

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Yarding Change ³⁸²⁰
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It was a good quality yarding with a good mix of prime conditioned cattle in all sections.

Vealers to the processors were 3c dearer, while the steer yearlings to slaughter were 8c to 10c/kg dearer. Heifer yearlings were 2c/kg dearer. Vealers sold to 251c for the steers and 246c/kg for the heifers. Prime steer yearlings sold from 230c to 270c while the prime heifer yearlings sold from 210c to 260c/kg. Young feeder cattle were 2c to 4c dearer with the feeder steers selling from 220c to 265c while the feeder heifers sold from 204c to 235c/kg.

Grown steers were 14c dearer with the prime medium and heavy weights selling from 224c to 272c/kg. Grown heifers sold to 242c/kg. The properly finished cows were 6c dearer while the plainer conditioned cows struggled to be firm. 1 and 2 score cows sold from 120c to 165c while the better 3 and 4 scores sold from 162c to 198c with the 4 score heavy weights averaging 193c/kg. Bulls sold to 237c/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														
0-200	RS	C	2	1	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	-	-	-	305	- 305	305
200-280	RS	C	2	29	237.0	- 249.0	244.9	6	-	-	-	521	- 685	604
	FD	C	2	13	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	N/Q	-	-	-	600	- 600	600
280-330	FD	C	2	25	231.0	- 250.0	238.6	7	-	-	-	705	- 813	748
	RS	C	3	6	228.0	- 228.0	228.0	N/Q	-	-	-	741	- 741	741
	FD	C	3	24	251.0	- 254.0	252.9	18	-	-	-	724	- 816	758
330+	FD	B	3	2	248.0	- 248.0	248.0	N/Q	-	-	-	955	- 955	955
		B	3	3	248.0	- 248.0	248.0	N/Q	443	- 443	443	955	- 955	955
		C	2	2	235.0	- 235.0	235.0	N/Q	443	- 443	443	811	- 811	811
	FD	C	3	69	235.0	- 252.0	245.9	-2	-	-	-	858	- 1208	883
	C	3	11	246.0	- 251.0	247.6	3	448	- 464	460	898	- 916	904	
				185	210.0	254.0			443	464		305	1208	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	FD	C	2	5	216.0	- 216.0	216.0	N/Q	-	-	-	432	- 432	432
	RS	C	2	18	205.0	- 210.0	205.6	N/Q	-	-	-	359	- 389	362
200-280	RS	C	2	16	216.0	- 216.0	216.0	12	-	-	-	529	- 529	529
	FD	C	2	20	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	4	-	-	-	539	- 539	539
		C	2	4	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	-5	396	- 396	396	494	- 494	494
	C	3	3	223.0	- 246.0	230.7	4	421	- 456	432	613	- 677	634	
280-330		C	2	6	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	-10	396	- 396	396	599	- 599	599
	FD	C	2	61	210.0	- 221.0	213.8	9	-	-	-	604	- 689	649
	C	3	25	226.0	- 240.0	229.5	1	426	- 444	431	656	- 780	691	
330+		C	2	7	213.0	- 213.0	213.0	N/Q	402	- 402	402	735	- 735	735
	FD	C	2	3	215.0	- 215.0	215.0	N/Q	-	-	-	849	- 849	849
	FD	C	3	21	218.0	- 230.0	223.1	N/Q	-	-	-	794	- 927	870
	C	3	51	220.0	- 245.0	228.7	-7	407	- 460	426	759	- 1037	824	
				240	205.0	246.0			396	460		359	1037	

