

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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The number of stock yarded was similar to the previous week and in the export section most of the usual buyers were active in a generally dearer market. However buyers were selective on young cattle with only top end quality lines receiving strong competition while lesser quality classes were harder to sell especially the lightweight heifer portion. Heavy yearling steers to feed lifted in price to average 9c/kg better. A fair sample of bullocks sold to a dearer market and average prices lifted by 2c/kg. However cows gained the most to improve by 5c to 8c/kg with plain condition lines receiving very strong support from restockers as well as processors.

Calves were well supplied and most returned to the paddock 7c cheaper at 177c with the occasional sale to 195.2c/kg. A fairly large selection of vealer steers to feed and restockers averaged in the high 180c range with sales to 195.2c/kg. Vealer heifers were also in large numbers and average prices eased by 4c with most close to 150c with sales to 156.2c/kg. A good sample of lightweight yearling steers returned to the paddock at close to 180c with some to 190.2c/kg. A short supply of medium weight yearling steers to feed averaged 183c and sold to 190c, while heavyweights averaged 172c and sold to 176.2c/kg. The supply of lightweight heifers exceeded demand with only the best averaging 142c, while a large number of D muscle lines averaged 116c/kg. Heavy yearling heifers averaged 145c and made to 152.2c/kg.

Heavy grown steers and bullocks made to 177.2c with most of the bullocks around 165c/kg. Heavy grown heifers made to 155.2c to average 153c/kg. Plain condition cows to restockers averaged 107c, while the medium weight 2 scores to processors averaged 103c and sold to 108.2c/kg. A fair supply of good heavy cows made to 137.2c to average close to 129c/kg. A short supply of heavy bulls made 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
Calves														
		D	1	1	92.2	- 92.2	92.2	N/Q	231	- 231	231	401	- 401	401
		D	2	4	100.2	- 100.2	100.2	N/Q	228	- 228	228	466	- 466	466
80+		C	2	80	142.2	- 153.2	146.6	-6	268	- 289	277	215	- 260	240
	RS	C	2	316	156.2	- 195.2	178.8	-6	-	-	-	231	- 373	313
	RS	C	3	12	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	N/Q	-	-	-	266	- 266	266
	RS	D	2	56	115.2	- 145.0	133.9	-4	-	-	-	144	- 267	213
		D	2	32	120.0	- 141.2	131.4	4	226	- 266	248	185	- 241	212
	RS	D	3	10	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	N/Q	-	-	-	280	- 280	280
				511	92.2	195.2	164.4		226	289	267	144	466	284
Vealer Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	114	181.2	- 195.2	189.6	10	-	-	-	390	- 483	452
	RS	C	2	173	175.2	- 191.2	188.4	12	-	-	-	394	- 456	436
	RS	D	2	16	158.2	- 158.2	158.2	3	-	-	-	356	- 356	356
				303	158.2	195.2	187.3		0	0		356	483	438
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	214	143.2	- 156.2	149.6	-4	265	- 289	277	326	- 393	344
	RS	C	2	124	148.2	- 155.2	153.9	N/C	-	-	-	343	- 349	349
				338	143.2	156.2	151.2		265	289	277	326	393	346
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	27	166.2	- 177.2	171.0	-8	-	-	-	415	- 525	439
	RS	C	2	293	160.0	- 190.2	179.6	8	-	-	-	360	- 478	424
	RS	D	2	68	115.2	- 153.2	138.4	-11	-	-	-	282	- 387	334
	FD	D	2	25	129.2	- 142.2	134.4	N/Q	-	-	-	304	- 419	336

