

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Warwick

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Yarding Change ¹²⁶⁵
182

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The second last sale for the year attracted a larger number of stock. Buyer attendance was good with representatives covering all classes. Young cattle suffered price reductions of 10c/kg, with only top quality lines receiving fair competition. Heavy steers and bullocks improved in price by 3c to 5c/kg. Cows experienced a mixed trend with plain classes firm to cheaper, while the better end of the cows lifted in value by 5c/kg.

The occasional vealer steer and heifer made to 216.2c/kg. Most of the lightweight yearling steers to restockers and feed sold in the 180c/kg range. Medium weights also to feed and restockers averaged in the 170c range with sales to 185c/kg. Heavyweights to feed averaged 173c, and local trade classes made 178c/kg. The better end of the lightweight yearling heifers made to 190.2c, while the plainer lines averaged 161c/kg. Medium weight supplementary fed yearling heifers were well supplied and averaged 171c the occasional sale to 198.2c/kg.

A small number of heavy steers averaged close to 189c, and a handful of bullocks averaged 182c and sold to 186.6c/kg.

Medium weight plain cows averaged 108c, and 2 scores 124c/kg. Good heavy cows were in the largest numbers and sold to a top of 173.2c to average 154c/kg. Heavy Bulls made to 174.6c/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
Calves														
80+		C	2	12	180.0	- 195.0	186.9	-8	340	- 368	353	255	- 380	330
	RS	C	2	6	181.2	- 190.0	185.6	N/Q	-	-	-	299	- 352	325
	RS	D	1	3	174.2	- 174.2	174.2	10	-	-	-	235	- 235	235
	RS	D	2	1	164.2	- 164.2	164.2	N/Q	-	-	-	238	- 238	238
		D	2	2	163.2	- 163.2	163.2	N/Q	308	- 308	308	286	- 286	286
				24	163.2	195.0	182.1		308	368	346	235	380	310
Vealer Steer														
280-330		C	3	1	216.2	- 216.2	216.2	N/Q	393	- 393	393	659	- 659	659
				1	216.2	216.2	216.0		393	393	393	659	659	659
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	3	180.0	- 192.0	188.0	N/Q	333	- 356	348	423	- 451	442
		D	2	5	168.2	- 176.2	171.4	-12	312	- 326	317	388	- 395	392
280-330		C	3	2	216.2	- 216.2	216.2	N/Q	400	- 400	400	659	- 659	659
				10	168.2	216.2	185.3		312	400	343	388	659	461
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	15	180.0	- 183.2	180.4	-14	-	-	-	467	- 585	560
	RS	C	2	16	185.0	- 190.2	186.3	-3	-	-	-	414	- 546	497
		C	3	2	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	346	- 346	346	618	- 618	618
		D	2	4	149.2	- 149.2	149.2	N/Q	271	- 271	271	351	- 351	351
	FD	D	2	2	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	N/Q	-	-	-	393	- 393	393
	RS	D	2	33	148.0	- 175.0	167.8	-6	-	-	-	385	- 499	454
330-400	RS	C	2	24	168.0	- 180.0	177.0	N/Q	-	-	-	613	- 657	646
	FD	C	2	35	175.2	- 181.2	179.7	-9	-	-	-	587	- 657	615
	FD	C	3	15	167.2	- 185.0	179.6	-8	-	-	-	610	- 712	687
		C	3	8	175.0	- 185.2	182.5	-8	318	- 337	332	657	- 695	679

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		D	2	1	154.2	- 154.2	154.2	N/Q	280	- 280	280	563	- 563	563
	FD	D	2	15	158.0	- 175.0	163.0	-12	-	-	-	577	- 613	586
	FD	D	3	7	163.2	- 169.2	167.5	N/Q	-	-	-	579	- 618	609
400+	FD	C	2	16	164.2	- 175.0	171.0	3	-	-	-	698	- 744	727
	FD	C	3	29	170.2	- 176.2	172.9	-6	-	-	-	697	- 766	742
		C	3	13	174.2	- 198.2	178.2	-6	317	- 360	324	714	- 851	792
	FD	D	2	2	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	-	-	-	701	- 701	701
	RS	D	2	7	140.0	- 150.2	148.7	N/Q	-	-	-	567	- 638	628
	FD	D	3	12	164.2	- 168.2	166.3	N/C	-	-	-	698	- 723	712
				256	140.0	198.2	173.4		271	360	319	351	851	621
Yearling Heifer														
0-330		C	2	3	177.2	- 178.2	177.9	-7	328	- 330	329	463	- 505	477
	FD	C	2	8	178.2	- 180.2	179.7	-3	-	-	-	405	- 419	409
	RS	C	2	27	173.2	- 178.2	173.6	N/Q	-	-	-	401	- 476	471
		C	3	11	185.0	- 190.2	187.3	2	343	- 352	347	531	- 571	554
		D	2	12	154.2	- 168.0	161.5	-8	286	- 311	299	367	- 440	389
	FD	D	2	28	158.2	- 165.0	161.5	-3	-	-	-	356	- 454	411
	RS	D	2	12	149.2	- 157.2	152.1	-24	-	-	-	338	- 410	384
330-400	FD	C	2	3	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	-10	-	-	-	536	- 536	536
	FD	C	3	48	170.0	- 184.2	178.8	11	-	-	-	585	- 650	629
		C	3	88	164.2	- 198.2	171.4	-6	304	- 367	317	563	- 743	610
		D	2	11	140.0	- 146.2	144.5	N/Q	259	- 271	268	525	- 548	542
	FD	D	2	26	147.2	- 169.2	153.7	15	-	-	-	532	- 592	549
	FD	D	3	30	155.0	- 161.2	159.3	3	-	-	-	553	- 581	562
	RS	D	3	5	162.2	- 162.2	162.2	4	-	-	-	543	- 543	543
		D	3	7	159.2	- 162.0	161.6	3	295	- 300	299	581	- 624	618
400+	FD	C	3	13	164.2	- 171.2	164.7	N/Q	-	-	-	693	- 698	698
		C	3	15	163.2	- 174.2	166.5	-8	302	- 323	308	661	- 740	699
	FD	D	2	2	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	-	-	-	547	- 547	547
	FD	D	3	8	155.2	- 155.2	155.2	N/Q	-	-	-	660	- 660	660
		D	3	8	145.0	- 148.2	146.8	-11	269	- 274	272	631	- 645	638
				365	135.0	198.2	166.5		259	367	311	338	743	561
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	3	4	174.2	- 174.2	174.2	N/Q	-	-	-	775	- 775	775
500-600		C	4	12	185.0	- 189.2	188.9	5	330	- 338	337	1045	- 1069	1067
		D	3	4	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	-3	270	- 270	270	793	- 793	793
600-750		C	3	5	172.0	- 172.2	172.1	1	313	- 313	313	1075	- 1093	1086
		C	4	11	173.2	- 186.6	182.7	3	309	- 333	326	1126	- 1250	1203
				36	148.2	189.2	178.6		270	338	321	775	1250	1048
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	2	1	116.2	- 116.2	116.2	N/Q	264	- 264	264	424	- 424	424
		D	3	2	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	N/Q	285	- 285	285	704	- 704	704
540+		C	3	2	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	298	- 298	298	891	- 891	891
		C	4	10	163.2	- 180.2	173.6	8	308	- 340	328	922	- 1075	1002
				15	116.2	180.2	163.9		264	340	314	424	1075	909

