

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Yarding Change $\frac{2570}{270}$

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Cattle numbers lifted and quality remained mixed with prime conditioned younger categories limited in supply. There was a good supply of yearlings with grown steers also well represented. Around 250 cows were yarded and the usual buyers competed with the northern restockers very strong in the competition.

Vealers sold according to the quality offered with prices reaching as much as 257c/kg for the lighter weights to restocker purchases. Light and medium weight yearling steers to lot feeders and restockers lifted 5c to 8c selling from 200c to 238c/kg. Heavy weights to the trade and lot feeders sold at similar values as the best B muscle reached 232c, while the C muscles averaged 210c/kg. Yearling heifers sold to solid competition with good percentages of the better end selling to restockers with values ranging from 190c to 216c/kg. Heavy weights to the butchers remained firm in value.

Grown steers sold at firm prices with medium weights to feeders ranging from 175c to 210c/kg. Heavy grown steers and bullocks to slaughter sold from 190c to 202c/kg. Older heifers sold to restockers and processors with quality slipping marginally compared to recent markets.

Cows sold at similar prices with the plainer D2 pens averaging 154c/kg. The better covered 3 and 4 score cows ranged from 150c to 168c/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														
0-80		C	2	1	262.0	- 262.0	262.0	N/Q	504	- 504	504	157	- 157	157
80+		C	2	2	228.2	- 250.0	239.1	N/Q	439	- 481	460	250	- 411	330
				3	228.2	262.0	246.7		439	504	475	157	411	273
Vealer Steer														
0-200	RS	C	2	7	236.0	- 257.2	254.2	30	-	-	-	378	- 412	407
200-280	RS	C	2	34	220.0	- 252.0	239.9	8	-	-	-	451	- 658	570
		C	2	2	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	420	- 420	420	504	- 504	504
	RS	D	2	9	180.0	- 200.0	185.6	N/Q	-	-	-	396	- 497	447
330+		C	3	2	231.2	- 231.2	231.2	N/Q	420	- 420	420	786	- 786	786
				54	180.0	257.2	231.3		420	420	420	378	786	534
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	C	1	3	214.2	- 214.2	214.2	N/Q	-	-	-	386	- 386	386
	RS	C	2	14	224.0	- 224.0	224.0	29	-	-	-	403	- 403	403
		D	2	7	211.0	- 211.0	211.0	N/Q	422	- 422	422	390	- 390	390
200-280	RS	C	2	33	195.0	- 217.0	207.4	-22	-	-	-	527	- 586	560
		C	2	63	200.0	- 220.2	212.7	-14	385	- 424	409	429	- 574	528
		C	3	4	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	7	415	- 415	415	616	- 616	616
		D	2	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	292	- 292	292	392	- 392	392
280-330		C	3	10	213.0	- 223.0	221.2	-16	402	- 421	417	660	- 719	674
330+		C	3	6	226.2	- 226.4	226.4	12	419	- 427	421	758	- 770	768
				141	140.0	226.4	213.4		292	427	411	386	770	535
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	31	219.2	- 238.2	229.3	6	-	-	-	658	- 715	688
	RS	C	2	99	226.2	- 238.0	233.5	18	-	-	-	636	- 784	718

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330-400	RS	D	2	12	154.0	- 207.2	185.5	N/Q	-			493	- 552	533
	RS	C	2	33	200.0	- 228.8	218.9	27	-			680	- 824	783
	FD	C	2	22	217.2	- 226.6	223.1	10	-			749	- 811	786
	FD	C	3	6	224.6	- 238.0	229.1	17	-			764	- 881	803
400+		C	3	3	210.0	- 226.0	220.7	-2	389	- 411	404	798	- 848	831
	RS	C	3	4	234.0	- 234.0	234.0	N/Q	-			819	- 819	819
	FD	D	2	12	188.2	- 188.2	188.2	11	-			659	- 659	659
		B	3	1	232.0	- 232.0	232.0	N/Q	414	- 414	414	998	- 998	998
		C	2	2	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	377	- 377	377	820	- 820	820
	FD	C	2	13	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	9	-			882	- 882	882
	RS	C	2	3	211.6	- 211.6	211.6	17	-			849	- 849	849
	FD	C	3	37	204.2	- 215.0	210.0	-5	-			837	- 924	895
		C	3	37	196.0	- 224.0	210.6	2	363	- 406	383	813	- 1038	938
				315	154.0	238.2	220.2		363	414	385	493	1038	777
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	1	11	212.0	- 212.0	212.0	N/Q	-			488	- 488	488
	RS	C	2	75	190.0	- 216.2	204.6	5	-			533	- 649	604
	FD	C	2	16	195.0	- 208.2	207.4	6	-			585	- 645	642
		C	2	19	198.2	- 205.0	201.8	-9	396	- 410	404	554	- 595	573
		D	2	4	150.6	- 188.2	164.3	-13	307	- 392	344	446	- 471	457
330-400	RS	D	2	24	167.0	- 172.0	171.6	-20	-			462	- 534	479
	FD	C	2	16	198.0	- 209.0	198.7	N/C	-			673	- 700	675
	RS	C	2	38	198.0	- 205.0	200.4	-5	-			673	- 771	715
		C	2	3	192.6	- 192.6	192.6	-2	385	- 385	385	693	- 693	693
		C	3	38	195.0	- 227.2	214.2	-2	368	- 421	405	722	- 772	748
	RS	C	3	7	201.2	- 202.2	201.9	N/Q	-			728	- 744	733
	RS	D	2	4	150.0	- 172.0	161.0	17	-			510	- 585	547
400+	FD	D	2	2	178.0	- 178.0	178.0	N/Q	-			605	- 605	605
		D	3	7	163.2	- 190.0	178.5	5	326	- 380	357	588	- 646	621
		B	3	1	221.6	- 221.6	221.6	N/Q	403	- 403	403	909	- 909	909
		C	3	38	180.0	- 217.0	195.6	2	346	- 402	378	756	- 920	812
		D	3	4	149.2	- 175.0	160.9	-14	305	- 350	325	612	- 718	662
				307	149.2	227.2	198.9		305	421	387	446	920	654
Grown Steer														
0-400		D	1	1	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	261	- 261	261	444	- 444	444
400-500		C	2	35	180.0	- 185.0	180.8	-8	346	- 356	348	774	- 833	810
	FD	C	2	173	175.0	- 207.2	201.8	2	-			726	- 887	844
	FD	C	3	23	195.0	- 210.0	201.2	-9	-			873	- 923	909
		C	3	19	181.2	- 192.0	187.1	-6	336	- 356	346	825	- 940	877
		D	2	7	155.0	- 160.0	157.1	27	310	- 320	314	651	- 656	653
500-600	RS	D	2	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-			630	- 630	630
		C	2	13	181.2	- 188.0	184.0	-2	349	- 362	354	996	- 1023	1006
		C	3	59	190.0	- 196.0	192.9	-8	352	- 359	356	998	- 1078	1022
		C	4	55	195.0	- 200.0	195.9	N/Q	348	- 357	350	1073	- 1160	1132
600-750		C	3	12	190.0	- 192.0	190.3	-1	346	- 356	349	1159	- 1178	1172

