

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Pakenham

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Yarding Change 989  
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There were approximately 400 grown and 600 young cattle penned. The usual spring buying group attended a generally firm market, although dearer in places. Quality remained plain, with many of the young cattle presented in store condition but attracting strong demand from feeders and restockers. A better selection of mostly heavy weight supplementary fed yearling cattle sold a few cents dearer on most, and a better run of grass finished heifers gained ground also. Demand for grown steers and bullocks held firm, although the top price achieved was back slightly on last week's results.

A handful of good C3 and B muscle vealers to the trade sold from 200c to 225c, lifting 4c to 6c/kg. The secondary C2 lines made from 175c to 215c, and plainer D muscle calves went to feeders and restockers from 162c to 200c/kg. The better C and B muscle yearling trade steers made between 200c and 228c, lifting 2c on most, with the secondary lines between 185c and 205c/kg, selling firm. The well finished yearling grass heifers sold between 175c and 205c, lifting 4c to 5c and more in places, with a few grain assisted heifers selling to a top of 215c/kg.

Grown steers made from 190c to 207c/kg. Bullocks sold from 190c to 205c/kg. A limited selection of grown heifers made mostly between 156c and 186c/kg. A handful of crossbred manufacturing steers sold to a top of 188c/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>														
		C	2	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	327	- 327	327	810	- 810	810
				<b>1</b>	<b>180.0</b>	<b>180.0</b>	<b>180.0</b>		<b>327</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>810</b>	<b>810</b>	<b>810</b>
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
0-200		D	2	1	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	359	- 359	359	380	- 380	380
	FD	D	2	3	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	-10	-	-	-	344	- 344	344
200-280		C	2	1	206.6	- 206.6	206.6	N/Q	376	- 376	376	558	- 558	558
	FD	C	2	5	189.6	- 192.0	191.0	N/Q	-	-	-	515	- 538	527
		C	3	3	218.0	- 218.0	218.0	N/Q	396	- 396	396	610	- 610	610
		D	2	2	180.6	- 180.6	180.6	N/Q	347	- 347	347	506	- 506	506
	FD	D	2	9	185.0	- 198.6	190.6	41	-	-	-	437	- 518	477
280-330		C	2	1	214.6	- 214.6	214.6	N/Q	390	- 390	390	644	- 644	644
330+		B	3	2	220.0	- 225.0	222.5	N/Q	379	- 388	384	788	- 924	856
		C	2	9	180.6	- 212.6	194.7	-2	328	- 387	354	659	- 814	742
	FD	C	2	4	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	-	-	-	658	- 658	658
		C	3	8	200.0	- 225.0	218.2	5	357	- 402	391	800	- 855	835
	FD	D	2	2	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-	-	-	629	- 629	629
				<b>50</b>	<b>172.0</b>	<b>225.0</b>	<b>197.6</b>		<b>328</b>	<b>402</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>924</b>	<b>627</b>
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	6	185.0	- 200.0	191.7	-13	336	- 364	349	440	- 520	479
	FD	C	2	1	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	-	-	-	385	- 385	385
		C	3	2	218.0	- 218.0	218.0	N/Q	396	- 396	396	610	- 610	610
		D	2	13	168.6	- 200.0	183.6	N/Q	318	- 377	349	422	- 499	467
	FD	D	2	25	162.0	- 182.0	169.3	N/Q	-	-	-	356	- 497	409
280-330		C	2	3	190.0	- 204.6	194.9	2	346	- 372	354	608	- 675	630
		C	3	3	210.0	- 220.0	216.7	4	382	- 400	394	630	- 660	650

