

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Yarding Change ¹⁶³⁵
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It was a mixed yarding, with some good lines of well finished cattle in all sections along with a large percentage of young cattle lacking finish.

Young cattle to the trade were firm, with vealers selling to 340c/kg. Prime yearling steers sold from 315c to 349c, while the heifer yearlings sold from 280c to 344c/kg. Young feeder cattle were 5c dearer, with the feeder steers selling from 310c to 347c, while the feeder heifers sold from 295c to 324c/kg. Young steers to the restockers were 15c dearer, selling to 373c/kg.

Grown steers were 5c dearer, with the prime medium and heavy weights selling from 308c to 329c to slaughter and 345c/kg to feed. Grown heifers were 7c dearer, selling to 320c/kg. Cows were 6c to 12c dearer, with the 2 scores selling from 160c to 220c/kg. The better 3 and 4 scores sold from 220c to 278c, with the 4 score heavy weights averaging 270c/kg. C muscle cows sold to 282c and bulls topped at 322c/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
Calves														
80+		C	2	2	310.0	- 310.0	310.0	N/Q	596	- 596	596	295	- 295	295
	RS	C	2	8	300.0	- 350.0	318.8	N/Q		-		298	- 330	318
				10	300.0	350.0			596	596		295	330	
Vealer Steer														
200-280	RS	C	2	56	338.0	- 373.0	360.2	26		-		796	- 914	863
	RS	D	3	6	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	N/Q		-		641	- 641	641
280-330	RS	C	2	24	354.0	- 365.0	357.2	N/Q		-		1040	- 1044	1043
		C	3	8	322.0	- 340.0	324.3	N/Q	619	- 642	622	918	- 1105	941
				94	285.0	373.0			619	642		641	1105	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	C	2	11	240.0	- 285.0	256.4	N/Q		-		468	- 527	490
200-280	RS	C	2	96	270.0	- 319.0	295.9	-17		-		644	- 845	721
		C	3	1	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	N/Q	593	- 593	593	880	- 880	880
280-330		C	3	6	320.0	- 335.0	327.5	4	604	- 632	618	1039	- 1040	1039
330+		C	3	3	338.0	- 340.0	339.3	N/Q	630	- 638	632	1234	- 1309	1284
				117	240.0	340.0			593	638		468	1309	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	5	336.0	- 336.0	336.0	N/Q		-		924	- 924	924
	RS	C	2	35	300.0	- 337.0	324.5	N/Q		-		776	- 927	818
280-330	FD	C	2	55	310.0	- 347.0	338.8	10		-		972	- 1128	1048
	RS	C	3	19	344.0	- 344.0	344.0	N/Q		-		1084	- 1084	1084
330-400	FD	C	2	69	320.0	- 346.0	341.5	9		-		1168	- 1298	1245
	FD	C	3	13	345.0	- 345.0	345.0	5		-		1259	- 1259	1259
400+	FD	C	2	46	340.0	- 345.0	342.9	7		-		1394	- 1535	1441
	FD	C	3	126	311.0	- 346.0	337.7	-3		-		1312	- 1717	1596
		C	3	18	315.0	- 349.0	336.8	-4	583	- 642	628	1432	- 1622	1473
				386	300.0	349.0			583	642		776	1717	

