

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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There were approximately 400 grown and 800 young cattle penned. The usual buying group attended a generally dearer market. A better quality run of vealers sold to strong demand from processors. The yearling cattle contained very few supplementary fed lines, resulting in a plainer quality offering of steers and easing prices compared to last week's highs. The heifer portion, however, contained some excellent quality and was stronger on most sales. The grown steers sold to strong demand, lifting 2c/kg, while the bullocks were far fewer in number.

The best C3 vealer steers to the trade sold from 196c to 228c, lifting 7c, with the secondary lines ranging from 154c to 205c/kg. The best vealer heifers to the trade made between 195c to 221c, lifting 2c, with the secondary lines from 155c to 210c/kg. The best yearling grass steers sold between 185c and 212c, easing 3c to 12c due to quality, while the feeder lines sold from 133c to 182c/kg. The best yearling grass heifers made from 165c to 195c, lifting around 2c to 8c, with the feeder lines making from 127c to 173c/kg.

The C muscle grown steers sold from 190c to 200c, while the secondary D muscle lines made from 165c to 192c/kg. Heavy weight 3 score crossbred manufacturing steers made between 157c and 188c, lifting 6c/kg. Grown heifers sold between 130c and 165c, lifting 10c to 16c/kg on the light weights and holding firm on the heavy weights.

| 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 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 200-280 | | C | 2 | 3 | 162.6 | - 187.6 | 178.4 | -11 | 296 | - 341 | 324 | 439 | - 518 | 488 |
| | FD | C | 2 | 6 | 153.6 | - 172.0 | 165.7 | -1 | | - | | 430 | - 469 | 461 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 1 | 144.0 | - 144.0 | 144.0 | N/Q | | - | | 346 | - 346 | 346 |
| | FD | D | 2 | 1 | 152.6 | - 152.6 | 152.6 | N/Q | | - | | 427 | - 427 | 427 |
| 280-330 | | C | 2 | 13 | 170.0 | - 195.0 | 174.8 | -12 | 309 | - 355 | 318 | 510 | - 624 | 543 |
| | FD | C | 2 | 5 | 162.0 | - 176.0 | 170.7 | 4 | | - | | 518 | - 540 | 528 |
| | | C | 3 | 6 | 205.0 | - 205.0 | 205.0 | N/C | 373 | - 373 | 373 | 595 | - 595 | 595 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 1 | 150.6 | - 150.6 | 150.6 | N/Q | | - | | 497 | - 497 | 497 |
| 330+ | | B | 3 | 2 | 228.6 | - 229.6 | 229.1 | N/Q | 388 | - 396 | 392 | 872 | - 960 | 916 |
| | | C | 2 | 9 | 185.0 | - 205.0 | 192.6 | 3 | 336 | - 373 | 350 | 634 | - 769 | 706 |
| | FD | C | 2 | 4 | 165.0 | - 173.6 | 167.7 | 15 | | - | | 563 | - 642 | 602 |
| | | C | 3 | 25 | 196.0 | - 228.0 | 208.9 | 7 | 356 | - 407 | 379 | 745 | - 912 | 798 |
| | | | | 76 | 144.0 | 229.6 | 189.7 | | 296 | 407 | 358 | 346 | 960 | 649 |
| Vealer Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-200 | | C | 2 | 1 | 180.0 | - 180.0 | 180.0 | N/Q | 327 | - 327 | 327 | 360 | - 360 | 360 |
| 200-280 | | C | 2 | 8 | 172.0 | - 190.0 | 182.1 | 14 | 313 | - 346 | 331 | 430 | - 532 | 497 |
| | FD | C | 2 | 8 | 162.6 | - 162.6 | 162.6 | 6 | | - | | 390 | - 390 | 390 |
| 280-330 | FD | C | 2 | 7 | 166.6 | - 175.0 | 171.4 | 7 | | - | | 525 | - 550 | 536 |
| | | C | 2 | 4 | 175.0 | - 186.0 | 183.3 | 4 | 318 | - 338 | 333 | 525 | - 595 | 578 |
| | | C | 3 | 3 | 210.0 | - 210.0 | 210.0 | 10 | 382 | - 382 | 382 | 651 | - 651 | 651 |
| | FD | D | 2 | 1 | 152.0 | - 152.0 | 152.0 | N/Q | | - | | 456 | - 456 | 456 |
| 330+ | | B | 2 | 1 | 182.0 | - 182.0 | 182.0 | N/Q | 331 | - 331 | 331 | 655 | - 655 | 655 |
| | | C | 2 | 16 | 160.0 | - 210.0 | 192.7 | 13 | 291 | - 382 | 350 | 560 | - 741 | 683 |
| | FD | C | 2 | 2 | 155.0 | - 170.0 | 162.5 | N/Q | | - | | 543 | - 578 | 560 |
| | | C | 3 | 14 | 195.0 | - 220.6 | 208.7 | 2 | 355 | - 401 | 376 | 683 | - 820 | 751 |

