

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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The supply of stock reduced by 10% and overall quality was generally good. The usual panel of buyers was present and operating. Restockers were very active on light weight young cattle and this was most noticeable on steer calves. Prices of medium and heavy weight yearling to feed regained some of the previous week's losses to average 5c to 7c/kg better. However export slaughter classes of heavy grown steers, bullocks and cows went against this trend, with bullocks 2c to 4c cheaper while cows fell in price by 5c to 9c/kg, with the poorer quality lines the least affected.

Steer calves made to 419.2c, with most of the calves in the 350c/kg range. Light yearling steers returning to the paddock averaged 346c and made to 360.2c/kg. Medium weights to feed averaged 326c and made to 335.2c/kg. Heavy weights to feed mostly sold around 317c, with some to 326.2c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers sold to a dearer trend, with most from 311c to 316c/kg. Medium weights to feed averaged 310c and local trade lines made 306c, with sales to 315.2c/kg.

Bullocks mostly sold around 283c, with sales to 289.2c and full mouth bullocks were not penalised to average 277c, with some to 283.2c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 209c and made to 217.2c/kg. Good heavy cows made to an isolated 250c, with most around 238c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 270.2c/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														
0-80	RS	C	2	39	315.2	- 419.2	358.5	N/Q	-			142	- 210	192
		C	2	3	319.2	- 319.2	319.2	N/Q	602	- 602	602	144	- 144	144
80+	RS	C	2	46	297.2	- 410.2	355.5	30	-			295	- 683	565
	RS	D	2	2	275.2	- 275.2	275.2	N/Q	-			372	- 372	372
				90	275.2	419.2			602	602		142	683	
Vealer Steer														
200-280		C	2	1	325.2	- 325.2	325.2	N/Q	591	- 591	591	862	- 862	862
	RS	C	2	12	320.0	- 345.2	335.5	-16	-			800	- 863	839
				13	320.0	345.2			591	591		800	863	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	4	325.2	- 326.2	326.0	18	602	- 604	604	862	- 897	888
	FD	C	2	1	324.2	- 324.2	324.2	N/Q	-			811	- 811	811
				5	324.2	326.2			602	604		811	897	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	24	315.2	- 336.2	330.1	-2	-			790	- 835	810
	RS	C	2	54	320.2	- 360.2	346.8	N/C	-			720	- 846	805
	RS	D	2	1	300.2	- 300.2	300.2	N/Q	-			705	- 705	705
	FD	D	2	10	286.2	- 286.2	286.2	N/Q	-			673	- 673	673
280-330	RS	C	2	8	326.2	- 326.2	326.2	1	-			930	- 930	930
	FD	C	2	22	337.2	- 344.2	341.7	12	-			981	- 1012	992
330-400	FD	C	2	154	311.2	- 335.2	326.1	7	-			1072	- 1271	1166
	FD	C	3	6	315.0	- 318.2	316.1	-9	-			1213	- 1225	1217
		C	3	17	307.2	- 334.2	325.6	11	559	- 608	592	1098	- 1275	1180
	FD	D	2	9	305.0	- 307.2	305.7	15	-			1029	- 1068	1055
	RS	D	2	5	289.2	- 299.2	293.2	12	-			1012	- 1047	1026
400+	FD	C	2	59	303.2	- 326.2	317.8	5	-			1254	- 1450	1388

