

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Warwick

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Useful falls of rain reduced numbers to half of the previous level. A fair panel of buyers provided strong competition across all classes and despite a slip in the overall quality prices generally improved. Restockers displayed more interest and lifted prices on light weight cattle by 10c to 15c and up to 20c/kg in places. Medium and heavy weight yearling steers and heifers to feed and the local trade market also sold to a dearer trend. Heavy grown steers and bullocks were scarce and a fair sample of cows gained 4c to 8c/kg.

Steer calves returning to the paddock made to 341.2c and mixed sex calves averaged 313c/kg. Vealer heifers mostly sold in the 280c range with some to 298.2c/kg. Light weight yearling steers returning to the paddock made to 341.2c, with a relatively good sample averaging 327c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed averaged close to 329c and made to 334.2c/kg. Heavy weights to feed made to 311.2c to average 305c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 282c and made to 288.2c/kg. Medium weights to the trade made to the occasional 318.2c, with most around 294c/kg.

Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 205c and made to 219.2c and good heavy cows generally sold around 237c with some to 241.2c/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+ | RS | C | 2 | 43 | 282.2 | - 341.2 | 313.6 | 23 | - | - | - | 420 | - 572 | 537 |
| | | C | 2 | 2 | 305.2 | - 305.2 | 305.2 | N/Q | 576 | - 576 | 576 | 534 | - 534 | 534 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 2 | 245.2 | - 245.2 | 245.2 | N/Q | - | - | - | 454 | - 454 | 454 |
| | | | | 47 | 245.2 | 341.2 | | | 576 | 576 | | 420 | 572 | |
| Vealer Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 200-280 | | C | 2 | 11 | 280.2 | - 283.2 | 282.4 | 4 | 519 | - 524 | 523 | 630 | - 708 | 687 |
| | FD | C | 2 | 6 | 285.0 | - 285.0 | 285.0 | N/C | - | - | - | 713 | - 713 | 713 |
| | RS | C | 2 | 5 | 279.2 | - 279.2 | 279.2 | 15 | - | - | - | 628 | - 628 | 628 |
| 280-330 | FD | C | 2 | 11 | 286.2 | - 298.2 | 294.9 | 7 | - | - | - | 816 | - 850 | 841 |
| | | | | 33 | 279.2 | 298.2 | | | 519 | 524 | | 628 | 850 | |
| Yearling Steer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 200-280 | FD | C | 2 | 2 | 305.2 | - 305.2 | 305.2 | N/C | - | - | - | 717 | - 717 | 717 |
| | RS | C | 2 | 90 | 295.2 | - 341.2 | 327.0 | 14 | - | - | - | 668 | - 880 | 782 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 8 | 278.2 | - 278.2 | 278.2 | N/Q | - | - | - | 682 | - 737 | 696 |
| | | D | 2 | 4 | 272.2 | - 272.2 | 272.2 | N/Q | 495 | - 495 | 495 | 681 | - 681 | 681 |
| 280-330 | FD | C | 2 | 14 | 315.2 | - 330.0 | 323.4 | 12 | - | - | - | 898 | - 976 | 959 |
| | RS | C | 2 | 35 | 304.2 | - 334.2 | 315.5 | -20 | - | - | - | 913 | - 1003 | 933 |
| | FD | D | 2 | 4 | 286.2 | - 286.2 | 286.2 | 14 | - | - | - | 844 | - 844 | 844 |
| 330-400 | FD | C | 2 | 23 | 314.2 | - 334.2 | 328.8 | 23 | - | - | - | 1100 | - 1253 | 1205 |
| | FD | C | 3 | 1 | 287.2 | - 287.2 | 287.2 | N/Q | - | - | - | 1048 | - 1048 | 1048 |
| | | C | 3 | 12 | 297.2 | - 312.2 | 311.0 | 6 | 540 | - 568 | 565 | 996 | - 1202 | 1185 |
| | FD | D | 2 | 3 | 281.2 | - 281.2 | 281.2 | 12 | - | - | - | 970 | - 970 | 970 |
| 400+ | FD | C | 2 | 1 | 293.2 | - 293.2 | 293.2 | N/Q | - | - | - | 1246 | - 1246 | 1246 |
| | FD | C | 3 | 21 | 292.2 | - 311.2 | 305.6 | 13 | - | - | - | 1345 | - 1359 | 1350 |
| | | C | 3 | 3 | 290.2 | - 290.2 | 290.2 | 8 | 528 | - 528 | 528 | 1233 | - 1407 | 1349 |

