

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba Elders

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The supply of stock remained close to the previous weeks low numbers. Most of the usual buyers were in attendance and operating in a generally dearer market. Restockers, feeder operators and the trade provided stronger support across all classes of young cattle, with improvements of 20c/kg fairly common. Heavy grown steers and bullocks to export slaughter also lifted in price to average 10c to 15c/kg dearer. A very small selection of cows shared in the rising trend, with improvements of 6c to 12c/kg.

The occasional pen of steer calves made to 400.2c to average 343c/kg. A handful of vealer heifers made to 314.2c to average 309c/kg. Light weight yearling steers returning to the paddock mostly sold in the mid-330c range, with the occasional sale to 350c/kg. Medium weights to feed averaged in the 320c range, with some to 332.2c/kg. Heavy weights to feed averaged 322c and made to 324.2c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers averaged 290c and made to 306.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 300c and made to 312.2c/kg. Heavy yearling heifers to the trade made to 307.2c to average 294c/kg.

Heavy grown steers averaged 307c and bullocks averaged 312c and made to 313.2c/kg. Medium weight 3 score cows averaged 247c and made to 259.2c/kg. The handful of good heavy cows made to 276.2c to average 266c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 265.2c/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	7	266.2	- 301.2	290.5	N/Q	502	- 568	548	492	- 542	512
	RS	C	2	36	280.2	- 400.2	343.3	N/Q		-		462	- 580	523
				43	266.2	400.2			502	568		462	580	
Vealer Steer														
200-280	RS	B	2	1	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q		-		799	- 799	799
	RS	C	2	2	334.2	- 334.2	334.2	N/Q		-		785	- 785	785
	FD	C	2	7	306.2	- 306.2	306.2	N/Q		-		766	- 766	766
280-330	FD	C	2	1	314.2	- 314.2	314.2	N/Q		-		895	- 895	895
		C	3	1	322.0	- 322.0	322.0	N/Q	586	- 586	586	918	- 918	918
				12	306.2	340.0			586	586		766	918	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	7	303.2	- 303.2	303.2	N/Q	562	- 562	562	803	- 803	803
	FD	C	2	1	304.2	- 304.2	304.2	N/Q		-		806	- 806	806
280-330	FD	C	2	3	307.2	- 307.2	307.2	N/Q		-		876	- 876	876
		C	3	3	300.0	- 314.2	309.5	N/Q	556	- 582	573	885	- 895	892
				14	300.0	314.2			556	582		803	895	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	9	300.2	- 336.2	327.0	39		-		751	- 891	839
	RS	C	2	29	328.2	- 338.2	335.5	-4		-		752	- 846	788
	RS	D	2	1	248.2	- 248.2	248.2	N/Q		-		583	- 583	583
		D	2	3	224.2	- 240.0	234.7	N/Q	408	- 436	427	549	- 636	607
280-330	RS	B	2	1	350.0	- 350.0	350.0	N/Q		-		998	- 998	998
	FD	C	2	16	320.2	- 334.2	333.3	16		-		913	- 1003	969
	RS	C	2	4	320.2	- 320.2	320.2	N/Q		-		913	- 913	913
		E	2	2	282.2	- 282.2	282.2	N/Q	513	- 513	513	931	- 931	931

