

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba Elders

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There was a large drop in numbers and overall quality was mixed. A limited supply of export grades were penned along with a fair sample of yearlings. Buyer attendance was good with representatives covering all categories. Values for vealer heifers to slaughter improved by 5c/kg, while the remainder of the yearling steers and heifers varied in price according to quality. The short supply of heavy steers and bullocks to export slaughter sold to a dearer market, while a handful of cows also met a stronger enquiry.

A few vealer steers sold to feeder operators at 211c with some to 217.2c/kg. A good sample of vealer heifers sold to the trade at 211c with sales to 218.2c, while a fair sample returned to the paddock at 205c/kg. Lightweight yearling steers to feed averaged 204c and medium weights mostly sold around 190c with sales to 214.2c/kg. A handful of yearling heifers sold to the trade at 180c while heavy D muscle grades generally sold around 155c/kg.

Heavy steers to export slaughter averaged 174c and sold to 177.2c, and a few bullocks averaged 170c/kg.

Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 127c and a few good heavy cows averaged 144c with the occasional sale to 161.2c/kg. Heavy Bulls made to 159.2c/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	1	1	196.2	- 196.2	196.2	N/Q	-			265	- 265	265
	RS	C	2	1	200.2	- 200.2	200.2	N/Q	-			370	- 370	370
		C	2	3	201.2	- 205.2	203.2	-2	380	- 387	383	272	- 380	342
				5	196.2	205.2	201.2		380	387	383	265	380	332
Vealer Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	12	196.2	- 216.2	211.5	-8	-			466	- 592	520
	RS	C	2	3	214.2	- 214.2	214.2	-3	-			525	- 525	525
280-330	RS	C	2	1	198.2	- 198.2	198.2	N/Q	-			565	- 565	565
	FD	C	2	2	217.2	- 217.2	217.2	N/Q	-			619	- 619	619
				18	196.2	217.2	211.8		0	0		466	619	534
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	23	198.0	- 218.2	211.4	5	367	- 404	391	494	- 535	511
	RS	C	2	47	199.2	- 211.2	205.1	N/Q	-			428	- 581	503
		D	2	17	180.0	- 195.2	186.0	-3	333	- 362	344	414	- 509	451
280-330		C	3	1	214.2	- 214.2	214.2	N/Q	397	- 397	397	643	- 643	643
				88	180.0	218.2	203.2		333	404	372	414	643	496
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	12	185.0	- 215.2	204.7	14	-			459	- 601	516
	RS	C	2	8	228.2	- 228.2	228.2	26	-			685	- 685	685
	FD	D	2	3	169.2	- 169.2	169.2	1	-			550	- 550	550
330-400	RS	C	2	17	183.2	- 215.2	198.3	N/Q	-			705	- 721	713
	FD	C	2	28	181.2	- 194.2	183.4	-14	-			607	- 728	685
	FD	C	3	52	184.2	- 214.2	190.0	-7	-			672	- 752	694
		C	3	1	186.2	- 186.2	186.2	N/Q	339	- 339	339	698	- 698	698
	RS	C	3	6	179.2	- 179.2	179.2	N/Q	-			690	- 690	690

