

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba Landmark

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Yarding Change 268
-248

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The number of cattle yarded was well down with a reduction in most classes of cattle. Young cattle were in the majority, although there was a good run of grown steers offered. The yarding of young cattle was made up of several pens of supplementary fed and certified grain fed yearlings, along with some plainer grades of cattle.

Trade yearling steers sold to 6c dearer topping at 200.2c/kg. Yearling heifers gained 5c with supplementary fed heifers ranging from 194c to 207.2c/kg.

There was a good run of well finished grown steers that were mainly supplementary fed and sold to a dearer trend, ranging from 178c to 187.8c/kg. Grown heifers also gained some ground, while the few cows that were offered sold according to quality at dearer prices.

| 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 | 4 | 208.2 | - 208.2 | 208.2 | -6 | - | - | - | 375 | - 375 | 375 |
| | | | | 4 | 208.2 | 208.2 | 208.3 | | 0 | 0 | | 375 | 375 | 375 |
| Vealer Steer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 200-280 | RS | C | 2 | 13 | 217.0 | - 235.2 | 228.0 | 1 | - | - | - | 499 | - 552 | 522 |
| | | | | 13 | 217.0 | 235.2 | 228.0 | | 0 | 0 | | 499 | 552 | 522 |
| Vealer Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 200-280 | | C | 2 | 3 | 206.2 | - 206.2 | 206.2 | -12 | 389 | - 389 | 389 | 474 | - 474 | 474 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 10 | 190.0 | - 205.2 | 197.6 | N/Q | - | - | - | 418 | - 421 | 419 |
| | | | | 13 | 190.0 | 206.2 | 199.6 | | 389 | 389 | 389 | 418 | 474 | 432 |
| Yearling Steer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-330 | FD | C | 2 | 14 | 219.2 | - 232.2 | 228.5 | 8 | - | - | - | 701 | - 766 | 748 |
| 330-400 | FD | C | 2 | 11 | 200.2 | - 208.2 | 202.4 | -10 | - | - | - | 750 | - 761 | 758 |
| 400+ | | C | 3 | 33 | 182.0 | - 200.2 | 185.6 | -6 | 331 | - 364 | 335 | 774 | - 940 | 888 |
| | | | | 58 | 182.0 | 232.2 | 199.1 | | 331 | 364 | 335 | 701 | 940 | 829 |
| Yearling Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-330 | FD | C | 2 | 3 | 204.2 | - 204.2 | 204.2 | N/Q | - | - | - | 613 | - 613 | 613 |
| | | C | 2 | 6 | 206.2 | - 207.2 | 206.7 | -2 | 382 | - 384 | 383 | 577 | - 580 | 579 |
| 330-400 | GF | C | 3 | 23 | 197.6 | - 204.2 | 202.2 | N/Q | 366 | - 378 | 374 | 756 | - 790 | 766 |
| | | C | 3 | 12 | 182.2 | - 207.2 | 196.8 | 5 | 337 | - 384 | 364 | 729 | - 746 | 739 |
| 400+ | | C | 3 | 2 | 201.2 | - 201.2 | 201.2 | N/Q | 366 | - 366 | 366 | 845 | - 845 | 845 |
| | GF | C | 3 | 14 | 194.2 | - 194.2 | 194.2 | N/Q | 360 | - 360 | 360 | 816 | - 816 | 816 |
| | | | | 60 | 182.2 | 207.2 | 199.8 | | 337 | 384 | 369 | 577 | 845 | 748 |
| Grown Steer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 400-500 | | C | 3 | 1 | 176.0 | - 176.0 | 176.0 | N/Q | 326 | - 326 | 326 | 845 | - 845 | 845 |
| | FD | C | 3 | 10 | 180.2 | - 180.2 | 180.2 | 9 | - | - | - | 901 | - 901 | 901 |
| 500-600 | | C | 2 | 4 | 160.0 | - 166.6 | 165.0 | N/Q | 302 | - 309 | 307 | 848 | - 950 | 924 |
| | | C | 3 | 9 | 164.6 | - 177.2 | 172.3 | N/Q | 311 | - 328 | 321 | 915 | - 1028 | 941 |
| | | C | 4 | 43 | 178.0 | - 187.8 | 183.9 | 2 | 327 | - 342 | 335 | 978 | - 1118 | 1038 |
| 600-750 | | C | 4 | 7 | 187.0 | - 187.0 | 187.0 | 6 | 340 | - 340 | 340 | 1159 | - 1159 | 1159 |

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| | | | | | Low | High | Avg | Change | Low | High | Avg | Low | High | Avg |
| | | | | 74 | 160.0 | 187.8 | 181.2 | | 302 | 342 | 332 | 845 | 1159 | 1010 |
| Grown Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-540 | C | 2 | 1 | | 138.2 | - 138.2 | 138.2 | N/Q | 276 | - 276 | 276 | 622 | - 622 | 622 |
| | C | 3 | 10 | | 165.2 | - 183.6 | 181.8 | N/Q | 318 | - 340 | 338 | 743 | - 845 | 834 |
| | | | | 11 | 138.2 | 183.6 | 177.8 | | 276 | 340 | 332 | 622 | 845 | 815 |
| Cows | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 400-520 | D | 2 | 5 | | 116.2 | - 136.2 | 120.2 | -8 | 247 | - 290 | 256 | 488 | - 572 | 505 |
| | D | 3 | 2 | | 138.0 | - 138.0 | 138.0 | N/Q | 288 | - 288 | 288 | 649 | - 649 | 649 |
| | D | 4 | 5 | | 149.2 | - 158.2 | 154.6 | 6 | 298 | - 304 | 302 | 776 | - 823 | 804 |
| | | | | 12 | 116.2 | 158.2 | 137.5 | | 247 | 304 | 280 | 488 | 823 | 653 |

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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