

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Naracoorte

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Agents yarded a slightly smaller number of 1,075 live weight and open auction cattle. The usual array of trade and processor buyers were present however not all were active as the quality of the offering fell on the previous week. Restockers and feeders provided strong competition on cattle to turn out and grow on as the market was firm and slightly dearer in places.

Very few vealers came forward as heifers sold to 315c/kg. Yearling steers to the trade ranged from 292c to 315c to be up to 8c dearer, with yearling trade heifers ranging mainly from 272c to 312c/kg. Restockers and feeders were very active as they purchased steers ranging from mainly 275c to 321c and heifers ranging from 245c to 288c/kg.

Grown steer numbers fell as they ranged mainly from 275c to 300c to be firm in price, with grown heifers ranging from 255c to 292c/kg. Manufacturing steers sold to 225c/kg. Cows were of mixed quality with the D1 and D2 types ranging from 170c to 230c while the better conditioned D3 and D4 selection ranged from 220c to 250c and cows received a lift of 2c to 4c/kg. Bulls ranged from mainly 224c to 252c/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 Heifer</b>														
330+		C	3	1	315.0	- 315.0	315.0	N/Q	563	- 563	563	1166	- 1166	1166
				<b>1</b>	<b>315.0</b>	<b>315.0</b>			<b>563</b>	<b>563</b>		<b>1166</b>	<b>1166</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	7	312.0	- 312.0	312.0	N/C	-	-	-	842	- 842	842
	RS	D	2	20	280.0	- 304.0	295.8	N/Q	-	-	-	728	- 851	825
280-330	RS	C	3	20	306.0	- 320.0	317.9	N/Q	-	-	-	1010	- 1056	1049
	RS	D	2	18	321.0	- 321.0	321.0	N/Q	-	-	-	931	- 931	931
	FD	D	2	1	286.0	- 286.0	286.0	N/Q	-	-	-	858	- 858	858
330-400	RS	C	2	21	288.0	- 312.0	303.4	-2	-	-	-	1078	- 1240	1169
	FD	C	3	1	298.0	- 298.0	298.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1073	- 1073	1073
		C	3	1	304.0	- 304.0	304.0	N/Q	553	- 553	553	1125	- 1125	1125
	RS	C	3	9	294.0	- 309.0	307.3	1	-	-	-	1029	- 1143	1131
	RS	D	2	2	249.0	- 249.0	249.0	N/Q	-	-	-	921	- 921	921
400+	RS	C	2	3	290.0	- 301.0	297.3	N/Q	-	-	-	1276	- 1324	1308
	RS	C	3	15	275.0	- 316.0	302.7	23	-	-	-	1217	- 1390	1341
		C	3	30	292.0	- 315.0	305.6	8	531	- 573	556	1269	- 1635	1404
	FD	C	3	13	301.0	- 305.0	303.0	5	-	-	-	1342	- 1364	1354
				<b>161</b>	<b>249.0</b>	<b>321.0</b>			<b>531</b>	<b>573</b>		<b>728</b>	<b>1635</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	4	250.0	- 259.0	256.8	-6	-	-	-	675	- 699	693
		C	2	6	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	519	- 519	519	784	- 784	784
	FD	D	2	1	277.0	- 277.0	277.0	N/Q	-	-	-	665	- 665	665
		D	2	1	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	444	- 444	444	672	- 672	672
	RS	D	2	18	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	-	-	-	621	- 675	657
280-330	FD	C	3	1	288.0	- 288.0	288.0	N/Q	-	-	-	864	- 864	864
330-400	RS	C	2	2	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	N/Q	-	-	-	882	- 882	882
	RS	C	3	9	283.0	- 283.0	283.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1047	- 1047	1047

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
400+		C	3	17	272.0	- 312.0	289.7	10	504	- 578	537	1034	- 1129	1097
		C	2	6	231.0	- 272.0	251.5	N/Q	428	- 504	466	970	- 1224	1097
	FD	C	3	1	262.0	- 262.0	262.0	N/Q	-			1205	- 1205	1205
		C	3	40	232.0	- 305.0	278.1	1	430	- 565	515	1044	- 1373	1251
		C	4	8	298.0	- 298.0	298.0	N/Q	552	- 552	552	1311	- 1311	1311
				<b>114</b>	<b>231.0</b>	<b>312.0</b>		<b>428</b>	<b>578</b>		<b>621</b>	<b>1373</b>		
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
500-600		C	3	117	268.0	- 300.0	285.6	-1	487	- 546	519	1431	- 1776	1668
600-750		C	3	47	275.0	- 295.0	284.0	N/C	500	- 536	516	1705	- 1888	1804
750+		C	3	8	275.0	- 275.0	275.0	N/Q	500	- 500	500	2200	- 2200	2200
		C	4	1	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	436	- 436	436	2160	- 2160	2160
				<b>173</b>	<b>240.0</b>	<b>300.0</b>		<b>436</b>	<b>546</b>		<b>1431</b>	<b>2200</b>		
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540		C	3	101	258.0	- 292.0	282.5	13	478	- 541	523	1187	- 1440	1360
		C	4	1	265.0	- 265.0	265.0	N/Q	491	- 491	491	1246	- 1246	1246
540+		C	3	25	257.0	- 280.0	267.3	-5	476	- 519	495	1414	- 1624	1488
		C	4	1	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	N/Q	472	- 472	472	2040	- 2040	2040
				<b>128</b>	<b>255.0</b>	<b>292.0</b>		<b>472</b>	<b>541</b>		<b>1187</b>	<b>2040</b>		
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
0-540		D	2	1	225.0	- 225.0	225.0	N/Q	433	- 433	433	1035	- 1035	1035
				<b>1</b>	<b>225.0</b>	<b>225.0</b>		<b>433</b>	<b>433</b>		<b>1035</b>	<b>1035</b>		
<b>Cows</b>														
400-520		D	1	3	186.0	- 186.0	186.0	3	465	- 465	465	967	- 967	967
		D	2	1	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	407	- 407	407	823	- 823	823
520+		B	3	4	246.0	- 246.0	246.0	N/Q	523	- 523	523	1550	- 1550	1550
		D	1	8	204.0	- 204.0	204.0	N/Q	510	- 510	510	1142	- 1142	1142
		D	2	35	170.0	- 230.0	219.3	9	395	- 535	510	935	- 1356	1238
		D	3	189	220.0	- 250.0	237.1	2	468	- 532	504	1276	- 1593	1449
		D	4	12	234.0	- 238.0	234.7	40	468	- 476	469	1498	- 1595	1514
				<b>252</b>	<b>170.0</b>	<b>250.0</b>		<b>395</b>	<b>535</b>		<b>823</b>	<b>1595</b>		
<b>Bulls</b>														
600+		C	2	4	208.0	- 225.0	216.5	14	378	- 409	394	1290	- 1744	1582
		C	3	25	224.0	- 252.0	242.9	4	400	- 450	434	1764	- 2615	2160
				<b>29</b>	<b>208.0</b>	<b>252.0</b>		<b>378</b>	<b>450</b>		<b>1290</b>	<b>2615</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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