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		C	4	114	185.0	- 201.5	198.1	2	336	- 360	354	1147	- 1406	1248
				512	120.0	210.0	195.7		261	362	351	444	1406	995
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	2	21	170.0	- 180.0	171.0	13	354	- 375	356	630	- 646	644
	FD	C	2	20	190.0	- 190.2	190.1	N/Q	-			608	- 666	643
	RS	C	2	35	175.0	- 191.6	185.5	N/Q	-			648	- 749	715
	FD	C	3	1	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	-			740	- 740	740
		C	3	22	175.0	- 182.6	179.0	-9	350	- 365	358	735	- 845	816
		C	4	12	180.0	- 185.2	183.0	-9	360	- 370	366	954	- 963	959
		D	2	20	130.0	- 164.2	157.3	10	289	- 365	350	506	- 636	559
	FD	D	2	7	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-			544	- 544	544
	RS	D	2	42	126.0	- 166.0	154.3	-1	-			359	- 581	525
	FD	D	3	5	169.0	- 169.0	169.0	N/Q	-			744	- 744	744
		D	3	68	160.0	- 166.0	164.7	-9	333	- 346	343	656	- 747	720
		D	4	1	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	337	- 337	337	891	- 891	891
				254	126.0	191.6	169.9		289	375	350	359	963	678
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	3	5	182.0	- 182.0	182.0	N/Q	337	- 337	337	1110	- 1110	1110
		C	4	2	178.0	- 178.0	178.0	N/Q	330	- 330	330	1210	- 1210	1210
				7	178.0	182.0	180.9		330	337	335	1110	1210	1139
Cows														
0-400		D	1	3	115.0	- 128.0	119.3	-17	303	- 337	314	443	- 474	453
		D	2	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	317	- 317	317	494	- 494	494
	RS	D	2	3	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	15	-			570	- 570	570
		E	1	5	65.0	- 100.0	72.0	2	186	- 286	206	228	- 370	256
400-520		D	2	47	139.2	- 161.2	154.7	9	331	- 366	357	596	- 720	682
	DA	D	2	1	152.2	- 152.2	152.2	N/Q	362	- 362	362	776	- 776	776
		D	3	41	149.2	- 158.0	153.2	3	317	- 329	322	671	- 775	720
		D	4	5	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	-10	323	- 323	323	775	- 775	775
	DA	E	2	1	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	313	- 313	313	563	- 563	563
520+		C	4	1	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	N/Q	336	- 336	336	1092	- 1092	1092
		D	3	16	162.0	- 166.2	162.5	7	338	- 346	339	891	- 897	892
		D	4	70	155.0	- 165.0	160.5	-6	323	- 344	333	840	- 1007	925
				194	65.0	168.0	154.1		186	366	333	228	1092	782
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	28	158.0	- 180.0	159.9	-27	293	- 321	295	474	- 810	513
	FD	C	2	4	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-			518	- 518	518
	RS	C	2	38	204.0	- 218.0	210.5	-25	-			494	- 572	546
		D	1	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	347	- 347	347	357	- 357	357
450-600		C	2	11	147.0	- 158.0	157.0	-11	272	- 282	281	853	- 869	868
600+		B	2	3	160.0	- 160.6	160.4	-26	276	- 277	277	1221	- 1760	1400
		C	2	8	145.0	- 170.2	158.4	-4	264	- 293	281	992	- 1430	1196
		D	2	1	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	226	- 226	226	732	- 732	732
				94	120.0	218.0	180.6		226	347	289	357	1760	655

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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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