

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Toowoomba Landmark

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Numbers remained virtually unchanged and a fair supply of young cattle were penned. Only a handful of heavy steers were available and a very small selection of cows. Well-bred lines of light and medium weight yearling steers met strong enquiry from restockers and feeder operators. A small sample of slaughter class yearling heifers received strong support from wholesalers and butchers, however lesser quality lines sold to a subdued market. Export slaughter descriptions generally met firm demand.

A few calves returned to the paddock at 211c with sales to 217.2c/kg. Lightweight yearling steers to restockers made to 224.2c to average 215c/kg. Medium weight feeders averaged 223c and made to 227.2c/kg. A fairly large selection of lightweight yearling heifers sold to feeder operators at 194c, and slaughter lines averaged 190c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to the trade average 209c and sold to 219.2c, while the heavy weights averaged 195c and sold to 202.2c/kg.

A couple of pens of heavy steers made to 187.6c to average 181c/kg. A small number of medium weight 2 score cows averaged 122c and 3 scores 135c/kg. A few good heavy cows made to 152.6c/kg. Heavy Bulls made to 170c/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
<b>Calves</b>														
80+	RS	C	1	2	189.2	- 189.2	189.2	N/Q	-			237	- 237	237
	RS	C	2	15	203.2	- 217.2	210.9	-10	-			274	- 380	351
	RS	D	1	1	193.2	- 193.2	193.2	N/Q	-			261	- 261	261
		D	2	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	340	- 340	340	315	- 315	315
				<b>19</b>	<b>180.0</b>	<b>217.2</b>	<b>206.1</b>		<b>340</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>333</b>
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	3	207.2	- 211.2	209.2	N/C	384	- 391	387	487	- 496	492
				<b>3</b>	<b>207.2</b>	<b>211.2</b>	<b>209.3</b>		<b>384</b>	<b>391</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>487</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>492</b>
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330	FD	C	2	17	200.2	- 229.2	219.0	14	-			505	- 539	529
	RS	C	2	34	200.2	- 224.2	215.5	-4	-			449	- 504	481
		D	2	5	190.2	- 190.2	190.2	-1	346	- 346	346	428	- 428	428
330-400	FD	C	2	21	199.2	- 227.2	223.2	29	-			667	- 761	748
	FD	C	3	10	205.2	- 219.2	209.2	N/Q	-			770	- 800	780
	FD	D	2	3	175.2	- 175.2	175.2	-14	-			675	- 675	675
400+	FD	C	2	3	180.2	- 180.2	180.2	N/Q	-			730	- 730	730
				<b>93</b>	<b>175.2</b>	<b>229.2</b>	<b>213.4</b>		<b>346</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>428</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>594</b>
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-330	RS	C	2	18	199.2	- 203.2	201.6	-1	-			408	- 417	413
	FD	C	2	66	189.2	- 201.6	194.0	10	-			407	- 523	461
		C	2	24	187.2	- 193.2	190.2	-8	347	- 358	352	421	- 473	447
		D	2	6	174.2	- 175.2	174.9	6	323	- 324	324	394	- 514	437
	RS	D	2	2	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	N/Q	-			348	- 348	348
330-400	FD	C	2	9	180.0	- 182.0	181.8	-11	-			664	- 675	665
		C	3	18	188.0	- 219.2	209.1	N/Q	348	- 406	387	714	- 822	781
		D	2	6	152.2	- 169.2	166.4	-9	282	- 313	308	556	- 575	572
	FD	D	2	20	159.2	- 178.0	173.4	N/Q	-			613	- 650	641

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
400+		D	3	2	172.2	- 180.0	176.1	N/Q	319	- 333	326	629	- 684	656
	FD	D	3	22	171.2	- 175.2	173.7	N/Q		-		591	- 639	622
	FD	C	2	6	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	14		-		765	- 765	765
		C	3	8	185.0	- 202.2	195.4	9	343	- 374	362	786	- 900	860
	FD	D	2	2	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q		-		680	- 680	680
	D	3	19	169.2	- 177.2	171.9	2	313	- 328	318	719	- 789	740	
				<b>228</b>	<b>148.2</b>	<b>219.2</b>	<b>186.9</b>		<b>282</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>348</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>571</b>
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
0-400	RS	D	2	1	145.2	- 145.2	145.2	N/Q		-		559	- 559	559
500-600		C	4	18	185.2	- 187.6	186.5	N/Q	331	- 335	333	991	- 1004	998
		D	3	1	151.2	- 151.2	151.2	N/Q	275	- 275	275	854	- 854	854
600-750		C	3	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	309	- 309	309	1080	- 1080	1080
				<b>21</b>	<b>145.2</b>	<b>187.6</b>	<b>182.0</b>		<b>275</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>559</b>	<b>1080</b>	<b>974</b>
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540		C	4	10	163.2	- 171.2	166.4	N/Q	314	- 323	318	710	- 916	792
				<b>10</b>	<b>163.2</b>	<b>171.2</b>	<b>166.4</b>		<b>314</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>710</b>	<b>916</b>	<b>792</b>
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
540+		D	3	1	123.6	- 123.6	123.6	N/Q	225	- 225	225	989	- 989	989
				<b>1</b>	<b>123.6</b>	<b>123.6</b>	<b>124.0</b>		<b>225</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>989</b>	<b>989</b>	<b>989</b>
<b>Cows</b>														
400-520		D	1	3	103.2	- 115.6	109.7	5	287	- 321	305	459	- 491	477
	RS	D	1	5	96.6	- 96.6	96.6	-23		-		459	- 459	459
	DA	D	1	1	107.2	- 107.2	107.2	N/Q	298	- 298	298	520	- 520	520
	RS	D	2	2	127.2	- 127.2	127.2	N/Q		-		541	- 541	541
		D	2	5	120.2	- 128.6	121.9	-8	286	- 306	290	523	- 572	533
		D	3	6	133.6	- 138.6	135.3	2	273	- 283	276	608	- 644	620
		D	4	7	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	5	294	- 294	294	743	- 743	743
520+		C	3	1	157.2	- 157.2	157.2	N/Q	314	- 314	314	998	- 998	998
	DA	D	2	7	129.6	- 129.6	129.6	N/Q	309	- 309	309	745	- 745	745
		D	3	1	138.6	- 138.6	138.6	N/Q	283	- 283	283	742	- 742	742
		D	4	5	150.2	- 152.6	152.1	1	295	- 299	298	849	- 916	902
		D	5	5	138.6	- 138.6	138.6	N/C	283	- 283	283	811	- 811	811
				<b>48</b>	<b>96.6</b>	<b>157.2</b>	<b>131.3</b>		<b>273</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>459</b>	<b>998</b>	<b>676</b>
<b>Bulls</b>														
600+		C	3	5	159.6	- 170.0	167.1	N/C	285	- 304	298	1199	- 1781	1481
		D	3	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	250	- 250	250	1106	- 1106	1106
				<b>6</b>	<b>140.0</b>	<b>170.0</b>	<b>162.7</b>		<b>250</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>1106</b>	<b>1781</b>	<b>1419</b>

#### 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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