

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Warwick

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Yarding Change ¹⁵⁸⁹/₄₆

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Numbers hovered around the previous weeks high level. A reduced field of export buyers were present and operating in a cheaper market. Young cattle experienced a mixed trend with the better end of the light and medium weights to the trade feeder operators and restockers receiving strong competition. However prices eased by around 5c to 8c/kg on the remainder of the young cattle. Heavy grown steers, bullocks and cows could not maintain the previous weeks rates and sold to a market 20c/kg cheaper.

The occasional calf to the trade made to 212.2c and most returned to the paddock at 179c/kg. A small sample of vealer heifers sold to local butchers at 210.2c to average 198c/kg. Lightweight yearling steers returned to the paddock at 202.2c to average 185c/kg. Medium weights to feed averaged 180c and sold to 198.2c with some to restockers at 204.2c/kg. Heavy feeders made to 192c to average 5c less at 184c/kg. The large supply of lightweight yearling heifers contained some good runs of supplementary fed and certified grainfed classes. Butchers and wholesalers were able to absorb the large supply plus provide very strong competition. Certified grainfeds made to 205c with most at 172c while the remainder averaged 166c/kg. Medium weights to the trade averaged 178c and sold to 185.2c/kg.

Heavy grown steers averaged 171c and sold to 185.2c and bullocks made to 189.2c to average 178c/kg. Full mouth bullocks averaged 166c and made to 170.6c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 111c and 3 scores 124c with sales to 133c/kg. Heavy 3 scores averaged 129c while the better heavy weights made to 153.6c to average 142c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 169.2c/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
Calves														
80+		C	2	8	185.2	- 212.2	190.6	2	349	- 400	360	232	- 265	243
	RS	C	2	43	160.0	- 199.2	179.0	-8	-	-	-	199	- 401	303
	RS	D	1	1	111.2	- 111.2	111.2	N/Q	-	-	-	139	- 139	139
				52	111.2	212.2	179.5		349	400	360	139	401	291
Vealer Steer														
280-330		C	3	5	209.2	- 209.2	209.2	N/Q	380	- 380	380	680	- 680	680
				5	209.2	209.2	209.2		380	380	380	680	680	680
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	6	172.2	- 187.2	177.2	N/C	319	- 347	328	405	- 440	416
280-330		C	3	6	180.0	- 210.2	198.5	15	333	- 389	368	513	- 683	616
				12	172.2	210.2	187.8		319	389	348	405	683	516
Yearling Steer														
0-330		C	2	2	170.2	- 170.2	170.2	N/Q	310	- 310	310	434	- 434	434
	FD	C	2	30	165.2	- 189.2	176.4	-5	-	-	-	407	- 464	425
	RS	C	2	74	164.2	- 202.2	185.8	5	-	-	-	366	- 607	498
	RS	D	1	2	97.2	- 97.2	97.2	N/Q	-	-	-	228	- 228	228
	RS	D	2	8	145.2	- 150.0	148.8	-6	-	-	-	341	- 353	350
		D	2	7	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	-2	300	- 300	300	438	- 438	438
330-400	RS	C	2	61	165.0	- 204.2	186.4	N/Q	-	-	-	587	- 725	660
	FD	C	2	103	160.2	- 190.0	180.9	-5	-	-	-	585	- 732	660
	FD	C	3	37	173.2	- 198.2	188.4	2	-	-	-	632	- 753	707
		C	3	4	185.0	- 188.2	186.6	N/C	336	- 342	339	687	- 712	700
	GF	C	3	2	190.2	- 190.2	190.2	N/Q	346	- 346	346	713	- 713	713

