

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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It was a much plainer quality yarding than previous sales, with larger numbers of unfinished young cattle and young calves, although there were still some good lines of prime cattle throughout the yarding. All the regular buyers competed in a stronger market.

Trade cattle were 6c to 9c dearer, with C3 yearling steers selling from 165c to 194c and averaging 181c/kg. Prime heifer yearlings to slaughter sold from 138c to 175c/kg. Young feeder cattle were up to 15c dearer, with the better quality young steers selling from 150c to 186c, while the better quality young feeder heifers sold from 130c to 161c/kg.

Grown steers were 5c dearer, with the C3s and C4s selling from 150c to 193.2c and the heavy weight 4 scores averaging 181c/kg. Grown heifers were also dearer, selling to 174c/kg. Plain conditioned cows were up to 14c dearer, while the better conditioned cows were 5c to 9c/kg dearer. The 2 score cows sold from 70c to 119c, while the better 3 and 4 score medium and heavy weights sold from 112c to 151c, with the 4 score heavy weights averaging 143c/kg. The best bull sold for 175c/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
Calves														
0-80		C	2	8	147.2	- 147.2	147.2	29	273	- 273	273	110	- 110	110
	RS	C	2	95	110.2	- 157.2	129.0	-47		-		70	- 98	85
		D	2	4	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	185	- 185	185	40	- 40	40
80+		C	2	29	128.2	- 150.0	138.5	4	237	- 278	258	147	- 263	193
	RS	C	2	97	110.0	- 188.0	153.9	4		-		105	- 273	209
	RS	D	3	12	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q		-		162	- 162	162
				245	100.0	188.0	139.7		185	278	253	40	273	151
Vealer Steer														
0-200	RS	C	2	3	154.2	- 154.2	154.2	-9		-		285	- 285	285
	RS	C	3	9	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	N/Q		-		324	- 324	324
200-280	RS	C	2	23	130.0	- 176.0	154.9	10		-		319	- 484	393
330+		C	3	15	165.0	- 170.0	168.0	6	300	- 315	309	569	- 587	580
				50	130.0	176.0	160.8		300	315	309	285	587	430
Vealer Heifer														
0-200		C	2	5	139.2	- 140.0	139.8	N/Q	258	- 264	263	244	- 273	267
	RS	C	2	6	182.2	- 182.2	182.2	N/Q		-		337	- 337	337
	RS	D	2	5	90.0	- 90.0	90.0	N/Q		-		176	- 176	176
200-280	RS	C	2	17	120.0	- 146.2	144.7	N/Q		-		306	- 387	383
		C	2	37	143.2	- 149.2	146.2	-1	269	- 283	273	351	- 380	367
		C	3	16	135.0	- 152.2	147.9	-1	250	- 282	274	371	- 419	407
	RS	D	3	22	112.0	- 131.2	123.5	23		-		252	- 282	274
		D	3	22	137.2	- 137.2	137.2	-6	264	- 264	264	309	- 309	309
280-330		C	2	6	135.6	- 135.6	135.6	-10	251	- 251	251	386	- 386	386
		C	3	7	140.0	- 151.2	147.6	-13	259	- 280	273	399	- 431	421
	RS	D	3	16	109.6	- 109.6	109.6	N/Q		-		312	- 312	312
330+		C	3	3	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	-17	259	- 259	259	558	- 558	558
	FD	C	3	10	158.6	- 158.6	158.6	N/Q		-		626	- 626	626

