

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Pakenham

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Yarding Change $\frac{183}{31}$

comparison date 04/03/2014

There was an increase in supply with approximately 180 head. Most of the usual buying group was present and operating in a dearer market. Most weights and grades were represented, although numbers were limited, and demand was stronger across the board. A recently absent export processor showed stronger interest for the leaner grades and restockers were operating on the suitable lines. Prices improved 2c to 3c/kg for cows while the limited offering of bulls sold to firm demand.

Light and medium weight cows sold from 75c to 127c/kg. Heavy weight cows made between 111c and 140c/kg. Restocking cows sold between 105c and 125c/kg. Heavy weight bulls made from 122c to 146c to processors with a single bull to 152c/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		D	1	1	102.6	- 102.6	102.6	N/Q	228	- 228	228	410	- 410	410
		D	2	7	121.6	- 134.0	131.4	N/Q	248	- 268	264	608	- 697	657
540+		D	2	3	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	270	- 270	270	776	- 776	776
		D	3	5	132.6	- 141.6	138.8	N/Q	255	- 272	267	743	- 779	766
				16	102.6	141.6			228	272		410	779	
Cows														
0-400	DA	E	1	1	74.6	- 74.6	74.6	N/Q	178	- 178	178	269	- 269	269
400-520		D	1	12	116.6	- 126.6	123.1	11	254	- 275	268	583	- 658	624
		D	2	3	122.6	- 126.6	125.3	-1	261	- 264	263	564	- 658	627
		E	1	32	103.6	- 120.0	111.7	7	247	- 273	260	437	- 593	527
	RS	E	1	14	104.6	- 118.6	107.0	-7	-	-	-	445	- 563	463
	DA	E	1	2	103.0	- 103.0	103.0	N/Q	245	- 245	245	464	- 464	464
520+	DA	D	1	13	124.2	- 125.0	124.9	N/Q	270	- 272	272	696	- 750	734
	RS	D	1	1	120.6	- 120.6	120.6	N/Q	-	-	-	651	- 651	651
		D	1	10	120.0	- 126.0	121.7	2	261	- 269	264	648	- 731	672
		D	2	14	125.0	- 130.6	128.2	2	260	- 272	267	678	- 836	729
	DA	D	2	8	125.6	- 132.0	129.8	4	262	- 269	268	768	- 845	818
		D	3	18	127.0	- 138.6	135.5	3	254	- 273	267	699	- 866	823
		D	4	6	132.0	- 140.0	136.1	4	264	- 275	269	775	- 881	835
	RS	E	1	6	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	8	-	-	-	700	- 700	700
	DA	E	1	11	111.2	- 118.6	114.9	3	253	- 270	261	612	- 759	652
				151	74.6	140.0			178	275		269	881	
Bulls														
450-600	DA	D	2	1	113.6	- 113.6	113.6	N/Q	214	- 214	214	648	- 648	648
600+	RS	B	2	1	151.6	- 151.6	151.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1440	- 1440	1440
		B	2	1	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	N/Q	252	- 252	252	1243	- 1243	1243
		C	2	1	136.6	- 136.6	136.6	N/Q	244	- 244	244	1093	- 1093	1093
		C	3	2	141.6	- 142.6	142.1	N/Q	244	- 246	245	1133	- 1283	1208
		D	2	1	122.6	- 122.6	122.6	N/Q	227	- 227	227	809	- 809	809
				7	113.6	151.6			214	252		648	1440	

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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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