

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Yarding Change ²⁰⁹³
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Numbers lifted and the quality improved with a larger number of prime yearlings suitable to kill. Yearlings still made up the bulk of the offering with feeder orders active on most lines. Grown steers remain in short supply but quality improved with a few larger runs of supplementary fed lines. Cow numbers were up and quality remained plain for the majority. Not all the usual buyers operated in a mostly firm to dearer market.

Vealers to restock held firm selling from a low of 320c to 409c/kg. The heavy butcher vealers lifted 10c selling to 365c/kg. Feeder steers were steady on the medium weights while heavy feeders over 400kg gained 10c/kg. Heifers to feed remained similar. Steers sold from 335c to 386c and the heifers 330c to 352c/kg for the medium and heavy weights. Trade steers eased 7c despite the better quality and numbers, but medium weight heifers jumped 10c/kg. Trade steers sold from 328c to 371c and heifers 332c to 364c/kg.

Grown steers over 500kg to processors lifted 9c to average 358c/kg. The 2 score cows were firm ranging from 222c to 241c/kg, and the heavy 3 and 4 scores eased 4c, selling between 250c and 263c/kg averaging 256c/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														
0-200	RS	D	1	25	300.0	- 370.2	339.3	N/Q	-	-	-	315	- 375	341
	RS	D	2	38	405.6	- 405.6	405.6	16	-	-	-	791	- 791	791
200-280	RS	C	2	51	320.0	- 409.2	389.1	-3	-	-	-	720	- 1062	955
	RS	D	2	1	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q	-	-	-	816	- 816	816
280-330		C	2	4	378.0	- 378.0	378.0	N/Q	700	- 700	700	1077	- 1077	1077
	RS	C	2	26	391.6	- 394.2	393.1	N/Q	-	-	-	1123	- 1253	1178
	FD	C	3	11	370.0	- 370.0	370.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1110	- 1110	1110
	RS	C	3	4	384.6	- 384.6	384.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1192	- 1192	1192
330+	FD	C	2	3	344.2	- 344.2	344.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1411	- 1411	1411
		C	3	1	350.0	- 350.0	350.0	N/Q	636	- 636	636	1190	- 1190	1190
	FD	C	3	11	370.0	- 370.0	370.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1240	- 1240	1240
				175	300.0	409.2			636	700		315	1411	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200		C	1	2	325.2	- 325.2	325.2	N/Q	650	- 650	650	585	- 585	585
		C	2	1	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q	654	- 654	654	578	- 578	578
	RS	D	1	17	200.0	- 322.4	272.0	-40	-	-	-	370	- 516	456
	RS	D	2	25	330.2	- 330.2	330.2	7	-	-	-	644	- 644	644
200-280	RS	C	2	96	306.6	- 363.2	351.3	32	-	-	-	670	- 900	849
		C	2	3	300.0	- 350.2	333.5	3	577	- 649	625	630	- 928	829
	RS	D	2	33	283.0	- 332.2	319.2	-14	-	-	-	594	- 828	755
280-330	RS	C	2	12	346.2	- 346.2	346.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1108	- 1108	1108
		C	2	10	329.2	- 356.2	353.5	N/Q	633	- 660	657	1053	- 1104	1099
		C	3	14	334.6	- 355.0	353.5	23	620	- 657	655	1037	- 1132	1068
330+		C	3	2	350.2	- 365.0	357.6	N/Q	637	- 676	656	1241	- 1331	1286
				215	200.0	365.0			577	676		370	1331	
Yearling Steer														