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
				172	90.0	182.2	138.6		250	283	269	176	626	360
Yearling Steer														
0-330		C	2	2	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	287	- 287	287	504	- 504	504
	FD	C	2	20	155.0	- 177.2	163.9	12	-	-	-	496	- 505	500
	RS	C	2	98	145.0	- 178.2	165.9	4	-	-	-	387	- 508	453
	RS	C	3	18	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	-	544	- 544	544
	RS	D	2	25	102.0	- 138.2	135.3	N/Q	-	-	-	250	- 325	319
	RS	D	3	9	144.2	- 146.2	144.9	N/Q	-	-	-	411	- 417	413
		D	3	18	120.2	- 120.2	120.2	-15	227	- 227	227	391	- 391	391
330-400	FD	C	2	96	160.0	- 177.6	173.7	15	-	-	-	568	- 675	619
	RS	C	2	16	163.2	- 163.2	163.2	-4	-	-	-	563	- 563	563
	FD	C	3	189	150.0	- 186.2	177.2	16	-	-	-	578	- 726	649
		C	3	51	167.2	- 194.2	187.5	23	310	- 360	344	594	- 751	707
		D	3	7	127.2	- 127.2	127.2	-8	240	- 240	240	490	- 490	490
400+	FD	C	2	3	158.2	- 160.0	159.4	-1	-	-	-	720	- 728	725
		C	3	85	170.0	- 193.6	181.2	6	309	- 346	328	749	- 935	839
	FD	C	3	227	162.0	- 182.2	178.1	13	-	-	-	685	- 861	795
		C	4	1	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	295	- 295	295	932	- 932	932
				865	102.0	194.2	172.8		227	360	317	250	935	658
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	2	18	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	5	-	-	-	391	- 391	391
		C	2	32	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	7	250	- 255	252	432	- 439	435
	FD	C	2	20	139.0	- 145.0	143.5	8	-	-	-	452	- 471	466
	FD	C	3	16	140.0	- 150.0	141.3	1	-	-	-	455	- 488	459
		C	3	28	136.6	- 146.2	143.1	N/Q	253	- 271	265	389	- 468	443
	RS	D	2	60	112.0	- 139.2	126.5	N/Q	-	-	-	246	- 341	272
	FD	D	2	15	111.2	- 111.2	111.2	N/Q	-	-	-	361	- 361	361
	FD	D	3	5	130.2	- 130.2	130.2	9	-	-	-	332	- 332	332
		D	3	26	125.0	- 130.2	126.8	N/Q	240	- 246	242	356	- 423	379
330-400		C	2	4	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	278	- 278	278	533	- 533	533
	FD	C	3	116	140.0	- 160.8	153.0	10	-	-	-	532	- 597	564
		C	3	201	138.0	- 175.0	153.3	2	256	- 318	283	504	- 691	588
400+		C	3	68	142.0	- 170.0	155.0	6	263	- 309	286	582	- 783	692
	FD	C	3	24	150.0	- 159.2	155.4	5	-	-	-	615	- 772	707
		D	4	5	147.2	- 147.2	147.2	N/Q	283	- 283	283	920	- 920	920
				638	111.2	175.0	146.4		240	318	277	246	920	529
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	C	2	24	140.0	- 169.2	168.0	N/Q	-	-	-	511	- 660	654
	FD	C	3	12	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	-	-	-	628	- 628	628
400-500	FD	C	2	38	135.0	- 160.0	155.1	-7	-	-	-	614	- 728	709
	FD	C	3	81	150.0	- 179.2	175.5	11	-	-	-	728	- 869	805
		C	3	150	141.2	- 175.0	168.8	8	257	- 318	311	642	- 860	811
		C	4	5	171.2	- 171.2	171.2	-1	311	- 311	311	856	- 856	856
		D	3	6	118.0	- 118.0	118.0	-12	251	- 251	251	572	- 572	572

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
500-600		C	2	8	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	290	- 290	290	761	- 761	761
		C	3	10	155.0	- 176.2	160.1	1	287	- 326	297	872	- 1031	889
	FD	C	3	59	153.2	- 179.6	173.9	16	-	-	-	804	- 943	904
		C	4	257	172.0	- 193.2	181.4	5	307	- 339	325	902	- 1092	1005
600-750		C	4	5	172.0	- 178.0	175.6	5	302	- 312	308	1075	- 1113	1098
					655	118.0	193.2	173.4		251	339	318	511	1113
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	2	10	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	N/Q	-	-	-	402	- 402	402
		C	3	125	136.2	- 168.2	152.5	7	252	- 306	285	623	- 833	714
	FD	C	3	18	150.6	- 150.6	150.6	9	-	-	-	715	- 715	715
		C	4	43	156.2	- 170.2	164.2	12	289	- 310	303	777	- 894	840
		D	3	6	98.2	- 98.2	98.2	-32	189	- 189	189	290	- 290	290
	RS	D	3	18	125.6	- 125.6	125.6	N/Q	-	-	-	534	- 534	534
540+		C	4	48	155.0	- 173.6	163.9	12	272	- 322	299	876	- 1062	966
					268	98.2	173.6	153.0		189	322	289	290	1062
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		D	3	27	130.0	- 137.0	132.1	-20	241	- 264	248	813	- 856	825
					27	130.0	137.0	132.1		241	264	247	813	856
Cows														
0-400		D	2	152	75.0	- 119.2	96.1	24	171	- 271	218	274	- 471	360
	RS	D	2	39	88.0	- 107.2	96.8	26	-	-	-	339	- 413	373
		D	3	36	124.0	- 124.0	124.0	N/Q	264	- 264	264	477	- 477	477
400-520	RS	D	2	38	105.0	- 110.2	108.5	26	-	-	-	446	- 468	461
		D	2	40	70.0	- 115.2	110.8	12	159	- 262	252	291	- 558	491
		D	3	222	112.0	- 133.2	127.6	10	238	- 283	270	476	- 686	601
		D	4	273	134.0	- 144.2	138.7	5	274	- 285	281	614	- 750	654
520+		D	3	25	131.0	- 131.0	131.0	6	279	- 279	279	688	- 688	688
		D	4	287	132.0	- 150.6	142.8	9	264	- 296	282	693	- 925	801
		D	5	3	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	-3	255	- 255	255	761	- 813	778
				1115	70.0	150.6	127.6		159	296	268	274	925	614
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	15	112.0	- 112.0	112.0	-18	211	- 211	211	442	- 442	442
		D	2	16	98.2	- 98.2	98.2	N/Q	200	- 200	200	280	- 280	280
		D	3	93	112.0	- 125.0	114.5	5	218	- 240	221	226	- 481	437
	RS	D	3	35	136.4	- 136.4	136.4	31	-	-	-	307	- 307	307
450-600		C	2	16	125.0	- 154.2	143.7	14	236	- 286	268	579	- 748	689
600+		B	3	4	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	307	- 307	307	1724	- 1838	1752
		C	2	68	134.2	- 167.2	148.5	4	249	- 299	275	957	- 1379	986
		C	3	48	155.0	- 170.0	163.4	3	281	- 307	296	1008	- 1870	1321
				295	98.2	175.0	134.3		200	307	251	226	1870	715

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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