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400+		D	1	6	80.2	- 110.0	85.2	N/Q	146	- 200	155	293	- 435	316	
		D	2	2	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	N/Q	266	- 266	266	548	- 548	548	
		RS	D	2	6	150.2	- 150.2	150.2	N/Q	-	-	518	- 518	518	
		FD	D	2	13	140.0	- 164.2	146.8	-3	-	-	511	- 649	533	
		FD	C	2	41	170.0	- 188.2	179.1	-5	-	-	706	- 825	777	
		FD	C	3	75	170.0	- 192.0	184.6	-5	-	-	757	- 893	812	
			C	3	5	171.2	- 182.2	180.0	-11	311	- 331	327	728	- 774	765
		GF	C	3	7	170.0	- 174.2	171.3	N/Q	309	- 317	312	757	- 810	772
			D	2	4	125.0	- 136.2	133.4	N/Q	227	- 248	243	531	- 592	577
	FD	D	3	5	160.0	- 165.2	162.1	-3	-	-	744	- 801	767		
				494	80.2	204.2	178.7		146	346	283	228	893	641	
Yearling Heifer															
0-330	GF	B	3	4	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	N/Q	373	- 373	373	605	- 605	605	
	RS	C	1	19	158.2	- 158.2	158.2	N/Q	-	-	293	- 293	293		
	RS	C	2	12	150.2	- 150.2	150.2	-16	-	-	398	- 398	398		
	FD	C	2	28	149.2	- 160.2	152.4	-13	-	-	336	- 457	370		
		C	2	97	150.2	- 172.2	166.0	-4	278	- 319	307	405	- 445	415	
	GF	C	3	39	168.2	- 189.2	172.2	N/Q	312	- 350	319	412	- 558	455	
		D	2	8	120.0	- 133.2	131.6	N/Q	222	- 247	244	286	- 318	290	
	RS	D	2	3	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	-	-	222	- 222	222		
330-400	GF	B	3	1	200.2	- 200.2	200.2	N/Q	364	- 364	364	751	- 751	751	
		C	2	5	143.2	- 180.0	157.9	N/Q	265	- 333	292	494	- 612	541	
	FD	C	2	13	153.2	- 161.2	156.8	-8	-	-	519	- 575	544		
	RS	C	2	3	149.2	- 149.2	149.2	N/Q	-	-	500	- 500	500		
	FD	C	3	27	160.2	- 180.2	173.2	N/C	-	-	577	- 649	619		
		C	3	31	155.2	- 185.2	178.8	1	287	- 343	331	576	- 709	661	
	FD	D	2	7	130.0	- 140.0	131.4	5	-	-	449	- 483	453		
		D	2	8	112.2	- 130.0	121.1	N/Q	208	- 241	224	410	- 475	442	
	RS	D	2	5	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	-14	-	-	438	- 462	448		
400+		C	2	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	259	- 259	259	595	- 595	595	
		C	3	23	150.2	- 178.0	170.3	-8	278	- 330	315	676	- 787	733	
	FD	C	3	17	155.0	- 166.2	162.9	N/Q	-	-	705	- 706	706		
	RS	D	2	1	125.2	- 125.2	125.2	N/Q	-	-	532	- 532	532		
		D	3	10	135.0	- 140.0	138.3	-15	250	- 259	256	574	- 630	599	
				362	112.2	205.0	162.0		208	373	307	222	787	492	
Grown Steer															
0-400		D	1	1	118.2	- 118.2	118.2	N/Q	215	- 215	215	431	- 431	431	
	RS	D	1	5	60.0	- 60.0	60.0	N/Q	-	-	219	- 219	219		
		D	2	1	109.2	- 109.2	109.2	N/Q	199	- 199	199	431	- 431	431	
		E	1	1	85.2	- 85.2	85.2	N/Q	155	- 155	155	311	- 311	311	
400-500	FD	C	2	10	160.0	- 175.0	170.5	N/Q	-	-	680	- 761	737		
	FD	C	3	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-	-	653	- 653	653		
		C	3	1	154.2	- 154.2	154.2	N/Q	280	- 280	280	694	- 694	694	
		D	2	16	117.2	- 124.2	120.8	N/Q	213	- 226	220	486	- 540	516	
	FD	D	2	6	130.0	- 140.0	138.3	N/Q	-	-	527	- 595	584		

