

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Forbes

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Numbers were back this sale and quality was also slightly reduced. There were a larger percentage of plainer cattle yarded and the better finished lines attracted strong competition. The usual buyers were present and competing in a fairly steady market.

Yearling steers to feed were firm to 3c/kg easier. Medium weights sold from 240c to 313c and heavyweights received from 287c to 314c/kg. Those to processors also held firm and ranged in price from 285c to 310c/kg. There was a better offering of yearling heifers yarded compared to the previous sale and prices were firm to 3c/kg dearer. Processors paid from 250c to 301c/kg for medium and heavy weights. Those to feed received from 220c to 276c/kg.

Heavy steers and bullocks eased slightly selling from 255c to 310c/kg. Grown heifers sold from 220c to 270c/kg. Cows were 6c to 8c/kg cheaper. Heavy 2 score sold from 178c to 199c, while the 3 and 4 scores received from 192c to 210c/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>														
0-200	RS	C	2	29	225.0	- 275.0	252.4	N/Q	-	-	-	315	- 530	380
				<b>29</b>	<b>225.0</b>	<b>275.0</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>315</b>	<b>530</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
0-200	RS	C	2	3	166.7	- 166.7	166.7	-60	-	-	-	250	- 250	250
	RS	D	2	12	190.0	- 199.0	196.8	N/Q	-	-	-	259	- 323	275
200-280		C	3	3	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	-6	407	- 407	407	484	- 484	484
				<b>18</b>	<b>166.7</b>	<b>220.0</b>			<b>407</b>	<b>407</b>		<b>250</b>	<b>484</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	13	258.0	- 278.0	273.4	9	-	-	-	568	- 639	623
	FD	C	3	9	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q	-	-	-	700	- 700	700
280-330	FD	C	2	25	275.0	- 286.0	281.0	7	-	-	-	812	- 858	845
330-400	FD	C	2	132	240.0	- 313.0	287.4	-2	-	-	-	864	- 1252	1080
	FD	C	3	22	290.0	- 303.0	292.8	-3	-	-	-	1044	- 1212	1134
		C	3	11	288.0	- 298.0	291.6	12	533	- 552	540	1073	- 1176	1106
400+	FD	C	2	44	287.0	- 314.0	300.1	4	-	-	-	1205	- 1319	1277
		C	3	67	285.0	- 310.0	299.5	-2	528	- 572	553	1305	- 1700	1508
	FD	C	3	43	288.0	- 312.0	299.3	5	-	-	-	1210	- 1404	1272
				<b>366</b>	<b>240.0</b>	<b>314.0</b>			<b>528</b>	<b>572</b>		<b>568</b>	<b>1700</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-200	FD	C	2	1	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	-	-	-	520	- 520	520
	RS	D	2	9	194.0	- 194.0	194.0	N/Q	-	-	-	330	- 330	330
200-280	FD	C	2	17	210.0	- 250.0	231.2	-12	-	-	-	588	- 700	647
	RS	D	2	4	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-	-	-	432	- 432	432
		D	2	2	187.0	- 187.0	187.0	N/Q	360	- 360	360	505	- 505	505
280-330		C	2	1	268.0	- 268.0	268.0	N/Q	496	- 496	496	804	- 804	804
		C	3	3	220.0	- 255.0	231.7	-39	407	- 472	429	660	- 765	695
	FD	C	3	3	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	-	-	-	744	- 744	744
	FD	D	2	3	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	-	-	-	672	- 672	672

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330-400		C	2	1	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	500	- 500	500	945	- 945	945	
		RS	C	2	4	261.0	- 261.0	261.0	N/Q	-	-	887	- 887	887	
		FD	C	2	135	220.0	- 276.0	261.7	5	-	-	748	- 1084	980	
			C	3	83	250.0	- 301.0	275.5	2	472	- 547	507	900	- 1174	1043
		FD	C	3	47	250.0	- 269.0	255.6	-6	-	-	950	- 1076	988	
			D	2	15	192.0	- 192.0	192.0	N/Q	369	- 369	369	653	- 653	653
		FD	D	3	5	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	-	-	874	- 874	874	
400+	FD	C	2	7	261.0	- 261.0	261.0	4	-	-	1096	- 1096	1096		
		C	3	54	250.0	- 290.0	281.0	9	463	- 537	520	1204	- 1702	1393	
	FD	C	3	14	266.0	- 276.0	267.4	N/Q	-	-	1117	- 1187	1127		
				<b>408</b>	<b>160.0</b>	<b>301.0</b>			<b>360</b>	<b>547</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>1702</b>			
<b>Grown Steer</b>															
500-600		C	3	12	255.0	- 290.0	266.7	N/Q	472	- 537	500	1403	- 1613	1479	
				<b>12</b>	<b>255.0</b>	<b>290.0</b>			<b>472</b>	<b>537</b>		<b>1403</b>	<b>1613</b>		
<b>Grown Heifer</b>															
0-540		C	2	1	217.0	- 217.0	217.0	N/Q	402	- 402	402	1172	- 1172	1172	
			C	3	3	248.0	- 270.0	261.7	14	459	- 500	485	1339	- 1458	1413
540+		C	3	15	220.0	- 245.0	236.3	10	407	- 454	438	1368	- 1590	1424	
				<b>19</b>	<b>217.0</b>	<b>270.0</b>			<b>402</b>	<b>500</b>		<b>1172</b>	<b>1590</b>		
<b>Cows</b>															
400-520		D	2	30	150.0	- 180.0	166.7	-8	326	- 391	363	675	- 900	775	
520+		D	2	146	178.0	- 199.0	189.4	-6	387	- 433	412	979	- 1235	1133	
			D	3	281	192.0	- 210.0	201.2	-8	417	- 450	434	1073	- 1515	1340
			D	4	2	194.0	- 194.0	194.0	N/Q	422	- 422	422	1319	- 1319	1319
				<b>459</b>	<b>150.0</b>	<b>210.0</b>			<b>326</b>	<b>450</b>		<b>675</b>	<b>1515</b>		
<b>Bulls</b>															
0-450	RS	C	2	3	160.0	- 181.0	167.0	N/Q	-	-	-	608	- 670	629	
450-600		C	2	1	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	352	- 352	352	988	- 988	988	
600+		C	2	13	200.0	- 246.0	225.2	-15	370	- 456	417	1346	- 2635	1996	
				<b>17</b>	<b>160.0</b>	<b>246.0</b>			<b>352</b>	<b>456</b>		<b>608</b>	<b>2635</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 DP: Dorper

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