

CHEWING THE CUD

Industry updates from Saleyards, Meatworks and Feedlots to AuctionsPlus with TopX Longreach Agent Tom Boyle



SHEEP, LAMBS & GOATS

Goats

Weaners	\$10	-	\$15
23kg + Goats	\$0.90/kg Live		
Does	\$10	-	\$35

OTH Pricing

Lambs	\$3.10	-	\$7.00
Sheep	\$1.70	-	\$2.60
Goats	\$2.25	-	\$3.00

Saleyards

Store Merino	\$44	-	\$46
Kill Merino	\$104	-	\$150
Store Xbred	\$77	-	\$95
Kill Xbred	\$108	-	\$182
Sheep	\$47	-	\$125

AuctionsPlus

Merino Wether Lamb	\$41	-	\$88
Merino Ewe Lamb	\$43	-	\$105
Merino Ewes	\$38	-	\$104
Shedding Ewe Lambs	\$73	-	\$119
Shedding Wether Lambs	\$73	-	\$119
Shedding Ewes	\$76	-	\$135

Wool

EMI Drops 15c while
17 - 20 micron falls upto 40cents.

Sheep For Sale

75 Dorper Ewes & 56 Lambs
Continuously joined to Dorper Rams
Located Longreach
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Wrap Up

In Queensland and Southern New South Wales, recent good rainfall has led to reduced numbers at saleyards and higher prices. There has been strong competition among buyers due to the limited supply. AuctionsPlus has seen high demand for shedding breeds, resulting in successful sales.

Processors are starting to increase their prices as supplies decrease, but they have also been sourcing sheep from Western Australia. The wool market, however, has experienced two weeks of declining sales leading up to Easter after two weeks of increasing prices. The goat market is not very exciting to talk about at the moment.

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CATTLE

Roma Saleyards

	Av.	Top.
Steers 220 - 300kg	\$3.77	\$4.22
Heifers 220 - 300kg	\$2.47	\$2.96
Steers 300 - 400kg	\$3.48	\$3.78
Heifers 300 - 400kg	\$2.29	\$2.70
Steers 400 - 500kg	\$3.03	\$3.36
Heifers 400 - 500kg	\$2.53	\$2.70
Cows 330 - 500kg	\$1.90	\$2.20
Cows 500kg +	\$2.22	\$2.40
Cows & Calves	\$0	\$1,660

Feedlot Pricing

Steers FB	340 - 480kg	\$3.10
Steers BRM	380 - 480kg	\$2.70
Heifers FB	350 - 420kg	\$2.85

Meatworks Pricing

Steers CWT	240 - 360kg	\$5.25
Heifers CWT	240 - 360kg	\$5.20
Cows CWT	180 - 360kg	\$4.60

AuctionsPlus

Steers 200 - 300kg	\$3.96	\$3.96
Heifers 200 - 300kg	\$2.88	\$3.17
Steers 300 - 400kg	\$3.29	\$3.51
Heifers 300 - 400kg	\$2.87	\$3.02
PTIC Cows	\$1,150	\$1,300
Cows & Calves	\$1,425	\$1,760

Boat Orders

Feeder Steers	280 - 380kg	\$3.00
Feeder Heifers	280 - 380kg	\$2.70
Medium Steer	380 - 450kg	\$3.00
Slaughter Steer	500 - 750kg	\$3.00
Slaughter Cows	350 - 650kg	\$0.00
Bulls	400 - 850kg	\$2.70

Wrap Up

After several weeks of a negative cattle market, a very good general rain has put a positive spin on the cattle market. It is still too early to see proper impacts, but the Roma sale started well by increasing prices by 30 to 60 cents while it continued to rain all day. Processors have a slight backlog until mid to late April and are only quoting space. Live Exporters are increasing their activity with strong rates on particular lines, but these rates are subject to change week by week.

Cattle For Sale

405 Cows VET PTIC 1-6 Months
to Brangus & Brahman Bulls
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Bulls For Sale

Angus, Ultrablack, Charolais,
Santa and Droughtmaster
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