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Manufacturing Steer														
540+		D	3	2	139.2	- 139.2	139.2	N/Q	253	- 253	253	1072	- 1072	1072
				2	139.2	139.2	139.0		253	253	253	1072	1072	1072
Cows														
0-400		D	1	13	80.0	- 105.0	92.8	-5	211	- 263	234	292	- 415	350
	RS	D	1	2	106.2	- 106.2	106.2	N/Q	-			398	- 398	398
		D	2	1	108.2	- 108.2	108.2	N/Q	246	- 246	246	417	- 417	417
		E	1	3	60.0	- 62.2	61.5	-9	158	- 164	162	216	- 227	223
	DA	E	2	1	82.2	- 82.2	82.2	N/Q	187	- 187	187	316	- 316	316
400-520	RS	C	1	3	139.2	- 139.2	139.2	N/Q	-			647	- 647	647
	DA	D	1	7	91.2	- 112.2	100.6	6	228	- 281	251	397	- 523	462
	RS	D	1	4	118.2	- 123.2	119.5	7	-			514	- 573	529
		D	1	38	95.2	- 118.2	108.8	N/C	238	- 296	272	414	- 547	474
	RS	D	2	3	129.2	- 129.2	129.2	3	-			601	- 601	601
		D	2	42	119.2	- 134.6	124.5	N/C	271	- 306	283	530	- 616	562
		D	3	16	132.2	- 139.2	135.7	3	270	- 284	277	628	- 675	655
		D	4	14	140.0	- 149.2	143.7	-4	275	- 293	282	693	- 724	703
520+		C	2	2	133.2	- 133.2	133.2	N/Q	278	- 278	278	766	- 766	766
		C	3	2	143.2	- 143.2	143.2	N/Q	286	- 286	286	859	- 859	859
		D	1	1	119.2	- 119.2	119.2	N/Q	298	- 298	298	638	- 638	638
	DA	D	1	5	118.2	- 120.2	119.8	N/Q	296	- 301	300	709	- 743	736
	DA	D	2	5	127.2	- 128.2	128.0	-1	289	- 291	291	801	- 808	803
	RS	D	2	3	125.6	- 125.6	125.6	-5	-			703	- 703	703
		D	2	5	130.6	- 133.2	131.1	4	297	- 303	298	699	- 713	701
		D	3	7	136.6	- 140.2	139.3	3	279	- 286	284	761	- 867	789
		D	4	38	145.0	- 173.2	154.3	5	284	- 340	303	813	- 1195	922
		D	5	2	127.6	- 127.6	127.6	N/Q	260	- 260	260	766	- 766	766
				217	60.0	173.2	126.1		158	340	278	216	1195	632
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	7	132.2	- 159.2	143.8	N/Q	240	- 290	261	374	- 562	481
		C	3	2	138.2	- 163.2	150.7	N/Q	251	- 297	274	587	- 596	592
	RS	C	3	1	153.2	- 153.2	153.2	N/Q	-			613	- 613	613
		D	1	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	182	- 182	182	385	- 385	385
		D	2	5	123.2	- 137.2	134.4	16	224	- 250	244	462	- 597	570
	RS	D	2	1	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	-			493	- 493	493
450-600	FD	C	2	2	128.4	- 128.4	128.4	N/Q	-			597	- 597	597
		C	3	1	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	254	- 254	254	760	- 760	760
	RS	C	3	1	157.2	- 157.2	157.2	N/Q	-			841	- 841	841
600+		C	2	1	139.2	- 139.2	139.2	N/Q	253	- 253	253	870	- 870	870
		C	3	5	151.2	- 174.6	159.4	6	270	- 312	285	945	- 1370	1221
		D	2	1	120.2	- 120.2	120.2	N/Q	219	- 219	219	751	- 751	751
				28	100.0	174.6	142.1		182	312	258	374	1370	693

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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