

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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It was a good quality yarding with good numbers of well-finished trade weight cattle, along with some good runs of grown steers and heifers. Cows were also well supplied. All the regular buyers were in attendance and operating.

The well-finished trade cattle to the processors were 4c/kg cheaper. Vealers sold to 215c, while the C3 yearling steers sold from 180c to 217c, with the heavy weights averaging 202c/kg. Prime conditioned yearling heifers sold from 162c to 201c/kg. The lighter weight feeder cattle were 3c/kg cheaper, while the heavier weights were firm. The better quality feeder steers sold from 170c to 212c, while the heifers sold from 150c to 207c/kg.

Grown steers were 4c dearer with the well-finished medium and heavy weights selling from 192c to 204c, to average 199c/kg. Grown heifers sold to 195c/kg. The few plainer conditioned cows yarded were a little cheaper, however the better finished cows were 7c/kg dearer. The 2 score cows sold from 110c to 148c, while the better 3 and 4 score cows sold from 145c to 188c, with the 4 score heavy weights averaging 175c/kg. Bulls sold at similar prices, topping at 222c/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														
0-80		C	2	10	186.0	- 186.0	186.0	N/Q	351	- 351	351	140	- 140	140
				10	186.0	186.0			351	351		140	140	
Vealer Steer														
0-200		C	2	7	188.0	- 194.0	191.4	N/Q	355	- 366	361	348	- 359	354
	RS	C	2	26	206.0	- 206.0	206.0	15	-	-	-	361	- 361	361
200-280	RS	C	2	18	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	-8	-	-	-	492	- 492	492
	RS	D	2	15	184.0	- 184.0	184.0	-5	-	-	-	451	- 451	451
280-330	RS	C	2	29	211.0	- 215.0	214.2	2	-	-	-	601	- 699	679
	FD	C	2	14	179.0	- 211.0	206.4	15	-	-	-	510	- 686	661
330+		B	3	16	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	389	- 389	389	809	- 809	809
	FD	C	2	4	170.0	- 200.0	190.5	-10	-	-	-	587	- 690	657
		C	3	2	195.0	- 208.0	201.5	N/Q	368	- 393	380	712	- 718	715
	FD	C	3	3	196.0	- 196.0	196.0	N/Q	-	-	-	696	- 696	696
				134	170.0	215.0			355	393		348	809	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	C	2	9	161.0	- 161.0	161.0	N/Q	-	-	-	282	- 282	282
	RS	D	2	5	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-	-	-	278	- 278	278
200-280	RS	C	2	108	173.0	- 183.0	178.5	20	-	-	-	441	- 467	460
		C	2	13	169.0	- 169.0	169.0	-4	319	- 319	319	397	- 397	397
	FD	C	2	5	171.0	- 171.0	171.0	N/Q	-	-	-	453	- 453	453
280-330	FD	C	2	12	154.0	- 154.0	154.0	N/Q	-	-	-	439	- 439	439
		C	3	1	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	330	- 330	330	569	- 569	569
330+		B	3	6	197.0	- 215.0	208.7	N/Q	365	- 398	386	758	- 828	796
	FD	C	2	11	175.0	- 178.0	177.2	N/Q	-	-	-	596	- 604	598
		C	2	1	169.0	- 169.0	169.0	N/Q	319	- 319	319	634	- 634	634
	FD	C	3	2	174.0	- 174.0	174.0	N/Q	-	-	-	618	- 618	618
		C	3	23	186.0	- 203.0	195.4	11	351	- 383	371	659	- 700	681

