

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba Elders

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Numbers reduced and buyer attendance and activity was good across all classes. A fair supply of young cattle was penned along with a few pens of heavy grown steers and bullocks and a relatively small selection of cows. Feeder operator's, restockers and the trade maintained very strong prices for all classes of young cattle and better quality lines improved in price. Heavy grown steers, bullocks and cows experienced a very dear market for the quality penned.

Vealer steers to feed and restockers averaged 320c and made to 332.2c/kg. A small selection of vealer heifers made to 294.2c/kg. Lightweight yearling steers returning to the paddock averaged 330c and made to 335.2c/kg. Medium weights to feed averaged 316c and made to 332.2c/kg. Heavyweights to feed averaged close to 317c and made to 324.2c with the occasional heavyweight with show ring potential making to 355c/kg. Heavyweights to the trade made to an isolated 324.2c with most around 307c/kg. Lightweight yearling heifers mostly sold in the 270c range and medium weights to feed averaged 284c and made to 289.2c/kg. A handful to the trade averaged 300c and made to 314.2c/kg.

Heavy grown steers averaged 306c and made to 310c and bullocks mostly sold around 314c with a few to the wholesale meat trade reaching 330.2c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 220c and good heavy cows made to 274.2c to average 261c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 266.2c/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+		C	2	2	238.2	- 260.2	249.2	N/Q	449	- 491	470	393	- 455	424
	RS	C	2	7	286.2	- 328.2	309.5	22	-	-	-	529	- 607	573
				9	238.2	328.2			449	491		393	607	
Vealer Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	3	332.2	- 332.2	332.2	N/Q	-	-	-	847	- 847	847
	RS	C	2	26	308.2	- 328.2	320.0	N/Q	-	-	-	652	- 771	727
		D	2	2	280.2	- 280.2	280.2	N/Q	510	- 510	510	630	- 630	630
				31	280.2	332.2			510	510		630	847	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	9	273.2	- 294.2	277.1	N/Q	506	- 545	513	662	- 756	736
	FD	C	2	1	288.2	- 288.2	288.2	N/Q	-	-	-	764	- 764	764
				10	273.2	294.2			506	545		662	764	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	7	272.2	- 314.2	284.2	44	-	-	-	612	- 864	684
	RS	C	2	23	324.2	- 335.2	330.4	12	-	-	-	673	- 855	797
280-330	RS	B	3	2	340.2	- 340.2	340.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1106	- 1106	1106
	FD	C	2	10	334.2	- 334.2	334.2	23	-	-	-	952	- 952	952
330-400	FD	C	2	45	296.2	- 332.2	316.0	-11	-	-	-	1037	- 1194	1133
	FD	C	3	14	312.2	- 328.2	327.1	2	-	-	-	1202	- 1264	1240
		C	3	1	294.2	- 294.2	294.2	N/Q	535	- 535	535	1133	- 1133	1133
		D	2	9	214.2	- 214.2	214.2	N/Q	390	- 390	390	739	- 739	739
	FD	D	2	5	214.2	- 270.2	235.0	-2	-	-	-	739	- 932	811
400+		B	3	1	324.2	- 324.2	324.2	N/Q	559	- 559	559	1848	- 1848	1848
	RS	B	3	1	355.0	- 355.0	355.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1456	- 1456	1456
	FD	C	2	6	295.2	- 310.0	297.7	N/Q	-	-	-	1255	- 1318	1265