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| | | | | | Low | High | Avg | Change | Low | High | Avg | Low | High | Avg | |
| | | | | | 221 | 272.2 | 341.2 | | | 495 | 568 | | 668 | 1407 | |
| Yearling Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 200-280 | RS | C | 2 | 13 | 265.2 | - 283.2 | 274.0 | -3 | - | | | | 693 | - 750 | 710 |
| | | C | 2 | 7 | 279.2 | - 281.2 | 280.1 | 5 | 517 | - 521 | 519 | | 740 | - 745 | 742 |
| | FD | C | 2 | 19 | 279.2 | - 288.2 | 281.9 | 8 | - | | | | 628 | - 711 | 675 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 4 | 267.2 | - 267.2 | 267.2 | 18 | - | | | | 708 | - 708 | 708 |
| 280-330 | FD | C | 2 | 3 | 277.2 | - 277.2 | 277.2 | 12 | - | | | | 832 | - 832 | 832 |
| | | C | 2 | 3 | 295.0 | - 295.0 | 295.0 | N/Q | 546 | - 546 | 546 | | 841 | - 841 | 841 |
| | FD | D | 2 | 4 | 259.2 | - 259.2 | 259.2 | N/C | - | | | | 778 | - 778 | 778 |
| | | D | 2 | 1 | 140.2 | - 140.2 | 140.2 | N/Q | 260 | - 260 | 260 | | 421 | - 421 | 421 |
| 330-400 | | C | 2 | 4 | 277.0 | - 277.0 | 277.0 | N/Q | 513 | - 513 | 513 | | 970 | - 970 | 970 |
| | FD | C | 2 | 18 | 262.2 | - 279.2 | 276.3 | -6 | - | | | | 918 | - 970 | 962 |
| | | C | 3 | 20 | 280.2 | - 318.2 | 294.6 | 7 | 519 | - 589 | 546 | | 981 | - 1114 | 1022 |
| | FD | C | 3 | 2 | 270.0 | - 270.0 | 270.0 | N/Q | - | | | | 932 | - 932 | 932 |
| | FD | D | 2 | 4 | 247.2 | - 253.2 | 251.7 | 26 | - | | | | 853 | - 886 | 878 |
| | | D | 3 | 3 | 253.2 | - 258.2 | 254.9 | N/Q | 469 | - 478 | 472 | | 848 | - 942 | 880 |
| 400+ | FD | C | 2 | 4 | 265.0 | - 265.0 | 265.0 | -7 | - | | | | 1153 | - 1153 | 1153 |
| | | C | 3 | 14 | 277.2 | - 280.0 | 278.2 | 6 | 513 | - 519 | 515 | | 1178 | - 1349 | 1278 |
| | FD | C | 3 | 5 | 265.2 | - 265.2 | 265.2 | -13 | - | | | | 1154 | - 1154 | 1154 |
| | | | | | 128 | 140.2 | 318.2 | | | 260 | 589 | | 421 | 1349 | |
| Grown Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-540 | | C | 3 | 1 | 257.2 | - 257.2 | 257.2 | N/Q | 485 | - 485 | 485 | | 1376 | - 1376 | 1376 |
| | | C | 4 | 15 | 265.2 | - 277.2 | 272.5 | N/Q | 500 | - 523 | 514 | | 1286 | - 1486 | 1442 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 4 | 215.2 | - 215.2 | 215.2 | N/Q | - | | | | 936 | - 936 | 936 |
| 540+ | | D | 3 | 1 | 252.2 | - 252.2 | 252.2 | N/Q | 476 | - 476 | 476 | | 1475 | - 1475 | 1475 |
| | | | | | 21 | 215.2 | 277.2 | | | 476 | 523 | | 936 | 1486 | |
| Manufacturing Steer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 540+ | | C | 4 | 1 | 280.2 | - 280.2 | 280.2 | N/Q | 500 | - 500 | 500 | | 1737 | - 1737 | 1737 |