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					196	150.0	215.0			319	398		278	828	
Yearling Steer															
0-330		C	2	4	198.0	- 198.0	198.0	N/Q	374	- 374	374	564	- 564	564	
	FD	C	2	21	182.0	- 198.0	193.4	-5	-	-	-	519	- 644	608	
	RS	D	3	8	167.0	- 167.0	167.0	N/Q	-	-	-	426	- 426	426	
330-400		C	2	6	207.0	- 207.0	207.0	22	391	- 391	391	756	- 756	756	
	FD	C	2	171	170.0	- 210.0	200.0	-3	-	-	-	653	- 811	749	
	FD	C	3	74	182.0	- 208.0	203.0	6	-	-	-	701	- 822	780	
		C	3	35	198.0	- 217.0	212.5	14	374	- 396	393	714	- 857	828	
	FD	D	3	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-	-	-	518	- 518	518	
400+		B	3	16	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	N/Q	366	- 366	366	974	- 974	974	
	FD	C	2	51	195.0	- 211.0	205.4	-2	-	-	-	812	- 939	868	
	FD	C	3	177	185.0	- 212.0	205.8	1	-	-	-	822	- 970	919	
		C	3	95	180.0	- 215.0	201.8	-1	340	- 406	381	792	- 1024	927	
		C	4	14	200.0	- 206.0	205.1	-1	370	- 382	380	970	- 1102	1083	
					673	150.0	217.0		340	406		426	1102		
Yearling Heifer															
0-330		C	2	7	156.0	- 175.0	166.9	-18	300	- 337	321	507	- 569	542	
	FD	C	2	91	162.0	- 177.0	173.9	-5	-	-	-	502	- 504	504	
	RS	D	2	3	118.0	- 118.0	118.0	N/Q	-	-	-	301	- 301	301	
		D	2	14	139.0	- 139.0	139.0	-1	267	- 267	267	341	- 341	341	
		D	3	72	147.0	- 165.0	153.0	N/Q	283	- 317	294	398	- 435	423	
	FD	D	3	12	148.0	- 148.0	148.0	N/Q	-	-	-	422	- 422	422	
	RS	D	3	25	156.0	- 156.0	156.0	N/Q	-	-	-	398	- 398	398	
330-400		B	3	1	201.0	- 201.0	201.0	N/Q	379	- 379	379	714	- 714	714	
		C	2	9	155.0	- 180.0	177.2	10	298	- 340	335	519	- 693	658	
	RS	C	2	12	169.0	- 169.0	169.0	11	-	-	-	583	- 583	583	
	FD	C	2	96	150.0	- 177.0	165.0	-17	-	-	-	533	- 666	613	
	FD	C	3	26	176.0	- 180.0	177.2	-13	-	-	-	642	- 657	647	
		C	3	80	163.0	- 190.0	169.6	-15	308	- 359	320	570	- 732	633	
		D	3	16	139.0	- 139.0	139.0	-37	267	- 267	267	480	- 480	480	
	FD	D	3	23	149.0	- 149.0	149.0	N/Q	-	-	-	589	- 589	589	
400+	FD	C	2	23	168.0	- 177.0	175.7	N/Q	-	-	-	689	- 726	721	
	FD	C	3	57	164.0	- 207.0	175.6	-16	-	-	-	672	- 883	743	
		C	3	73	162.0	- 201.0	180.9	-5	306	- 379	338	701	- 965	802	
		D	3	4	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	-19	298	- 298	298	648	- 648	648	
					644	118.0	207.0		267	379		301	965		
Grown Steer															
400-500	FD	C	2	15	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	25	-	-	-	893	- 893	893	
	FD	C	3	25	190.0	- 195.0	194.0	N/Q	-	-	-	808	- 956	917	
		C	3	32	199.0	- 199.0	199.0	-3	383	- 383	383	965	- 965	965	
		C	4	1	204.0	- 204.0	204.0	N/Q	378	- 378	378	989	- 989	989	
	FD	D	3	6	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	-	706	- 706	706	
500-600		B	2	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	315	- 315	315	995	- 995	995	

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600-750		C	3	15	188.0	- 198.0	191.0	-8	355	- 374	359	1006	- 1090	1029
		C	4	241	192.0	- 204.0	198.7	4	352	- 385	368	1020	- 1170	1106
		C	4	105	192.0	- 201.0	195.2	N/C	356	- 372	361	1181	- 1478	1252
				441	170.0	210.0		315	385		706	1478		
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	2	14	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	-			656	- 656	656
		C	2	4	155.0	- 170.0	158.8	N/Q	293	- 327	301	674	- 876	725
		C	3	54	162.0	- 178.0	172.5	-4	312	- 336	330	672	- 903	810
		C	4	80	175.0	- 188.0	184.0	N/Q	330	- 354	348	761	- 968	845
	FD	D	3	5	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	N/Q	-			621	- 621	621
		D	3	24	134.0	- 147.0	142.1	-24	263	- 294	274	566	- 570	567
540+		C	3	4	178.0	- 180.0	178.5	7	336	- 346	338	1006	- 1053	1018
		C	4	50	172.0	- 195.0	185.3	-2	325	- 352	340	937	- 1232	1043
				235	134.0	195.0		263	354		566	1232		
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540		D	2	4	127.0	- 127.0	127.0	-31	254	- 254	254	521	- 521	521
	RS	D	2	7	138.0	- 138.0	138.0	N/Q	-			380	- 380	380
		D	3	5	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	268	- 268	268	646	- 646	646
540+		D	3	14	152.0	- 170.0	161.0	N/Q	287	- 327	307	828	- 1267	1047
				30	127.0	170.0		254	327		380	1267		
Cows														
0-400		D	1	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	227	- 227	227	385	- 385	385
		D	2	8	147.0	- 147.0	147.0	7	334	- 334	334	566	- 566	566
		D	3	3	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	337	- 337	337	597	- 597	597
400-520		D	2	49	110.0	- 148.0	135.6	-7	250	- 329	305	451	- 689	605
		D	3	115	145.0	- 170.0	160.1	-1	309	- 375	344	638	- 850	765
520+		C	4	18	178.0	- 180.0	178.7	14	342	- 346	344	1125	- 1166	1152
		D	3	28	157.0	- 174.0	161.6	-6	334	- 370	343	824	- 914	850
		D	4	376	165.0	- 188.0	174.7	7	325	- 363	342	893	- 1267	997
		D	5	14	130.0	- 172.0	154.6	4	260	- 344	304	813	- 1114	953
				612	100.0	188.0		227	375		385	1267		
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	8	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	-			421	- 421	421
450-600		B	2	6	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	364	- 377	368	1050	- 1170	1130
		C	2	11	155.0	- 190.0	172.4	-12	293	- 352	329	752	- 1112	851
600+		B	2	39	177.0	- 222.0	203.2	-2	322	- 404	373	1156	- 2354	1815
		C	2	8	160.0	- 188.0	180.5	-5	302	- 362	342	1212	- 2068	1452
		D	3	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	346	- 346	346	1305	- 1305	1305
				73	155.0	222.0		293	404		421	2354		

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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