

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Yarding Change ¹⁴³⁹/₂₃₀

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Numbers increased for a yarding of 1,439 head, consisting of a good supply of yearlings, vealers and weaner cattle. Export cattle were also well represented. The quality of the young cattle was very mixed with several pens of well finished 3 score yearlings that were supplementary fed and a number of milk vealers, however there was a large percentage of plain cattle through the sale.

The C3 vealers to slaughter topped at 205c while C2 medium weight vealer heifers averaged around 158c/kg. Supplementary fed yearlings met strong trade and butcher competition, with heavy yearling steers selling to 205c and medium weights ranged from 170c to 185c/kg. Feeder steers averaged around 167c/kg. Trade yearling heifers topped t 180c and feeder heifers averaged around 156c/kg.

The yarding of export cattle consisted of a fair penning of grown steers and heifers and a good yarding of cows. Quality varied considerably, with some well finished lines of steers and heifers, while there was a fair number of light plain conditioned older type steers and heifers offered. The yarding of cows was made up of several of pens of heavy and medium weights and a fair percentage of very light plain D and E muscled cows. The market for the better finished cattle was firm to slightly dearer in places for an odd pen of heavy cows. The C3 and 4 grown steers sold from 140c to 160c and heifers topped at 156c/kg. Heavy cows sold to 133c, while medium weights averaged around 110c/kg.

Category Weight	Sale Prefix	Muscle Score	Fat Score	Head	Live Weight c/kg				Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg			Estimated \$/Head		
					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
Calves														
80+		C	2	7	142.2	- 142.2	142.2	N/Q	263	- 263	263	256	- 256	256
	RS	D	1	68	87.0	- 136.2	114.1	N/Q	-	-	-	104	- 177	153
	RS	D	2	18	110.0	- 135.0	129.1	29	-	-	-	176	- 216	207
				93	87.0	142.2			263	263		104	256	
Vealer Steer														
200-280		C	2	14	153.2	- 164.0	158.5	N/Q	284	- 304	294	383	- 459	421
	RS	C	2	15	160.2	- 189.2	178.7	N/Q	-	-	-	401	- 530	486
	RS	D	2	45	116.0	- 176.2	139.5	N/Q	-	-	-	255	- 458	322
				74	116.0	189.2			284	304		255	530	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200		C	2	21	125.0	- 155.2	143.5	N/Q	240	- 287	269	238	- 310	274
	RS	D	2	12	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-	-	-	266	- 266	266
200-280		C	2	152	130.0	- 189.2	158.8	21	250	- 344	295	273	- 530	400
		C	3	4	194.2	- 205.0	199.6	8	353	- 373	363	544	- 574	559
	RS	D	2	11	90.0	- 128.2	107.4	N/Q	-	-	-	225	- 269	245
280-330		C	3	10	150.0	- 170.0	152.0	-45	278	- 315	282	495	- 561	502
				210	90.0	205.0			240	373		225	574	
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	17	133.2	- 180.0	156.7	-13	-	-	-	440	- 594	514
	RS	C	2	91	145.2	- 187.2	169.1	-1	-	-	-	435	- 577	509
	RS	D	1	9	80.0	- 114.2	93.4	13	-	-	-	208	- 308	247
	RS	D	2	47	124.2	- 174.2	153.5	10	-	-	-	348	- 470	412
330-400	FD	C	2	33	157.2	- 178.2	167.0	-5	-	-	-	544	- 660	610
		C	3	21	169.2	- 202.2	182.6	-4	313	- 361	333	592	- 809	689

