

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba Elders

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Yarding Change $\frac{862}{70}$

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The number of stock penned remained close to the previous week's level and young cattle were in the largest numbers along with a few more bullocks and a fair selection of cows. Most of the usual export and feeder buyers were in attendance however some were not operating. Young cattle generally sold to firm demand nevertheless prices in places struggled to maintain the previous week's level. The better line up of bullocks averaged 11c dearer and prices for cows continued to climb to a higher level with average prices improving 5c to 12c/kg.

Calves returning to the paddock averaged 246c and made to 298.2c/kg. Light weight yearling steers also to restockers averaged 270c and made to 278.2c/kg. A fair sample of medium weights to feed averaged close to 270c and made to 288.2c with the occasional B muscle class to the trade reaching 314.2c/kg. A small sample of heavy weights to feed averaged 270c and made to 287.2c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to feed and slaughter mostly averaged from 246c to 253c with the occasional sale to 270.2c/kg. Medium weights to the trade averaged 262c and made to 278c/kg.

Bullocks made to 283.2c with a fair sample averaging 276c/kg. Medium weight 3 score cows averaged 219c and the heavy 3 scores averaged 230c/kg. Good heavy cows made to 258.2c to average close to 249c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 233.2c/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+	RS	C	2	25	216.2	- 298.2	246.4	4	-	-	-	400	- 492	438
				25	216.2	298.2			0	0		400	492	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	17	260.2	- 270.0	265.6	-7	-	-	-	608	- 738	646
	RS	C	2	50	250.0	- 278.2	270.8	18	-	-	-	563	- 682	651
	FD	D	2	9	218.2	- 246.2	241.0	10	-	-	-	564	- 579	574
280-330	FD	C	2	30	241.2	- 276.2	267.6	-5	-	-	-	712	- 791	784
	RS	D	2	6	238.0	- 238.0	238.0	N/Q	-	-	-	702	- 702	702
	FD	D	2	5	238.2	- 238.2	238.2	-2	-	-	-	703	- 703	703
		D	2	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	309	- 309	309	510	- 510	510
330-400		B	3	1	314.2	- 314.2	314.2	N/Q	571	- 571	571	1194	- 1194	1194
	FD	C	2	119	250.0	- 288.2	269.7	-11	-	-	-	867	- 1059	957
	RS	C	2	5	269.2	- 269.2	269.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1036	- 1036	1036
	FD	C	3	13	270.0	- 289.2	282.4	-17	-	-	-	963	- 1085	1051
		D	2	3	224.2	- 239.2	229.2	N/Q	408	- 435	417	762	- 813	779
	FD	D	2	20	198.2	- 242.2	231.1	19	-	-	-	694	- 823	787
		E	2	2	161.2	- 161.2	161.2	N/Q	293	- 293	293	588	- 588	588
400+	FD	C	2	27	266.2	- 287.2	270.5	-4	-	-	-	1078	- 1202	1131
	FD	C	3	5	173.0	- 269.2	211.5	-49	-	-	-	779	- 1198	946
		C	3	12	276.2	- 276.2	276.2	1	493	- 493	493	1243	- 1243	1243
	FD	D	2	1	237.2	- 237.2	237.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1008	- 1008	1008
				326	161.2	314.2			293	571		510	1243	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	62	235.2	- 262.2	253.2	12	-	-	-	579	- 648	617
		C	2	54	236.2	- 270.2	246.4	N/Q	437	- 500	457	540	- 635	584

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	FD	D	2	21	206.2	- 218.2	215.4	6	-			485	- 535	510
	RS	D	2	12	216.2	- 216.2	216.2	N/Q	-			497	- 497	497
280-330	FD	C	2	12	252.2	- 266.2	262.7	5	-			719	- 759	749
330-400	FD	C	2	4	254.2	- 254.2	254.2	3	-			852	- 852	852
	FD	C	3	12	240.2	- 268.2	251.9	-2	-			898	- 994	952
		C	3	32	236.2	- 278.0	262.5	14	437	- 515	486	911	- 1070	989
		D	2	1	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	370	- 370	370	670	- 670	670
		D	3	1	201.2	- 201.2	201.2	N/Q	373	- 373	373	704	- 704	704
400+	FD	C	2	6	248.2	- 248.2	248.2	24	-			1055	- 1055	1055
		C	3	26	236.2	- 275.2	256.6	-12	437	- 510	475	1038	- 1238	1097
	FD	C	3	3	242.2	- 242.2	242.2	19	-			1054	- 1054	1054
				246	200.0	278.0			370	515		485	1238	
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	2	42	250.0	- 267.2	265.9	16	-			1078	- 1123	1109
	FD	C	3	2	263.2	- 263.2	263.2	N/Q	-			1184	- 1184	1184
		D	2	1	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	N/Q	300	- 300	300	702	- 702	702
		D	3	2	233.2	- 233.2	233.2	N/Q	424	- 424	424	1049	- 1049	1049
500-600		C	3	9	264.2	- 265.2	264.6	N/Q	472	- 474	473	1493	- 1498	1495
600-750		C	4	50	253.2	- 283.2	275.9	11	452	- 506	493	1646	- 1906	1793
				106	165.2	283.2			300	506		702	1906	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	2	229.2	- 229.2	229.2	N/Q	433	- 433	433	974	- 974	974
		C	4	4	248.2	- 248.2	248.2	10	468	- 468	468	1204	- 1204	1204
		D	1	14	163.2	- 163.2	163.2	N/Q	340	- 340	340	571	- 571	571
		D	2	3	160.0	- 206.2	190.8	66	333	- 430	398	696	- 897	830
	RS	D	2	2	196.2	- 196.2	196.2	N/Q	-			853	- 853	853
540+		C	4	6	254.2	- 254.2	254.2	N/Q	480	- 480	480	1436	- 1436	1436
				31	160.0	254.2			333	480		571	1436	
Cows														
0-400		D	1	24	125.2	- 162.2	148.2	N/Q	285	- 369	337	445	- 624	563
400-520		D	1	10	148.2	- 180.0	166.9	7	337	- 409	379	645	- 783	726
		D	2	8	174.2	- 210.0	197.6	4	379	- 457	432	758	- 914	859
	DA	D	2	1	205.2	- 205.2	205.2	N/Q	446	- 446	446	954	- 954	954
		D	3	15	213.2	- 227.2	219.5	8	435	- 464	448	959	- 1102	1049
		D	4	1	229.2	- 229.2	229.2	N/Q	449	- 449	449	1112	- 1112	1112
520+		D	2	2	208.2	- 208.2	208.2	N/Q	453	- 453	453	1124	- 1124	1124
		D	3	20	228.2	- 235.2	230.2	5	466	- 480	470	1248	- 1399	1305
		D	4	15	231.2	- 258.2	248.8	12	453	- 506	488	1353	- 2027	1527
		D	6	1	218.2	- 218.2	218.2	N/Q	445	- 445	445	1386	- 1386	1386
				97	125.2	258.2			285	506		445	2027	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	5	226.2	- 235.2	229.8	10	-			577	- 600	586
	RS	C	2	5	210.2	- 246.2	231.8	-8	-			536	- 628	591
450-600		C	2	2	190.2	- 195.2	192.7	N/Q	346	- 355	350	999	- 1025	1012
600+		C	3	3	205.0	- 233.2	215.5	-14	366	- 416	385	1353	- 1982	1693

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				15	190.2	246.2			346	416		536	1982	

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 DP: Dorper

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