

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Pakenham

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Yarding Change  $\frac{1041}{72}$

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There were approximately 340 grown and 600 young cattle penned. The usual spring buying group attended a generally firm market, sometimes dearer in places. Veal supply was limited and demand was firm. There were fewer supplementary fed yearling cattle and they did not hold the quality of last week. The best steers held firm, while the secondary lines gained ground as processors worked to fill orders and the well finished heifers slipped a few cents. Store condition yearlings sold to increased demand with the light weight steers lifting significantly. Strong demand for grown steers and bullocks saw prices lift 3c to 7c/kg.

A handful of good C3 and B muscle vealers to the trade sold from 202c to 228c with the secondary lines from 180c to 206c/kg. Yearling trade steers made between 198c and 237c, holding firm, with the secondary lines between 186c and 200c, lifting 1c to 8c/kg. Restocking steers returning to the paddock sold between 165c and 199c/kg. Yearling trade heifers made from 175c to 232c, slipping 3c to 6c on most with the plainer store lines from 152c to 186c, lifting 3c to 10c/kg.

Grown steers sold from 188c to 210c, lifting 6c to 7c/kg. Bullocks made between 186c and 203c, lifting 3c to 7c/kg. A handful of Friesian manufacturing steers sold to a top of 172c and the crossbreds reached 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
<b>Calves</b>														
80+	FD	D	2	19	155.0	- 182.0	171.5	N/Q	-	-	-	233	- 309	287
				<b>19</b>	<b>155.0</b>	<b>182.0</b>	<b>171.5</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>233</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>287</b>
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
0-200	FD	D	2	4	182.0	- 182.0	182.0	6	-	-	-	364	- 364	364
200-280		C	2	2	219.6	- 219.6	219.6	N/Q	399	- 399	399	615	- 615	615
	FD	D	2	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-	-	-	405	- 405	405
280-330	FD	C	2	7	182.6	- 188.0	186.5	N/Q	-	-	-	555	- 584	565
		C	2	5	190.0	- 205.0	198.0	5	346	- 373	360	608	- 624	617
	RS	C	2	1	206.2	- 206.2	206.2	N/Q	-	-	-	619	- 619	619
		C	3	2	215.0	- 215.0	215.0	N/Q	391	- 391	391	688	- 688	688
	RS	D	2	1	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-	-	-	555	- 555	555
330+		C	2	2	195.0	- 197.6	196.3	N/Q	355	- 359	357	692	- 722	707
		C	3	8	210.0	- 218.2	213.3	-7	375	- 390	382	735	- 840	791
				<b>33</b>	<b>150.0</b>	<b>219.6</b>	<b>197.9</b>		<b>346</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>840</b>	<b>619</b>
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	4	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	13	373	- 373	373	574	- 574	574
	FD	C	2	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	-	-	-	432	- 432	432
280-330	FD	C	2	10	186.6	- 186.6	186.6	-2	-	-	-	560	- 560	560
		C	2	7	186.0	- 212.0	192.6	-4	338	- 386	350	558	- 636	578
		C	3	8	201.6	- 224.0	213.1	-4	367	- 400	383	645	- 717	679
		D	2	3	160.0	- 170.0	163.9	N/Q	302	- 321	311	480	- 510	492
	FD	D	2	3	165.0	- 178.0	173.7	N/Q	-	-	-	534	- 545	538
330+		B	2	1	228.0	- 228.0	228.0	N/Q	380	- 380	380	798	- 798	798
		C	2	3	186.0	- 202.0	196.7	3	338	- 367	358	707	- 707	707
		C	3	4	210.0	- 215.0	211.3	-5	375	- 384	377	735	- 796	750
		D	2	1	156.0	- 156.0	156.0	N/Q	294	- 294	294	530	- 530	530

