

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba Landmark

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The rain over the supply area reduced numbers dramatically and there were virtually no calves and vealers penned, and only a small sample of yearling steers and heifers. A few pens of heavy steers and bullocks and a small sample of cows were also included in a line-up. Buyer attendance was good and most were keen to make purchases. Values generally improved across most classes of young cattle, and steers and bullocks lifted in value by 5c to 7c, and cows gained a similar amount.

Light and medium weight yearling steers to feed mostly sold around 222c with sales to 225c/kg. A couple of heavy yearling steers to the trade averaged 204c to make to 218.2c/kg. A small selection of good quality medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 15c dearer at 208c and sold to 215.2c/kg. A handful of slaughter classes averaged and sold at similar prices.

Heavy steers to export slaughter averaged 187c and a few pens of bullocks made to 194.6c to average 192c/kg. A small number of heavy cows averaged 162c and made to 173.2c/kg. Heavy Bulls made to 171.2c/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	3	227.2	- 227.2	227.2	5	429	- 429	429	375	- 375	375
				3	227.2	227.2	227.3		429	429	429	375	375	375
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	7	216.2	- 226.2	221.9	-8	-	-	-	532	- 638	577
		D	2	7	199.2	- 220.0	208.1	21	362	- 400	378	517	- 588	557
		RS	D	2	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	-	-	-	590	- 590	590
330-400	FD	C	2	5	204.2	- 204.2	204.2	-18	-	-	-	745	- 745	745
	FD	C	3	11	222.6	- 225.0	222.8	4	-	-	-	768	- 821	773
	FD	D	2	5	205.6	- 210.0	207.4	22	-	-	-	750	- 767	757
400+	RS	C	2	8	187.6	- 187.6	187.6	N/Q	-	-	-	797	- 797	797
		C	3	2	190.0	- 218.6	204.3	N/Q	346	- 398	372	884	- 896	890
	RS	D	3	1	183.6	- 183.6	183.6	N/Q	-	-	-	854	- 854	854
				47	183.6	226.2	208.8		346	400	377	517	896	714
Yearling Heifer														
0-330		C	2	1	215.0	- 215.0	215.0	N/Q	398	- 398	398	570	- 570	570
330-400	FD	C	3	15	198.2	- 215.2	208.5	15	-	-	-	664	- 800	743
		C	3	4	196.2	- 215.0	208.1	-6	363	- 398	385	691	- 806	760
400+		C	3	2	196.6	- 196.6	196.6	N/Q	364	- 364	364	836	- 836	836
	FD	C	3	3	183.6	- 183.6	183.6	-16	-	-	-	744	- 744	744
				25	183.6	215.2	204.7		363	398	381	570	836	746
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	3	8	179.2	- 179.2	179.2	N/Q	326	- 326	326	887	- 887	887
500-600		C	3	2	180.2	- 180.2	180.2	N/Q	328	- 328	328	1018	- 1018	1018
		C	4	19	183.2	- 189.2	187.2	5	327	- 338	334	980	- 1110	1071
		D	2	2	161.2	- 161.2	161.2	N/Q	293	- 293	293	903	- 903	903
		D	3	3	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	300	- 300	300	883	- 883	883
600-750		C	4	12	186.6	- 194.6	192.3	7	333	- 348	343	1204	- 1236	1223
750+		C	4	1	183.6	- 183.6	183.6	N/Q	334	- 334	334	1441	- 1441	1441

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				47	161.2	194.6	184.3		293	348	331	883	1441	1065
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		D	3	2	169.6	- 169.6	169.6	N/Q	308	- 308	308	1060	- 1060	1060
				2	169.6	169.6	169.5		308	308	309	1060	1060	1060
Cows														
0-400	DA	D	3	2	145.2	- 145.2	145.2	N/Q	296	- 296	296	80	- 80	80
		D	3	3	138.6	- 138.6	138.6	N/Q	283	- 283	283	547	- 547	547
400-520	DA	D	1	2	110.2	- 110.2	110.2	N/Q	306	- 306	306	523	- 523	523
		D	4	4	164.2	- 164.2	164.2	11	322	- 322	322	796	- 796	796
520+		D	4	11	156.2	- 173.2	162.0	1	306	- 338	315	836	- 1238	900
				22	110.2	173.2	153.0		283	338	310	80	1238	724
Bulls														
600+		C	3	1	171.2	- 171.2	171.2	N/Q	306	- 306	306	1455	- 1455	1455
				1	171.2	171.2	171.0		306	306	306	1455	1455	1455

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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