

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba

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Yarding Change ⁹⁰/₀

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The first sale for the New Year attracted a very small number of predominantly young cattle. A few trade and feeder operators were in attendance along with a good number of restocker buyers plus a very large contingent of onlookers. Restockers purchased the vast majority of the yarding with only a handful to the trade and feeder operators.

Vealer heifers made to 360.2c with a small sample averaging 332c/kg. Lightweight yearling steers returning to the paddock averaged 346c and made to 368.2c/kg. Heavyweights also to restockers made to 340.2c to average 324c/kg. A couple of lightweight yearling heifers to feed made to 310c and a few plain condition heavyweights made to 276.2c/kg.

Lightweight bulls returning to the paddock made to 360.2c to average 333c/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
Vealer Steer														
280-330		C	3	2	356.2	- 356.2	356.2	N/Q	648	- 648	648	1175	- 1175	1175
	RS	D	2	1	302.2	- 302.2	302.2	N/Q		-		922	- 922	922
				3	302.2	356.2			648	648		922	1175	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280	RS	B	2	1	360.2	- 360.2	360.2	N/Q		-		991	- 991	991
	FD	C	2	6	322.2	- 334.2	332.2	N/Q		-		854	- 926	914
330+		C	3	1	342.2	- 342.2	342.2	N/Q	634	- 634	634	1232	- 1232	1232
				8	322.2	360.2			634	634		854	1232	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	RS	C	2	25	334.2	- 368.2	346.8	N/Q		-		819	- 939	898
	FD	C	2	1	344.2	- 344.2	344.2	N/Q		-		912	- 912	912
	RS	D	2	3	326.2	- 332.2	328.9	N/Q		-		781	- 864	827
280-330	RS	C	2	1	336.2	- 336.2	336.2	N/Q		-		958	- 958	958
330-400	RS	C	2	12	310.0	- 340.2	324.4	N/Q		-		1147	- 1191	1167
				42	310.0	368.2			0	0		781	1191	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	2	310.2	- 310.2	310.2	N/Q		-		807	- 807	807
	RS	D	2	3	264.2	- 294.2	284.2	N/Q		-		674	- 691	685
400+	FD	D	2	6	276.2	- 276.2	276.2	N/Q		-		1119	- 1119	1119
				11	264.2	310.2			0	0		674	1119	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	RS	D	2	6	248.2	- 248.2	248.2	N/Q		-		1104	- 1104	1104
		D	3	1	259.2	- 259.2	259.2	N/Q	499	- 499	499	1128	- 1128	1128
				7	248.2	259.2			499	499		1104	1128	
Cows														
400-520	RS	D	2	2	220.0	- 220.2	220.1	N/Q		-		1068	- 1144	1106
520+	RS	D	2	1	206.2	- 206.2	206.2	N/Q		-		1155	- 1155	1155
				3	206.2	220.2			0	0		1068	1155	
Bulls														

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
0-450	RS	B	2	1	360.2	- 360.2	360.2	N/Q	-			1171	- 1171	1171
	RS	C	2	6	322.2	- 324.2	322.9	N/Q	-			757	- 859	791
	FD	D	2	1	276.2	- 276.2	276.2	N/Q	-			967	- 967	967
		D	2	1	234.2	- 234.2	234.2	N/Q	426	- 426	426	867	- 867	867
600+		D	2	2	232.2	- 232.2	232.2	N/Q	422	- 422	422	1440	- 1440	1440
				11	232.2	360.2			422	426		757	1440	

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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