

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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A smaller mixed quality yarding containing with steady trade and export competition from most of the usual SA and Victorian buyers. Supplementary fed yearlings in the last run attracting the strongest demand, as did a couple of lightweight B muscled vealer steers. Feeder and restocker orders were also active over a wide range of quality and weights of mainly young cattle and some plain quality beef cows.

Vealer steers in limited numbers to the trade sold from 210c to 230c, with the two isolated sales at 250c and 259c/kg. Feeder and restocker orders sourced the majority of C1 and C2 lightweight steers from 200c to 212c. Vealer heifers in small numbers to the trade sold between 185c and 227c with isolated sales dearer where quality suited, and 5c/kg cheaper for lightweight C2 heifers.

Yearling steer grass fed sales tended to range between 168c and 208c. The C3 steers were unchanged while C2's were 15c/kg cheaper for heavyweights and 7c/kg dearer for the medium weights. Supplementary feds sold from 215c to 230c to be generally 5c/kg dearer on a mixture of medium and heavyweights. Yearling heifer C3 sales were from 190c to 200c with a pen of supplementary feds at 228c/kg. The medium C2 yearling heifers to slaughter were 9c cheaper selling from 161c to 186c/kg.

Grown steers in mainly 2 score condition sold from 184c to 192c/kg. Grown heifer C and D muscled sales ranged between 155c and 178c, and were averaging 9c/kg less.

Light D3 beef cows were back by 2c to average 150c while th D4's remained unchanged on 154c/kg. A restocker sourced D2 medium weights at 139c/kg. A couple of pens of pastoral bred cows sold at 153c and 156c/kg. Medium and heavy bulls to processors sold mainly from 150c to 160c to be unchanged to 5c/kg cheaper.

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		B	2	2	250.0	- 259.0	254.5	N/Q	439	- 450	445	609	- 625	617
	RS	C	1	4	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	-	-	-	550	- 550	550
		C	2	1	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	411	- 411	411	621	- 621	621
280-330	RS	C	1	10	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	-13	-	-	-	615	- 615	615
	RS	C	2	22	205.0	- 210.0	209.3	N/Q	-	-	-	615	- 630	628
		C	2	3	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/C	396	- 396	396	630	- 630	630
	FD	C	2	15	209.0	- 212.0	210.4	2	-	-	-	679	- 689	684
				57	200.0	259.0	210.2		396	450	415	550	689	635
Vealer Heifer														
280-330	FD	C	1	4	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	13	-	-	-	564	- 564	564
		C	2	3	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	-5	343	- 343	343	611	- 611	611
		C	3	11	207.0	- 227.0	208.8	N/Q	380	- 405	382	673	- 738	679
	RS	D	2	5	174.0	- 174.0	174.0	N/Q	-	-	-	522	- 522	522
				23	174.0	227.0	194.5		343	405	374	522	738	616
Yearling Steer														
330-400		B	2	28	225.0	- 230.0	228.8	-2	398	- 407	403	765	- 920	877
	PC	C	1	1	156.0	- 156.0	156.0	N/Q	312	- 312	312	624	- 624	624
	RS	C	1	2	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	-	-	-	537	- 537	537
	PC	C	2	1	182.0	- 182.0	182.0	N/Q	331	- 331	331	728	- 728	728
		C	2	14	182.0	- 186.0	184.6	7	337	- 358	350	683	- 744	725
		C	3	19	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	15	393	- 393	393	759	- 792	787

