

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Wodonga

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Yarding Change ²⁰⁰⁰/₅₀₀

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Numbers increased substantially in a good quality yarding compared to the previous sale. A regular contingent of domestic and export processors were in attendance and there was local restocker inquiry on plainer lines of secondary yearlings. Young cattle suitable for the trade were well represented however there were very few supplementary fed. Heavy grown steers and bullocks were in greater numbers and quality was excellent over a large portion of the offering, Heavy grown heifer was also well supplied with odd pen lots supplementary fed. .

The regular gallery of domestic buyers competed over a good quality selection of trade cattle. Vealers were in greater numbers and quality improved which attracted strong demand from several buyers. European Veal and their crosses sold to spirited competition resulting in prices lifting up to 15c/kg. Prices for medium weight trade steers held firm while the heifer portion lifted .3c/kg. Medium weight trade heifers sold to an average price of 173 while the steer portion averaged 187c/kg. Feeder steers were in reasonable supply and most lot feeders operated, with competition solid over all weights and grades. The C2 medium weight steers averaged 175c while light weight steers to back ground averaged 177c/kg..

A very good quality selection of heavy grown cattle sold to a regular group of export and domestic buyers with demand strengthening for both heavy grown steers and bullocks resulting in prices lifting up to 16c/kg. Bullocks over 600kg averaged 186.8c and most of the C3 and C4 pens ranged from 164c to 200c/kg. Heavy grown heifers were keenly sought which boosted prices up to 22c dearer with some pen lots reaching 193c/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														
200-280	RS	B	1	22	167.0	- 167.0	167.0	N/Q	-			364	- 364	364
		B	2	6	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	321	- 321	321	477	- 477	477
	RS	C	2	40	151.2	- 186.2	173.9	N/Q	-			352	- 451	415
	FD	C	2	16	172.2	- 172.2	172.2	N/Q	-			467	- 467	467
	RS	D	2	5	135.6	- 135.6	135.6	N/Q	-			328	- 328	328
280-330	RS	B	1	15	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	-			456	- 456	456
		B	2	24	184.6	- 210.0	197.0	8	339	- 362	350	548	- 609	585
	FD	C	2	18	168.2	- 188.2	177.1	-6	-			553	- 565	558
330+	RS	B	2	4	197.2	- 197.2	197.2	N/Q	-			749	- 749	749
		B	2	66	182.6	- 215.0	198.8	10	326	- 384	355	677	- 1032	765
		C	2	5	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	-1	311	- 311	311	563	- 563	563
	RS	C	2	21	170.0	- 197.2	180.0	N/Q	-			571	- 749	630
	FD	C	2	10	180.6	- 183.2	181.9	11	-			623	- 704	664
				252	135.6	215.0	181.5		311	384	350	328	1032	570
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	C	2	7	148.0	- 148.0	148.0	N/Q	-			296	- 296	296
200-280		B	2	11	168.2	- 205.0	171.5	-16	290	- 353	296	384	- 467	391
280-330		B	2	39	175.2	- 217.2	193.3	6	324	- 388	345	550	- 695	609
	RS	C	2	9	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	21	-			508	- 508	508
330+		B	2	10	184.2	- 208.0	197.1	16	329	- 371	352	635	- 718	689
		B	3	8	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	336	- 336	336	639	- 714	677
		C	2	28	174.0	- 176.2	175.9	21	311	- 326	324	617	- 670	624
	FD	C	2	4	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	10	-			623	- 623	623

