

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Pakenham

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Yarding Change <sup>142</sup>/<sub>-45</sub>

comparison date 25/09/2012

There were 138 cows and 4 bulls of varying quality penned. Plain condition cows dominated the selling pens with a much smaller proportion of good heavy weight beef cows offered. The usual buying group was present for a generally dearer market. Cows to processors were firm to 8c/kg stronger while cows to restockers sold to mixed prices.

Plain condition 1 score dairy cows sold mostly from 112c to 127c/kg. Better condition 2 and 3 score heavy weight dairy cows made between 128c to 140c/kg. Plain condition 1 and 2 score beef cows made from 120c to 137c/kg. Better condition 3 and 4 score heavy weight beef cows sold between 140c and 151c/kg. A few bulls sold from 145c to 155c/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>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	RS	D	2	1	134.6	- 134.6	134.6	N/Q	-			673	- 673	673
		D	3	1	152.6	- 152.6	152.6	N/Q	299	- 299	299	809	- 809	809
540+		D	3	2	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	289	- 289	289	840	- 870	855
				<b>4</b>	<b>134.6</b>	<b>152.6</b>	<b>147.0</b>		<b>289</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>673</b>	<b>870</b>	<b>798</b>
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400	DA	E	1	3	92.6	- 92.6	92.6	7	226	- 226	226	370	- 370	370
400-520	DA	D	1	9	112.0	- 124.6	115.7	-1	255	- 283	265	523	- 623	555
		D	1	5	119.6	- 129.2	124.3	5	272	- 294	280	574	- 646	602
	RS	D	1	7	112.6	- 133.6	129.5	8	-			563	- 668	647
	RS	D	2	15	126.6	- 146.6	129.1	-7	-			544	- 733	581
		D	2	15	123.6	- 136.6	133.6	6	275	- 297	291	618	- 710	660
	DA	D	2	2	124.2	- 130.0	127.1	N/Q	276	- 283	279	596	- 650	623
		D	3	13	140.0	- 149.6	143.4	N/C	292	- 312	299	672	- 748	714
	DA	E	1	1	106.0	- 106.0	106.0	N/Q	247	- 247	247	509	- 509	509
520+		C	3	2	155.0	- 157.6	156.3	N/Q	304	- 315	310	837	- 946	891
	DA	D	1	7	113.2	- 126.6	121.5	8	253	- 281	271	623	- 696	677
		D	1	4	123.6	- 123.6	123.6	N/Q	275	- 275	275	655	- 655	655
		D	2	2	125.6	- 133.6	129.6	N/Q	273	- 290	282	678	- 721	700
	DA	D	2	9	128.0	- 138.6	134.4	6	278	- 297	290	721	- 859	758
	DA	D	3	1	139.6	- 139.6	139.6	N/Q	291	- 291	291	810	- 810	810
		D	3	10	139.6	- 146.6	143.4	1	291	- 305	299	804	- 838	814
		D	4	28	147.0	- 150.6	149.1	4	294	- 301	298	800	- 979	921
		D	5	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	260	- 260	260	1040	- 1040	1040
				<b>134</b>	<b>92.6</b>	<b>157.6</b>	<b>134.4</b>		<b>226</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>1040</b>	<b>720</b>
<b>Bulls</b>														
450-600		C	2	1	154.6	- 154.6	154.6	N/Q	281	- 281	281	773	- 773	773
600+		C	2	1	150.6	- 150.6	150.6	N/Q	269	- 269	269	1280	- 1280	1280
	DA	D	2	2	145.2	- 148.6	146.9	N/Q	269	- 275	272	1129	- 1307	1218
				<b>4</b>	<b>145.2</b>	<b>154.6</b>	<b>150.0</b>		<b>269</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>773</b>	<b>1307</b>	<b>1122</b>

#### Abbreviations

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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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