| | | | | | 1 | 280.2 | 280.2 | | | 500 | 500 | | 1737 | 1737 | |
| Cows | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-400 | RS | D | 1 | 29 | 160.0 | - 205.2 | 192.9 | N/C | - | | | | 600 | - 821 | 741 |
| | | D | 1 | 4 | 156.2 | - 156.2 | 156.2 | -22 | 355 | - 355 | 355 | | 547 | - 547 | 547 |
| | RS | E | 1 | 2 | 128.2 | - 129.2 | 128.7 | N/Q | - | | | | 417 | - 517 | 467 |
| 400-520 | | D | 1 | 14 | 170.2 | - 197.2 | 189.1 | 8 | 387 | - 448 | 420 | | 740 | - 937 | 839 |
| | RS | D | 1 | 5 | 182.2 | - 193.2 | 191.0 | -3 | - | | | | 831 | - 918 | 890 |
| | | D | 2 | 7 | 196.2 | - 219.2 | 205.2 | 4 | 427 | - 477 | 446 | | 853 | - 979 | 940 |
| | DA | D | 2 | 1 | 197.2 | - 197.2 | 197.2 | N/Q | 429 | - 429 | 429 | | 956 | - 956 | 956 |
| | | D | 3 | 1 | 220.0 | - 220.0 | 220.0 | N/Q | 449 | - 449 | 449 | | 957 | - 957 | 957 |
| 520+ | RS | C | 2 | 2 | 210.2 | - 210.2 | 210.2 | N/Q | - | | | | 1125 | - 1125 | 1125 |
| | | D | 2 | 7 | 216.2 | - 228.2 | 221.2 | 13 | 470 | - 496 | 481 | | 1162 | - 1324 | 1247 |
| | DA | D | 2 | 1 | 213.2 | - 213.2 | 213.2 | N/Q | 464 | - 464 | 464 | | 1492 | - 1492 | 1492 |
| | DA | D | 3 | 1 | 230.2 | - 230.2 | 230.2 | N/Q | 470 | - 470 | 470 | | 1370 | - 1370 | 1370 |
| | | D | 3 | 9 | 225.2 | - 232.2 | 228.1 | 8 | 460 | - 474 | 466 | | 1216 | - 1387 | 1297 |
| | | D | 4 | 26 | 233.2 | - 241.2 | 237.8 | -1 | 457 | - 473 | 466 | | 1335 | - 1435 | 1395 |
| | | | | | 109 | 128.2 | 241.2 | | | 355 | 496 | | 417 | 1492 | |

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| | | | | | Low | High | Avg | Change | Low | High | Avg | Low | High | Avg | | |
| Bulls | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-450 | | C | 2 | 2 | 283.2 | - 283.2 | 283.2 | N/Q | 515 | - | 515 | 515 | 750 | - | 750 | 750 |
| | FD | C | 3 | 1 | 270.2 | - 270.2 | 270.2 | N/Q | | - | | | 1013 | - | 1013 | 1013 |
| | | C | 3 | 5 | 250.0 | - 250.0 | 250.0 | -8 | 455 | - | 455 | 455 | 1125 | - | 1125 | 1125 |
| 450-600 | | C | 3 | 2 | 253.2 | - 257.2 | 255.2 | N/Q | 459 | - | 460 | 460 | 1228 | - | 1350 | 1289 |
| | FD | C | 3 | 1 | 247.2 | - 247.2 | 247.2 | N/Q | | - | | | 1199 | - | 1199 | 1199 |
| 600+ | | C | 3 | 1 | 239.2 | - 239.2 | 239.2 | N/Q | 427 | - | 427 | 427 | 1914 | - | 1914 | 1914 |
| | | | | 12 | 239.2 | 283.2 | | | 427 | | 515 | | 750 | | 1914 | |

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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