

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Pakenham

report date 03 Nov 2014

Yarding Change  $\frac{417}{-1115}$

comparison date 27/10/2014

There were approximately 200 export and 200 young cattle penned, representing a decrease of 1,100 head week-on-week due to the upcoming public holiday on Tuesday. The usual buying group was present and operating in a mostly dearer market. Most categories were in short supply and demand was stronger for the limited offering, with one large processor returning to the gallery after a short absence. Vealers sold to firm demand and quality was very good. Yearling trade steers lifted 6c, while the heifers to the trade gained 8c/kg. Grown steers and bullocks sold 6c to 10c/kg dearer. A few pens of cows were yarded and they sold around 10c/kg dearer than last Tuesday's sale.

Vealers sold from 175c to 229c/kg. Yearling trade steers made between 190c and 200c/kg. Yearling heifers suited to the trade sold between 166c and 195c/kg.

Grown steers and bullocks made from 174c to 192c/kg. Heavy weight cows sold from 130c to 164c/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
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
200-280		C	2	2	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/C	333	- 333	333	504	- 504	504
280-330		C	2	1	188.6	- 188.6	188.6	N/Q	349	- 349	349	622	- 622	622
	FD	C	2	4	178.2	- 184.6	181.9	4	-	-	-	541	- 570	555
330+		B	2	2	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	N/Q	373	- 373	373	779	- 779	779
		B	3	19	210.0	- 228.6	216.3	-2	370	- 401	381	746	- 914	848
		C	2	1	194.6	- 194.6	194.6	N/Q	360	- 360	360	662	- 662	662
		C	3	10	204.0	- 218.6	213.4	1	371	- 392	385	714	- 916	835
				<b>39</b>	<b>178.2</b>	<b>228.6</b>			<b>333</b>	<b>401</b>		<b>504</b>	<b>916</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
280-330		C	2	4	175.0	- 188.0	182.8	-10	324	- 348	338	560	- 602	585
330+		C	2	2	191.2	- 200.0	195.6	N/Q	348	- 364	356	720	- 727	723
		C	3	16	196.0	- 206.6	204.0	-1	356	- 376	371	697	- 775	726
		D	3	2	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	N/Q	361	- 361	361	780	- 780	780
				<b>24</b>	<b>175.0</b>	<b>206.6</b>			<b>324</b>	<b>376</b>		<b>560</b>	<b>780</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330		C	2	2	190.6	- 190.6	190.6	N/Q	353	- 353	353	610	- 610	610
	FD	C	2	2	178.6	- 178.6	178.6	N/Q	-	-	-	482	- 482	482
330-400	FD	C	2	18	180.0	- 182.6	181.5	11	-	-	-	621	- 728	668
		C	2	6	178.6	- 192.6	182.7	9	331	- 357	338	625	- 746	671
		C	3	2	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	346	- 346	346	684	- 760	722
		D	2	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	289	- 289	289	525	- 525	525
400+		C	2	13	184.0	- 194.6	189.9	20	341	- 359	351	846	- 905	866
	FD	C	2	2	176.0	- 176.0	176.0	N/Q	-	-	-	748	- 748	748
		C	3	9	194.0	- 200.0	195.5	6	353	- 364	356	825	- 978	851
	FD	D	2	1	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	-	-	-	731	- 731	731
				<b>56</b>	<b>150.0</b>	<b>200.0</b>			<b>289</b>	<b>364</b>		<b>482</b>	<b>978</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-330	FD	C	2	4	181.2	- 181.2	181.2	20	-	-	-	544	- 544	544

