

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Great Southern Saleyard

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Yarding Change $\frac{1211}{264}$

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The larger yarding included reasonably limited supplies of heavy steers and heifers, fair numbers of trade yearling and vealer supplies with cow volumes remaining strong. The yearling store grades maintained their recent levels.

There remained a reasonable spread of vealers throughout the weight classes. Demand from the feeder and restocker sectors continued at very strong levels with slightly dearer prices recorded. Supplementary fed trade yearling steers and heifers both recorded increased local processor inquiry with dearer prices recorded, while store yearling grades continued to be strongly sought after by restockers and feeders.

Heavy weight steers although enjoying full processor competition eased marginally on the previous sale. The heavy weight grown heifers sales were dearer. There continued to be a good quality and weight available in the cow yarding. Although processor demand remained high, the market just failed to maintain the previous sales levels.

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
Vealer Steer														
200-280	RS	C	1	10	272.0	- 273.0	272.6	N/Q	-			615	- 650	636
	RS	C	2	42	249.0	- 280.0	269.2	-8	-			550	- 762	693
280-330	RS	C	2	26	262.0	- 271.0	268.9	N/Q	-			818	- 849	825
	FD	C	2	9	257.0	- 257.0	257.0	N/Q	-			799	- 799	799
330+	FD	B	2	13	259.0	- 259.0	259.0	N/Q	-			896	- 896	896
	FD	C	2	9	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q	-			838	- 845	841
		C	2	1	251.0	- 251.0	251.0	N/Q	465	- 465	465	966	- 966	966
		C	3	2	253.0	- 253.0	253.0	N/Q	460	- 460	460	911	- 911	911
				112	249.0	280.0	265.3		460	465	462	550	966	769
Vealer Heifer														
200-280	RS	D	2	8	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	-			565	- 565	565
280-330	RS	C	2	9	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	-			722	- 722	722
	FD	C	2	11	241.0	- 241.0	241.0	N/Q	-			757	- 757	757
330+		C	3	2	244.0	- 244.0	244.0	N/Q	444	- 444	444	861	- 861	861
				30	220.0	244.0	232.3		444	444	444	565	861	702
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	1	86	252.0	- 275.0	262.9	N/Q	-			781	- 864	826
	RS	C	1	20	258.0	- 272.0	265.3	N/Q	-			630	- 771	717
	FD	D	2	5	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	-			736	- 736	736
330-400	FD	C	1	57	241.0	- 259.0	252.7	N/Q	-			831	- 911	900
	FD	C	2	9	248.0	- 253.0	251.9	N/Q	-			903	- 944	935
	FD	D	1	1	216.0	- 216.0	216.0	N/Q	-			734	- 734	734
400+		C	2	38	231.0	- 245.0	240.9	N/Q	428	- 454	446	1014	- 1058	1027
	RS	C	2	3	191.0	- 220.0	203.7	N/Q	-			926	- 1023	970
		C	3	34	228.0	- 237.0	234.6	10	415	- 431	427	1055	- 1135	1104
				253	191.0	275.0	251.8		415	454	437	630	1135	905
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	FD	C	1	32	230.0	- 240.0	237.0	N/Q	-			702	- 746	732

