

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Dalby

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Yarding Change ⁶⁰⁹⁶
2245

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Numbers were well up for a total of 6,096 head an increase of 2,200 head. The yarding consisted of a large percentage of young cattle and a fair number of bullocks, steers and cows. Quality was fairly mixed with several runs of well-bred cattle suitable for restockers and feeders, however there was some plain conditioned cattle through the sale.

The market overall was easier on the back of last week's very dear prices, however restocker competition was very strong on the light cattle. Restocker vealer steers sold to a top of 376c and restocker vealer heifers reached 342c/kg. Light restocker yearling steers held firm, while heavier feeder and restocker yearling steers were down by 4c to 10c, with medium weight feeder steers averaging 349c while restocker steers sold to a top of 385c/kg. Feeder heifers were 8c cheaper, selling to a top of 351c to average 340c/kg.

The yarding of export cattle consisted of a fair penning of bullocks, steers and cows in a very mixed quality yarding. Bullocks and steers were down by 10c, with some sales quality related, topping at 318c/kg. Heavy feeder steers held firm, selling to 359c to average 342c/kg. Heifers sold to a top of 300c/kg. The cow market varied, with heavy cows selling 7c to 8c cheaper, topping at 275c, while medium weights saw little change to average 251c/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	1	18	382.2	- 382.2	382.2	N/Q	-	-	-	726	- 726	726
	RS	C	2	12	340.2	- 340.2	340.2	3	-	-	-	680	- 680	680
	RS	D	1	94	296.2	- 389.2	355.1	N/Q	-	-	-	379	- 700	501
	RS	D	2	46	304.2	- 354.2	333.8	N/Q	-	-	-	562	- 673	623
				170	296.2	389.2			0	0		379	726	
Vealer Steer														
0-200	RS	D	2	12	342.2	- 342.2	342.2	N/Q	-	-	-	684	- 684	684
200-280	RS	C	2	448	242.2	- 376.2	344.0	N/Q	-	-	-	576	- 1030	887
				460	242.2	376.2			0	0		576	1030	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	D	2	15	298.2	- 302.2	299.5	N/Q	-	-	-	596	- 604	599
200-280	RS	C	2	220	242.0	- 342.0	316.1	N/Q	-	-	-	678	- 923	833
	RS	D	2	7	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	-	-	-	616	- 616	616
				242	242.0	342.0			0	0		596	923	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	RS	C	2	191	344.2	- 369.2	364.6	N/C	-	-	-	961	- 1034	1019
280-330	RS	C	2	222	316.2	- 385.0	353.8	-26	-	-	-	1020	- 1271	1146
	RS	D	2	8	287.2	- 287.2	287.2	-24	-	-	-	948	- 948	948
330-400	FD	B	2	7	326.0	- 326.0	326.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1304	- 1304	1304
	FD	C	2	104	346.0	- 366.2	359.1	6	-	-	-	1246	- 1465	1307
	RS	C	2	52	321.2	- 344.2	338.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1156	- 1300	1267
	FD	C	3	12	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	-35	-	-	-	1360	- 1360	1360
400+	FD	C	2	42	252.2	- 352.2	337.6	-11	-	-	-	1135	- 1553	1434
	FD	C	3	50	322.2	- 355.2	336.5	N/Q	-	-	-	1408	- 1705	1545
				688	252.2	385.0			0	0		948	1705	
Yearling Heifer														