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|------------------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|--------|-------------------------------|------------|------------|-------------------|-------------|------------|
| | | | | | Low | High | Avg | Change | Low | High | Avg | Low | High | Avg |
| | | | | 65 | 152.0 | 220.6 | 187.2 | | 291 | 401 | 354 | 360 | 820 | 602 |
| Yearling Steer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-330 | | C | 2 | 2 | 185.0 | - 185.0 | 185.0 | N/Q | 336 | - 336 | 336 | 592 | - 592 | 592 |
| | FD | C | 2 | 6 | 154.6 | - 167.6 | 165.4 | 8 | - | - | - | 436 | - 510 | 448 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 2 | 145.6 | - 145.6 | 145.6 | N/Q | - | - | - | 320 | - 320 | 320 |
| | FD | D | 2 | 33 | 132.6 | - 177.6 | 167.9 | N/Q | - | - | - | 371 | - 556 | 462 |
| 330-400 | | C | 2 | 7 | 165.0 | - 190.6 | 176.0 | -7 | 300 | - 347 | 320 | 595 | - 710 | 673 |
| | FD | C | 2 | 14 | 162.0 | - 176.6 | 171.7 | 1 | - | - | - | 597 | - 688 | 635 |
| | | C | 3 | 27 | 185.0 | - 212.0 | 195.1 | -9 | 336 | - 379 | 353 | 731 | - 832 | 769 |
| | FD | D | 2 | 40 | 143.6 | - 182.2 | 179.4 | 27 | - | - | - | 508 | - 648 | 636 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 1 | 153.6 | - 153.6 | 153.6 | N/Q | - | - | - | 584 | - 584 | 584 |
| | | D | 2 | 1 | 145.0 | - 145.0 | 145.0 | N/Q | 274 | - 274 | 274 | 508 | - 508 | 508 |
| | | D | 3 | 4 | 152.2 | - 167.2 | 163.5 | -1 | 282 | - 310 | 303 | 609 | - 669 | 654 |
| 400+ | | B | 3 | 1 | 200.0 | - 200.0 | 200.0 | N/Q | 345 | - 345 | 345 | 1000 | - 1000 | 1000 |
| | | C | 2 | 4 | 172.0 | - 182.0 | 177.0 | 6 | 313 | - 331 | 322 | 757 | - 819 | 788 |
| | FD | C | 2 | 10 | 172.2 | - 177.2 | 174.2 | N/Q | - | - | - | 732 | - 780 | 751 |
| | | C | 3 | 48 | 184.6 | - 200.0 | 192.7 | -3 | 336 | - 361 | 350 | 806 | - 1000 | 892 |
| | FD | D | 2 | 11 | 170.6 | - 179.6 | 178.8 | 30 | - | - | - | 717 | - 754 | 751 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 8 | 155.0 | - 163.6 | 162.5 | -3 | - | - | - | 698 | - 736 | 731 |
| | | | | 219 | 132.6 | 212.0 | 179.9 | | 274 | 379 | 344 | 320 | 1000 | 694 |
