

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

Market information provided by MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service

Pakenham

report date 07 Sep 2015

Yarding Change 882
134

comparison date 31/08/2015

There were approximately 430 export and 450 young cattle penned representing an increase of 130 head week-on-week. Most of the usual buying group was present but not all operating fully in an easier export market, while prices were firm for the young cattle. Quality was generally fairly plain although there was a limited selection of grain assisted and crop finished cattle suited to the trade on offer. Vealers and yearling cattle to the trade sold firm to a little dearer for most. The plainer selection of grown steers and bullocks eased 6c to 10c/kg. Heavy weight crossbred manufacturing steers slipped 9c/kg.

The handful of vealers sold mostly from 300c to 340c/kg. Yearling trade steers made between 310c and 346c/kg. Yearling heifers to the trade sold between 283c and 338c/kg.

Grown steers made from 297c to 328c/kg. Bullocks sold from 310c to 325c/kg. Heavy weight crossbred manufacturing steers made between 265c and 315c/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														
280-330		B	2	1	335.0	- 335.0	335.0	N/Q	598	- 598	598	1072	- 1072	1072
		C	2	2	320.0	- 332.0	326.0	N/Q	593	- 615	604	1024	- 1062	1043
330+	FD	C	2	2	295.6	- 295.6	295.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1005	- 1005	1005
		C	3	9	323.6	- 340.0	334.9	3	580	- 612	602	1084	- 1413	1224
				14	295.6	340.0			580	615		1005	1413	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	11	282.0	- 282.0	282.0	-3	-	-	-	747	- 747	747
280-330	FD	C	2	2	313.6	- 313.6	313.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1004	- 1004	1004
		C	3	6	300.0	- 332.0	316.4	-18	546	- 604	575	975	- 1096	1012
330+		C	3	1	328.0	- 328.0	328.0	N/Q	596	- 596	596	1181	- 1181	1181
				20	282.0	332.0			546	604		747	1181	
Yearling Steer														
0-200	RS	C	2	2	283.6	- 283.6	283.6	N/Q	-	-	-	567	- 567	567
200-280	RS	C	2	3	282.6	- 290.0	287.5	N/Q	-	-	-	638	- 791	689
330-400		B	3	5	337.6	- 340.0	338.1	N/Q	582	- 586	583	1350	- 1360	1352
	FD	C	2	15	267.6	- 320.0	304.7	2	-	-	-	977	- 1217	1156
		C	2	3	288.6	- 306.6	300.6	-22	545	- 568	560	1097	- 1211	1173
		C	3	3	310.0	- 326.0	320.7	-6	564	- 593	583	1209	- 1239	1229
400+		B	2	1	326.0	- 326.0	326.0	N/Q	582	- 582	582	1565	- 1565	1565
		B	3	20	330.0	- 346.2	341.0	N/Q	569	- 597	588	1662	- 1873	1773
		C	2	2	298.6	- 313.6	306.1	N/Q	563	- 581	572	1284	- 1333	1308
	FD	C	2	20	283.6	- 293.6	287.7	-18	-	-	-	1191	- 1287	1219
		C	3	21	319.6	- 338.6	326.6	N/C	581	- 616	593	1417	- 1456	1432
		D	3	1	326.6	- 326.6	326.6	N/Q	605	- 605	605	1551	- 1551	1551
				96	267.6	346.2			545	616		567	1873	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	6	304.6	- 304.6	304.6	N/Q	-	-	-	853	- 853	853
	RS	D	1	4	253.6	- 253.6	253.6	N/Q	-	-	-	583	- 583	583

