28	97,602.00
	400-500	107	220.00	337.08	433.20	946.00	1,518.29	1,997.35	162,456.00
	500-600	82	280.00	336.95	433.20	1,442.00	1,794.60	2,209.32	147,157.00
	600+	8	295.20	331.29	355.00	1,771.20	2,119.00	2,448.00	16,952.00
Total HEIFER c/kg		408	50.00	313.14	433.20	140.00	1,261.99	2,448.00	514,893.00
STEER c/kg	0-200	1	320.00	320.00	320.00	582.40	582.40	582.40	582.00
	200-280	30	173.20	337.90	432.20	402.52	862.90	1,041.32	25,886.00
	280-330	13	244.20	345.53	388.20	769.23	1,087.09	1,203.68	14,132.00
	330-400	37	170.20	344.98	416.20	612.72	1,247.34	1,533.39	46,151.00
	400-500	88	250.00	378.48	433.20	1,127.50	1,708.19	1,951.18	150,321.00
	500-600	59	280.00	366.31	390.00	1,447.60	1,964.00	2,124.38	115,875.00
	600+	11	260.20	356.55	390.00	2,028.00	2,458.59	2,690.69	27,044.00
Total STEER c/kg		239	170.20	364.52	433.20	402.52	1,589.93	2,690.69	379,994.00
Total Sold c/kg		1198	50.00	302.15	433.20	140.00	1,405.54	2,941.40	1,683,838.00
Totals		1224	50.00	303.10	433.20	140.00	1,392.52	2,941.40	1,704,438.00