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330-400	FD	C	2	16	173.2	- 175.2	173.7	-2	-			587	- 632	621
	RS	C	2	26	164.2	- 181.2	170.0	13	-			599	- 625	612
		C	3	1	168.2	- 168.2	168.2	N/Q	306	- 306	306	648	- 648	648
	FD	C	3	16	180.2	- 190.0	186.3	N/Q	-			694	- 732	717
	FD	D	2	10	129.2	- 155.2	142.2	-7	-			433	- 520	476
	RS	D	2	2	142.2	- 142.2	142.2	N/Q	-			519	- 519	519
400+	FD	C	2	63	155.2	- 170.2	162.8	-6	-			629	- 723	694
	FD	C	3	100	160.0	- 176.2	172.6	9	-			712	- 835	758
	FD	D	2	2	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	N/Q	-			630	- 630	630
				649	115.2	190.2	169.3		306	306	306	282	835	511
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	FD	C	2	106	140.0	- 153.2	144.2	-6	-			318	- 393	355
	RS	C	2	86	135.2	- 146.2	142.8	-3	-			291	- 358	341
		C	2	32	142.2	- 145.0	143.5	1	263	- 269	266	334	- 355	346
	FD	D	2	23	100.0	- 130.0	111.7	-26	-			285	- 345	303
		D	2	45	104.2	- 130.0	121.7	-5	193	- 241	225	263	- 306	281
	RS	D	2	159	92.2	- 139.2	116.5	-17	-			171	- 334	270
	RS	E	2	12	86.2	- 86.2	86.2	N/Q	-			151	- 151	151
		E	2	9	87.2	- 87.2	87.2	N/Q	162	- 162	162	187	- 187	187
330-400	FD	C	2	95	144.2	- 153.2	146.1	-6	-			490	- 529	504
		C	3	10	155.0	- 158.2	156.6	1	287	- 293	290	535	- 609	572
	FD	C	3	23	150.2	- 156.2	153.9	-3	-			539	- 597	576
	FD	D	2	108	125.2	- 140.0	132.2	13	-			440	- 518	465
		D	2	33	110.0	- 130.2	123.4	N/Q	204	- 241	229	402	- 468	434
	RS	D	2	4	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	-21	-			385	- 385	385
	FD	D	3	37	130.0	- 140.0	134.8	N/Q	-			493	- 511	503
		D	3	52	138.0	- 143.2	140.3	N/Q	256	- 265	260	484	- 523	496
		E	2	15	85.0	- 85.0	85.0	N/Q	157	- 157	157	310	- 310	310
400+		C	3	20	142.0	- 152.2	145.1	-3	263	- 282	269	604	- 653	619
	FD	C	3	15	147.2	- 151.2	149.9	N/Q	-			626	- 658	647
				884	85.0	158.2	132.3		157	293	240	151	658	394
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	3	32	143.2	- 152.2	148.3	-1	-			675	- 708	695
	FD	D	2	5	141.2	- 141.2	141.2	N/Q	-			614	- 614	614
500-600		C	3	34	152.2	- 154.2	153.3	1	277	- 284	281	860	- 871	866
		C	4	121	155.2	- 173.2	162.1	-3	277	- 309	290	862	- 1031	946
600-750		C	3	13	147.2	- 153.2	151.8	-3	268	- 279	276	935	- 973	964
		C	4	194	155.2	- 177.2	164.8	1	277	- 316	294	995	- 1200	1050
				399	141.2	177.2	161.0		268	316	291	614	1200	966
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	4	19	150.0	- 155.2	153.0	18	283	- 293	289	743	- 830	798
		D	1	10	60.0	- 60.0	60.0	-20	133	- 133	133	231	- 231	231
		D	2	9	80.2	- 80.2	80.2	-17	167	- 167	167	325	- 325	325
		D	3	1	121.2	- 121.2	121.2	N/Q	233	- 233	233	564	- 564	564

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	FD	D	3	4	138.2	- 138.2	138.2	N/Q	-			643	- 643	643
		D	5	7	126.2	- 138.2	136.5	N/Q	252	- 276	273	631	- 691	682
540+		C	4	3	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	283	- 283	283	818	- 818	818
		C	5	5	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	260	- 260	260	810	- 810	810
				58	60.0	155.2	120.4		133	293	234	231	830	600
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	4	14	140.0	- 155.0	144.0	N/Q	255	- 282	262	959	- 1008	964
				14	140.0	155.0	144.0		255	282	262	959	1008	964
Cows														
0-400		D	1	24	61.2	- 85.0	68.5	-5	153	- 213	171	223	- 340	261
400-520		D	1	40	71.2	- 98.2	86.4	1	178	- 246	216	310	- 476	391
	RS	D	1	10	102.2	- 102.2	102.2	11	-	-	-	475	- 475	475
	RS	D	2	29	102.2	- 110.0	107.4	N/Q	-	-	-	445	- 531	511
		D	2	39	98.2	- 108.2	103.7	7	223	- 246	236	417	- 473	454
		D	3	34	110.2	- 118.2	115.3	9	225	- 241	235	512	- 573	552
		D	4	25	115.0	- 122.2	117.5	4	226	- 240	230	535	- 605	561
520+		D	1	4	101.0	- 101.0	101.0	N/Q	253	- 253	253	540	- 540	540
		D	2	3	105.0	- 105.0	105.0	N/Q	239	- 239	239	578	- 578	578
	RS	D	2	11	115.2	- 115.2	115.2	N/Q	-	-	-	605	- 605	605
		D	3	46	112.0	- 119.2	116.6	7	229	- 243	238	616	- 733	659
		D	4	157	118.2	- 137.2	128.9	5	232	- 269	253	664	- 845	737
				422	61.2	137.2	113.1		153	269	237	223	845	589
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	12	147.2	- 147.2	147.2	-17	-	-	-	626	- 626	626
		C	2	20	155.2	- 155.2	155.2	7	282	- 282	282	365	- 365	365
	RS	C	2	24	158.2	- 162.2	160.2	-5	-	-	-	372	- 381	376
	FD	C	3	3	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	-8	-	-	-	630	- 630	630
		C	3	8	141.2	- 141.2	141.2	N/Q	257	- 257	257	635	- 635	635
	RS	D	2	14	121.2	- 121.2	121.2	9	-	-	-	176	- 176	176
	FD	D	2	28	100.0	- 122.2	114.7	N/Q	-	-	-	365	- 502	439
		D	2	54	95.2	- 122.0	108.2	-4	173	- 222	197	257	- 519	383
450-600		C	2	10	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	236	- 236	236	735	- 735	735
		C	3	2	127.2	- 127.2	127.2	N/Q	227	- 227	227	744	- 744	744
		D	2	20	115.0	- 118.0	116.8	N/Q	209	- 215	212	569	- 584	578
600+		C	2	14	120.0	- 130.0	127.2	3	218	- 236	231	763	- 900	806
		C	3	9	131.2	- 140.0	136.9	1	234	- 250	245	899	- 1148	1054
		D	2	1	113.2	- 113.2	113.2	N/Q	206	- 206	206	708	- 708	708
				219	95.2	162.2	128.1		173	282	225	176	1148	494

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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