

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Mount Barker

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Yarding Change ⁹⁸⁰/₂₆₂

comparison date 30/06/2016

Numbers were up for a total of 980 head at Mt Barker. Quality eased with a large percentage of unfinished yearlings yarded, but these suited store buyers, and the market was 10c to 30c/kg dearer on light weights. The medium and heavy weight yearlings were easier, and that was quality related. Grown cattle to the trade and manufacturers eased 10c to 30c/kg, mainly quality related.

Light weight vealer steers sold to a top of 431c to be 15c dearer, heavy yearling steers were 10c easier than last week, selling for 290c to 350c to average 340c/kg. Medium weights made 280c to 377c averaging 352c to be firm, whilst light weights made 331c to 422c to average 398c, a jump of 10c/kg. Heavy yearling heifers over 330kgs sold for 265c to 329c to average 320c, down 10c/kg. Medium weights made 315c to 341c to average 330c, up by 6c, and light weights sold from 257c to 384c averaging 357c, up by 30c/kg.

Grown steers weighing 500-600kg returned 206c to 290c and averaged 230c, down 30c/kg. Grown heifers over 500kg made 235 to 299c and an average of 277c, back 10c/kg. Bullocks 600-700kg sold for 290c, down 10c/kg. Cows eased by 10c to 20c with prime 3 and 4 score cows making 220c to 245c to average 233c, while medium and store cows sold for 195c to 230c to average 220c, down 10c to 15c/kg. Heavy bulls remained firm selling from 206c to 241c and light weight bulls sold from 264c to 383c, driven by live export to be 30c/kg dearer.

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														
0-200	FD	C	2	23	394.0	- 431.0	411.6	N/Q	-	-	-	683	- 849	761
200-280	FD	C	2	1	419.0	- 419.0	419.0	N/Q	-	-	-	943	- 943	943
	FD	C	3	1	410.0	- 410.0	410.0	N/Q	-	-	-	943	- 943	943
				25	394.0	431.0			0	0		683	943	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	FD	C	2	28	361.0	- 368.0	364.8	N/Q	-	-	-	614	- 719	653
200-280	LE	C	2	11	384.0	- 384.0	384.0	N/Q	817	- 817	817	887	- 887	887
				39	361.0	384.0			817	817		614	887	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	90	331.0	- 422.0	398.5	17	-	-	-	756	- 1130	995
	LE	C	2	1	413.0	- 413.0	413.0	N/Q	860	- 860	860	1074	- 1074	1074
	FD	C	3	2	370.0	- 377.0	373.5	N/Q	-	-	-	962	- 1056	1009
280-330	FD	C	2	54	290.0	- 377.0	362.5	N/C	-	-	-	957	- 1176	1105
	FD	C	3	11	349.0	- 376.0	357.5	17	-	-	-	1080	- 1120	1090
	LE	C	3	13	349.0	- 374.0	364.4	N/Q	698	- 748	729	1113	- 1174	1151
330-400	FD	C	2	65	280.0	- 372.0	353.4	N/C	-	-	-	938	- 1332	1250
		C	3	1	350.0	- 350.0	350.0	N/Q	700	- 700	700	1278	- 1278	1278
	FD	C	3	33	349.0	- 368.0	362.6	1	-	-	-	1239	- 1464	1399
400+	FD	C	2	6	290.0	- 340.0	312.5	N/Q	-	-	-	1247	- 1394	1325
		C	3	6	307.0	- 314.0	309.3	-36	590	- 628	603	1438	- 1517	1490
	FD	C	3	30	320.0	- 350.0	341.0	10	-	-	-	1296	- 1515	1473
				312	280.0	422.0			590	860		756	1517	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	94	257.0	- 381.0	357.4	16	-	-	-	663	- 990	868

