

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Pakenham

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Yarding Change $\frac{271}{24}$

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There were approximately 255 cows and 15 bulls penned representing an increase of 24 head week-on-week. Most of the usual buying group was present but not all operating fully in a cheaper market. Quality was wintry with only a handful of well covered heavy weight beef cows, and most lacking finish. Only a couple of buyers were showing willingness to compete at the high prices following the blistering competition of last sale. Prices fell 20c to 30c/kg across all weights and grades of cows while the heavy weight bulls sold firm.

Most light and medium weight cows sold from 180c to 232c/kg. Heavy weight cows made mostly between 220c and 273c/kg. Heavy weight bulls sold between 264c and 304c/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
Grown Heifer														
0-540	B	2	1	1	264.6	- 264.6	264.6	N/Q	490	- 490	490	1429	- 1429	1429
				1	264.6	264.6			490	490		1429	1429	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+	DA	D	4	3	256.6	- 256.6	256.6	N/Q	475	- 475	475	2823	- 2823	2823
				3	256.6	256.6			475	475		2823	2823	
Cows														
0-400		D	1	2	202.6	- 209.6	206.1	N/Q	461	- 476	468	796	- 810	803
	RS	D	1	1	208.6	- 208.6	208.6	N/Q	-	-	-	772	- 772	772
		D	2	1	217.6	- 217.6	217.6	N/Q	473	- 473	473	870	- 870	870
		E	1	5	172.6	- 194.6	185.8	-28	411	- 487	456	656	- 730	700
	RS	E	1	8	195.6	- 195.6	195.6	-20	-	-	-	782	- 782	782
400-520	RS	C	2	5	238.6	- 238.6	238.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1121	- 1121	1121
		C	2	6	232.6	- 269.6	238.8	N/Q	447	- 519	459	1105	- 1213	1123
		C	3	2	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	480	- 480	480	1248	- 1248	1248
		D	1	40	205.6	- 230.6	218.8	-30	457	- 508	484	923	- 1153	1012
		D	2	5	230.0	- 232.0	230.8	-27	489	- 494	491	1035	- 1160	1085
		D	3	5	230.0	- 246.6	240.0	-39	469	- 503	490	1081	- 1282	1202
		D	4	4	244.6	- 244.6	244.6	N/Q	489	- 489	489	1223	- 1223	1223
		E	1	8	206.6	- 216.6	211.0	-26	470	- 504	488	909	- 952	925
	DA	E	1	34	176.6	- 218.6	199.6	-16	420	- 519	474	777	- 1137	979
520+		C	1	2	238.0	- 238.0	238.0	N/Q	476	- 476	476	1357	- 1357	1357
		C	2	16	251.6	- 265.6	260.2	-23	466	- 511	484	1471	- 1540	1489
		C	3	2	246.0	- 267.6	256.8	N/Q	502	- 505	504	1378	- 1659	1518
		D	1	8	220.0	- 231.6	226.5	-37	489	- 504	495	1188	- 1274	1254
	RS	D	1	1	253.6	- 253.6	253.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1458	- 1458	1458
	DA	D	1	10	223.0	- 223.6	223.1	-25	485	- 497	486	1207	- 1282	1275
	DA	D	2	1	232.6	- 232.6	232.6	N/Q	485	- 485	485	1303	- 1303	1303
		D	2	24	232.0	- 248.6	240.3	-28	487	- 518	502	1283	- 1684	1375
		D	3	23	245.6	- 272.6	254.8	-25	490	- 524	506	1304	- 1772	1436

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		D	4	19	248.0	- 267.6	252.7	-30	481	- 535	501	1488	- 1882	1578
		D	6	1	206.6	- 206.6	206.6	N/Q	397	- 397	397	1446	- 1446	1446
		E	1	3	221.6	- 221.6	221.6	N/Q	504	- 504	504	1197	- 1197	1197
	DA	E	1	17	204.6	- 221.6	212.8	-28	464	- 492	483	1084	- 1304	1171
				253	172.6	272.6			397	535		656	1882	
Bulls														
450-600		C	2	3	246.6	- 262.6	252.6	-5	457	- 486	468	1171	- 1444	1344
		D	1	1	235.0	- 235.0	235.0	N/Q	452	- 452	452	1351	- 1351	1351
600+		B	2	1	303.6	- 303.6	303.6	N/Q	506	- 506	506	1973	- 1973	1973
		C	2	4	263.6	- 285.6	276.4	N/C	479	- 510	496	1845	- 2713	2427
		C	3	2	278.6	- 285.6	282.1	N/Q	489	- 501	495	2142	- 2507	2325
		D	1	1	244.6	- 244.6	244.6	N/Q	470	- 470	470	1957	- 1957	1957
				12	235.0	303.6			452	510		1171	2713	

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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