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330+	FD	D	2	1	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	N/Q	-			486	- 486	486
		C	2	5	184.0	- 207.6	198.3	2	335	- 378	361	626	- 779	737
	FD	C	2	3	182.0	- 182.0	182.0	N/Q	-			637	- 664	646
		C	3	4	212.2	- 218.6	217.0	6	379	- 390	388	796	- 831	822
			<b>66</b>	<b>162.0</b>	<b>220.0</b>	<b>184.6</b>		<b>318</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>831</b>	<b>515</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330	FD	D	2	27	170.0	- 195.6	188.8	15	-			430	- 546	510
330-400	FD	C	2	1	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	-			700	- 700	700
		C	2	5	197.6	- 197.6	197.6	9	359	- 359	359	751	- 751	751
		C	3	8	200.0	- 215.2	211.9	-1	364	- 384	380	760	- 861	838
400+	FD	D	1	1	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	-			518	- 518	518
	FD	D	2	8	155.0	- 182.0	173.6	-7	-			604	- 655	632
		D	3	10	188.6	- 196.6	192.5	1	349	- 364	357	754	- 786	770
		B	3	20	222.0	- 228.0	225.9	N/Q	370	- 381	377	948	- 1072	1003
	FD		C	2	1	195.6	- 195.6	195.6	N/Q	-			861	- 861
	FD	C	3	57	200.0	- 218.0	208.9	2	364	- 389	376	935	- 1060	998
		D	2	2	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/C	330	- 330	330	788	- 788	788
		D	2	15	165.0	- 187.6	172.1	-2	-			701	- 844	769
FD	D	3	60	185.0	- 205.0	194.9	-1	343	- 380	359	854	- 1121	986	
			<b>215</b>	<b>142.0</b>	<b>228.0</b>	<b>198.4</b>		<b>330</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>1121</b>	<b>876</b>	
	<b>Yearling Heifer</b>													
0-330	FD	D	2	26	164.6	- 175.0	166.5	-2	-			363	- 494	443
330-400		D	2	3	151.6	- 164.0	155.7	-10	292	- 315	300	334	- 361	343
	C	2	2	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	336	- 336	336	740	- 740	740	
	C	3	2	215.0	- 215.0	215.0	N/Q	384	- 384	384	817	- 817	817	
	D	1	5	139.6	- 139.6	139.6	N/Q	279	- 279	279	558	- 558	558	
	FD	D	2	3	172.6	- 174.6	173.3	12	-			663	- 690	681
400+	RS	D	2	21	151.6	- 166.0	163.5	5	-			561	- 664	647
		D	2	15	154.2	- 176.0	164.0	-12	297	- 339	315	602	- 680	619
		D	3	35	180.0	- 205.0	194.2	4	333	- 380	356	720	- 820	764
	C	3	8	205.0	- 215.0	212.5	18	366	- 384	380	893	- 968	914	
		D	2	2	166.6	- 168.0	167.3	N/Q	320	- 323	322	706	- 750	728
		D	3	106	173.6	- 200.2	185.8	5	322	- 371	344	764	- 920	836
		<b>228</b>	<b>139.6</b>	<b>215.0</b>	<b>180.9</b>		<b>279</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>968</b>	<b>735</b>		
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
400-500		D	3	2	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	343	- 343	343	925	- 925	925
500-600		C	3	31	205.0	- 206.6	206.2	-1	373	- 376	375	1107	- 1210	1150
		D	3	118	190.0	- 206.6	200.0	N/C	349	- 376	365	991	- 1200	1126
600-750		C	3	26	200.0	- 205.0	204.0	N/Q	357	- 366	364	1297	- 1333	1325
		D	3	34	190.0	- 202.0	196.6	1	346	- 367	356	1235	- 1404	1306
		D	4	6	192.0	- 192.0	192.0	N/Q	349	- 349	349	1421	- 1421	1421
		<b>217</b>	<b>185.0</b>	<b>206.6</b>	<b>200.5</b>		<b>343</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>925</b>	<b>1421</b>	<b>1188</b>		
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	RS	D	1	10	128.0	- 128.0	128.0	N/Q	-			461	- 461	461
		D	2	3	157.6	- 165.0	162.5	N/Q	-			709	- 825	786

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540+		D	3	13	165.0	- 186.0	171.7	N/C	317	- 351	329	891	- 1004	915
		D	3	6	157.6	- 168.6	166.8	1	303	- 324	321	946	- 969	965
		D	4	2	156.0	- 168.0	162.0	N/Q	300	- 317	309	1014	- 1092	1053
			<b>34</b>		<b>128.0</b>	<b>186.0</b>	<b>156.6</b>		<b>300</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>461</b>	<b>1092</b>	<b>787</b>
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
0-540	DA	D	1	37	136.0	- 150.6	143.6	N/Q	278	- 295	287	517	- 813	669
		D	1	1	147.6	- 147.6	147.6	N/Q	295	- 295	295	797	- 797	797
		D	2	2	164.6	- 177.6	171.1	N/Q	311	- 342	326	823	- 959	891
	DA	D	2	8	160.6	- 160.6	160.6	-4	309	- 309	309	771	- 771	771
		D	3	3	182.2	- 182.2	182.2	N/Q	337	- 337	337	957	- 957	957
540+		D	2	7	175.0	- 182.6	178.3	5	331	- 345	338	1050	- 1260	1153
	DA	D	2	5	156.2	- 159.2	158.6	-10	300	- 312	310	1051	- 1093	1059
		D	3	17	177.2	- 187.6	183.3	-1	322	- 347	335	1048	- 1347	1252
			<b>80</b>		<b>136.0</b>	<b>187.6</b>	<b>159.9</b>		<b>278</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>517</b>	<b>1347</b>	<b>888</b>
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450		C	2	7	162.0	- 195.6	179.9	N/Q	289	- 349	321	680	- 821	702
	FD	C	2	1	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	N/Q	-	-	-	567	- 567	567
		C	3	5	182.0	- 182.0	182.0	N/Q	325	- 325	325	728	- 728	728
450-600	RS	C	2	1	177.6	- 177.6	177.6	N/Q	-	-	-	924	- 924	924
		C	2	10	163.6	- 163.6	163.6	N/Q	292	- 292	292	818	- 818	818
600+		C	2	1	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	N/Q	289	- 289	289	1069	- 1069	1069
			<b>25</b>		<b>162.0</b>	<b>195.6</b>	<b>172.3</b>		<b>289</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>567</b>	<b>1069</b>	<b>772</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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