

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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The supply of stock experienced a small increase and overall quality was fair to good. Heavy grown steers and bullocks were scarce however there were a much larger number of cows yarded. The usual panel of export processors was present and operating and there were some additional buyers in the feeder section. Restockers continued to provide very strong support across all classes of young light weight cattle despite the deterioration in seasonal conditions. Medium and heavy weight yearling steers to feed averaged 1c to 4c/kg better while medium weight yearling heifers to feed experienced only quality related price changes. Heavy grown steers and bullocks averaged 7c to 10c/kg dearer. The larger supply of cows sold to a market 2c to 8c/kg better.

Mixed sex calves returning to the paddock averaged 376c and made to 412.2c/kg. Light weight yearling steers sold to restockers at an average of 386c, with some to 411.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed mostly sold around 353c, with some to 368.2c/kg. A large selection of heavy weight yearling steers to feed averaged in the mid to high 330c/kg range and sold to 348.2c/kg. A large sample of light weight yearling heifers sold to restockers at an average of 353c, with the occasional sale to 382.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged from 336c to 343.2c and sold to 344.2c/kg. Heavy weights to feed averaged 315c and local trade lines made 303c, with sales to 311.2c/kg.

Heavy grown steers and bullocks made to 314.2c and the bullock portion averaged 301c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows made to 234.2c, with a good sample averaging 224c/kg. Good heavy cows made to a top of 253.2c with most close to 249c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 274.2c to average 248c/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	142	338.2	- 412.2	376.0	26	-	-	-	479	- 763	683
				142	338.2	412.2			0	0		479	763	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	35	394.2	- 394.2	394.2	N/Q	-	-	-	986	- 986	986
	RS	C	2	427	340.0	- 411.2	386.1	-19	-	-	-	748	- 1040	896
	RS	D	2	21	300.0	- 328.2	311.7	10	-	-	-	718	- 750	731
280-330	RS	C	2	25	386.2	- 386.2	386.2	11	-	-	-	1159	- 1159	1159
330-400	FD	C	2	380	330.0	- 368.2	353.4	4	-	-	-	1177	- 1377	1284
	FD	D	2	116	255.0	- 332.2	308.3	-14	-	-	-	982	- 1232	1143
400+	FD	C	2	149	322.2	- 344.2	337.4	-4	-	-	-	1369	- 1489	1426
	FD	C	3	192	320.0	- 348.2	336.0	1	-	-	-	1390	- 1674	1500
		C	3	5	323.2	- 323.2	323.2	N/Q	588	- 588	588	1529	- 1529	1529
	FD	D	2	29	286.2	- 320.0	307.3	N/Q	-	-	-	1179	- 1360	1298
	FD	D	3	13	279.2	- 279.2	279.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1187	- 1187	1187
				1392	255.0	411.2			588	588		718	1674	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	RS	C	2	324	330.0	- 382.2	353.6	-7	-	-	-	727	- 870	799
		C	2	108	328.2	- 382.0	348.5	3	608	- 707	645	740	- 907	808
	FD	C	2	18	334.2	- 334.2	334.2	-21	-	-	-	886	- 886	886
		D	2	18	320.0	- 330.0	327.3	50	593	- 611	606	771	- 809	786
280-330		C	2	10	340.0	- 350.2	347.1	N/Q	630	- 649	643	969	- 998	989
330-400	FD	C	2	68	327.2	- 344.2	336.2	-5	-	-	-	1160	- 1216	1185
	FD	C	3	57	340.2	- 344.2	343.0	-1	-	-	-	1187	- 1321	1268