| Yearling Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-330 | FD | C | 2 | 1 | 146.6 | - 146.6 | 146.6 | N/Q | - | - | - | 323 | - 323 | 323 |
| | | C | 2 | 1 | 183.0 | - 183.0 | 183.0 | N/Q | 339 | - 339 | 339 | 458 | - 458 | 458 |
| | FD | D | 2 | 40 | 115.6 | - 167.6 | 150.0 | -3 | - | - | - | 317 | - 553 | 450 |
| | | D | 2 | 8 | 145.6 | - 167.6 | 157.5 | 7 | 280 | - 322 | 303 | 360 | - 503 | 457 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 17 | 126.6 | - 159.6 | 154.5 | 11 | - | - | - | 390 | - 504 | 488 |
| | | D | 3 | 1 | 165.0 | - 165.0 | 165.0 | N/Q | 306 | - 306 | 306 | 495 | - 495 | 495 |
| 330-400 | | C | 3 | 5 | 212.0 | - 212.0 | 212.0 | 7 | 379 | - 379 | 379 | 795 | - 795 | 795 |
| | FD | D | 2 | 50 | 155.0 | - 172.6 | 167.4 | 9 | - | - | - | 527 | - 639 | 588 |
| | | D | 2 | 22 | 135.0 | - 165.0 | 157.9 | 7 | 260 | - 317 | 305 | 506 | - 660 | 573 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 13 | 140.6 | - 147.6 | 145.0 | N/Q | - | - | - | 492 | - 517 | 507 |
| | | D | 3 | 53 | 165.0 | - 194.6 | 182.7 | 2 | 306 | - 360 | 337 | 581 | - 778 | 712 |
| 400+ | | D | 2 | 19 | 135.6 | - 145.6 | 143.8 | -3 | 261 | - 280 | 277 | 597 | - 667 | 637 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 8 | 130.0 | - 140.6 | 136.6 | -10 | - | - | - | 591 | - 598 | 593 |
| | | D | 3 | 57 | 165.0 | - 194.6 | 179.9 | 8 | 306 | - 354 | 332 | 742 | - 973 | 807 |
| | | D | 4 | 4 | 143.0 | - 156.6 | 149.8 | -8 | 265 | - 290 | 277 | 666 | - 672 | 669 |
| | | | | 299 | 115.6 | 212.0 | 165.7 | | 260 | 379 | 322 | 317 | 973 | 626 |
| Grown Steer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 400-500 | RS | C | 2 | 2 | 161.6 | - 161.6 | 161.6 | N/Q | - | - | - | 743 | - 743 | 743 |
| | | C | 3 | 1 | 190.6 | - 190.6 | 190.6 | N/Q | 347 | - 347 | 347 | 915 | - 915 | 915 |
| | | D | 2 | 7 | 169.6 | - 169.6 | 169.6 | 12 | 314 | - 314 | 314 | 814 | - 814 | 814 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 1 | 162.6 | - 162.6 | 162.6 | N/Q | - | - | - | 813 | - 813 | 813 |
| | | D | 3 | 3 | 163.6 | - 163.6 | 163.6 | -20 | 303 | - 303 | 303 | 785 | - 785 | 785 |
| 500-600 | | C | 3 | 69 | 190.0 | - 200.0 | 195.2 | 2 | 346 | - 361 | 354 | 998 | - 1102 | 1069 |