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200-280		C	2	6	298.2	- 298.2	298.2	-14	563	- 563	563	835	- 835	835	
	RS	C	2	127	262.0	- 341.2	327.6	2	-	-	-	734	- 955	885	
	RS	D	2	10	250.2	- 250.2	250.2	N/Q	-	-	-	676	- 676	676	
280-330	RS	C	2	171	306.2	- 348.0	332.1	N/Q	-	-	-	922	- 1148	1042	
	RS	D	2	11	272.2	- 272.2	272.2	N/Q	-	-	-	898	- 898	898	
330-400	RS	C	2	33	302.2	- 348.0	332.0	14	-	-	-	1027	- 1218	1155	
	FD	C	2	472	310.0	- 366.2	343.6	-4	-	-	-	1120	- 1437	1275	
	FD	C	3	3	346.0	- 346.0	346.0	-9	-	-	-	1384	- 1384	1384	
400+	FD	C	2	52	300.0	- 345.2	327.2	7	-	-	-	1260	- 1450	1392	
	FD	C	3	16	346.0	- 346.0	346.0	6	-	-	-	1488	- 1488	1488	
		C	3	26	281.2	- 322.2	302.0	-19	531	- 597	560	1181	- 1450	1306	
				927	250.2	366.2			531	597		676	1488		
Grown Steer															
0-400	FD	C	2	47	329.2	- 329.2	329.2	22	-	-	-	1317	- 1317	1317	
400-500	FD	C	2	5	352.2	- 352.2	352.2	41	-	-	-	1761	- 1761	1761	
	RS	C	2	33	312.2	- 355.2	337.4	N/Q	-	-	-	1492	- 1561	1530	
		C	3	22	290.0	- 324.2	302.4	-29	537	- 590	556	1450	- 1621	1512	
	FD	C	3	136	322.2	- 359.2	340.5	-1	-	-	-	1369	- 1796	1639	
500-600	FD	C	3	18	317.0	- 317.0	317.0	-10	-	-	-	1648	- 1648	1648	
		C	3	60	273.2	- 314.0	297.3	1	506	- 582	541	1558	- 1884	1707	
		C	4	158	293.2	- 323.0	313.6	-20	524	- 577	562	1727	- 1938	1832	
600-750		C	4	36	290.0	- 318.2	302.8	-38	527	- 568	542	1798	- 2108	1996	
				515	273.2	359.2			506	590		1317	2108		
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	2	8	271.0	- 271.0	271.0	-19	502	- 502	502	1084	- 1084	1084	
		FD	C	2	186	265.0	- 330.2	302.6	-16	-	-	-	1060	- 1376	1232
		RS	C	2	16	240.0	- 304.2	264.1	N/Q	-	-	-	960	- 1095	1011
		FD	C	3	50	280.0	- 320.0	307.6	-6	-	-	-	1176	- 1531	1399
			C	3	46	270.0	- 310.0	285.4	4	509	- 585	535	1222	- 1550	1401
			D	4	12	272.2	- 272.2	272.2	N/Q	514	- 514	514	1307	- 1307	1307
				318	240.0	330.2			502	585		960	1550		
Cows															
0-400		E	1	60	160.0	- 170.0	166.9	24	364	- 386	381	576	- 680	660	
	RS	E	1	18	140.0	- 200.0	160.0	N/Q	-	-	-	560	- 800	640	
400-520	RS	D	2	392	208.0	- 242.0	230.6	-5	-	-	-	937	- 1176	1068	
		D	2	156	190.0	- 247.0	228.1	-3	422	- 526	488	855	- 1163	1065	
	RS	D	3	39	245.2	- 248.2	246.1	N/Q	-	-	-	1177	- 1191	1181	
		D	3	375	237.2	- 263.2	249.7	8	500	- 548	520	1139	- 1362	1241	
		D	4	59	250.0	- 270.2	260.5	-2	500	- 540	522	1300	- 1405	1354	
		E	1	10	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	409	- 409	409	756	- 756	756	
520+		D	3	82	245.0	- 256.2	251.6	-8	500	- 534	523	1348	- 1486	1404	
		D	4	288	243.2	- 275.2	261.5	-13	486	- 534	520	1313	- 1956	1583	
				1479	140.0	275.2			364	548		560	1956		
Bulls															
0-450	RS	C	2	11	300.0	- 328.2	323.1	-15	-	-	-	1200	- 1313	1292	

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450-600	RS	C	2	8	300.0	- 317.2	306.5	N/Q	-			1500	- 1745	1592
600+		C	2	36	247.2	- 284.2	263.7	N/Q	450	- 508	473	1814	- 3174	2340
				55	247.2	328.2			450	508		1200	3174	

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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