

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Yarding Change ²⁰⁷⁰
-356

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Numbers fell slightly this sale though quality improved. There were good numbers of well finished cattle offered along with some pens of grain assisted cattle. Yearlings made up the majority of the yarding. The usual buyers were present and competing.

Yearling steers to processors lifted 3c to 5c/kg. Medium weight lines sold from 185c to 212c and heavy weights made from 180c to 214c/kg. Those to feeders received from 169c to 205c/kg for medium weights, and 180c to 214c/kg for heavy weights.

The heifer portion to processor orders lifted 4c, with quality a factor, and prices ranged from 162c to 207c/kg. Those to feeders were back 3c to 4c/kg selling from 153c to 193c/kg for medium and heavy weights.

Heavy steers and bullocks held fairly steady with good numbers of quality lines on offer. Prices ranged from 172c to 212c/kg for those over 500kg. A limited number of grown heifers averaged 176c/kg. A reduced quality yarding of cows eased 3c to 5c/kg. Heavy 2 scores sold from 115c to 122c, while 3 and 4 score received from 123c to 140c/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
Vealer Steer														
200-280		C	3	2	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	302	- 302	302	384	- 384	384
				2	160.0	160.0			302	302		384	384	
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	13	170.0	- 190.0	177.3	15	-	-	-	476	- 555	512
	RS	C	2	14	155.0	- 185.0	173.2	N/Q	-	-	-	403	- 574	517
	FD	C	3	6	190.0	- 197.0	194.7	N/C	-	-	-	591	- 608	597
		C	3	7	190.0	- 205.0	198.6	29	359	- 380	371	570	- 656	619
330-400	FD	C	2	85	169.0	- 205.0	187.8	-4	-	-	-	592	- 760	695
	RS	C	2	10	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	9	-	-	-	639	- 639	639
	FD	C	3	22	176.0	- 207.0	186.8	-12	-	-	-	634	- 800	711
		C	3	42	185.0	- 212.0	202.6	21	343	- 398	378	666	- 828	775
400+	FD	C	2	28	180.0	- 210.0	205.1	22	-	-	-	792	- 915	885
	FD	C	3	115	182.0	- 214.0	204.7	7	-	-	-	798	- 943	880
		C	3	305	180.0	- 214.0	204.4	3	333	- 396	377	779	- 1228	1066
				647	155.0	214.0			333	398		403	1228	
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	FD	C	2	7	154.0	- 154.0	154.0	4	-	-	-	493	- 493	493
	RS	C	2	47	150.0	- 155.0	151.7	6	-	-	-	375	- 434	395
		C	3	29	155.0	- 205.0	171.4	1	293	- 387	323	442	- 656	518
	RS	D	2	72	125.0	- 133.0	129.6	N/Q	-	-	-	399	- 400	399
330-400	FD	C	2	89	153.0	- 180.0	164.9	-5	-	-	-	536	- 666	605
		C	3	49	162.0	- 207.0	187.8	23	306	- 391	353	583	- 828	689
	FD	D	2	5	148.0	- 148.0	148.0	N/Q	-	-	-	518	- 518	518
		D	3	1	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/C	298	- 298	298	632	- 632	632
400+	FD	C	3	11	193.0	- 193.0	193.0	23	-	-	-	888	- 888	888
		C	3	137	170.0	- 200.0	190.2	3	321	- 370	352	714	- 1040	870
				447	125.0	207.0			293	391		375	1040	

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Grown Steer														
400-500		C	3	4	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	-46	300	- 300	300	680	- 680	680
500-600		C	3	77	172.0	- 194.0	187.1	-7	313	- 359	344	963	- 1114	1055
600-750		C	3	17	178.0	- 192.0	186.2	-4	330	- 356	345	1139	- 1229	1194
				98	162.0	194.0			300	359		680	1229	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	RS	C	2	9	124.0	- 124.0	124.0	N/Q	-			558	- 558	558
		C	3	12	170.0	- 178.0	176.0	-13	315	- 330	326	867	- 926	914
				21	124.0	178.0			315	330		558	926	
Cows														
400-520		D	1	14	75.0	- 75.0	75.0	N/Q	163	- 163	163	315	- 315	315
		D	2	56	108.0	- 126.0	117.9	7	235	- 274	256	513	- 655	595
	RS	D	2	17	105.0	- 121.0	113.4	3	-			483	- 545	519
520+		D	2	63	115.0	- 122.0	120.2	-3	250	- 265	261	621	- 683	664
		D	3	140	123.0	- 138.0	131.1	-5	267	- 300	285	668	- 911	772
		D	4	3	130.0	- 140.0	133.3	-7	283	- 304	290	949	- 1064	987
		D	5	1	118.0	- 118.0	118.0	N/Q	257	- 257	257	661	- 661	661
				294	75.0	140.0			163	304		315	1064	
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	1	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	255	- 255	255	567	- 567	567
450-600		C	2	8	138.0	- 154.0	143.0	5	260	- 291	270	662	- 816	715
600+		B	2	1	184.0	- 184.0	184.0	N/Q	347	- 347	347	2098	- 2098	2098
		C	2	17	142.0	- 178.0	168.4	2	268	- 336	318	966	- 1982	1458
				27	135.0	184.0			255	347		567	2098	

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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