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| | | | | | Low | High | Avg | Change | Low | High | Avg | Low | High | Avg | |
| 600-750 | GF | C | 4 | 13 | 199.6 | - 199.6 | 199.6 | N/Q | 356 | - 356 | 356 | 1118 | - 1118 | 1118 | |
| | | D | 2 | 18 | 172.0 | - 173.6 | 172.3 | N/Q | 319 | - 328 | 320 | 894 | - 972 | 907 | |
| | | D | 3 | 52 | 165.0 | - 191.6 | 184.6 | 2 | 300 | - 348 | 336 | 891 | - 1110 | 1027 | |
| | | C | 3 | 2 | 188.0 | - 188.0 | 188.0 | N/Q | 330 | - 330 | 330 | 1166 | - 1166 | 1166 | |
| | | C | 3 | 17 | 192.0 | - 198.0 | 194.8 | N/Q | 343 | - 354 | 348 | 1190 | - 1228 | 1208 | |
| | | D | 3 | 14 | 170.0 | - 185.6 | 174.3 | -10 | 309 | - 338 | 317 | 1054 | - 1188 | 1083 | |
| | | | | | 199 | 161.6 | 200.0 | 187.2 | | 300 | 361 | 340 | 743 | 1228 | 1042 |
| Grown Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-540 | | D | 2 | 31 | 130.0 | - 150.0 | 142.1 | 10 | 260 | - 299 | 282 | 585 | - 810 | 720 | |
| | | D | 3 | 15 | 148.6 | - 165.0 | 161.1 | 16 | 286 | - 317 | 310 | 705 | - 825 | 801 | |
| | | D | 4 | 5 | 155.6 | - 155.6 | 155.6 | N/Q | 299 | - 299 | 299 | 778 | - 778 | 778 | |
| 540+ | | D | 2 | 1 | 132.0 | - 132.0 | 132.0 | N/Q | 264 | - 264 | 264 | 726 | - 726 | 726 | |
| | | D | 3 | 12 | 138.0 | - 152.0 | 147.9 | N/C | 265 | - 292 | 284 | 773 | - 900 | 859 | |
| | | D | 4 | 2 | 140.0 | - 142.0 | 141.0 | N/Q | 269 | - 273 | 271 | 770 | - 909 | 839 | |
| | | | | | 66 | 130.0 | 165.0 | 148.3 | | 260 | 317 | 289 | 585 | 909 | 772 |
| Manufacturing Steer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-540 | DA | D | 2 | 12 | 136.6 | - 152.6 | 142.3 | -1 | 263 | - 294 | 274 | 615 | - 824 | 690 | |
| | | D | 2 | 11 | 145.0 | - 172.0 | 155.1 | 2 | 279 | - 325 | 295 | 722 | - 929 | 761 | |
| | | D | 3 | 6 | 162.0 | - 181.6 | 173.4 | 15 | 300 | - 336 | 321 | 810 | - 898 | 852 | |
| 540+ | | D | 2 | 8 | 142.0 | - 159.6 | 146.8 | -5 | 273 | - 301 | 280 | 842 | - 994 | 970 | |
| | DA | D | 2 | 5 | 147.6 | - 147.6 | 147.6 | -1 | 279 | - 279 | 279 | 812 | - 812 | 812 | |
| | | D | 3 | 29 | 156.6 | - 188.0 | 171.8 | 6 | 290 | - 343 | 318 | 894 | - 1148 | 1030 | |
| | | D | 4 | 3 | 188.0 | - 188.0 | 188.0 | 30 | 348 | - 348 | 348 | 1203 | - 1203 | 1203 | |
| | | | | | 74 | 136.6 | 188.0 | 161.0 | | 263 | 348 | 302 | 615 | 1203 | 906 |
| Bulls | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-450 | | C | 2 | 7 | 122.0 | - 155.0 | 146.6 | N/Q | 222 | - 282 | 267 | 415 | - 640 | 518 | |
| | | C | 3 | 2 | 150.6 | - 150.6 | 150.6 | N/Q | 274 | - 274 | 274 | 542 | - 542 | 542 | |
| 450-600 | | C | 2 | 1 | 159.6 | - 159.6 | 159.6 | N/Q | 290 | - 290 | 290 | 798 | - 798 | 798 | |
| | | | | | 10 | 122.0 | 159.6 | 148.7 | | 222 | 290 | 270 | 415 | 798 | 551 |

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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