

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Numbers fell dramatically following the return to some useful falls of rain over most parts of the supply area. The very small yarding contained a wide variation in quality across all classes. Buyer attendance was generally good however numbers were too small for some to operate. Prices for young light weight cattle returning to the paddock experienced some further price improvements of 9c and up to 20c/kg on steer calves. Medium and heavy weight yearling steers and heifers to feed also lifted in price. Exports slaughter descriptions of heavy grown steers, bullocks and cows received some small improvements of 3c to 5c/kg.

Steer calves returning to the paddock made to 384.2c with mixed sex calves averaging 338c/kg. Light weight yearling steers to restockers made to 372.2c with most around 335c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed made to 330c to average 323c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers mostly sold over 300c and made to 317.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged close to 297c with some to 304.2c/kg.

Heavy grown steers made to 308.2c and a few bullocks made to 307.2c to average 303c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 227c and 3 scores 240c while a handful of good heavy cows averaged 259c and made to 269.2c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 268c/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	48	310.0	- 384.2	337.9	20	-	-	-	382	-	663	505	
	RS	D	2	2	252.2	- 266.2	259.2	N/Q	-	-	-	303	-	439	371	
				50	252.2	384.2			0	0		303	663			
Vealer Heifer																
200-280		C	2	6	313.2	- 313.2	313.2	7	580	-	580	580	705	-	705	705
	FD	C	2	9	312.2	- 312.2	312.2	5	-	-	-	702	-	702	702	
				15	312.2	313.2			580	580		702	705			
Yearling Steer																
200-280	FD	C	2	1	322.2	- 322.2	322.2	N/Q	-	-	-	757	-	757	757	
	RS	C	2	39	316.2	- 372.2	335.4	9	-	-	-	695	-	870	782	
	RS	D	2	8	227.2	- 289.2	242.7	-36	-	-	-	466	-	766	541	
280-330	RS	C	2	2	323.2	- 323.2	323.2	N/Q	-	-	-	970	-	970	970	
	FD	C	2	1	330.0	- 330.0	330.0	N/Q	-	-	-	990	-	990	990	
330-400	FD	C	2	52	310.0	- 330.0	323.2	4	-	-	-	1039	-	1256	1139	
	FD	D	2	1	259.2	- 259.2	259.2	N/Q	-	-	-	868	-	868	868	
400+	FD	C	2	11	308.2	- 324.2	317.1	-5	-	-	-	1310	-	1378	1348	
	FD	C	3	9	318.2	- 325.0	321.0	7	-	-	-	1463	-	1681	1496	
				124	227.2	372.2			0	0		466	1681			
Yearling Heifer																
200-280	RS	C	2	10	288.2	- 317.2	307.1	27	-	-	-	591	-	771	718	
		C	2	8	300.2	- 315.0	308.8	32	556	-	583	572	646	-	751	707
	FD	C	2	14	299.2	- 313.2	301.2	5	-	-	-	673	-	736	682	
		D	2	1	227.2	- 227.2	227.2	N/Q	421	-	421	421	488	-	488	488
330-400	FD	C	2	25	289.2	- 304.2	296.8	16	-	-	-	1002	-	1085	1027	
	FD	C	3	16	283.2	- 283.2	283.2	-5	-	-	-	1104	-	1104	1104	

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
		C	3	5	286.2	- 286.2	286.2	-9	530	- 530	530	1102	- 1102	1102
				79	227.2	317.2			421	583		488	1104	
Grown Steer														
500-600		C	3	4	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	N/Q	518	- 518	518	1471	- 1471	1471
		C	4	4	308.2	- 308.2	308.2	N/Q	550	- 550	550	1664	- 1664	1664
600-750		C	4	10	298.2	- 307.2	303.6	5	533	- 549	542	1920	- 2147	2011
750+		C	4	7	296.2	- 296.2	296.2	N/Q	529	- 529	529	2313	- 2313	2313
				25	285.0	308.2			518	550		1471	2313	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	3	1	267.2	- 267.2	267.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1202	- 1202	1202
	FD	D	2	3	280.2	- 280.2	280.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1079	- 1079	1079
				4	267.2	280.2			0	0		1079	1202	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	4	2	284.2	- 293.2	288.7	N/Q	517	- 533	525	1745	- 1862	1803
				2	284.2	293.2			517	533		1745	1862	
Cows														
0-400		D	1	5	180.0	- 190.2	188.2	17	409	- 432	428	618	- 648	624
		E	1	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	296	- 296	296	475	- 475	475
400-520		D	1	2	197.2	- 198.2	197.7	N/Q	448	- 451	449	858	- 862	860
		D	2	6	216.2	- 229.2	227.0	9	470	- 498	494	1022	- 1031	1024
		D	3	29	234.2	- 244.2	240.4	6	478	- 498	491	1112	- 1239	1137
		D	4	1	250.2	- 250.2	250.2	N/Q	491	- 491	491	1126	- 1126	1126
520+		C	3	6	254.2	- 254.2	254.2	N/Q	519	- 519	519	1360	- 1360	1360
	DA	D	1	4	183.2	- 195.2	188.2	-30	416	- 444	428	1017	- 1083	1059
	DA	D	2	1	226.2	- 226.2	226.2	N/Q	492	- 492	492	1561	- 1561	1561
		D	3	4	244.2	- 244.2	244.2	3	498	- 498	498	1306	- 1306	1306
		D	4	4	249.2	- 269.2	259.2	-1	489	- 528	508	1453	- 1737	1582
				63	130.0	269.2			296	528		475	1737	
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	1	317.2	- 317.2	317.2	N/Q	-	-	-	745	- 745	745
		C	3	1	314.2	- 314.2	314.2	N/Q	571	- 571	571	1100	- 1100	1100
	FD	D	2	3	207.2	- 207.2	207.2	N/Q	-	-	-	559	- 559	559
600+		C	3	1	268.0	- 268.0	268.0	N/Q	479	- 479	479	2305	- 2305	2305
				6	207.2	317.2			479	571		559	2305	

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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