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## **Detailed saleyard report - cattle**

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Large lines of young steers and heifers dominated the large yarding. Prices improved 6c/kg for light yearling steers, while light yearling heifers varied in price. Good numbers of restocker were present and a full panel of feedlot buyers were also active. The majority cattle were from the local south west supply area with the occasional good quality line from central west. Heavy yearling steers to feed lifted 2c/kg, while a few heavy weight yearling heifers to feed were also dearer. Light weight yearling heifers to feed fell 7c/kg, but those going back to the paddock lifted 12c/kg. The grown steers to feed found plenty of buyer competition and gained 10c/kg, while bullocks remained unchanged. A small sample of grown heifers to processors lost 4c/kg.

Light yearling steers topped at 234c/kg and averaged 219c, to be 6c/kg dearer, while those with more condition topped at 238c and averaged 237c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed made to 227c and averaged 196c, a fall of 8c/kg, while those to restocker buyers sold to 231c and averaged 208c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed reached 201c and averaged 195c/kg. The C muscled light weight yearling heifers to feedlots averaged 189c, while those to processors made to 208c and averaged 206c/kg. The D muscled light yearling heifers to feed topped at 188c and averaged 181c to be 7c/kg cheaper, while those to processors made to 200c and averaged 189c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to restockers sold to 194c and averaged 191c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 150c/kg, while those to processors sold to 148c and averaged 140c/kg. There were a few very good quality heavy weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 194c/kg.

The medium weight grown steers to feed sold to 187c and averaged 175c to be 10c/kg dearer, while bullocks averaged 178c/kg. Grown heifers to processors made to 165c and averaged 155c/kg. Medium weight 4 score cows reached 164c and averaged 155c/kg.

Estimated Carcaso

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
Yearling S	teer													
0-330		С	2	138	186.2	- 192.2	187.8	-8	339	- 350	342	500 -	596	558
	FD	С	2	67	214.2	- 224.2	219.6	1		_		639 -	685	660
	RS	С	2	1698	190.0	- 234.2	218.6	6		_		444 -	746	628
	RS	С	3	446	235.2	- 238.2	237.3	23		-		667 -	706	679
	FD	С	3	168	170.0	- 227.2	205.5	-1		-		561 -	743	646
	RS	D	2	120	149.2	- 192.2	178.7	-5		-		384 -	535	468
		D	2	22	198.2	- 198.2	198.2	N/Q	360	- 360	360	496 -	496	496
	FD	D	2	57	175.0	- 200.0	184.6	-5		-		525 -	600	554
	FD	D	3	1	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q		-		589 -	589	589
330-400	FD	С	3	709	170.0	- 227.2	196.1	-8		-		602 -	889	708
	RS	С	3	314	176.2	- 231.2	207.9	9		-		630 -	818	733
		D	2	5	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	291	- 291	291	640 -	640	640
400+	FD	С	3	313	182.2	- 201.2	194.6	2		_		786 -	1055	928
		С	4	16	175.2	- 175.2	175.2	N/Q	319	- 319	319	964 -	964	964
				4074	149.2	238.2	210.5		291	360	340	384	1055	673
Yearling H	leifer													
0-330		С	2	144	203.2	- 208.2	205.8	N/Q	376	- 386	381	472 -	488	480
	FD	С	2	95	189.2	- 189.2	189.2	N/Q		-		568 -	605	587
	RS	С	2	139	192.2	- 213.2	206.5	N/C		-		467 -	615	512
	RS	С	3	51	189.2	- 189.2	189.2	N/Q		-		624 -	624	624
	RS	D	2	338	178.2	- 194.2	190.6	12		_		287 -	570	446
	FD	D	2	489	146.2	- 188.0	180.7	-7		-		407 -	574	497

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
		D	2	817	180.2	- 200.0	189.2	1	334 -	370	350	370 -	571	473
	RS	D	3	46	189.2	- 189.2	189.2	N/Q	-			624 -	624	624
	RS	Е	2	76	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	-13				387 -	387	387
	RS	Е	3	39	154.2	- 154.2	154.2	N/Q	-			478 -	478	478
330-400	FD	D	2	43	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-			525 -	525	525
		D	2	57	134.2	- 148.2	139.6	N/Q	249 -	274	259	470 -	519	489
	FD	D	3	138	170.0	- 197.2	188.7	3	-	•		595 -	670	657
		D	3	161	134.2	- 185.0	150.9	-12	249 -	343	280	483 -	648	554
	RS	D	3	26	190.2	- 190.2	190.2	16	-			761 -	761	761
400+	FD	D	3	22	194.2	- 194.2	194.2	34	-			796 -	796	796
				2681	134.2	213.2	183.9		249	386	340	287	796	505
Grown Ste	er													
400-500	FD	С	3	24	178.2	- 178.2	178.2	4	-			864 -	864	864
500-600	FD	С	3	95	166.2	- 187.2	174.9	10	-			881 -	1086	972
		С	4	102	178.2	- 178.2	178.2	N/C	324 -	324	324	980 -	980	980
		D	4	26	168.2	- 168.2	168.2	N/Q	306 -	306	306	925 -	925	925
600-750		С	4	25	182.2	- 182.2	182.2	N/Q	331 -	331	331	1148 -	1148	1148
				272	166.2	187.2	176.5		306	331	322	864	1148	977
Grown Hei	fer													
0-540		D	3	20	130.0	- 158.0	137.0	N/Q	241 -		254	585 -		617
		D	4	62		- 165.0	155.3	-4	280 -		288	756 -		770
540+		D	4	3	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	N/Q	306 -		306	991 -		991
_				85	130.0	165.2	151.4		241	306	280	585	991	742
<b>Cows</b> 400-520		D	2	14	122.2	- 122.2	122.2	N/C	266 -	266	266	550 -	550	550
400-320		_	3	30		- 122.2	138.6				283	691 -		693
		D						4	284					
520±		D D	4 4	67 52		- 164.2	155.0	10 1	285 -		304	725 - 770 -		775 796
520+		U	4			- 163.2	150.3 <b>147.7</b>				295			
Bulls				163	122.2	104.2	14/./		266	322	294	550	857	747
600+		С	3	4	146.2	- 153.2	149.5	-17	261 -	274	267	950 -	996	971
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## 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 Disclaimer:

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