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Yearling Steer														
330-400	FD	C	2	91	221.0	- 250.0	236.4	1	-			762	- 938	858
		C	3	24	237.0	- 261.0	251.3	8	443	- 483	456	912	- 1031	974
	FD	C	3	34	220.0	- 246.0	243.6	-3	-			869	- 947	939
400+	FD	C	2	63	225.0	- 236.0	232.1	-8	-			943	- 1168	1057
	FD	C	3	383	220.0	- 265.0	252.8	4	-			1012	- 1365	1168
		C	3	47	230.0	- 270.0	251.5	12	434	- 500	471	1042	- 1439	1282
				642	220.0	270.0			434	500		762	1439	
Yearling Heifer														
280-330	FD	D	3	8	178.0	- 178.0	178.0	N/Q	-			579	- 579	579
330-400		B	3	22	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	491	- 491	491	1027	- 1027	1027
		C	2	3	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	396	- 396	396	767	- 767	767
	FD	C	2	70	204.0	- 235.0	221.3	2	-			730	- 866	813
		C	3	88	220.0	- 243.0	233.2	2	407	- 459	441	803	- 916	892
	FD	C	3	95	220.0	- 230.0	225.2	3	-			769	- 874	845
400+	FD	C	2	14	216.0	- 216.0	216.0	-5	-			961	- 961	961
		C	3	165	220.0	- 260.0	231.6	3	407	- 482	431	951	- 1208	1023
	FD	C	3	78	220.0	- 229.0	225.7	2	-			927	- 1023	949
				543	178.0	260.0			396	491		579	1208	
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	3	4	200.0	- 246.0	234.5	N/Q	377	- 464	443	970	- 1046	1027
		C	4	4	251.0	- 251.0	251.0	N/Q	465	- 465	465	1217	- 1217	1217
	FD	C	4	6	228.0	- 228.0	228.0	N/Q	-			1083	- 1083	1083
500-600	FD	C	3	11	262.0	- 262.0	262.0	12	-			1376	- 1376	1376
		C	3	4	210.0	- 250.0	240.0	28	389	- 472	451	1145	- 1313	1271
	FD	C	4	39	235.0	- 260.0	255.1	N/Q	-			1234	- 1417	1379
		C	4	264	224.0	- 272.0	255.2	17	415	- 504	472	1198	- 1562	1392
600-750		C	4	16	259.0	- 259.0	259.0	17	471	- 471	471	1619	- 1619	1619
				348	200.0	272.0			377	504		970	1619	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	2	2	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	365	- 365	365	779	- 779	779
		C	3	58	178.0	- 232.0	211.8	13	342	- 438	403	888	- 1129	1035
		C	4	68	213.0	- 242.0	227.3	6	404	- 457	430	1014	- 1181	1135
	FD	C	4	12	218.0	- 218.0	218.0	3	-			1145	- 1145	1145
540+		C	4	46	209.0	- 225.0	221.4	16	387	- 425	412	1139	- 1287	1239
				186	178.0	242.0			342	457		779	1287	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		D	3	11	170.0	- 200.0	188.2	N/Q	327	- 377	356	1053	- 1822	1370
		D	4	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	333	- 333	333	1575	- 1575	1575
				12	170.0	200.0			327	377		1053	1822	
Cows														
0-400		D	2	2	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	284	- 284	284	481	- 481	481
	RS	D	2	8	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	-			608	- 608	608
400-520		D	1	1	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	286	- 286	286	582	- 582	582
		D	2	18	136.0	- 165.0	154.7	-2	309	- 375	352	578	- 800	729

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520+	LE	D	2	12	152.0	- 152.0	152.0	N/Q	346	- 346	346	722	- 722	722
		D	3	131	166.0	- 188.0	177.6	9	361	- 400	382	727	- 912	847
	RS	D	3	3	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-			825	- 825	825
		D	2	7	145.0	- 146.0	145.3	-15	330	- 332	330	767	- 790	783
		D	3	132	162.0	- 185.0	177.8	-4	345	- 389	378	851	- 1053	980
		D	4	408	178.0	- 198.0	192.5	7	342	- 392	375	981	- 1378	1152
		D	5	66	175.0	- 186.0	184.0	29	350	- 372	361	954	- 1237	1208
				788	120.0	198.0		284	400		481	1378		
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	16	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	-29	298	- 298	298	566	- 566	566
450-600		B	2	9	210.0	- 214.0	211.8	2	389	- 396	392	1229	- 1252	1239
		C	2	27	176.0	- 190.0	186.9	19	326	- 359	351	801	- 1082	861
600+		B	2	33	200.0	- 237.0	221.4	N/C	366	- 437	404	1334	- 3119	1883
		C	2	3	190.0	- 229.0	213.0	23	359	- 432	402	1454	- 1569	1510
		C	3	1	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	336	- 336	336	2726	- 2726	2726
				89	155.0	237.0		298	437		566	3119		

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 DP: Dorper

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