

TALLIES	
Wnr Steer	681
Wnr Heifer	4
Wnr Bull	0
685	

KEY iFarm HEADLINERS

Exotic Wnr Steer
270 - 325kg
\$2.47

Exotic Wnr Steer
230 - 270kg
\$2.41

Exotic Wnr Steer
190 - 230kg
\$2.40

Traditional Wnr Steer
230 - 270kg
\$2.39

Traditional Wnr Steer
190 - 230kg
\$2.24

As farmers around the Hawke's Bay region await news of drought declaration, the show must go on and today Stortford set the local weaner fair season rolling with the Exotic Weaner Steers. Numbers were slightly less than this sale last year despite the trying conditions and as expected given the current market climate, prices were off the pace also. Exotic steers, 230 - 270kgs were 40c/kg cheaper than last year at \$2.41/kg, while those 190 - 230kgs were well off the \$3.08/kg mark achieved in 2012. A line of 28 heavy Simmental cross went under the hammer for \$850/hd today, recording the top price for the yarding, while the majority traded between \$500 - 770/hd.

	Tally	Cond	Weight	\$/hd	\$/kg
Wnr Steer					
Ang & A/H	9	M/G	250	600	\$2.40
Ang x	25	M/G	227 - 307	507 - 660	\$2.15 - 2.23
Ang x	8	M/G	225	475	\$2.11
Ang/H x	20	M/G	263	652	\$2.48
Ang/H x	18	M/G	243	560	\$2.30
Ang/H x	20	M/G	217	475	\$2.19
Ang/H x	15	M/G	198	460	\$2.32
Here x	14	M/G	286	665	\$2.33
Here x	20	M/G	183	457	\$2.50
Here x	5	M	131	340	\$2.60
Ang	18	M	183	475	\$2.60
Here	1	M/G	255	400	\$1.57
Here	15	M/G	252	600	\$2.38
Gelb	4	M/G	371	710	\$1.91
Gelb x	46	M/G	265	640	\$2.42
Char x	29	M/G	257	600	\$2.33
Char x	26	M/G	246	620	\$2.52
Char x	44	M/G	210 - 239	505 - 555	\$2.32 - 2.40
Char x	5	M	184	452	\$2.46
Dev x	47	M/G	242 - 311	565 - 735	\$2.33 - 2.36
Sim x	66	M/G	300 - 313	750 - 770	\$2.46 - 2.50
Sim x	64	M/G	241 - 270	585 - 630	\$2.33 - 2.43
Sim x	10	M/G	223	555	\$2.49
Sim x	14	M/G	198 - 213	475 - 490	\$2.30 - 2.40
Sim x	2	M	177	400	\$2.26
Char	77	M/G	223 - 247	555 - 600	\$2.43 - 2.49
Char	5	M/G	187	445	\$2.38
Char	8	M	182	455	\$2.50
Sim	28	M/G	375	850	\$2.27
Wnr Heifer					
Gelb	4	M/G	326	620	\$1.90