

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Naracoorte

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Agents yarded slightly more cattle, with 1,131 head sold to the usual range of trade and processor buyers and feeders and restockers were active throughout the market. Quality and condition were lacking and this led to a softening in price, with rates easier across most types.

Vealer steers fell by up to 5c and ranged from 180c to 205c, with restockers and feeders giving support from 167c to 185c/kg. Vealer heifers also fell by 5c and returned vendors from 164c to 190c, with restockers paying for up to 195c/kg.

Yearling steers with better quality than last week, however, improved by 8c to 10c to range from 152c to 185c, with restockers and feeders active from 146c to 190c/kg. Yearling heifers were easier by 5c to 8c to sell from 134c to 185c/kg.

Some good quality grown steers came forward and were firm to 2c dearer and ranged from 130c to a high of 198c/kg. Restocker and feeder support was present between 146c and 196c, while the grown heifers fell 5c to range from 137c to 183c/kg and the few manufacturing steers sold from 134c to 160c/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	3	2	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	342	- 342	342	470	- 470	470
280-330	RS	C	3	10	173.0	- 178.0	175.0	3	-	-	-	519	- 570	539
330+		B	3	17	180.0	- 197.0	190.2	N/Q	316	- 346	334	648	- 749	712
	RS	B	3	10	180.0	- 185.0	183.0	N/Q	-	-	-	648	- 666	655
	RS	C	3	16	167.0	- 185.0	180.1	9	-	-	-	610	- 648	637
		C	3	65	180.0	- 205.0	189.7	-1	321	- 366	339	629	- 855	722
	FD	C	3	8	184.0	- 184.0	184.0	N/Q	-	-	-	672	- 672	672
				<b>128</b>	<b>167.0</b>	<b>205.0</b>			<b>316</b>	<b>366</b>		<b>470</b>	<b>855</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280		B	3	7	170.0	- 185.0	182.9	N/Q	304	- 330	327	442	- 481	475
		C	3	2	166.0	- 166.0	166.0	N/Q	302	- 302	302	398	- 398	398
	RS	C	3	2	132.0	- 132.0	132.0	N/Q	-	-	-	370	- 370	370
280-330		B	3	5	180.0	- 184.0	183.2	N/Q	321	- 335	332	552	- 576	557
		C	3	4	174.0	- 185.0	179.5	-1	311	- 336	324	574	- 611	592
330+		B	3	36	175.0	- 190.0	182.1	-5	313	- 339	325	614	- 722	658
		B	4	6	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	313	- 313	313	613	- 613	613
		C	3	28	164.0	- 188.0	179.1	-11	293	- 336	320	590	- 705	641
	RS	C	3	17	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	41	-	-	-	780	- 780	780
				<b>107</b>	<b>132.0</b>	<b>195.0</b>			<b>293</b>	<b>339</b>		<b>370</b>	<b>780</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330	RS	C	3	6	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	N/Q	-	-	-	438	- 438	438
		C	3	18	152.0	- 185.0	159.3	N/Q	276	- 336	290	426	- 611	467
330-400		C	3	3	182.0	- 182.0	182.0	11	331	- 331	331	710	- 710	710
	FD	C	3	4	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	-	-	-	760	- 760	760
	RS	C	3	34	170.0	- 182.0	179.3	11	-	-	-	609	- 716	667
400+	RS	C	3	4	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	24	-	-	-	777	- 777	777

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
				<b>69</b>	<b>146.0</b>	<b>190.0</b>			<b>276</b>	<b>336</b>		<b>426</b>	<b>777</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-330		C	3	11	140.0	- 156.0	151.6	-10	259	- 289	281	364	- 468	440
330-400		C	3	46	134.0	- 185.0	163.8	-4	248	- 343	303	469	- 740	613
	FD	C	3	7	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	N/Q	-			496	- 526	513
	RS	C	3	5	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	-10	-			554	- 554	554
		C	4	6	174.0	- 174.0	174.0	2	322	- 322	322	679	- 679	679
400+		C	3	14	152.0	- 172.0	168.9	-4	282	- 319	313	638	- 791	754
		C	4	11	170.0	- 174.0	172.2	N/Q	315	- 322	319	697	- 731	715
				<b>100</b>	<b>134.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>			<b>248</b>	<b>343</b>		<b>364</b>	<b>791</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
0-400		C	3	2	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	N/Q	306	- 306	306	672	- 672	672
400-500		C	3	29	155.0	- 198.0	177.9	N/C	282	- 360	323	713	- 903	817
	FD	C	3	14	196.0	- 196.0	196.0	N/Q	-			882	- 882	882
	RS	C	3	30	146.0	- 183.0	167.5	N/Q	-			613	- 915	786
500-600	RS	C	3	2	166.0	- 172.0	169.0	N/Q	-			880	- 894	887
	FD	C	3	7	184.0	- 184.0	184.0	N/Q	-			966	- 966	966
		C	3	265	130.0	- 198.0	184.7	2	236	- 360	336	767	- 1129	1035
600-750		C	3	3	155.0	- 175.0	168.3	-17	282	- 318	306	992	- 1085	1054
				<b>352</b>	<b>130.0</b>	<b>198.0</b>			<b>236</b>	<b>360</b>		<b>613</b>	<b>1129</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540		C	3	139	137.0	- 183.0	170.6	2	254	- 339	316	548	- 907	763
		C	4	29	160.0	- 176.0	166.3	-5	296	- 326	308	756	- 836	763
540+		C	3	60	154.0	- 182.0	173.9	-7	285	- 337	322	893	- 1037	986
				<b>228</b>	<b>137.0</b>	<b>183.0</b>			<b>254</b>	<b>339</b>		<b>548</b>	<b>1037</b>	
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
0-540		C	2	11	134.0	- 142.0	140.5	N/Q	258	- 273	270	536	- 639	620
		C	3	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	289	- 289	289	720	- 720	720
540+		C	3	6	146.0	- 160.0	154.3	N/Q	281	- 308	297	876	- 884	882
				<b>18</b>	<b>134.0</b>	<b>160.0</b>			<b>258</b>	<b>308</b>		<b>536</b>	<b>884</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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