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200-280	FD	C	2	5	384.2	- 384.2	384.2	-6	-			1037	- 1037	1037
	RS	C	2	56	372.6	- 400.6	388.8	10	-			969	- 1093	1043
	RS	D	2	20	280.0	- 402.6	395.8	N/Q	-			770	- 1107	1078
280-330	FD	C	2	32	364.2	- 386.2	379.7	4	-			1165	- 1236	1215
	RS	C	2	28	394.2	- 394.2	394.2	15	-			1183	- 1183	1183
	RS	C	3	28	400.6	- 400.6	400.6	N/Q	-			1282	- 1282	1282
	RS	D	2	1	342.2	- 342.2	342.2	N/Q	-			975	- 975	975
330-400	FD	D	2	21	320.0	- 358.6	351.2	-5	-			960	- 1024	1016
	FD	C	2	205	350.0	- 384.0	370.0	-2	-			1207	- 1391	1317
	RS	C	2	47	375.2	- 388.2	380.3	N/Q	-			1257	- 1320	1281
	FD	C	3	24	371.2	- 382.8	378.0	N/Q	-			1336	- 1416	1389
		C	3	29	346.6	- 371.6	363.1	N/Q	642	- 688	672	1178	- 1369	1325
	FD	D	2	12	375.2	- 375.2	375.2	N/Q	-			1313	- 1313	1313
400+	RS	D	2	6	308.2	- 308.2	308.2	N/Q	-			1032	- 1032	1032
		B	2	3	350.0	- 354.2	351.4	N/Q	636	- 644	639	1470	- 1505	1482
	FD	C	2	54	334.0	- 386.2	380.0	11	-			1542	- 1622	1599
	FD	C	3	53	327.2	- 383.0	362.2	3	-			1538	- 1838	1734
		C	3	30	328.0	- 367.2	352.6	-7	607	- 680	653	1542	- 1820	1644
	C	4	22	330.0	- 351.2	346.7	-9	609	- 650	639	1510	- 1809	1581	
				676	280.0	402.6			607	688		770	1838	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	RS	C	2	23	300.0	- 333.2	325.2	N/Q	-			780	- 914	882
	RS	D	2	20	270.0	- 344.6	338.1	N/Q	-			756	- 913	893
280-330	FD	C	2	18	327.2	- 342.6	332.4	-21	-			1047	- 1079	1063
		C	2	9	331.6	- 331.6	331.6	N/Q	638	- 638	638	1061	- 1061	1061
	RS	C	2	21	350.0	- 350.0	350.0	39	-			1085	- 1085	1085
		C	3	15	343.2	- 356.6	347.7	N/Q	636	- 660	644	1098	- 1141	1113
		D	2	2	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q	532	- 532	532	800	- 800	800
	FD	D	2	44	300.0	- 360.0	358.6	51	-			855	- 1170	1163
330-400	RS	D	2	1	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	-			798	- 798	798
	FD	C	2	19	332.0	- 352.2	342.6	-3	-			1145	- 1215	1182
	RS	C	2	15	332.6	- 342.6	335.9	N/Q	-			1147	- 1250	1182
		C	3	122	320.6	- 364.6	354.3	10	594	- 675	656	1110	- 1344	1256
		D	2	12	262.0	- 262.0	262.0	N/Q	524	- 524	524	878	- 878	878
	RS	D	2	2	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-			986	- 986	986
	FD	D	2	27	251.2	- 332.0	308.2	N/Q	-			892	- 1216	1043
		D	3	4	308.2	- 308.2	308.2	N/Q	582	- 582	582	1110	- 1110	1110
400+	FD	C	3	18	339.2	- 340.0	339.9	N/Q	-			1560	- 1632	1620
		C	3	12	334.0	- 340.0	336.0	-15	619	- 630	622	1436	- 1462	1445
		C	4	5	336.0	- 337.0	336.8	N/Q	622	- 624	624	1411	- 1449	1442
				389	250.0	364.6			524	675		756	1632	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	C	2	3	310.0	- 310.0	310.0	N/C	-			1116	- 1116	1116
400-500	FD	C	2	27	321.2	- 373.6	349.8	12	-			1349	- 1625	1508
	FD	C	3	12	350.0	- 350.0	350.0	N/C	-			1680	- 1680	1680

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500-600		C	3	59	356.2	- 359.2	358.1	9	660	- 665	663	1852	- 2012	1955
				101	310.0	373.6			660	665		1116	2012	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	18	315.0	- 348.0	346.2	N/Q	583	- 644	641	1512	- 1670	1662
	FD	C	3	4	332.2	- 332.2	332.2	-12	-			1545	- 1545	1545
		C	4	6	310.0	- 340.0	335.0	N/Q	574	- 630	620	1364	- 1496	1474
		D	2	3	243.0	- 243.0	243.0	18	517	- 517	517	1057	- 1057	1057
	RS	D	2	9	260.0	- 285.2	262.8	8	-			856	- 1066	1043
	FD	D	2	3	273.2	- 292.2	279.5	N/Q	-			1120	- 1227	1156
	FD	D	3	4	294.2	- 294.2	294.2	N/Q	-			1353	- 1353	1353
		D	3	39	274.2	- 320.0	293.7	1	509	- 597	550	1206	- 1480	1402
540+		D	4	1	350.0	- 350.0	350.0	N/Q	660	- 660	660	1960	- 1960	1960
				87	243.0	350.0			509	660		856	1960	
Cows														
0-400		D	1	4	195.0	- 208.0	201.5	-10	424	- 443	433	702	- 790	746
		D	2	3	212.0	- 218.0	214.0	-4	442	- 464	449	741	- 806	784
400-520		D	1	3	200.0	- 212.0	208.0	-5	444	- 461	455	850	- 890	877
		D	2	54	222.0	- 241.2	232.3	-1	472	- 520	493	932	- 1218	1000
		D	3	38	230.0	- 259.2	242.9	-6	460	- 518	486	1035	- 1213	1154
520+		D	3	21	250.0	- 255.2	250.2	N/C	500	- 510	501	1378	- 1400	1399
		D	4	42	250.0	- 263.2	256.7	-6	490	- 516	504	1364	- 1651	1562
		D	5	3	242.0	- 242.0	242.0	N/Q	475	- 475	475	1839	- 1839	1839
				168	195.0	263.2			424	520		702	1839	
Bulls														
450-600		B	2	3	265.0	- 265.0	265.0	N/Q	457	- 457	457	1537	- 1537	1537
		C	2	2	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q	446	- 446	446	1450	- 1450	1450
600+		B	2	8	258.2	- 275.0	264.7	N/Q	452	- 466	459	1678	- 2420	2015
		C	2	4	240.0	- 250.0	246.5	12	444	- 463	452	1608	- 1800	1707
		D	2	2	220.0	- 230.0	225.0	N/Q	407	- 426	417	1386	- 1610	1498
				19	220.0	275.0			407	466		1386	2420	

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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