

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Numbers increased significantly in a mixed quality offering with all weights and grades represented along with a plainer selection of dairy lines. The usual field of buyers attended however not all southern buyers operated fully. Demand strengthened considerably across most categories with plainer light weight lines attracting increased buying competition.

Heavy cows sold to spirited competition resulting in prices lifting 10c with D4 well finished lines making from 120c to 133.2c/kg. The 2 and 3 score cows were in reasonable supply and competition was very strong with both grades selling 10c to 19c/kg higher. The D3 medium weight lines averaged 118.5c/kg. Light weight beef cows ranged in price from 82c to 105c and dairy lines sold from 85c to 112c/kg

The mixed quality selection of bulls sold to enthusiastic competition with some sales up to 22c dearer, the B and C muscled bulls sold between 150c and 162.6c/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
Grown He	ifer													
0-540		D	2	5	135.2	- 135.2	135.2	N/Q	260 -	260	260	617 -	617	617
	RS	D	2	21	100.2	- 100.2	100.2	N/Q	-			407 -	407	407
540+		С	4	1	139.2	- 139.2	139.2	N/Q	263 -	263	263	793 -	793	793
		D	3	2	126.2	- 126.2	126.2	N/Q	238 -	238	238	745 -	745	745
				29	100.2	139.2	109.3		238	263	255	407	793	480
Cows														
400-520		D	2	56	82.2	- 105.2	103.6	14	187 -	239	228	338 -	502	474
	DA	D	2	2	85.0	- 85.0	85.0	N/Q	193 -	193	193	396 -	396	396
		D	3	90	115.2	- 124.2	118.5	10	240 -	259	247	522 -	636	575
		D	4	22	123.0	- 123.6	123.4	14	237 -	238	237	628 -	629	628
		Е	2	5	95.0	- 95.0	95.0	N/Q	216 -	216	216	444 -	444	444
	DA	Е	2	6	70.0	- 70.0	70.0	N/Q	159 -	159	159	317 -	317	317
520+	DA	D	2	8	107.0	- 112.0	110.1	4	233 -	243	237	688 -	759	733
		D	2	14	113.2	- 119.2	115.2	19	246 -	248	247	641 -	809	722
		D	3	15	117.2	- 124.2	120.8	10	233 -	248	244	626 -	715	668
		D	4	235	120.0	- 133.2	126.6	11	231 -	257	245	650 -	921	779
				453	70.0	133.2	119.9		159	259	241	317	921	676
Bulls														
600+		В	2	4	146.2	- 162.6	155.3	16	261 -	290	277	1344 -	1553	1447
		С	2	6	150.2	- 158.2	154.8	19	268 -	283	276	1422 -	1500	1456
		D	2	5	135.2	- 148.2	140.6	22	250 -	274	260	1171 -	1354	1295
				15	135.2	162.6	150.2		250	290	271	1171	1553	1400

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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