

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Forbes

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Yarding Change 0¹⁹⁴⁹

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With no sale last week numbers jumped this sale. Quality continues to be mixed with a large percentage of plainer cattle offered along with the better finished lines. Yearlings made up the majority of the yarding along with a good numbers of cows. The usual buyers were present and competing in a dearer market.

Vealer steers and heifers to slaughter sold from 174c to 188c/kg. Yearling steers to processors lifted 8c/kg. Middleweights selling from 170c to 188c and heavies receiving 160c to 180c/kg. Those to feeders were 2c better ranging from 151c to 182c/kg. The heifer portion jumped 10c to 13c/kg. Processors paid from 141c to 170c and those to feeders received from 140c to 155c/kg.

Heavy steers and bullocks lifted 5c to 6c/kg selling from 158c to 178c/kg. Grown heifers sold from 145c to 160c/kg. Cows were 10c/kg better. Heavy 2 score selling from 112c to 128c and 3 & 4 score ranging from 120c to 140c/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
Vealer Steer														
280-330		C	3	4	174.6	185.2	182.6	N/Q	323	343	338	524	574	562
				4	174.6	185.2	182.5		323	343	338	524	574	562
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	3	1	165.0	165.0	165.0	N/Q	311	311	311	446	446	446
330+		C	3	2	188.2	188.2	188.2	N/Q	349	349	349	753	753	753
				3	165.0	188.2	180.3		311	349	336	446	753	651
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	18	150.0	175.2	156.3	N/Q	-	-	-	470	496	480
	RS	C	2	1	170.0	170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	-	391	391	391
		C	3	1	180.0	180.0	180.0	N/Q	340	340	340	540	540	540
330-400	FD	C	2	264	151.0	182.6	170.1	N/Q	-	-	-	513	717	631
		C	3	12	170.0	188.6	179.4	N/Q	321	356	338	629	684	668
400+	FD	C	2	218	160.0	184.6	173.3	N/Q	-	-	-	677	868	770
		C	3	129	160.0	180.0	172.4	N/Q	296	333	322	677	1144	901
	FD	C	3	17	160.0	172.0	169.6	N/Q	-	-	-	714	848	725
				660	150.0	188.6	171.4		296	356	324	391	1144	728
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	FD	C	2	75	130.0	147.6	142.5	N/Q	-	-	-	351	448	424
	RS	C	2	22	140.0	147.6	143.8	N/Q	-	-	-	325	406	365
		C	3	15	139.6	155.0	152.4	N/Q	263	293	288	419	496	463
330-400	FD	C	2	71	140.0	155.0	151.0	N/Q	-	-	-	505	559	529
	FD	C	3	2	145.0	145.0	145.0	N/Q	-	-	-	566	566	566
		C	3	64	141.0	170.0	155.2	N/Q	266	321	293	493	642	581
400+		C	3	78	143.6	172.6	161.4	N/Q	271	326	304	659	967	839
	FD	C	3	3	145.0	145.0	145.0	N/Q	-	-	-	609	609	609
				330	130.0	172.6	151.8		263	326	298	325	967	576
Grown Steer														
500-600		C	2	7	148.0	148.0	148.0	N/Q	279	279	279	799	799	799

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
600-750		C	3	2	145.6	- 145.6	145.6	N/Q	275	- 275	275	743	- 743	743
		C	3	7	158.0	- 169.6	160.6	N/Q	298	- 320	303	980	- 1136	1008
				16	145.6	169.6	153.2		275	320	289	743	1136	883
Grown Heifer														
540+		C	3	8	145.0	- 160.0	156.2	N/Q	274	- 302	295	930	- 1184	1028
				8	145.0	160.0	156.3		274	302	295	930	1184	1028
Cows														
400-520	RS	D	2	23	94.0	- 94.0	94.0	N/Q	-	-	-	395	- 395	395
		D	2	87	108.0	- 114.0	110.8	N/Q	216	- 228	222	508	- 581	532
520+		D	3	2	105.0	- 105.0	105.0	N/Q	210	- 210	210	525	- 525	525
		D	2	94	112.0	- 128.0	124.6	N/Q	224	- 256	249	605	- 800	726
		D	3	133	120.8	- 140.0	132.9	N/Q	242	- 280	266	664	- 1134	845
		D	4	1	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	250	- 250	250	800	- 800	800
		D	5	3	121.0	- 121.0	121.0	N/Q	242	- 242	242	787	- 787	787
				343	94.0	140.0	122.1		210	280	248	395	1134	700
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	2	132.0	- 132.0	132.0	N/Q	249	- 249	249	568	- 568	568
450-600		C	2	10	124.0	- 141.6	133.9	N/Q	234	- 267	253	598	- 793	686
600+		B	2	1	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	N/Q	317	- 317	317	1730	- 1730	1730
		B	3	1	171.2	- 171.2	171.2	N/Q	323	- 323	323	1644	- 1644	1644
		C	2	21	125.0	- 170.6	148.6	N/Q	236	- 322	280	806	- 1825	1332
				35	124.0	171.2	144.7		234	323	273	568	1825	1124

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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