

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Warwick

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Yarding Change ⁸⁹⁴
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The supply of stock almost halved from the previous week's level. A fair panel of buyers was present however feeder buyers operated selectively. Young cattle varied in price according to quality and most could not maintain the levels of the previous sale with the light weight lines and well-bred classes the least affected. Vealer heifers lost 5c to 8c and medium weight yearling steers to feed averaged 3c/kg less. Well-bred heavy weight yearling steers to feed experienced strong demand while the remainder were cheaper. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed also sold to a cheaper trend to average 6c/kg less. A handful of heavy grown steers averaged 2c dearer and cows sold to strong demand to be firm to 4c/kg better.

Steer calves returning to the paddock made to 379.2c, with most of the calves around 347c/kg. Vealer heifers to feed averaged 311c and slaughter lines returned 309c, with some to local butchers reaching 329.2c/kg. Light weight yearling steers mostly sold in the high 320c range with some to 338.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed made to 330c to average 316c/kg. Well-bred heavy weights to feed averaged 320c and sold to 327.2c while the remainder averaged 293c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 290c and made to 301.2c/kg.

Heavy grown steers made to 285c to average 282c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows averaged close to 211c and sold to 216.2c/kg. Good heavy cows made to 238.2c to average 231c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 260.2c/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	270.0	- 280.0	275.0	N/Q	509	- 528	519	311	- 420	365
	RS	C	2	30	307.2	- 379.2	347.3	21		-		346	- 702	480
				32	270.0	379.2			509	528		311	702	
Vealer Steer														
200-280	RS	C	2	11	340.2	- 347.2	343.4	15		-		851	- 868	858
280-330	RS	C	2	1	300.0	- 300.0	300.0	N/Q		-		885	- 885	885
	FD	C	2	8	315.2	- 331.2	320.0	-11		-		898	- 944	912
				20	300.0	347.2			0	0		851	944	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	45	293.2	- 325.2	311.3	-5		-		689	- 834	743
		C	2	41	297.2	- 325.0	308.8	-8	550	- 602	572	615	- 839	745
280-330		C	2	5	298.2	- 299.2	298.8	-19	552	- 554	553	853	- 880	864
	FD	C	2	4	299.2	- 320.2	310.0	-8		-		883	- 913	891
		C	3	9	307.2	- 329.2	315.0	-5	569	- 610	583	915	- 1086	963
				104	293.2	329.2			550	610		615	1086	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	11	320.0	- 329.2	327.5	16		-		736	- 905	875
	RS	C	2	17	309.2	- 336.2	325.8	1		-		736	- 925	816
280-330	RS	C	2	8	338.2	- 338.2	338.2	19		-		998	- 998	998
	FD	C	2	20	310.0	- 335.2	328.7	8		-		884	- 1006	969
330-400	FD	C	2	151	290.0	- 330.0	316.0	-3		-		1050	- 1205	1133
	RS	C	2	18	318.2	- 319.2	318.6	N/Q		-		1114	- 1117	1115
	FD	D	2	14	235.2	- 260.0	240.5	-49		-		823	- 910	842
		D	2	11	235.2	- 235.2	235.2	-19	428	- 428	428	823	- 823	823
400+	FD	C	2	34	311.2	- 327.2	320.4	7		-		1323	- 1432	1374