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
330-400	FD	C	2	35	307.2	- 332.2	320.9	23	-			1077	- 1213	1148	
	FD	C	3	25	312.2	- 330.2	328.2	25	-			1142	- 1260	1197	
		C	3	1	320.2	- 320.2	320.2	N/Q	582	- 582	582	1121	- 1121	1121	
	FD	D	2	4	262.2	- 280.0	271.1	13	-			918	- 938	928	
400+	FD	C	3	16	313.2	- 324.2	322.8	26	-			1378	- 1459	1449	
		C	3	5	293.2	- 313.2	301.2	2	533	- 570	548	1331	- 1422	1386	
				151	224.2	350.0			408	582		549	1459		
Yearling Heifer															
200-280		C	2	12	292.2	- 305.2	298.2	30	541	- 565	552	673	- 839	727	
	FD	C	2	16	260.2	- 306.2	295.7	20	-			611	- 796	738	
	RS	C	2	1	294.2	- 294.2	294.2	N/Q	-			736	- 736	736	
		D	2	9	218.2	- 240.0	224.4	-8	404	- 444	416	495	- 546	508	
		E	2	1	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	N/Q	297	- 297	297	392	- 392	392	
330-400	FD	C	2	15	280.0	- 302.2	300.7	24	-			938	- 1058	1050	
	FD	C	3	6	280.0	- 312.2	300.0	20	-			980	- 1129	1065	
		C	3	8	310.2	- 310.2	310.2	33	574	- 574	574	1163	- 1163	1163	
400+		C	3	15	290.0	- 307.2	294.1	12	537	- 569	545	1238	- 1382	1314	
		D	3	2	224.2	- 224.2	224.2	N/Q	415	- 415	415	953	- 953	953	
				85	160.2	312.2			297	574		392	1382		
Grown Steer															
400-500	FD	C	3	1	294.2	- 294.2	294.2	N/Q	-			1427	- 1427	1427	
500-600	FD	C	3	20	300.0	- 300.2	300.0	N/Q	-			1612	- 1650	1642	
		C	4	20	305.2	- 312.2	306.9	9	545	- 558	548	1638	- 1782	1698	
600-750		C	3	1	289.2	- 289.2	289.2	N/Q	526	- 526	526	1822	- 1822	1822	
		C	4	9	312.2	- 313.2	312.4	15	558	- 559	558	2036	- 2042	2040	
				51	289.2	313.2			526	559		1427	2042		
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	4	1	278.2	- 278.2	278.2	N/Q	525	- 525	525	1349	- 1349	1349	
		D	3	1	231.2	- 231.2	231.2	N/Q	436	- 436	436	983	- 983	983	
				2	231.2	278.2			436	525		983	1349		
Cows															
0-400		D	1	3	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	-47	318	- 318	318	511	- 511	511	
400-520		D	1	1	185.2	- 185.2	185.2	N/Q	421	- 421	421	806	- 806	806	
		D	2	5	220.2	- 224.2	223.4	-3	479	- 487	486	958	- 975	972	
		RS	D	2	1	232.2	- 232.2	232.2	N/Q	-			1080	- 1080	1080
		DA	D	3	1	239.2	- 239.2	239.2	N/Q	488	- 488	488	1041	- 1041	1041
			D	3	10	242.2	- 259.2	247.4	6	494	- 529	505	1054	- 1199	1119
520+		D	4	1	251.2	- 251.2	251.2	N/Q	493	- 493	493	1130	- 1130	1130	
	DA	D	2	1	242.2	- 242.2	242.2	N/Q	527	- 527	527	1296	- 1296	1296	
		D	3	2	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	490	- 490	490	1284	- 1284	1284	
		D	4	5	253.2	- 276.2	266.6	12	497	- 542	523	1392	- 1694	1489	
				30	140.0	276.2			318	542		511	1694		
Bulls															
0-450		C	2	3	268.2	- 268.2	268.2	1	488	- 488	488	939	- 939	939	
	FD	C	2	3	252.2	- 278.0	262.8	N/Q	-			904	- 973	932	

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450-600	FD	C	3	1	292.2	- 292.2	292.2	N/Q	-			1023	- 1023	1023
		C	4	10	302.2	- 302.2	302.2	N/Q	540	- 540	540	1692	- 1692	1692
		D	1	1	170.2	- 170.2	170.2	N/Q	310	- 310	310	817	- 817	817
600+		C	3	2	250.2	- 265.2	257.7	N/Q	447	- 474	460	1726	- 2055	1891
				20	170.2	302.2			310	540		817	2055	

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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