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400+	FD	C	2	2	168.2	- 170.0	169.1	N/Q	-			714	- 723	719
		C	3	13	165.2	- 205.0	183.2	-4	304	- 366	332	710	- 943	841
				233	80.0	205.0			304	366		208	943	
Yearling Heifer														
0-330		C	2	7	154.2	- 160.0	156.7	13	297	- 308	301	463	- 528	491
	RS	C	2	18	130.0	- 131.2	130.7	N/Q	-			364	- 394	380
		C	3	5	168.2	- 180.6	178.1	-9	312	- 334	330	555	- 596	588
330-400	RS	D	2	19	94.2	- 135.2	119.1	N/Q	-			236	- 365	320
	RS	C	2	1	129.2	- 129.2	129.2	N/Q	-			465	- 465	465
	FD	C	2	40	146.2	- 163.2	156.5	11	-			543	- 601	568
		C	2	2	154.2	- 154.2	154.2	N/Q	286	- 286	286	524	- 524	524
		C	3	14	166.2	- 175.0	168.5	2	308	- 324	313	598	- 700	644
		RS	C	3	3	151.2	- 151.2	151.2	N/Q	-			529	- 529
400+	FD	D	2	10	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	22	-			468	- 468	468
		C	2	1	154.2	- 154.2	154.2	N/Q	297	- 297	297	648	- 648	648
		C	3	5	144.2	- 161.6	155.5	1	272	- 299	292	606	- 692	672
	FD	C	3	5	151.2	- 151.2	151.2	N/Q	-			635	- 635	635
				130	94.2	180.6			272	334		236	700	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	C	2	10	132.2	- 145.2	138.7	N/Q	-			523	- 529	526
	RS	C	2	53	103.0	- 116.2	108.3	N/Q	-			361	- 430	398
	RS	D	2	3	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	-4	-			380	- 380	380
400-500	RS	C	2	36	113.2	- 125.2	122.4	N/Q	-			509	- 626	582
	FD	C	2	15	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-			675	- 690	688
		C	2	27	121.2	- 157.2	133.1	N/Q	242	- 302	262	558	- 755	624
500-600		C	3	24	139.2	- 160.2	150.8	-7	268	- 302	286	696	- 801	754
		C	3	1	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	N/Q	280	- 280	280	771	- 771	771
			169	100.0	160.2			242	302		361	801		
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	2	3	115.2	- 126.2	118.9	N/Q	230	- 252	238	507	- 530	515
		C	3	6	134.2	- 156.2	148.0	13	258	- 300	283	617	- 703	661
	FD	D	2	3	120.2	- 120.2	120.2	56	-			505	- 505	505
	RS	D	2	18	90.0	- 120.0	107.4	N/Q	-			342	- 432	397
		D	2	9	81.2	- 105.2	93.9	-9	169	- 224	201	292	- 484	383
	RS	E	1	6	43.2	- 43.2	43.2	N/Q	-			143	- 143	143
			45	43.2	156.2			169	300		143	703		
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	2	2	92.2	- 92.2	92.2	N/Q	-			369	- 369	369
		D	2	11	75.2	- 99.2	80.2	N/Q	167	- 216	178	301	- 397	321
		E	1	30	55.2	- 68.2	64.8	N/Q	138	- 171	161	214	- 265	244
		RS	E	1	23	30.0	- 68.2	55.1	27	-			105	- 237
400-520	RS	D	2	5	96.2	- 100.0	97.7	15	-			433	- 500	460
		D	2	68	73.2	- 103.2	84.4	-11	163	- 224	187	307	- 485	376
		D	3	57	104.2	- 123.2	110.7	N/C	222	- 257	237	494	- 641	535
		D	4	3	124.2	- 124.2	124.2	N/Q	248	- 248	248	646	- 646	646

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520+	E	1	7	50.2	-	73.2	68.5	29	126	-	167	161	231	-	329	300
	D	3	8	114.2	-	115.2	114.7	-2	243	-	245	244	622	-	857	739
	D	4	15	123.2	-	133.2	130.6	8	246	-	266	261	707	-	859	818
			229	30.0	133.2				126	266		105	859			
Bulls																
0-450	C	2	1	124.2	-	124.2	124.2	N/Q	239	-	239	239	559	-	559	559
450-600	C	2	4	105.0	-	123.2	112.4	N/Q	198	-	233	213	561	-	739	641
600+	C	2	7	118.2	-	131.2	126.2	17	219	-	246	236	862	-	1050	927
			12	105.0	131.2				198	246		559	1050			

Abbreviations

CATTLE FD: Feeder RS: Restocker GF: Grainfed DA: Dairy PC: Pastoral Cattle SHEEP & LAMB RS: Restocker MR: Merino RM: Restocker Merino 1X: 1st Cross FD: Feeder

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