

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Pakenham

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Yarding Change ¹⁷⁷
-122

comparison date 07/08/2012

There were approximately 165 cows and 12 bulls offered. Heavy beef cows carrying good condition were in short supply with plainer lines making up the majority of the small yarding. Prices were mixed although generally firm with some small isolated price variances. The usual buying group was present with one export processor absent from the gallery.

Plain condition 1 score and lightweight dairy cows made from 110c to 127c to be 2c/kg cheaper on most sales. Better condition 2 and 3 score heavy weight dairy cows made between 125c and 153c/kg. Plain condition 1 and 2 score beef cows made from 117c to 143c/kg on most sales. Better condition 3 and 4 score beef cows were firm, selling from 138c to 164c/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
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	3	4	158.6	- 158.6	158.6	3	317	- 317	317	761	- 761	761
	RS	D	3	1	147.6	- 147.6	147.6	N/Q		-		694	- 694	694
540+		D	3	1	172.6	- 172.6	172.6	N/Q	332	- 332	332	984	- 984	984
				6	147.6	172.6	159.2		317	332	320	694	984	787
Cows														
0-400		D	1	4	100.0	- 116.0	108.0	-4	263	- 290	277	320	- 441	380
	RS	D	1	3	121.6	- 128.6	123.9	N/Q		-		486	- 514	496
	DA	D	1	8	118.6	- 119.6	119.5	N/Q	299	- 312	301	474	- 478	478
		E	1	1	80.0	- 80.0	80.0	N/Q	211	- 211	211	320	- 320	320
400-520		D	1	5	116.6	- 122.0	118.4	N/C	273	- 284	278	560	- 610	573
	DA	D	1	6	112.0	- 114.6	114.2	-8	280	- 287	285	516	- 582	527
	RS	D	1	6	125.0	- 129.6	127.9	2		-		544	- 600	581
	RS	D	2	3	140.6	- 143.6	142.6	11		-		703	- 718	713
	DA	D	2	5	126.6	- 126.6	126.6	-2	301	- 301	301	582	- 582	582
		D	2	19	123.6	- 143.2	134.5	1	275	- 311	294	618	- 716	673
	RS	D	3	2	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q		-		700	- 700	700
		D	3	8	140.0	- 150.6	147.5	3	292	- 314	307	670	- 753	730
	DA	E	1	4	71.6	- 105.0	96.7	N/Q	188	- 263	244	344	- 473	440
520+	DA	D	1	12	110.0	- 127.0	121.9	-2	262	- 311	289	594	- 711	678
	DA	D	2	14	124.6	- 140.6	131.4	-5	277	- 312	294	673	- 815	748
		D	2	11	127.6	- 140.6	132.1	-5	277	- 306	288	702	- 832	735
		D	3	18	137.6	- 163.2	146.5	N/C	287	- 340	304	775	- 1016	850
	DA	D	3	15	145.6	- 152.6	149.8	3	303	- 317	305	874	- 977	940
		D	4	8	151.2	- 163.6	154.5	N/C	294	- 327	308	893	- 1221	973
		D	5	4	145.6	- 146.6	146.4	6	280	- 293	290	880	- 1121	940
		D	6	2	130.6	- 130.6	130.6	N/Q	261	- 261	261	914	- 914	914
				158	71.6	163.6	133.4		188	340	294	320	1221	715
Bulls														
0-450		D	1	2	121.2	- 121.2	121.2	N/Q	253	- 253	253	509	- 509	509
	RS	D	1	2	115.6	- 115.6	115.6	N/Q		-		370	- 370	370

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450-600	RS	D	2	1	133.6	- 133.6	133.6	N/Q	-			561	- 561	561
		C	3	2	165.0	- 170.0	167.5	N/Q	295	- 304	299	990	- 1020	1005
		D	2	1	134.6	- 134.6	134.6	N/Q	259	- 259	259	673	- 673	673
600+		C	2	1	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	N/Q	297	- 297	297	1429	- 1429	1429
		C	3	4	162.2	- 168.0	165.4	-1	295	- 300	297	1168	- 1328	1257
				13	115.6	170.0	146.5		253	304	285	370	1429	881

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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