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400+		B	2	13	224.0	- 224.0	224.0	5	397	- 397	397	952	- 952	952	
		C	2	7	168.0	- 176.0	173.7	-15	317	- 339	332	781	- 792	789	
	FD	C	2	14	199.0	- 199.0	199.0	N/Q	-			836	- 836	836	
		C	3	37	208.0	- 228.0	219.7	5	371	- 404	390	884	- 988	959	
				136	156.0	230.0	212.3		312	407	385	537	988	861	
Yearling Heifer															
0-330	FD	C	2	12	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-			601	- 601	601	
330-400	FD	C	2	2	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-			657	- 657	657	
		C	2	21	161.0	- 186.0	174.3	-9	316	- 349	333	566	- 670	629	
	PC	C	2	16	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	333	- 333	333	640	- 640	640	
		C	3	2	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	349	- 349	349	760	- 760	760	
	D	2	1	151.0	- 151.0	151.0	N/Q	302	- 302	302	513	- 513	513		
400+	B	2	6	214.0	- 214.0	214.0	N/Q	382	- 382	382	899	- 899	899		
	C	3	10	195.0	- 228.0	214.9	20	348	- 404	381	819	- 980	931		
	C	4	2	178.0	- 192.0	185.0	N/Q	318	- 343	330	883	- 961	922		
	D	2	2	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	272	- 272	272	525	- 525	525		
	D	3	2	154.0	- 154.0	154.0	N/Q	308	- 308	308	693	- 693	693		
				76	125.0	228.0	180.3		272	404	343	513	980	697	
Grown Steer															
400-500		C	2	2	186.0	- 186.0	186.0	N/Q	344	- 344	344	856	- 856	856	
500-600		C	2	7	184.0	- 192.0	185.1	-3	347	- 352	348	957	- 1085	975	
				9	184.0	192.0	185.3		344	352	347	856	1085	949	
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	2	20	156.0	- 162.0	158.2	-2	297	- 324	304	695	- 842	766	
		C	3	20	165.0	- 178.0	167.8	-16	306	- 327	310	767	- 918	804	
540+		C	3	2	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	N/Q	306	- 306	306	941	- 941	941	
		C	4	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	294	- 294	294	1056	- 1056	1056	
		D	3	1	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	293	- 293	293	853	- 853	853	
				44	155.0	178.0	163.0		293	327	306	695	1056	800	
Manufacturing Steer															
0-540		C	2	14	152.0	- 161.0	155.2	N/Q	292	- 304	296	684	- 790	706	
		PC	D	1	1	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	250	- 250	250	414	- 414	414
		DA	D	2	1	128.0	- 128.0	128.0	N/Q	267	- 267	267	480	- 480	480
		D	2	2	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	292	- 292	292	588	- 588	588	
				18	115.0	161.0	149.8		250	304	292	414	790	664	
Cows															
400-520		C	2	7	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	313	- 313	313	780	- 780	780	
		D	2	18	125.0	- 140.0	133.4	-10	272	- 298	287	575	- 707	650	
		RS	D	2	21	139.0	- 139.0	139.0	N/Q	-			584	- 584	584
		PC	D	3	9	153.0	- 153.0	153.0	N/Q	316	- 316	316	711	- 711	711
		D	3	20	142.0	- 150.0	148.5	-2	302	- 313	310	639	- 770	700	
		E	1	2	60.0	- 60.0	60.0	N/Q	158	- 158	158	264	- 264	264	
520+		C	2	5	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	-2	309	- 309	309	810	- 810	810	
		C	3	12	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	-3	307	- 307	307	948	- 948	948	
		C	4	9	155.0	- 160.0	159.4	-1	293	- 302	301	1056	- 1132	1064	

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		C	5	8	156.0	- 156.0	156.0	-5	294	- 294	294	1014	- 1014	1014
		D	2	7	120.0	- 128.0	125.7	-25	267	- 272	271	690	- 717	709
	PC	D	3	6	156.0	- 156.0	156.0	-2	312	- 312	312	842	- 842	842
		D	3	30	140.5	- 153.0	150.0	-2	293	- 313	303	794	- 918	841
		D	4	56	150.0	- 156.0	154.3	N/C	298	- 309	303	810	- 942	890
		D	5	16	145.0	- 155.0	150.4	-6	274	- 298	288	900	- 1023	947
				226	60.0	160.0	148.4		158	316	300	264	1132	813
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	3	172.0	- 177.0	175.3	N/Q	-	-	-	516	- 531	526
	RS	C	2	4	150.0	- 164.0	160.5	2	-	-	-	510	- 590	570
450-600		B	1	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	268	- 268	268	840	- 840	840
		C	2	2	149.0	- 149.0	149.0	N/C	266	- 266	266	685	- 685	685
600+		B	1	11	148.0	- 159.0	154.6	-2	269	- 284	278	1113	- 1638	1373
		B	2	4	159.0	- 160.0	159.8	-5	265	- 281	275	1120	- 1749	1569
		B	4	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	276	- 276	276	1600	- 1600	1600
		C	1	4	110.0	- 135.0	119.8	-10	229	- 250	236	946	- 1290	1065
		C	2	4	138.0	- 151.0	143.8	-4	256	- 274	264	1057	- 1408	1286
				34	110.0	177.0	152.1		229	284	268	510	1749	1131

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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