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330-400	FD	D	1	21	180.0	- 231.0	223.1	N/Q	-			575	- 716	656	
	RS	D	2	1	211.0	- 211.0	211.0	N/Q	-			675	- 675	675	
	FD	C	1	25	219.0	- 242.0	236.8	N/Q	-			795	- 864	846	
	FD	C	2	85	223.0	- 243.0	239.1	N/Q	-			778	- 912	850	
		C	3	3	223.0	- 223.0	223.0	-34	413	- 413	413	892	- 892	892	
400+	FD	D	2	5	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	-			879	- 879	879	
	FD	D	3	9	207.0	- 207.0	207.0	N/Q	-			785	- 785	785	
	FD	C	2	3	237.0	- 237.0	237.0	N/Q	-			957	- 957	957	
	RS	C	2	1	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	-			1111	- 1111	1111	
		C	3	29	230.0	- 231.0	230.4	5	426	- 428	427	948	- 1007	988	
	FD	D	2	7	238.0	- 238.0	238.0	N/Q	-			959	- 959	959	
	FD	D	3	15	203.0	- 224.0	218.4	N/Q	-			832	- 1051	992	
	RS	D	3	6	178.0	- 214.0	184.0	N/Q	-			856	- 974	876	
		D	3	12	190.0	- 199.0	196.0	-35	352	- 369	363	842	- 975	931	
				254	178.0	243.0	230.0		352	428	408	575	1111	851	
Grown Steer															
500-600		C	2	4	176.0	- 184.0	180.0	N/Q	320	- 341	330	929	- 1008	969	
		C	3	8	179.0	- 192.0	184.4	-4	326	- 349	335	993	- 1066	1030	
		DA	D	2	4	147.0	- 147.0	147.0	N/Q	288	- 288	288	860	- 860	860
			D	3	1	156.0	- 156.0	156.0	N/Q	289	- 289	289	803	- 803	803
600-750		C	2	1	167.0	- 167.0	167.0	N/Q	304	- 304	304	1044	- 1044	1044	
		C	3	17	169.0	- 170.0	169.8	-2	302	- 309	305	1046	- 1234	1130	
		DA	D	2	10	154.0	- 154.0	154.0	N/Q	296	- 296	296	984	- 984	984
					45	147.0	192.0	167.4		288	349	309	803	1234	1032
Grown Heifer															
0-540	RS	C	3	7	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	3	-			817	- 817	817	
		D	2	4	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	304	- 304	304	822	- 822	822	
		D	3	23	153.0	- 177.0	165.3	17	283	- 328	310	730	- 945	836	
540+		C	2	1	163.0	- 163.0	163.0	N/Q	308	- 308	308	978	- 978	978	
		D	3	41	161.0	- 169.0	166.0	4	298	- 313	307	922	- 1148	1017	
				76	153.0	180.0	166.6		283	328	308	730	1148	933	
Cows															
400-520	RS	D	1	8	127.0	- 127.0	127.0	N/Q	-			528	- 528	528	
		D	1	3	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	267	- 267	267	620	- 620	620	
		D	2	20	126.0	- 144.0	130.3	20	263	- 300	275	589	- 724	620	
		D	3	4	134.0	- 139.0	135.3	-7	268	- 278	271	667	- 683	679	
520+		C	3	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	296	- 296	296	1216	- 1216	1216	
		D	2	12	142.0	- 146.0	142.3	N/Q	296	- 304	301	771	- 964	797	
		D	3	38	146.0	- 159.0	152.2	1	290	- 306	300	781	- 1041	906	
		D	4	15	140.0	- 153.0	148.4	-10	269	- 300	289	957	- 1109	1014	
		D	5	2	134.0	- 134.0	134.0	N/Q	268	- 268	268	872	- 872	872	
	E	2	2	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	244	- 244	244	616	- 616	616		
				105	110.0	160.0	141.8		244	306	289	528	1216	806	
Bulls															
0-450	RS	B	1	7	216.0	- 216.0	216.0	N/Q	-			693	- 693	693	

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450-600	RS	B	2	1	213.0	- 213.0	213.0	N/Q	-			682	- 682	682
	RS	C	1	1	159.0	- 159.0	159.0	N/Q	-			628	- 628	628
	RS	C	1	2	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	-			621	- 621	621
	RS	C	2	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-			728	- 728	728
	RS	D	1	1	99.0	- 99.0	99.0	N/Q	-			480	- 480	480
600+	B	2	5	124.0	- 136.0	129.0	-4	210	- 239	220	780	- 1203	1044	
	B	3	1	123.0	- 123.0	123.0	N/Q	205	- 205	205	1322	- 1322	1322	
	C	1	2	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	218	- 222	220	846	- 882	864	
	C	2	5	120.0	- 129.0	123.8	-5	208	- 226	214	954	- 1294	1122	
	C	3	4	124.0	- 129.0	127.0	7	215	- 221	218	921	- 1091	1036	
			30	99.0	216.0	151.6		205	239	217	480	1322	888	

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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