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
				<b>45</b>	<b>156.0</b>	<b>228.0</b>	<b>194.5</b>		<b>294</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>798</b>	<b>608</b>
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330		C	3	2	215.0	- 215.0	215.0	N/Q	391	- 391	391	645	- 645	645
	FD	D	2	10	160.0	- 185.6	173.8	-21	-	-	-	485	- 612	527
	RS	D	2	23	165.0	- 199.2	197.7	28	-	-	-	538	- 545	538
330-400	GF	B	3	2	222.0	- 236.6	229.3	N/Q	370	- 388	379	844	- 946	895
		B	3	9	232.0	- 232.0	232.0	2	387	- 387	387	928	- 928	928
		C	2	8	186.0	- 195.6	188.2	N/C	338	- 356	342	646	- 782	666
		C	3	14	200.0	- 224.0	212.9	N/C	361	- 400	381	735	- 896	823
	GF	C	3	2	215.0	- 217.2	216.1	N/Q	384	- 388	386	860	- 869	864
	FD	D	2	8	162.0	- 186.0	180.6	5	-	-	-	637	- 707	679
		D	2	15	156.0	- 183.6	176.9	-12	294	- 346	334	593	- 734	701
	RS	D	2	46	165.0	- 184.0	182.7	3	-	-	-	602	- 699	689
		D	3	24	186.0	- 196.0	191.3	1	344	- 358	351	686	- 784	739
	GF	D	3	21	180.0	- 196.6	192.9	N/Q	333	- 364	357	684	- 786	764
400+		C	2	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	321	- 321	321	714	- 714	714
		C	3	30	198.0	- 215.0	207.1	-1	360	- 384	375	832	- 989	958
	GF	C	3	2	197.2	- 215.0	206.1	N/Q	359	- 384	371	828	- 903	866
		C	4	9	212.0	- 212.0	212.0	N/Q	379	- 379	379	1060	- 1060	1060
	FD	D	2	4	162.0	- 178.2	174.2	12	-	-	-	680	- 757	738
		D	2	1	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	330	- 330	330	770	- 770	770
		D	3	40	190.0	- 200.0	196.0	8	352	- 364	361	798	- 941	904
	GF	D	3	3	185.0	- 194.2	190.6	N/Q	343	- 357	351	777	- 874	833
		D	4	10	202.0	- 202.0	202.0	N/Q	374	- 374	374	1010	- 1010	1010
				<b>284</b>	<b>156.0</b>	<b>236.6</b>	<b>194.8</b>		<b>294</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>1060</b>	<b>783</b>
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-330		C	2	2	183.6	- 183.6	183.6	N/Q	334	- 334	334	551	- 551	551
		C	3	2	212.6	- 212.6	212.6	N/Q	387	- 387	387	638	- 638	638
		D	2	2	166.0	- 166.0	166.0	N/Q	319	- 319	319	498	- 498	498
	FD	D	2	32	142.0	- 180.0	168.8	10	-	-	-	426	- 563	507
	RS	D	2	2	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	-	-	-	434	- 434	434
		D	3	7	192.2	- 198.6	196.8	N/Q	356	- 361	360	615	- 655	644
330-400		B	3	8	232.0	- 232.0	232.0	-8	387	- 387	387	928	- 928	928
	GF	C	3	2	200.0	- 203.2	201.6	N/Q	357	- 363	360	750	- 772	761
		D	2	47	152.0	- 186.0	176.2	3	292	- 358	338	608	- 688	655
	RS	D	2	11	158.6	- 158.6	158.6	-6	-	-	-	603	- 603	603
	FD	D	2	4	152.0	- 177.6	160.9	-9	-	-	-	517	- 639	564
	GF	D	3	7	180.6	- 180.6	180.6	N/Q	334	- 334	334	722	- 722	722
		D	3	61	175.0	- 207.2	190.5	-3	324	- 377	349	667	- 792	751
400+		C	3	2	192.2	- 197.2	194.7	N/Q	350	- 352	351	865	- 947	906
		D	2	4	165.6	- 172.0	168.3	-4	319	- 327	322	757	- 778	770
		D	3	62	175.0	- 190.0	181.1	-6	324	- 352	335	756	- 1058	812
	GF	D	3	2	185.0	- 195.0	190.0	N/Q	343	- 355	349	777	- 819	798
				<b>257</b>	<b>142.0</b>	<b>232.0</b>	<b>181.7</b>		<b>292</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>1058</b>	<b>705</b>
<b>Grown Steer</b>														

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400-500		D	3	6	190.0	- 194.0	193.3	-1	352	- 353	353	950	- 970	967
500-600		C	3	51	203.0	- 210.0	207.3	7	363	- 382	377	1076	- 1218	1160
		D	3	106	188.0	- 202.0	199.6	6	348	- 372	364	1015	- 1162	1117
600-750		C	4	6	202.6	- 202.6	202.6	7	362	- 362	362	1337	- 1337	1337
		D	3	33	186.2	- 201.6	195.4	3	339	- 367	357	1154	- 1303	1224
750+		D	3	4	187.2	- 187.2	187.2	N/Q	340	- 340	340	1423	- 1423	1423
		D	4	2	172.0	- 175.6	173.8	N/Q	307	- 314	310	1333	- 1361	1347
				<b>208</b>	<b>172.0</b>	<b>210.0</b>	<b>200.2</b>		<b>307</b>	<b>382</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>950</b>	<b>1423</b>	<b>1155</b>
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540		D	3	3	165.0	- 175.0	171.5	-1	317	- 324	322	858	- 943	892
		D	4	2	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	N/Q	312	- 312	312	770	- 770	770
540+		D	3	8	162.0	- 175.0	165.8	2	300	- 330	317	898	- 1085	975
		D	4	2	165.0	- 170.0	167.5	N/Q	317	- 321	319	990	- 1020	1005
				<b>15</b>	<b>162.0</b>	<b>175.0</b>	<b>166.6</b>		<b>300</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>770</b>	<b>1085</b>	<b>935</b>
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
0-540		D	1	2	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	310	- 310	310	775	- 775	775
		D	2	8	144.6	- 172.0	161.7	-15	278	- 331	311	549	- 874	819
	FD	D	2	1	161.6	- 161.6	161.6	N/Q		-		808	- 808	808
	DA	D	2	3	160.0	- 167.6	165.1	1	308	- 316	313	737	- 800	758
540+	DA	D	1	11	163.6	- 163.6	163.6	5	321	- 321	321	933	- 933	933
		D	2	12	172.6	- 178.0	173.2	-1	328	- 336	332	1044	- 1175	1105
	DA	D	2	11	164.6	- 172.0	168.8	5	317	- 331	323	1029	- 1156	1080
		D	3	18	175.6	- 192.6	184.2	-3	325	- 357	340	974	- 1396	1205
				<b>66</b>	<b>144.6</b>	<b>192.6</b>	<b>171.4</b>		<b>278</b>	<b>357</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>1396</b>	<b>1035</b>
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450	FD	C	2	1	152.0	- 152.0	152.0	N/Q		-		486	- 486	486
				<b>1</b>	<b>152.0</b>	<b>152.0</b>	<b>152.0</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>486</b>	<b>486</b>	<b>486</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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