Yearling Heifer

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280-330	FD	C	2	18	295.0	- 306.0	303.6	-2	-			929	- 995	980
	FD	C	3	19	306.0	- 306.0	306.0	N/Q	-			1010	- 1010	1010
330-400	FD	C	3	51	310.0	- 322.0	315.1	N/Q	-			1039	- 1248	1137
		C	3	28	315.0	- 322.0	318.8	-2	594	- 608	601	1071	- 1213	1167
400+	FD	C	2	17	315.0	- 315.0	315.0	37	-			1339	- 1496	1404
	RS	C	3	2	263.0	- 263.0	263.0	N/Q	-			1078	- 1078	1078
		C	3	83	280.0	- 344.0	320.4	N/C	519	- 649	596	1246	- 1680	1408
	FD	C	3	34	300.0	- 324.0	318.5	N/Q	-			1335	- 1424	1396
		C	4	3	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	20	593	- 593	593	1456	- 1456	1456
				255	263.0	344.0			519	649		929	1680	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	C	2	35	344.0	- 350.0	347.8	45	-			1118	- 1348	1262
	RS	C	2	3	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	-			1078	- 1078	1078
400-500	FD	C	2	17	344.0	- 344.0	344.0	29	-			1410	- 1410	1410
	FD	C	3	13	262.0	- 342.0	300.3	N/Q	-			1245	- 1488	1353
	FD	C	4	1	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	N/Q	-			1584	- 1584	1584
500-600		C	2	1	293.0	- 293.0	293.0	N/Q	553	- 553	553	1538	- 1538	1538
	FD	C	4	33	329.0	- 345.0	337.7	N/Q	-			1727	- 1880	1811
		C	4	6	308.0	- 325.0	318.0	N/Q	570	- 591	582	1628	- 1901	1787
600-750		C	4	15	329.0	- 329.0	329.0	17	598	- 598	598	2089	- 2089	2089
				124	262.0	350.0			553	598		1078	2089	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	22	263.0	- 300.0	295.0	N/C	496	- 566	557	1335	- 1559	1449
	RS	C	3	4	306.0	- 306.0	306.0	N/Q	-			1454	- 1454	1454
	FD	C	3	34	288.0	- 307.0	295.4	N/Q	-			1207	- 1397	1317
	FD	C	4	9	295.0	- 313.0	305.0	N/Q	-			1460	- 1518	1492
		C	4	45	300.0	- 320.0	310.5	N/Q	556	- 593	575	1496	- 1680	1594
540+		C	3	19	285.0	- 301.0	291.5	7	538	- 568	550	1553	- 1734	1618
		C	4	34	280.0	- 308.0	301.5	N/Q	519	- 570	559	1591	- 2055	1730
				167	263.0	320.0			496	593		1207	2055	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		D	3	1	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	509	- 509	509	1958	- 1958	1958
		D	4	6	268.0	- 268.0	268.0	N/Q	487	- 487	487	2211	- 2211	2211
				7	268.0	270.0			487	509		1958	2211	
Cows														
400-520		D	2	21	160.0	- 220.0	199.8	-32	364	- 500	454	760	- 1045	930
		D	3	4	238.0	- 252.0	245.0	-3	506	- 536	521	1154	- 1222	1188
		D	4	1	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	N/Q	490	- 490	490	1211	- 1211	1211
520+		C	3	25	278.0	- 282.0	280.9	19	535	- 542	540	1481	- 1487	1482
		D	3	21	220.0	- 260.0	252.6	-7	468	- 553	537	1155	- 1469	1336
		D	4	177	250.0	- 278.0	269.8	6	481	- 547	520	1313	- 1994	1643
		D	5	2	220.0	- 248.0	234.0	N/Q	423	- 506	465	1287	- 1302	1295
				251	160.0	282.0			364	553		760	1994	
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	1	232.0	- 232.0	232.0	N/Q	430	- 430	430	1032	- 1032	1032

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450-600	RS	B	2	1	315.0	- 315.0	315.0	N/Q	-			1528	- 1528	1528
		B	2	1	291.0	- 291.0	291.0	N/Q	520	- 520	520	1644	- 1644	1644
		C	2	16	240.0	- 294.0	270.1	-3	444	- 544	500	1284	- 1685	1507
600+		B	2	53	288.0	- 322.0	304.0	-6	518	- 575	546	2028	- 4340	2682
		C	2	13	260.0	- 296.0	283.8	-6	464	- 546	519	1625	- 3380	2110
				85	232.0	322.0			430	575		1032	4340	

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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