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	FD	C	3	16	310.0	- 324.2	316.9	8	-				1375	- 1410	1384
		C	3	10	302.2	- 322.2	307.8	20	550	- 582	559	1315	- 1402	1339	
				150	214.2	355.0			390	582		612	1848		
Yearling Heifer															
0-200	RS	D	2	4	255.2	- 255.2	255.2	N/Q	-			447	- 447	447	
200-280		C	2	13	255.2	- 289.2	276.6	1	473	- 536	512	574	- 680	646	
	FD	C	2	3	273.2	- 273.2	273.2	-2	-			724	- 724	724	
	RS	D	2	6	240.2	- 240.2	240.2	-7	-			492	- 492	492	
280-330		C	2	6	254.2	- 254.2	254.2	-30	471	- 471	471	724	- 724	724	
	FD	C	2	9	279.2	- 279.2	279.2	-10	-			796	- 796	796	
		D	2	1	258.2	- 258.2	258.2	N/Q	478	- 478	478	736	- 736	736	
330-400	FD	C	2	15	278.2	- 289.2	284.8	5	-			969	- 1043	999	
		C	3	15	284.2	- 314.2	306.7	31	526	- 582	568	987	- 1210	1156	
	FD	D	2	12	204.2	- 217.2	208.5	-18	-			715	- 793	741	
		D	2	13	208.2	- 240.0	219.4	N/Q	386	- 444	406	739	- 924	806	
		D	3	12	240.0	- 248.2	243.3	N/Q	444	- 460	451	899	- 956	916	
400+		B	3	1	295.2	- 295.2	295.2	N/Q	527	- 527	527	1845	- 1845	1845	
		C	3	10	270.2	- 294.2	277.5	16	500	- 545	514	1175	- 1250	1190	
				120	204.2	314.2			386	582		447	1845		
Grown Steer															
0-400	FD	D	2	9	200.0	- 239.2	225.8	N/Q	-			770	- 921	869	
400-500	FD	C	3	1	291.2	- 291.2	291.2	N/Q	-			1412	- 1412	1412	
	FD	D	2	4	250.0	- 271.2	265.3	N/Q	-			1063	- 1153	1101	
500-600	FD	C	3	1	300.2	- 300.2	300.2	N/Q	-			1606	- 1606	1606	
		C	4	11	296.2	- 310.2	305.8	N/C	529	- 554	546	1629	- 1785	1705	
		D	3	2	259.2	- 259.2	259.2	N/Q	471	- 471	471	1542	- 1542	1542	
600-750		B	3	4	330.2	- 330.2	330.2	N/Q	569	- 569	569	2064	- 2064	2064	
		C	4	21	299.0	- 315.2	314.0	N/Q	534	- 563	561	1948	- 2232	2065	
				53	200.0	330.2			471	569		770	2232		
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	4	5	293.2	- 293.2	293.2	17	553	- 553	553	1569	- 1569	1569	
	RS	D	2	2	240.2	- 240.2	240.2	N/Q	-			1141	- 1141	1141	
				7	240.2	293.2			553	553		1141	1569		
Cows															
0-400		D	1	3	140.2	- 159.2	152.9	N/Q	319	- 362	347	540	- 613	589	
		D	2	1	190.2	- 190.2	190.2	N/Q	414	- 414	414	732	- 732	732	
400-520	RS	D	1	5	211.2	- 213.2	212.4	22	-			927	- 982	949	
		D	1	2	182.2	- 192.2	187.2	N/Q	414	- 437	426	820	- 836	828	
	RS	D	2	2	234.2	- 234.2	234.2	N/Q	-			1112	- 1112	1112	
		D	2	7	214.2	- 226.2	220.5	-5	466	- 492	479	932	- 1055	967	
	DA	D	2	7	223.2	- 225.2	223.5	N/Q	485	- 490	486	1070	- 1105	1100	
		D	3	6	244.2	- 247.2	246.0	7	498	- 505	502	1149	- 1219	1165	
		D	4	7	250.0	- 258.2	253.2	2	490	- 506	496	1118	- 1218	1166	
520+	DA	D	1	4	226.2	- 226.2	226.2	41	514	- 514	514	1210	- 1210	1210	
		D	4	5	256.2	- 274.2	261.8	N/C	466	- 538	495	1371	- 2029	1685	

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
				49	140.2	274.2			319	538		540	2029	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	9	256.2	- 260.0	258.7	2	-			1089	- 1105	1100
		C	3	3	266.2	- 266.2	266.2	-3	484	- 484	484	1198	- 1198	1198
450-600		C	3	1	240.2	- 240.2	240.2	N/Q	437	- 437	437	1165	- 1165	1165
600+		C	2	1	203.2	- 203.2	203.2	N/Q	363	- 363	363	1524	- 1524	1524
		C	3	4	228.2	- 266.2	246.0	-35	408	- 475	439	1633	- 2582	1988
				18	203.2	266.2			363	484		1089	2582	

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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