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
	FD	C	3	25	295.2	- 319.2	304.6	-8	-				1255	- 1476	1411
		C	3	9	290.0	- 310.0	293.4	2	527	- 564	534	1349	- 1446	1427	
				403	286.2	360.2			527	608		673	1476		
Yearling Heifer															
200-280	FD	C	2	18	313.2	- 318.2	316.5	2	-			736	- 748	744	
	RS	C	2	24	303.2	- 322.2	311.3	14	-			717	- 798	741	
	RS	D	2	9	286.2	- 287.2	286.9	N/Q	-			646	- 758	684	
280-330		C	2	3	310.0	- 310.0	310.0	8	574	- 574	574	930	- 930	930	
330-400	FD	C	2	3	315.2	- 315.2	315.2	26	-			1056	- 1056	1056	
	FD	C	3	18	307.2	- 312.2	310.0	15	-			1077	- 1121	1097	
		C	3	37	298.2	- 315.0	306.2	-3	552	- 583	567	1043	- 1213	1096	
	FD	D	2	3	257.2	- 257.2	257.2	N/Q	-			862	- 862	862	
		D	2	6	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	23	500	- 500	500	905	- 905	905	
400+	FD	C	3	15	284.2	- 297.2	285.7	3	-			1212	- 1471	1271	
		C	3	8	283.2	- 310.0	294.7	12	524	- 574	546	1318	- 1430	1384	
				144	257.2	322.2			500	583		646	1471		
Grown Steer															
400-500	FD	C	2	8	270.2	- 270.2	270.2	-6	-			1216	- 1216	1216	
	FD	C	3	11	295.0	- 314.2	303.9	19	-			1419	- 1555	1461	
	RS	D	2	5	242.2	- 242.2	242.2	-25	-			981	- 981	981	
500-600		C	3	8	250.0	- 265.0	261.3	-12	455	- 482	475	1338	- 1497	1457	
		C	4	4	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	-4	500	- 500	500	1498	- 1498	1498	
		D	3	6	254.2	- 254.2	254.2	-2	462	- 462	462	1436	- 1436	1436	
600-750		C	4	64	277.2	- 289.2	282.9	-2	495	- 516	505	1764	- 2053	1844	
750+		C	4	5	269.6	- 269.6	269.6	-18	481	- 481	481	2227	- 2227	2227	
				111	242.2	314.2			455	516		981	2227		
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	3	18	268.2	- 279.2	275.3	N/Q	506	- 527	519	1225	- 1337	1257	
	FD	C	3	38	264.2	- 278.2	268.9	N/Q	-			1149	- 1260	1219	
	RS	D	1	11	232.2	- 239.2	236.0	38	-			894	- 957	928	
	RS	D	2	12	227.2	- 227.2	227.2	N/Q	-			988	- 988	988	
		D	2	10	227.2	- 233.2	229.0	N/Q	473	- 486	477	1056	- 1084	1065	
		D	3	66	232.2	- 268.2	257.1	9	455	- 516	491	1094	- 1344	1232	
540+		C	4	3	263.2	- 263.2	263.2	-5	506	- 506	506	1727	- 1727	1727	
		D	3	4	259.2	- 259.2	259.2	N/Q	499	- 499	499	1413	- 1413	1413	
				162	227.2	279.2			455	527		894	1727		
Manufacturing Steer															
540+		C	3	2	265.2	- 265.2	265.2	N/Q	482	- 482	482	1684	- 1684	1684	
		C	4	53	274.2	- 283.2	277.2	N/Q	490	- 506	495	1741	- 1954	1780	
		D	2	1	242.2	- 242.2	242.2	N/Q	440	- 440	440	2192	- 2192	2192	
				56	242.2	283.2			440	506		1684	2192		
Cows															
0-400	RS	D	1	4	173.2	- 179.2	174.7	-22	-			693	- 717	699	
		D	1	1	159.2	- 159.2	159.2	N/Q	362	- 362	362	637	- 637	637	
	RS	D	2	6	218.2	- 218.2	218.2	N/Q	-			873	- 873	873	

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
400-520	RS	D	1	3	196.2	- 218.2	203.5	-10	-			844	- 949	879
	DA	D	1	4	181.2	- 181.2	181.2	N/Q	412	- 412	412	897	- 897	897
		D	1	2	187.2	- 195.2	191.2	N/Q	426	- 444	435	870	- 878	874
		D	2	47	199.2	- 217.2	209.1	-4	433	- 472	455	861	- 1060	947
	RS	D	2	18	203.2	- 221.2	218.4	7	-			884	- 977	960
		D	3	36	219.2	- 229.2	225.0	-5	447	- 468	459	997	- 1135	1057
		D	4	23	227.2	- 240.0	230.6	-8	446	- 471	452	1071	- 1188	1129
520+		C	3	1	258.2	- 258.2	258.2	N/Q	506	- 506	506	1665	- 1665	1665
	DA	D	1	2	198.2	- 198.2	198.2	N/Q	451	- 451	451	1060	- 1060	1060
	DA	D	2	9	208.2	- 216.2	212.6	N/Q	453	- 470	462	1124	- 1222	1178
		D	2	6	215.2	- 215.2	215.2	-12	468	- 468	468	1151	- 1151	1151
		D	3	39	223.2	- 238.2	228.4	-8	456	- 486	466	1244	- 1346	1287
	DA	D	3	1	226.2	- 226.2	226.2	N/Q	462	- 462	462	1221	- 1221	1221
		D	4	46	230.2	- 250.0	238.3	-9	451	- 490	467	1253	- 1706	1365
		D	5	2	225.0	- 230.0	227.5	N/Q	459	- 469	464	1380	- 1429	1404
				250	159.2	258.2		362	506		637	1706		
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	5	255.2	- 317.2	292.4	-8	464	- 577	532	793	- 1085	910
	FD	C	2	3	289.2	- 289.2	289.2	50	-			1113	- 1113	1113
	RS	C	2	1	283.2	- 283.2	283.2	N/Q	-			807	- 807	807
	FD	C	3	2	286.2	- 297.2	291.7	N/Q	-			959	- 1144	1052
		D	2	1	250.2	- 250.2	250.2	N/Q	455	- 455	455	1088	- 1088	1088
450-600		D	3	1	232.2	- 232.2	232.2	N/Q	422	- 422	422	1219	- 1219	1219
600+		C	2	4	217.2	- 233.2	224.7	-4	395	- 424	409	1379	- 2081	1580
		C	3	15	240.2	- 270.2	255.5	6	429	- 483	456	1587	- 2711	1957
		D	2	4	205.2	- 230.2	211.5	N/Q	373	- 419	385	1283	- 2072	1480
				36	205.2	317.2		373	577		793	2711		

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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