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
280-330	RS	D	2	6	288.0	- 288.0	288.0	38	-			922	- 922	922
	FD	D	2	16	285.0	- 309.6	301.6	16	-			912	- 929	919
	FD	D	3	4	288.6	- 292.0	289.5	-17	-			938	- 964	944
330-400	FD	B	2	7	312.0	- 312.0	312.0	N/Q	-			1123	- 1123	1123
		B	3	6	337.6	- 337.6	337.6	N/Q	592	- 592	592	1350	- 1350	1350
		C	3	7	330.0	- 330.0	330.0	N/C	600	- 600	600	1254	- 1254	1254
		D	2	5	285.0	- 297.6	292.6	18	548	- 572	563	1131	- 1140	1135
	FD	D	2	38	295.6	- 302.6	300.0	13	-			1029	- 1065	1042
400+		D	3	52	286.0	- 326.0	314.5	11	540	- 611	582	1047	- 1260	1216
		B	3	2	335.2	- 335.2	335.2	N/Q	588	- 588	588	1844	- 1844	1844
		C	3	17	321.6	- 326.6	322.8	-10	585	- 594	587	1389	- 1437	1405
	FD	D	2	8	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	-			1298	- 1298	1298
	FD	D	3	10	302.0	- 302.0	302.0	N/Q	-			1329	- 1329	1329
		D	3	85	290.6	- 326.0	314.4	2	547	- 604	583	1313	- 1612	1447
		D	4	1	287.6	- 287.6	287.6	N/Q	533	- 533	533	1222	- 1222	1222
					274	253.6	337.6		533	611		583	1844	
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	2	2	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	546	- 546	546	1431	- 1431	1431
500-600		C	2	7	296.6	- 313.6	302.5	-14	549	- 581	560	1602	- 1803	1667
	FD	C	2	10	323.6	- 323.6	323.6	28	-			1780	- 1780	1780
		D	3	37	308.0	- 327.6	319.1	-10	570	- 607	589	1694	- 1888	1798
600-750		D	3	60	310.0	- 325.0	317.7	-6	574	- 591	584	2016	- 2390	2144
750+		D	3	3	311.2	- 311.2	311.2	N/Q	566	- 566	566	2396	- 2396	2396
				119	295.0	327.6		546	607		1431	2396		
Grown Heifer														
0-540	RS	D	1	50	224.6	- 232.6	228.7	N/Q	-			999	- 1105	1041
	DA	D	1	61	184.6	- 225.0	201.0	N/Q	410	- 500	443	674	- 900	790
	DA	D	2	15	229.6	- 238.0	233.0	N/Q	476	- 478	477	1033	- 1261	1124
		D	2	1	263.6	- 263.6	263.6	N/Q	527	- 527	527	1160	- 1160	1160
		D	3	42	286.0	- 308.6	298.1	-5	547	- 572	560	1276	- 1647	1511
540+		D	3	7	290.0	- 305.0	301.9	45	547	- 565	561	1702	- 2135	1854
		D	4	6	292.6	- 296.6	293.3	8	549	- 552	552	1639	- 1928	1687
				182	184.6	308.6		410	572		674	2135		
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540		D	2	9	245.6	- 301.6	295.4	14	472	- 569	558	1142	- 1568	1521
	DA	D	2	5	235.0	- 235.0	235.0	-22	452	- 452	452	846	- 846	846
540+		D	2	2	265.0	- 265.6	265.3	N/Q	501	- 510	505	1461	- 1590	1525
		D	3	26	290.0	- 314.6	303.3	-9	537	- 583	562	1700	- 2442	2020
				42	235.0	314.6		452	583		846	2442		
Cows														
400-520		D	2	8	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	N/Q	510	- 510	510	1274	- 1274	1274
520+		D	2	7	220.0	- 248.6	241.7	-8	468	- 518	505	1232	- 1591	1418
	DA	D	2	2	247.6	- 247.6	247.6	N/Q	516	- 516	516	1362	- 1362	1362
		D	3	4	258.6	- 261.2	259.3	4	522	- 539	535	1396	- 1437	1406
		D	4	7	255.0	- 285.2	265.8	N/Q	490	- 549	515	1664	- 1785	1712

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
		D	5	6	244.0	- 245.0	244.2	N/Q	469	- 490	473	1654	- 1769	1750
				34	220.0	285.2			468	549		1232	1785	
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	2	255.0	- 275.0	265.0	N/Q	472	- 509	491	944	- 1210	1077
	RS	C	2	2	245.0	- 271.6	258.3	N/Q		-		564	- 652	608
		C	3	1	275.0	- 275.0	275.0	N/Q	491	- 491	491	1238	- 1238	1238
				5	245.0	275.0			472	509		564	1238	

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

Disclaimer:

© MLA 2015. No part of this publication may be reproduced in any form or by any means without prior written permission of MLA. MLA makes no representations and to the extent permitted by law excludes all warranties in relation to the information contained in this publication. MLA is not liable to you or to any third party for any losses, costs or expenses, including any direct, indirect, incidental, consequential, special or exemplary damages or lost profit, resulting from any use or misuse of the information contained in this publication. Information contained in this publication has been obtained from a variety of third party sources which have not been verified by MLA.