

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba Elders

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Yarding Change ⁶⁸⁶/₉₄

comparison date 23/05/2011

The isolated falls of rain had no effect on supply as most were in transit when the rain commenced. Overall quality was fairly plain and virtually no heavy steers and bullocks were penned, however a fair sample of cows came forward. Buyer attendance was good with representatives covering all categories. Young cattle generally sold to a firm market for the quality penned while cows sold to a market 5c to 6c/kg better.

Calves to the trade averaged 210c and restockers grades averaged 221c and sold to 234.2c/kg. Vealer steers also returning to the paddock make to 230.2c with a fair sample at 223c/kg. Vealer heifers to the trade mostly sold around 206c with a very isolated sale to 234.2c/kg. Lightweight yearling steers to feed averaged 220c and medium weights 195c/kg. Heavy grades to feed averaged 184c and a small sample to the local trade market made to 204.2c to average 201c/kg. Most of the yearling heifers to feed were D muscle grades and sold in 160c/kg range, while a few better grades made to 189.2c/kg.

Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 120c and sold to 125c, and 3 scores averaged 138c/kg. A fair sample of good heavy cows made to 164.2c to average 156c/kg. Heavy Bulls made to 162.2c/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	13	202.2	- 212.0	210.5	14	382	- 400	397	286	- 368	320
	FD	C	2	5	212.2	- 212.2	212.2	N/Q	-	-	-	371	- 371	371
	RS	C	2	18	210.2	- 234.2	221.0	N/Q	-	-	-	289	- 389	333
		D	1	1	184.2	- 184.2	184.2	N/Q	348	- 348	348	267	- 267	267
	RS	D	1	15	174.2	- 199.2	190.9	N/Q	-	-	-	235	- 388	337
	RS	D	2	12	195.2	- 197.2	195.9	N/Q	-	-	-	322	- 325	323
				64	174.2	234.2	205.8		348	400	394	235	389	331
Vealer Steer														
200-280		C	2	2	201.2	- 202.2	201.7	N/Q	368	- 373	370	412	- 455	434
	FD	C	2	19	212.2	- 221.2	217.1	-6	-	-	-	498	- 541	506
	RS	C	2	29	209.2	- 230.2	223.4	-8	-	-	-	471	- 564	545
		C	3	1	215.0	- 215.0	215.0	N/Q	391	- 391	391	548	- 548	548
		D	2	3	190.2	- 195.2	193.5	N/Q	346	- 355	352	390	- 439	423
				54	190.2	230.2	218.6		346	391	365	390	564	520
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	45	194.2	- 212.2	206.2	-11	360	- 393	382	441	- 520	490
	FD	C	2	24	194.2	- 213.2	204.2	5	-	-	-	468	- 536	507
		D	2	2	185.2	- 185.2	185.2	N/Q	343	- 343	343	435	- 435	435
280-330		C	2	2	203.2	- 203.2	203.2	N/Q	376	- 376	376	599	- 599	599
		C	3	8	219.2	- 234.2	223.0	1	406	- 434	413	625	- 691	641
				81	185.2	234.2	206.7		343	434	385	435	691	511
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	10	220.2	- 220.2	220.2	N/Q	-	-	-	539	- 539	539
	RS	C	2	5	211.2	- 211.2	211.2	N/Q	-	-	-	496	- 496	496
	FD	D	2	4	190.2	- 190.2	190.2	N/Q	-	-	-	618	- 618	618
		D	2	1	176.2	- 176.2	176.2	N/Q	320	- 320	320	414	- 414	414