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400+		C	3	28	310.0	- 346.2	316.3	-23	574	- 641	586	1163	- 1298	1193
	FD	D	2	20	294.2	- 300.0	297.7	6	-	-	-	1015	- 1095	1063
	FD	D	3	17	276.2	- 287.2	284.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1048	- 1063	1053
		D	3	12	286.2	- 286.2	286.2	-2	530	- 530	530	1073	- 1073	1073
		C	3	57	290.0	- 311.2	303.2	-17	537	- 576	562	1233	- 1478	1344
	FD	C	3	32	300.0	- 322.2	315.6	14	-	-	-	1275	- 1392	1351
	FD	D	3	6	286.2	- 286.2	286.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1216	- 1216	1216
	D	3	16	272.2	- 289.2	285.0	-5	504	- 536	528	1157	- 1287	1254	
				791	272.2	382.2		504	707		727	1478		
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	C	2	69	346.2	- 348.2	346.9	N/Q	-	-	-	1298	- 1341	1320
400-500	FD	C	2	78	276.2	- 344.0	315.2	33	-	-	-	1191	- 1668	1462
	FD	C	3	64	287.2	- 338.2	306.0	17	-	-	-	1262	- 1640	1383
	FD	D	3	5	268.2	- 268.2	268.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1301	- 1301	1301
500-600		C	3	34	279.2	- 282.2	280.4	7	508	- 513	510	1494	- 1510	1500
		C	4	19	285.2	- 314.2	299.0	N/C	509	- 561	534	1634	- 1681	1658
		D	3	2	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	473	- 473	473	1365	- 1365	1365
600-750		C	3	5	281.2	- 282.2	281.6	N/Q	502	- 513	510	1764	- 1918	1838
		C	4	32	285.2	- 314.2	301.4	10	509	- 561	538	1825	- 1964	1872
				308	260.0	348.2		473	561		1191	1964		
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	3	17	281.2	- 281.2	281.2	4	-	-	-	1308	- 1308	1308
		D	2	4	232.2	- 232.2	232.2	N/Q	484	- 484	484	1010	- 1010	1010
		D	3	14	243.2	- 243.2	243.2	-9	468	- 468	468	1058	- 1058	1058
540+		D	3	3	258.2	- 258.2	258.2	N/Q	497	- 497	497	1407	- 1407	1407
				38	232.2	281.2		468	497		1010	1407		
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	4	9	244.2	- 282.2	275.2	1	436	- 513	500	1787	- 1954	1855
				9	244.2	282.2		436	513		1787	1954		
Cows														
0-400		D	1	1	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	N/Q	-	-	-	585	- 585	585
		D	1	4	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	386	- 386	386	570	- 570	570
		D	2	9	200.0	- 208.2	202.7	-10	435	- 453	441	800	- 833	811
400-520	RS	D	1	8	216.2	- 216.2	216.2	N/Q	-	-	-	940	- 940	940
	RS	D	2	97	215.0	- 232.2	227.9	7	-	-	-	935	- 1061	1020
		D	2	117	205.0	- 234.2	224.0	2	446	- 503	486	892	- 1106	1012
520+		D	3	165	230.0	- 240.2	236.3	8	469	- 490	482	1024	- 1227	1091
		D	4	117	238.2	- 254.2	244.1	5	467	- 498	479	1049	- 1199	1151
		D	3	189	230.0	- 242.2	237.6	3	469	- 494	485	1253	- 1429	1316
	FD	D	3	11	239.2	- 239.2	239.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1304	- 1304	1304
		D	4	192	241.2	- 253.2	248.8	6	473	- 497	488	1289	- 1712	1449
		D	5	13	232.2	- 240.0	238.2	N/Q	474	- 490	486	1393	- 1440	1429
				923	160.2	254.2		386	503		570	1712		
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	66	294.2	- 366.2	326.8	-18	-	-	-	713	- 1030	883

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450-600	FD	C	2	70	246.2	- 360.0	303.3	10	-				975	- 1378	1159
		C	2	5	261.2	- 261.2	261.2	-91	475	- 475	475		1110	- 1110	1110
	FD	C	3	14	286.2	- 324.2	310.3	9	-				1030	- 1378	1287
	FD	C	3	11	298.2	- 317.2	313.7	N/Q	-				1446	- 1538	1522
	RS	C	3	1	280.2	- 280.2	280.2	N/Q	-				1359	- 1359	1359
600+		C	3	11	233.2	- 254.0	248.3	-3	416	- 454	443		1283	- 1359	1338
		C	2	9	220.0	- 231.2	227.7	6	400	- 420	414		1430	- 1618	1575
		C	3	97	228.2	- 274.2	248.3	N/C	408	- 490	444		1501	- 2669	1843
		D	1	2	203.2	- 203.2	203.2	N/Q	370	- 370	370		1270	- 1270	1270
				286	203.2	366.2			370	490		713	2669		

Abbreviations

CATTLE FD: Feeder RS: Restocker GF: Grainfed DA: Dairy PC: Pastoral SHEEP & LAMB RS: Restocker MR: Merino RM: Restocker Merino 1X: 1st Cross
FD: Feeder DP: Dorper

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