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		C	3	2	280.2	- 280.2	280.2	N/Q	510	- 510	510	1387	- 1387	1387
	FD	C	3	13	290.0	- 293.2	293.0	-24		-		1305	- 1510	1494
				299	235.2	338.2			428	510		736	1510	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280		C	2	14	290.2	- 303.2	301.3	-6	537	- 562	558	743	- 798	751
	FD	C	2	5	302.0	- 302.0	302.0	-3		-		740	- 740	740
		D	2	3	275.2	- 275.2	275.2	2	510	- 510	510	647	- 647	647
280-330	FD	C	2	5	284.2	- 284.2	284.2	28		-		810	- 810	810
		C	2	8	292.2	- 292.2	292.2	-8	541	- 541	541	833	- 833	833
		D	2	4	245.2	- 245.2	245.2	N/Q	454	- 454	454	736	- 736	736
330-400	FD	C	2	43	277.2	- 301.2	289.9	-6		-		970	- 1088	1006
	RS	C	2	5	290.2	- 290.2	290.2	N/Q		-		1016	- 1016	1016
	FD	D	2	1	266.2	- 266.2	266.2	N/Q		-		1025	- 1025	1025
		D	2	1	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	444	- 444	444	840	- 840	840
400+		C	3	2	269.2	- 269.2	269.2	N/Q	499	- 499	499	1144	- 1144	1144
	FD	D	2	3	264.2	- 264.2	264.2	24		-		1123	- 1123	1123
				94	240.0	303.2			444	562		647	1144	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	D	2	1	219.2	- 219.2	219.2	N/Q		-		767	- 767	767
400-500	FD	D	2	1	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q		-		1063	- 1063	1063
		D	3	1	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	473	- 473	473	1131	- 1131	1131
500-600	FD	C	2	4	275.2	- 275.2	275.2	N/Q		-		1426	- 1426	1426
		C	3	13	260.2	- 265.2	262.7	-1	473	- 482	478	1522	- 1551	1537
		C	4	18	274.2	- 285.0	282.8	2	490	- 509	505	1511	- 1618	1565
600-750		C	3	7	261.2	- 268.2	265.2	4	475	- 488	482	1659	- 1743	1707
		C	4	13	270.2	- 276.2	274.4	-14	483	- 493	490	1714	- 1878	1788
				58	219.2	285.0			473	509		767	1878	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	5	254.2	- 254.2	254.2	1	489	- 489	489	1144	- 1271	1246
		C	4	7	265.2	- 268.2	267.8	N/Q	500	- 506	505	1419	- 1435	1433
540+		C	4	1	264.2	- 264.2	264.2	N/Q	499	- 499	499	1546	- 1546	1546
				13	254.2	268.2			489	506		1144	1546	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	3	1	263.2	- 263.2	263.2	N/C	479	- 479	479	1711	- 1711	1711
				1	263.2	263.2			479	479		1711	1711	
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	1	5	175.2	- 175.2	175.2	-12		-		701	- 701	701
		D	2	4	178.0	- 178.0	178.0	-17	387	- 387	387	712	- 712	712
400-520		D	1	5	177.2	- 178.2	177.6	15	403	- 405	404	775	- 789	783
	RS	D	1	1	197.2	- 197.2	197.2	N/Q		-		858	- 858	858
	DA	D	1	4	181.2	- 181.2	181.2	11	412	- 412	412	815	- 815	815
	RS	D	2	2	208.2	- 208.2	208.2	N/Q		-		937	- 937	937
		D	2	53	197.2	- 216.2	210.9	2	429	- 470	459	899	- 1043	937
		D	3	10	217.2	- 221.2	219.1	1	443	- 451	447	977	- 1019	1006
		D	4	15	223.2	- 229.2	228.1	7	438	- 449	447	1066	- 1114	1083

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520+	DA	D	5	1	209.2	- 209.2	209.2	N/Q	427	- 427	427	1015	- 1015	1015
		D	1	3	175.2	- 197.2	189.9	9	398	- 448	432	937	- 1055	1016
		D	2	8	206.2	- 222.2	218.3	1	448	- 483	475	1206	- 1282	1255
		D	3	29	221.2	- 227.2	226.4	4	446	- 464	460	1210	- 1329	1271
		D	4	13	230.0	- 238.2	231.7	N/C	451	- 467	454	1242	- 1429	1324
		D	5	3	226.2	- 226.2	226.2	15	462	- 462	462	1357	- 1357	1357
				156	175.2	238.2		387	483		701	1429		
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	3	250.2	- 271.2	263.8	-25	455	- 493	480	773	- 963	894
		FD	C	2	9	259.2	- 272.2	264.3	19	-	-	681	- 1131	930
		RS	C	2	2	320.2	- 320.2	320.2	N/Q	-	-	801	- 801	801
		C	3	2	240.0	- 275.2	257.6	N/Q	436	- 500	468	1080	- 1197	1139
		D	2	1	186.2	- 186.2	186.2	N/Q	339	- 339	339	791	- 791	791
450-600		E	2	2	157.2	- 157.2	157.2	N/Q	286	- 286	286	472	- 472	472
		C	2	2	210.0	- 225.2	217.6	N/Q	382	- 410	396	1019	- 1272	1145
		C	3	2	234.2	- 236.2	235.2	N/Q	422	- 426	424	1288	- 1382	1335
600+		D	2	2	190.0	- 220.2	205.1	N/Q	346	- 400	373	1017	- 1068	1042
		C	2	2	220.0	- 232.2	226.1	N/Q	400	- 422	411	1430	- 1823	1626
		C	3	16	224.2	- 260.2	243.9	N/C	400	- 465	436	1401	- 2706	1943
				43	157.2	320.2		286	500		472	2706		

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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