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400+		D	2	4	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	N/Q	266	- 266	266	534	- 534	534
	FD	D	2	5	156.2	- 176.2	168.0	N/Q	-	-	-	601	- 651	640
	RS	D	2	17	146.2	- 175.2	168.0	N/Q	-	-	-	563	- 675	647
	RS	D	3	4	172.2	- 172.2	172.2	N/Q	-	-	-	663	- 663	663
	FD	D	3	9	167.2	- 170.0	168.1	N/Q	-	-	-	610	- 655	625
		C	3	2	193.2	- 193.2	193.2	N/Q	351	- 351	351	840	- 840	840
	RS	C	3	19	177.2	- 180.0	178.5	-2	-	-	-	771	- 873	819
	FD	D	2	4	158.2	- 158.2	158.2	N/Q	-	-	-	672	- 672	672
	FD	D	3	1	155.2	- 155.2	155.2	N/Q	-	-	-	675	- 675	675
				192	146.2	228.2	184.8		266	351	301	459	873	681
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	FD	C	2	2	180.2	- 198.2	189.2	N/Q	-	-	-	432	- 565	499
		D	2	4	141.2	- 154.2	144.5	-21	262	- 286	268	362	- 402	392
330-400	FD	C	2	7	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	-16	-	-	-	570	- 570	570
		C	3	8	180.2	- 182.2	180.7	-8	334	- 337	335	607	- 701	651
	FD	D	2	14	139.2	- 159.2	148.1	1	-	-	-	536	- 549	547
		D	3	7	157.2	- 168.2	165.1	24	291	- 312	306	574	- 648	607
400+	FD	C	2	1	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	N/Q	-	-	-	723	- 723	723
		D	3	20	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	10	287	- 287	287	682	- 690	689
	FD	D	3	1	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	-	-	-	674	- 674	674
				64	139.2	198.2	159.5		262	337	298	362	723	607
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	3	29	158.2	- 167.2	162.2	N/Q	288	- 304	295	739	- 787	775
	FD	C	3	6	161.2	- 161.2	161.2	-2	-	-	-	782	- 782	782
	RS	C	3	7	173.2	- 173.2	173.2	N/Q	-	-	-	840	- 840	840
500-600		C	4	14	166.2	- 177.2	174.8	7	297	- 316	312	939	- 1028	1013
600-750		C	3	1	158.2	- 158.2	158.2	N/Q	288	- 288	288	989	- 989	989
		C	4	8	168.2	- 172.2	170.1	N/C	300	- 308	304	1076	- 1113	1089
		D	3	1	147.2	- 147.2	147.2	N/Q	268	- 268	268	920	- 920	920
				66	147.2	177.2	166.6		268	316	300	739	1113	877
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	4	2	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	293	- 293	293	829	- 829	829
		D	2	3	120.0	- 135.2	130.1	11	250	- 282	271	462	- 575	537
	RS	D	2	1	134.2	- 134.2	134.2	N/Q	-	-	-	490	- 490	490
	FD	D	3	5	149.2	- 149.2	149.2	N/Q	-	-	-	649	- 649	649
		D	3	1	147.2	- 147.2	147.2	N/Q	278	- 278	278	611	- 611	611
				12	120.0	155.0	143.9		250	293	279	462	829	635
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	4	3	153.2	- 160.2	155.5	N/Q	279	- 291	283	973	- 1041	996
				3	153.2	160.2	155.3		279	291	283	973	1041	996
Cows														
0-400		D	1	1	84.2	- 84.2	84.2	N/Q	234	- 234	234	333	- 333	333
	RS	D	1	1	97.2	- 97.2	97.2	N/Q	-	-	-	326	- 326	326
		D	2	2	117.2	- 117.2	117.2	N/Q	279	- 279	279	463	- 463	463
400-520	RS	D	1	2	96.2	- 104.2	100.2	N/Q	-	-	-	409	- 485	447

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520+	DA	D	1	2	111.2	- 111.2	111.2	N/Q	309	- 309	309	484	- 484	484
		D	2	6	122.2	- 129.2	127.0	9	291	- 308	302	532	- 627	591
		D	4	5	140.0	- 141.2	141.0	N/Q	275	- 277	276	651	- 699	689
		C	3	2	161.2	- 161.2	161.2	N/Q	316	- 316	316	975	- 975	975
		D	2	1	122.0	- 122.0	122.0	N/Q	291	- 291	291	653	- 653	653
		D	4	5	141.2	- 145.0	144.2	1	277	- 284	283	776	- 972	855
				27	84.2	161.2	128.5		234	316	289	326	975	641
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	4	136.2	- 165.2	158.0	N/Q		-		438	- 524	459
		C	3	6	132.2	- 153.2	148.9	-1	240	- 279	271	562	- 630	592
600+		C	2	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	182	- 182	182	635	- 635	635
		C	3	5	134.2	- 159.2	148.8	4	240	- 284	266	872	- 1366	1060
				16	100.0	165.2	148.1		182	284	261	438	1366	708

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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