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
330-400	FD	D	1	5	142.6	- 142.6	142.6	18	285	- 285	285	357	- 357	357	
		D	2	4	130.0	- 156.0	149.4	12	250	- 300	287	390	- 499	472	
		D	3	2	172.6	- 180.0	176.3	N/Q	320	- 333	327	570	- 594	582	
		C	1	2	158.6	- 158.6	158.6	N/Q	-	-	-	555	- 555	555	
		C	2	3	176.0	- 176.0	176.0	-9	326	- 326	326	704	- 704	704	
		C	3	3	186.0	- 194.0	188.9	-3	338	- 353	343	707	- 746	724	
		D	1	1	139.6	- 139.6	139.6	N/Q	279	- 279	279	489	- 489	489	
400+	FD	D	2	15	156.2	- 165.0	159.1	17	300	- 317	306	547	- 627	569	
		D	2	4	155.0	- 158.2	155.8	-2	-	-	-	554	- 620	603	
		D	3	24	166.0	- 185.6	175.3	8	313	- 344	327	564	- 742	656	
		C	3	10	187.2	- 195.0	188.5	N/Q	340	- 355	343	824	- 855	830	
		D	3	46	166.0	- 186.6	180.6	8	313	- 346	335	697	- 957	841	
		D	4	2	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	315	- 315	315	782	- 782	782	
						<b>125</b>	<b>130.0</b>	<b>195.0</b>		<b>250</b>	<b>355</b>		<b>357</b>	<b>957</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>															
400-500		C	2	9	174.0	- 174.6	174.5	19	322	- 323	323	827	- 873	868	
500-600		C	2	7	174.0	- 184.0	178.9	7	322	- 341	331	1044	- 1056	1050	
600-750		C	3	1	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	342	- 342	342	1053	- 1053	1053	
		D	3	22	186.0	- 192.0	190.6	10	344	- 349	347	1004	- 1140	1092	
		C	3	1	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	342	- 342	342	1222	- 1222	1222	
		C	4	8	190.6	- 190.6	190.6	6	340	- 340	340	1239	- 1239	1239	
		D	3	4	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	6	336	- 336	336	1203	- 1203	1203	
				<b>52</b>	<b>174.0</b>	<b>192.0</b>		<b>322</b>	<b>349</b>		<b>827</b>	<b>1239</b>			
<b>Grown Heifer</b>															
0-540		D	2	1	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/C	316	- 316	316	600	- 600	600	
540+	DA	D	2	3	147.6	- 147.6	147.6	N/Q	308	- 308	308	664	- 664	664	
		D	3	10	165.0	- 182.0	173.5	15	311	- 343	329	784	- 946	887	
		C	3	5	180.0	- 185.6	184.5	8	333	- 338	337	1044	- 1058	1055	
		D	3	1	176.6	- 176.6	176.6	N/Q	327	- 327	327	989	- 989	989	
				<b>20</b>	<b>147.6</b>	<b>185.6</b>		<b>308</b>	<b>343</b>		<b>600</b>	<b>1058</b>			
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>															
540+		D	2	1	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	N/Q	323	- 323	323	924	- 924	924	
				<b>1</b>	<b>168.0</b>	<b>168.0</b>		<b>323</b>	<b>323</b>		<b>924</b>	<b>924</b>			
<b>Cows</b>															
0-400		E	1	1	113.6	- 113.6	113.6	N/Q	271	- 271	271	432	- 432	432	
400-520	DA	E	1	4	118.0	- 118.0	118.0	N/Q	281	- 281	281	472	- 472	472	
	RS	D	1	6	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	22	-	-	-	630	- 630	630	
		D	1	3	144.2	- 144.2	144.2	N/Q	314	- 314	314	721	- 721	721	
520+		D	2	4	140.0	- 145.0	143.8	N/Q	298	- 309	306	665	- 725	697	
		D	2	4	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	5	304	- 304	304	832	- 832	832	
		D	3	11	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	13	308	- 308	308	960	- 1080	971	
		DA	D	3	1	148.0	- 148.0	148.0	N/Q	296	- 296	296	947	- 947	947
		D	4	6	156.6	- 164.0	161.5	24	313	- 315	315	971	- 1066	1034	
		D	5	3	130.0	- 154.0	146.0	N/Q	260	- 308	292	702	- 963	876	
		E	1	5	138.0	- 138.0	138.0	N/Q	307	- 307	307	745	- 745	745	

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	DA	E	1	7	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	323	- 323	323	767	- 767	767
				<b>55</b>	<b>113.6</b>	<b>164.0</b>			<b>260</b>	<b>323</b>		<b>432</b>	<b>1080</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450		C	2	4	151.6	- 166.0	158.9	22	281	- 302	293	561	- 706	645
		C	3	1	163.6	- 163.6	163.6	N/Q	303	- 303	303	622	- 622	622
450-600		C	1	3	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	298	- 298	298	916	- 916	916
		C	2	2	172.6	- 174.6	173.6	N/Q	314	- 318	316	932	- 1048	990
		C	3	1	163.6	- 163.6	163.6	N/Q	298	- 298	298	769	- 769	769
600+		C	3	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	304	- 304	304	1139	- 1139	1139
				<b>12</b>	<b>151.6</b>	<b>174.6</b>			<b>281</b>	<b>318</b>		<b>561</b>	<b>1139</b>	

#### 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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