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	RS	C	2	5	192.0	- 192.0	192.0	N/Q	-			643	- 643	643
				121	148.0	217.2	182.3		290	388	333	296	718	580
Yearling Steer														
0-330	RS	D	1	21	147.2	- 176.2	165.2	N/Q	-			355	- 377	369
	RS	D	2	4	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	15	-			501	- 501	501
330-400		C	2	8	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	319	- 319	319	671	- 671	671
	FD	C	2	13	178.2	- 178.2	178.2	7	-			681	- 681	681
400+	FD	C	2	68	166.0	- 184.0	175.4	-2	-			706	- 943	801
		C	2	9	166.0	- 174.0	170.2	-3	296	- 335	318	800	- 820	811
	FD	C	3	11	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-			851	- 851	851
		C	3	92	176.0	- 200.0	186.6	1	326	- 370	341	739	- 1034	865
	FD	D	2	9	176.6	- 176.6	176.6	21	-			715	- 715	715
				235	147.2	200.0	178.9		296	370	337	355	1034	771
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	2	13	152.0	- 152.6	152.2	N/Q	-			385	- 453	427
		C	2	24	142.0	- 155.0	148.3	-2	273	- 298	285	379	- 479	407
		D	2	7	122.0	- 122.0	122.0	7	244	- 244	244	373	- 373	373
	RS	D	2	9	121.2	- 121.2	121.2	-5	-			310	- 310	310
330-400	FD	C	2	70	160.0	- 171.2	164.9	1	-			563	- 669	619
	FD	C	4	39	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-			594	- 594	594
	RS	D	2	19	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	-			412	- 412	412
400+	FD	C	2	82	145.0	- 174.2	168.4	4	-			682	- 732	721
	DA	C	3	5	171.0	- 171.0	171.0	N/Q	317	- 317	317	814	- 814	814
		C	3	77	155.0	- 185.0	172.8	2	293	- 338	317	677	- 924	808
	FD	C	3	52	160.0	- 180.0	171.3	N/Q	-			685	- 851	751
		C	4	33	169.2	- 178.0	174.6	N/Q	314	- 336	324	728	- 1149	912
	DA	D	1	8	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	220	- 220	220	458	- 458	458
		D	2	6	128.0	- 128.0	128.0	N/Q	237	- 237	237	558	- 558	558
	FD	D	2	26	145.0	- 164.2	156.8	N/Q	-			631	- 704	676
		D	4	7	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	N/Q	276	- 276	276	696	- 696	696
				477	110.0	185.0	161.3		220	338	302	310	1149	669
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	3	2	164.0	- 164.0	164.0	N/Q	293	- 293	293	804	- 804	804
	FD	C	3	12	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	-			771	- 771	771
500-600		C	3	208	174.0	- 200.0	189.1	16	300	- 351	335	947	- 1164	1036
		C	4	13	113.2	- 184.0	156.8	N/Q	226	- 341	297	580	- 1098	899
		D	2	15	153.6	- 153.6	153.6	N/Q	274	- 274	274	806	- 806	806
		D	3	20	158.6	- 174.2	164.7	N/Q	283	- 311	294	872	- 893	884
600-750		C	3	10	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	-15	289	- 289	289	1006	- 1006	1006
		C	4	114	164.0	- 197.6	186.8	17	283	- 360	336	1033	- 1360	1241
		D	3	2	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	259	- 259	259	873	- 873	873
750+		C	4	10	170.2	- 170.2	170.2	14	304	- 304	304	1309	- 1309	1309
				406	113.2	200.0	182.9		226	360	327	580	1360	1069
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	8	156.0	- 164.2	159.1	2	269	- 310	284	690	- 768	719

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540+		C	4	35	164.2	- 192.0	180.1	17	310	- 343	327	768	- 996	911
		D	2	8	126.0	- 126.0	126.0	N/Q	233	- 233	233	577	- 577	577
		D	3	13	136.0	- 155.0	143.3	12	252	- 287	265	663	- 675	670
		D	4	5	153.2	- 153.2	153.2	13	284	- 284	284	809	- 809	809
		C	4	73	164.0	- 193.0	183.7	22	302	- 359	332	927	- 1293	1123
		D	2	3	131.6	- 131.6	131.6	N/Q	244	- 244	244	724	- 724	724
		D	3	11	134.0	- 135.0	134.7	-3	250	- 253	251	752	- 780	773
		D	4	8	137.0	- 175.0	156.0	21	245	- 324	284	769	- 1141	955
				164	126.0	193.0	169.2		233	359	308	577	1293	947
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540	DA	D	1	20	97.2	- 97.2	97.2	N/Q	187	- 187	187	259	- 259	259
		D	1	6	110.2	- 110.2	110.2	-2	220	- 220	220	424	- 424	424
540+	DA	D	2	44	113.6	- 170.2	129.8	N/Q	219	- 327	250	499	- 909	620
		D	3	5	149.2	- 149.2	149.2	N/Q	266	- 266	266	649	- 649	649
	DA	D	3	7	140.6	- 140.6	140.6	-17	270	- 270	270	1031	- 1031	1031
		D	3	5	140.6	- 140.6	140.6	N/Q	270	- 270	270	1031	- 1031	1031
					87	97.2	170.2	123.6		187	327	237	259	1031

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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