

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Pakenham

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Yarding Change $\frac{231}{-5}$

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There were approximately 200 cows and a handful of bulls penned, with numbers unchanged week-on-week. Most of the usual buying group was present and operating in a firm market. Quality was mixed, with a better run of medium weight cows showing good finish and less yield potential showing in the 3 and 4 score heavy weights which eased slightly due to quality. Most weights and grades were represented in the limited offering of cows, while there was only a handful of heavy weight bulls penned, which eased 3c/kg due to plainer quality.

Most light and medium weight cows sold from 123c to 148c/kg. Heavy weight cows made mostly between 145c and 164c/kg. Heavy weight bulls sold between 146c and 172c/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	2	121.6	- 131.6	126.6	N/Q	253	- 292	273	511	- 632	571
				2	121.6	131.6			253	292		511	632	
Cows														
0-400	DA	D	1	3	125.6	- 125.6	125.6	N/Q	286	- 286	286	502	- 502	502
		D	2	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	298	- 298	298	560	- 560	560
	DA	E	1	13	101.6	- 114.6	108.4	N/Q	243	- 273	259	345	- 435	388
	RS	E	1	1	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	-	-	-	352	- 352	352
400-520		D	1	13	130.0	- 140.0	135.1	-2	289	- 304	297	585	- 702	643
		D	2	18	138.6	- 147.6	143.3	1	292	- 314	305	595	- 752	700
		D	3	22	147.2	- 158.0	154.2	N/Q	300	- 316	311	736	- 790	768
		E	1	18	122.6	- 136.0	132.9	8	291	- 309	303	552	- 680	628
	DA	E	1	2	124.6	- 124.6	124.6	N/Q	290	- 290	290	561	- 561	561
520+		D	2	35	144.6	- 155.0	148.0	-1	303	- 323	308	788	- 884	823
		D	3	44	150.0	- 163.6	155.1	-4	304	- 319	310	821	- 1027	905
		D	4	9	145.6	- 159.6	149.3	-7	291	- 313	298	874	- 990	920
		D	5	1	142.6	- 142.6	142.6	N/Q	291	- 291	291	941	- 941	941
		E	1	6	137.0	- 137.0	137.0	N/C	311	- 311	311	740	- 740	740
	DA	E	1	13	122.0	- 140.0	136.1	2	284	- 318	311	675	- 784	762
				199	101.6	163.6			243	323		345	1027	
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	1	141.6	- 141.6	141.6	N/Q	262	- 262	262	637	- 637	637
	RS	C	2	1	131.6	- 131.6	131.6	N/Q	-	-	-	461	- 461	461
450-600		C	2	2	143.6	- 159.6	151.6	N/Q	261	- 290	276	804	- 958	881
600+		B	2	2	172.0	- 172.2	172.1	N/Q	292	- 297	294	1076	- 1204	1140
		C	2	3	155.0	- 160.6	158.4	-3	287	- 290	288	969	- 1117	1043
		C	3	1	169.6	- 169.6	169.6	N/Q	298	- 298	298	1272	- 1272	1272
		D	2	3	145.6	- 158.0	150.1	-9	272	- 293	280	946	- 988	962
				13	131.6	172.2			261	298		461	1272	

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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