

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Numbers fell again this sale and quality continues to be mixed. There were some good lines of grain fed finished cattle on offer along with the plainer lines. The usual buyers were present and competing in a dearer market.

Yearling steers to feed lifted 7c to 10c/kg. Middleweights sold from 148c to 180c, and heavies 150c to 177c/kg. Processors paid from 172c to 210c/kg for the better finished lines. The heifer portion to slaughter lifted 8c/kg, selling from 150c to 172c/kg for medium and heavyweights. Those to feed jumped 10c, receiving 135c to 163c/kg.

Heavy steers and bullocks were limited in number and sold from 155c to 184c/kg. Cows jumped 8c to 10c/kg. Heavy 2 scores sold from 94c to 109c and 3 score 108c to 119c/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	FD	C	2	3	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-			493	- 493	493
		C	3	1	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	352	- 352	352	570	- 570	570
				4	170.0	190.0	175.0		352	352	352	493	570	512
Vealer Heifer														
280-330		C	3	4	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	333	- 333	333	540	- 540	540
				4	180.0	180.0	180.0		333	333	333	540	540	540
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	36	130.0	- 178.6	167.9	32	-			351	- 588	513
	RS	C	2	31	157.0	- 164.6	162.4	11	-			376	- 510	420
		C	3	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	264	- 264	264	392	- 392	392
330-400	FD	C	2	89	148.6	- 180.2	168.3	12	-			541	- 689	615
		C	3	33	175.0	- 210.0	196.1	-4	330	- 396	368	681	- 817	762
400+	FD	C	2	14	150.0	- 177.6	170.4	7	-			645	- 781	722
		C	3	78	172.0	- 203.6	184.0	1	325	- 384	342	738	- 978	870
				282	130.0	210.0	175.2		264	396	349	351	978	673
Yearling Heifer														
0-330		C	2	6	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	255	- 255	255	324	- 324	324
	FD	C	2	9	130.0	- 140.0	134.4	14	-			312	- 405	359
	RS	C	2	38	125.0	- 141.6	133.3	4	-			231	- 396	322
		C	3	22	130.0	- 180.0	165.5	32	245	- 333	308	378	- 576	514
330-400		C	2	1	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	217	- 217	217	437	- 437	437
	FD	C	2	68	135.0	- 163.6	152.8	18	-			473	- 573	537
		C	3	36	150.0	- 172.6	158.3	9	283	- 326	299	510	- 655	587
400+		C	3	17	150.0	- 161.2	155.8	7	283	- 304	294	630	- 713	705
				197	115.0	180.0	150.1		217	333	296	231	713	502
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	2	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	245	- 245	245	559	- 559	559
	FD	C	2	6	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-			672	- 672	672
500-600		C	3	1	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	293	- 293	293	884	- 884	884

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
600-750		C	2	1	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	255	- 255	255	986	- 986	986
		C	3	1	142.6	- 142.6	142.6	N/Q	269	- 269	269	870	- 870	870
				10	130.0	160.0	152.3		245	293	266	559	986	733
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	2	3	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	15	189	- 189	189	400	- 400	400
		C	3	2	120.2	- 120.2	120.2	N/Q	227	- 227	227	577	- 577	577
				5	100.0	120.2	108.0		189	227	204	400	577	471
Cows														
0-400		D	2	2	60.0	- 60.0	60.0	N/Q	120	- 120	120	240	- 240	240
400-520		D	2	55	75.2	- 101.6	85.4	10	150	- 203	171	338	- 508	397
	RS	D	2	6	78.0	- 78.0	78.0	N/Q	-	-	-	351	- 351	351
520+		D	2	31	94.6	- 109.6	101.3	11	189	- 219	203	527	- 640	564
		D	3	65	108.4	- 119.2	114.3	8	217	- 238	229	596	- 774	684
		D	5	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	200	- 200	200	630	- 630	630
				160	60.0	119.2	99.7		120	238	201	240	774	544
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	10	100.0	- 120.0	103.5	N/Q	189	- 226	195	370	- 540	401
450-600		C	2	7	121.0	- 133.2	122.7	N/Q	228	- 251	232	557	- 746	584
600+		C	2	8	134.0	- 150.6	142.2	5	253	- 284	268	976	- 1413	1157
				25	100.0	150.6	121.3		189	284	229	370	1413	694

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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