

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Wodonga

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Yarding Change 500
-286

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Numbers dropped moderately in a mixed quality yarding with most weights and grades represented. Buyer competition improved with another major processor operating on well-finished lines after a lengthy absence.

A reduced selection of heavy well finished cows saw all buyers compete strongly for a market share which resulted in prices lifting 5c to average 129c/kg. The 2 and 3 score cows once again sold to mostly southern competition with the D3 medium weight lines averaging 116c/kg. Dairy lines were in limited supply and dry cows were keenly sought after which created a dearer trend of 11c to 17c/kg.

A similar sized yarding of bulls sold to increased competition and B and C muscled bulls made from 126c to 148c/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
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	4	8	136.2	- 160.0	143.8	16	257	- 296	270	624	- 840	734
		D	3	4	126.2	- 139.2	129.5	21	263	- 269	267	637	- 682	649
540+		C	4	3	138.0	- 142.6	139.5	11	256	- 269	260	821	- 1012	885
				15	126.2	160.0			256	296		624	1012	
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	1	11	105.6	- 105.6	105.6	N/Q	-	-	-	411	- 411	411
		D	2	7	100.0	- 105.0	101.4	N/Q	227	- 239	231	383	- 410	391
		E	1	6	40.0	- 40.0	40.0	N/Q	98	- 98	98	128	- 128	128
400-520		D	1	6	94.2	- 102.0	98.1	22	230	- 249	239	421	- 431	426
	DA	D	1	5	98.0	- 98.0	98.0	N/Q	239	- 239	239	480	- 480	480
		D	2	27	101.2	- 112.0	106.0	3	230	- 244	236	448	- 563	510
		D	3	46	109.0	- 122.0	116.1	2	232	- 260	247	519	- 614	573
		D	4	2	127.2	- 127.2	127.2	N/Q	254	- 254	254	650	- 650	650
520+	DA	E	2	5	90.0	- 90.0	90.0	N/Q	205	- 205	205	376	- 376	376
		C	4	9	135.2	- 141.2	139.3	N/Q	250	- 282	272	904	- 1169	977
	DA	D	1	8	105.0	- 105.0	105.0	17	256	- 256	256	570	- 570	570
		D	2	14	118.6	- 121.0	119.1	11	247	- 255	250	750	- 769	765
		D	3	63	114.0	- 127.0	120.8	4	243	- 270	257	613	- 806	677
		D	4	172	121.0	- 138.0	129.1	5	242	- 276	258	642	- 1164	795
		D	5	3	116.2	- 116.2	116.2	-7	232	- 232	232	877	- 877	877
			384	40.0	141.2			98	282		128	1169		
Bulls														
450-600		C	2	1	135.2	- 135.2	135.2	N/Q	250	- 250	250	676	- 676	676
600+		B	2	4	135.0	- 147.6	138.5	N/C	235	- 255	243	1208	- 1372	1326
		C	2	18	126.2	- 138.2	132.9	N/C	225	- 250	238	801	- 1479	1184
	RS	C	2	1	123.2	- 123.2	123.2	N/Q	-	-	-	832	- 832	832
		D	1	1	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	287	- 287	287	1318	- 1318	1318
		D	2	4	118.0	- 132.0	124.2	3	219	- 236	228	1019	- 1261	1130
		D	3	1	128.8	- 128.8	128.8	N/Q	239	- 239	239	1217	- 1217	1217

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				30	118.0	155.0			219	287		676	1479	

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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