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280-330	FD	C	3	1	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	-			637	- 637	637	
	LE	C	2	10	339.0	- 339.0	339.0	N/Q	706	- 706	706	1088	- 1088	1088	
	FD	C	2	27	100.0	- 341.0	320.8	-3	-			290	- 1105	987	
	LE	C	3	2	334.0	- 334.0	334.0	N/Q	668	- 668	668	1102	- 1102	1102	
330-400	FD	C	3	10	315.0	- 341.0	333.2	10	-			1014	- 1081	1061	
		C	3	20	321.0	- 333.0	329.4	N/Q	642	- 666	659	1032	- 1066	1051	
	FD	C	2	8	160.0	- 315.0	295.6	N/Q	-			544	- 1172	1093	
		C	3	21	280.0	- 329.0	320.0	N/Q	560	- 658	640	1050	- 1257	1146	
400+	FD	C	3	14	325.0	- 325.0	325.0	-10	-			1131	- 1131	1131	
		C	3	6	310.0	- 318.0	316.7	-26	612	- 620	613	1291	- 1364	1303	
		D	3	7	265.0	- 300.0	290.0	N/Q	530	- 600	580	1094	- 1239	1198	
				220	100.0	381.0		530	706		290	1364			
Grown Steer															
0-400		D	2	3	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	438	- 438	438	752	- 752	752	
400-500		D	2	1	206.0	- 206.0	206.0	N/Q	429	- 429	429	927	- 927	927	
500-600		D	2	4	236.0	- 236.0	236.0	N/Q	492	- 492	492	1199	- 1322	1260	
		D	3	1	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	537	- 537	537	1682	- 1682	1682	
				9	206.0	290.0		429	537		752	1682			
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	2	1	257.0	- 257.0	257.0	N/Q	535	- 535	535	1195	- 1195	1195	
		C	3	7	253.0	- 299.0	287.7	-9	527	- 598	582	987	- 1435	1334	
		D	2	9	235.0	- 269.0	265.2	N/Q	490	- 560	553	1058	- 1208	1191	
		D	3	9	289.0	- 299.0	294.8	N/Q	578	- 598	590	1503	- 1543	1536	
540+		D	2	1	266.0	- 266.0	266.0	N/Q	554	- 554	554	1530	- 1530	1530	
		D	3	19	265.0	- 283.0	274.5	N/Q	517	- 566	538	1471	- 1758	1571	
	LE	D	3	1	259.0	- 259.0	259.0	N/Q	518	- 518	518	1709	- 1709	1709	
				47	235.0	299.0		490	598		987	1758			
Manufacturing Steer															
540+		D	3	5	235.0	- 290.0	253.8	-9	450	- 558	481	1840	- 2349	2100	
				5	235.0	290.0		450	558		1840	2349			
Cows															
400-520		D	2	18	195.0	- 226.0	214.2	-21	415	- 471	448	876	- 1153	1065	
		D	3	6	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	-44	490	- 490	490	1078	- 1232	1207	
520+		D	2	18	200.0	- 230.0	220.8	N/Q	417	- 460	451	1086	- 1498	1251	
		D	3	148	216.0	- 251.0	233.1	-16	432	- 502	466	1216	- 2106	1488	
		D	4	2	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	440	- 440	440	1569	- 1569	1569	
		D	5	11	200.0	- 230.0	203.5	-27	417	- 460	422	1212	- 1461	1257	
				203	195.0	251.0		415	502		876	2106			
Bulls															
0-450		C	2	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	319	- 319	319	435	- 435	435	
		LE	C	2	20	230.0	- 383.0	316.0	13	460	- 766	632	588	- 1452	1024
		LE	C	3	9	264.0	- 320.0	290.4	-23	528	- 615	559	620	- 1088	994
450-600		C	3	4	220.0	- 260.0	236.5	N/Q	440	- 482	459	539	- 1170	806	
		C	3	3	212.0	- 243.0	225.7	N/C	408	- 450	428	1055	- 1361	1166	
		LE	C	3	1	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	500	- 500	500	1512	- 1512	1512

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600+		D	2	1	191.0	- 191.0	191.0	N/Q	382	- 382	382	907	- 907	907
		D	2	2	215.0	- 215.0	215.0	N/Q	398	- 398	398	1301	- 1376	1338
		D	3	17	206.0	- 241.0	225.5	N/Q	375	- 430	406	1292	- 2584	1881
				58	150.0	383.0			319	766		435	2584	

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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