

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Toowoomba Landmark

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The steady supply of stock was dominated by young cattle, along with a small sample of heavy grown steers and bullocks and a good line-up of cows. A fair panel of buyers was present, with representatives covering all classes. Prices for young cattle improved in places, with the better end of the feeder classes in demand. Export slaughter descriptions of heavy grown steers, bullocks and cows experienced very little change in price.

Vealer heifers generally sold around 160c with some to 173.2c/kg. Light weight yearling steers to feed made to 186.2c, and restocker lines averaged close to 170c and sold to 177.2c/kg. The better end of the medium weight feeders made to 192.2c to average 185c/kg. Heavy weights to feed made to a top of 178.2c, with most at 167c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to the trade made to 172.2c to average 155c, and D muscle lines 133c/kg.

Heavy grown steers averaged 162c and sold to 167.2c while a few bullocks average close to 170c and sold to 170.2c/kg. Plain condition cows averaged 90c and medium weight 2 scores averaged 107c/kg. A few good heavy cows averaged 128c with the occasional sale to 140.2c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 152.2c/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		
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>																
200-280		C	2	35	155.0	- 165.0	160.1	-8	287	-	306	296	367	-	417	390
280-330		C	3	1	173.2	- 173.2	173.2	N/Q	321	-	321	321	520	-	520	520
				<b>36</b>	<b>155.0</b>	<b>173.2</b>	<b>160.5</b>		<b>287</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>393</b>		
<b>Yearling Steer</b>																
0-330	FD	C	2	6	177.2	- 186.2	182.0	17	-	-	-	-	416	-	493	440
	RS	C	2	18	159.2	- 177.2	169.2	N/Q	-	-	-	-	422	-	434	429
330-400	FD	C	2	8	170.2	- 184.2	176.6	4	-	-	-	-	598	-	691	638
		C	3	3	170.2	- 174.2	171.5	-10	310	-	317	312	584	-	655	631
	FD	C	3	13	174.2	- 192.2	185.3	12	-	-	-	-	614	-	721	672
	RS	D	3	2	138.2	- 138.2	138.2	N/Q	-	-	-	-	504	-	504	504
400+	FD	C	2	17	150.0	- 160.0	157.0	-3	-	-	-	-	608	-	664	643
	FD	C	3	45	150.0	- 178.2	167.5	-7	-	-	-	-	648	-	775	720
		C	3	5	164.2	- 164.2	164.2	-6	299	-	299	299	714	-	714	714
				<b>117</b>	<b>138.2</b>	<b>192.2</b>	<b>169.1</b>		<b>299</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>775</b>	<b>633</b>		
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>																
0-330		D	2	5	134.2	- 134.2	134.2	8	249	-	249	249	356	-	356	356
330-400		C	2	1	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	287	-	287	287	566	-	566	566
		C	3	22	148.2	- 172.2	155.7	-10	274	-	319	288	541	-	642	568
	FD	D	2	12	125.2	- 125.2	125.2	-6	-	-	-	-	457	-	457	457
		D	3	12	133.2	- 133.2	133.2	N/Q	247	-	247	247	513	-	513	513
400+	FD	C	3	5	149.2	- 149.2	149.2	2	-	-	-	-	604	-	604	604
		C	3	5	154.2	- 175.2	162.6	-3	286	-	324	301	694	-	788	732
	FD	D	2	8	126.2	- 126.2	126.2	N/Q	-	-	-	-	530	-	530	530
		D	2	6	129.2	- 129.2	129.2	N/Q	239	-	239	239	523	-	523	523
	FD	D	3	17	130.0	- 140.0	139.4	9	-	-	-	-	553	-	581	579

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
				<b>93</b>	<b>125.2</b>	<b>175.2</b>	<b>140.5</b>		<b>239</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>788</b>	<b>542</b>
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
400-500	FD	C	3	20	153.2	- 159.2	154.7	N/Q	-			712	- 716	713
	FD	D	3	2	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	-			653	- 653	653
		D	3	5	142.2	- 142.2	142.2	N/Q	259	- 259	259	661	- 661	661
500-600		C	4	11	160.2	- 167.2	162.3	-2	286	- 299	290	937	- 961	946
		D	3	1	139.2	- 139.2	139.2	N/Q	253	- 253	253	745	- 745	745
600-750		C	3	9	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	273	- 273	273	938	- 938	938
		C	4	12	169.2	- 170.2	169.7	4	302	- 304	303	1064	- 1074	1069
				<b>60</b>	<b>139.2</b>	<b>170.2</b>	<b>156.8</b>		<b>253</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>653</b>	<b>1074</b>	<b>855</b>
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	RS	D	2	6	114.2	- 114.2	114.2	N/Q	-			480	- 480	480
				<b>6</b>	<b>114.2</b>	<b>114.2</b>	<b>114.2</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>480</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>480</b>
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
0-540		D	3	2	125.2	- 125.2	125.2	N/Q	228	- 228	228	670	- 670	670
540+		C	3	5	145.2	- 145.2	145.2	N/Q	264	- 264	264	995	- 995	995
				<b>7</b>	<b>125.2</b>	<b>145.2</b>	<b>139.4</b>		<b>228</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>670</b>	<b>995</b>	<b>902</b>
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	1	5	64.2	- 76.2	70.2	N/Q	146	- 173	160	254	- 301	277
400-520		D	1	8	82.2	- 97.2	90.7	3	187	- 231	211	358	- 423	395
	RS	D	1	2	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	-			485	- 485	485
	DA	D	1	7	74.2	- 90.0	82.0	N/Q	169	- 205	186	345	- 437	369
		D	2	5	95.0	- 110.0	107.0	N/C	207	- 239	233	442	- 534	515
		D	3	11	114.2	- 115.2	114.7	2	233	- 235	234	518	- 554	538
		D	4	1	124.2	- 124.2	124.2	N/Q	244	- 244	244	615	- 615	615
520+		D	2	2	105.2	- 105.2	105.2	N/Q	215	- 215	215	563	- 563	563
		D	3	5	112.2	- 115.2	114.6	-2	229	- 235	234	600	- 616	613
		D	4	18	120.0	- 140.2	128.2	-4	235	- 275	252	642	- 890	750
		D	6	1	97.2	- 97.2	97.2	N/Q	198	- 198	198	680	- 680	680
				<b>65</b>	<b>64.2</b>	<b>140.2</b>	<b>107.1</b>		<b>146</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>890</b>	<b>547</b>
<b>Bulls</b>														
450-600		C	3	2	144.2	- 146.2	145.2	N/Q	258	- 261	259	822	- 877	850
600+		C	3	7	137.2	- 152.2	145.0	N/C	245	- 272	259	858	- 1440	1120
				<b>9</b>	<b>137.2</b>	<b>152.2</b>	<b>145.0</b>		<b>245</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>822</b>	<b>1440</b>	<b>1060</b>

#### 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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