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500-600	RS	D	2	4	131.2	- 131.2	131.2	N/Q	-			544	- 544	544
		D	3	1	143.2	- 143.2	143.2	N/Q	260	- 260	260	666	- 666	666
		C	3	21	158.2	- 163.2	161.0	-13	288	- 297	293	856	- 904	894
		C	4	41	161.2	- 185.2	171.7	-26	288	- 335	307	862	- 1069	943
600-750	RS	D	2	3	125.2	- 125.2	125.2	N/Q	-			657	- 657	657
		C	3	2	151.2	- 151.2	151.2	N/Q	275	- 275	275	983	- 983	983
		C	4	30	175.2	- 189.2	178.4	-18	313	- 338	319	1120	- 1261	1180
				144	60.0	189.2	156.3		155	338	291	219	1261	850
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	3	148.0	- 153.2	149.7	-17	279	- 295	284	666	- 758	697
		D	2	18	100.0	- 125.2	110.6	N/Q	208	- 261	230	425	- 570	456
	RS	D	2	2	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	-			558	- 558	558
540+	DA	D	2	2	113.2	- 113.2	113.2	N/Q	236	- 236	236	606	- 606	606
		D	3	8	135.2	- 149.2	140.4	-17	255	- 282	267	616	- 724	651
		C	3	3	150.2	- 150.2	150.2	N/Q	283	- 289	287	819	- 849	829
		C	4	14	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	-23	302	- 302	302	953	- 953	953
				50	100.0	160.2	134.3		208	302	265	425	953	673
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	4	40	160.0	- 170.6	166.2	-26	286	- 305	297	972	- 1209	1104
		C	5	4	133.2	- 133.2	133.2	N/Q	242	- 242	242	999	- 999	999
				44	133.2	170.6	163.2		242	305	292	972	1209	1094
Cows														
0-400		D	1	3	67.2	- 77.2	70.5	-23	153	- 176	160	269	- 309	282
	RS	D	1	1	70.0	- 70.0	70.0	N/Q	-			280	- 280	280
		E	1	1	32.2	- 32.2	32.2	N/Q	73	- 73	73	129	- 129	129
400-520		D	1	16	77.2	- 98.2	90.5	-21	176	- 223	206	366	- 443	401
	RS	D	1	23	57.2	- 103.2	93.4	-37	-			249	- 451	407
	DA	D	1	14	62.2	- 97.2	82.6	-17	141	- 221	188	267	- 461	385
	RS	D	2	7	103.2	- 119.2	108.0	N/Q	-			439	- 566	478
520+		D	2	49	102.2	- 120.6	111.1	-19	222	- 262	242	455	- 597	510
		D	3	34	115.2	- 133.6	124.1	-22	235	- 273	253	539	- 633	576
	DA	D	3	1	120.2	- 120.2	120.2	N/Q	245	- 245	245	565	- 565	565
		D	4	3	138.6	- 140.2	139.1	-18	272	- 275	273	672	- 694	679
		C	3	3	153.6	- 153.6	153.6	N/Q	295	- 295	295	1080	- 1080	1080
		D	2	17	114.2	- 121.2	118.0	-16	245	- 264	256	611	- 721	631
		D	3	40	123.2	- 137.2	129.3	-23	251	- 280	266	659	- 743	726
	D	4	25	137.2	- 152.0	142.7	-23	269	- 298	280	734	- 998	840	
				237	32.2	153.6	114.9		73	298	247	129	1080	578
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	9	123.2	- 146.2	143.0	N/Q	224	- 266	260	358	- 524	381
		C	3	1	131.2	- 131.2	131.2	N/Q	239	- 239	239	558	- 558	558
		D	1	1	87.2	- 87.2	87.2	N/Q	159	- 159	159	336	- 336	336
		D	2	2	118.0	- 118.0	118.0	N/Q	215	- 215	215	472	- 472	472
450-600		C	3	1	150.2	- 150.2	150.2	N/Q	268	- 268	268	849	- 849	849
600+		C	2	4	123.2	- 130.0	127.2	-11	224	- 236	230	862	- 1098	962

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
		C	3	10	143.2	- 169.2	156.1	-7	256	- 302	279	908	- 1438	1170
				28	87.2	169.2	141.5		159	302	255	336	1438	774

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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