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330-400	FD	C	2	25	183.2	- 209.2	195.4	-10	-			672	- 764	704
	FD	C	3	9	198.2	- 207.2	199.2	-21	-			756	- 763	762
		C	3	1	192.2	- 192.2	192.2	N/Q	350	- 350	350	740	- 740	740
	FD	D	3	2	172.2	- 172.2	172.2	N/Q	-			629	- 629	629
400+		C	3	17	201.2	- 204.2	201.4	9	366	- 371	366	888	- 905	904
	FD	C	3	20	179.2	- 188.0	184.8	2	-			780	- 829	815
				94	172.2	220.2	197.1		320	371	363	414	905	733
Yearling Heifer														
0-330		C	2	5	193.2	- 193.2	193.2	N/Q	358	- 358	358	454	- 454	454
	FD	C	2	11	183.2	- 195.2	189.6	15	-			435	- 550	524
		C	3	14	214.2	- 214.2	214.2	-1	397	- 397	397	643	- 643	643
	RS	D	2	14	158.2	- 175.2	163.1	N/Q	-			394	- 451	435
	FD	D	2	31	169.2	- 180.2	171.5	16	-			478	- 508	491
330-400	FD	C	3	8	176.2	- 189.2	183.0	3	-			608	- 682	649
		C	3	2	171.2	- 171.2	171.2	N/Q	317	- 317	317	642	- 642	642
		D	2	1	150.2	- 150.2	150.2	N/Q	278	- 278	278	518	- 518	518
	FD	D	2	32	162.2	- 167.2	163.8	7	-			543	- 610	585
	FD	D	3	27	159.2	- 164.2	162.7	-7	-			566	- 616	592
400+		C	3	3	180.2	- 188.2	182.9	-10	334	- 349	339	784	- 847	805
		D	3	5	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	15	306	- 306	306	686	- 686	686
				153	150.2	214.2	174.0		278	397	360	394	847	561
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	3	8	173.2	- 177.2	174.2	-5	-			762	- 805	790
		D	2	2	128.2	- 128.2	128.2	N/Q	233	- 233	233	545	- 545	545
	FD	D	3	2	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	N/Q	-			745	- 745	745
500-600		C	3	1	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	N/Q	302	- 302	302	939	- 939	939
	FD	D	3	4	161.2	- 161.2	161.2	N/Q	-			862	- 862	862
		D	3	8	155.2	- 155.2	155.2	N/Q	282	- 282	282	830	- 830	830
600-750		C	3	2	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	N/Q	306	- 306	306	1092	- 1092	1092
				27	128.2	177.2	161.4		233	306	280	545	1092	819
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	4	2	161.2	- 169.2	165.2	N/Q	304	- 319	312	862	- 905	884
	RS	D	1	16	120.2	- 127.2	124.6	N/Q	-			445	- 451	447
	RS	D	3	2	141.2	- 141.2	141.2	N/Q	-			614	- 614	614
		D	3	3	141.2	- 145.2	142.5	4	266	- 274	269	600	- 603	601
				23	120.2	169.2	131.9		266	319	286	445	905	520
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	4	2	163.2	- 163.2	163.2	N/Q	297	- 297	297	1142	- 1142	1142
				2	163.2	163.2	163.0		297	297	297	1142	1142	1143
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	1	2	90.2	- 90.2	90.2	N/Q	-			356	- 356	356
	DA	D	1	1	80.2	- 80.2	80.2	N/Q	223	- 223	223	317	- 317	317
		D	1	12	102.2	- 116.2	113.9	29	284	- 323	316	373	- 447	435
		E	1	4	67.2	- 67.2	67.2	N/Q	187	- 187	187	218	- 218	218
400-520		D	1	13	101.2	- 112.2	109.8	-3	281	- 312	305	430	- 477	471

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	DA	D	1	6	90.2	- 101.2	92.0	N/Q	251	- 281	256	440	- 446	445
	RS	D	2	2	105.2	- 105.2	105.2	N/Q		-		458	- 458	458
		D	2	12	110.0	- 125.0	120.8	-2	262	- 298	288	479	- 585	554
		D	3	5	138.0	- 138.0	138.0	2	282	- 282	282	642	- 642	642
		D	4	11	148.2	- 152.2	151.8	6	291	- 298	298	708	- 734	710
		D	5	1	139.2	- 139.2	139.2	N/Q	284	- 284	284	710	- 710	710
520+		D	3	1	147.2	- 147.2	147.2	N/Q	300	- 300	300	788	- 788	788
		D	4	42	149.2	- 164.2	156.5	5	293	- 322	307	798	- 1051	894
		D	5	3	128.2	- 143.2	133.2	N/Q	262	- 292	272	724	- 780	743
				115	67.2	164.2	131.8		187	323	294	218	1051	659
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	18	209.2	- 211.2	210.3	N/Q		-		454	- 492	471
	FD	C	3	2	154.2	- 159.2	156.7	N/Q		-		563	- 613	588
		C	3	2	151.2	- 151.2	151.2	N/Q	275	- 275	275	643	- 643	643
450-600		C	2	1	138.2	- 138.2	138.2	N/Q	251	- 251	251	739	- 739	739
		C	3	3	162.2	- 162.2	162.2	N/Q	306	- 306	306	868	- 868	868
		C	4	1	159.2	- 159.2	159.2	N/Q	300	- 300	300	852	- 852	852
600+		C	2	2	133.2	- 133.2	133.2	N/Q	242	- 242	242	866	- 866	866
		C	3	7	136.2	- 162.2	153.8	-5	243	- 306	282	953	- 1328	1064
		D	2	2	119.0	- 119.2	119.1	N/Q	216	- 217	217	720	- 757	738
				38	119.0	211.2	178.0		216	306	273	454	1328	679

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

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