

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Numbers dropped this sale and quality was very mixed. There was a handy offering of finished cattle available along with the plainer types. The usual buyers were present and competing in a dearer market.

Yearling steers to processors lifted 8c to sell from 320c to 368c/kg. Those to feed were 10c better with prices ranging from 340c to 392c/kg for light weights, and 320c to 381c/kg for middle and heavy weights. The heifer portion to processors was 3c to 5c/kg better. Middle weights sold from 320c to 360c and heavy weights received from 327c to 350c/kg. Those to feed were also dearer selling from 300c to 355c/kg.

Heavy steers and bullocks were 8c better selling from 315c to 366c/kg. Grown heifers sold from 270c to 330c/kg. Cows were 6c to 8c/kg better. Heavy 2 scores sold from 234c to 260c and 3 scores made from 245c to 278c/kg. The best heavy bull reached 275c/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 Steer</b>														
200-280		C	3	1	361.0	- 361.0	361.0	N/Q	669	- 669	669	939	- 939	939
				<b>1</b>	<b>361.0</b>	<b>361.0</b>			<b>669</b>	<b>669</b>		<b>939</b>	<b>939</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
280-330	FD	C	2	1	350.0	- 350.0	350.0	N/Q		-		1050	- 1050	1050
				<b>1</b>	<b>350.0</b>	<b>350.0</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>1050</b>	<b>1050</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
200-280	FD	C	2	1	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q		-		918	- 918	918
	RS	C	2	5	300.0	- 384.0	347.8	-15		-		750	- 1039	922
280-330	FD	C	2	72	340.0	- 392.0	386.4	16		-		1054	- 1248	1205
330-400	FD	C	2	78	320.0	- 381.0	372.3	11		-		1258	- 1520	1415
	FD	C	3	17	359.0	- 376.0	374.0	1		-		1278	- 1364	1288
400+	FD	C	2	11	340.0	- 374.0	364.7	-4		-		1571	- 1598	1578
		C	2	1	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	N/Q	593	- 593	593	1728	- 1728	1728
	FD	C	3	73	340.0	- 376.0	364.6	35		-		1530	- 1775	1722
		C	3	142	320.0	- 368.0	359.3	8	593	- 680	661	1508	- 2346	1853
				<b>400</b>	<b>300.0</b>	<b>392.0</b>			<b>593</b>	<b>680</b>		<b>750</b>	<b>2346</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	3	7	320.0	- 340.0	331.4	-11	593	- 630	614	768	- 918	854
280-330	FD	C	2	22	316.0	- 330.0	323.2	10		-		954	- 1056	1027
		C	3	15	320.0	- 364.0	339.3	-8	593	- 674	628	928	- 1128	1037
330-400	FD	C	2	50	300.0	- 340.0	326.1	-4		-		1020	- 1281	1165
	RS	C	2	7	350.0	- 350.0	350.0	N/Q		-		1295	- 1295	1295
	RS	C	3	14	351.0	- 351.0	351.0	N/Q		-		1264	- 1264	1264
	FD	C	3	11	355.0	- 355.0	355.0	47		-		1314	- 1314	1314
		C	3	39	320.0	- 360.0	347.3	7	593	- 667	643	1184	- 1322	1289
400+		C	3	66	327.0	- 350.0	342.3	2	606	- 648	634	1472	- 1807	1622
	FD	C	3	17	351.0	- 351.0	351.0	21		-		1580	- 1580	1580
				<b>248</b>	<b>300.0</b>	<b>364.0</b>			<b>593</b>	<b>674</b>		<b>768</b>	<b>1807</b>	

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
600-750		C	3	6	315.0	- 315.0	315.0	N/Q	583	- 583	583	1953	- 1953	1953
				<b>6</b>	<b>315.0</b>	<b>315.0</b>			<b>583</b>	<b>583</b>		<b>1953</b>	<b>1953</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540		C	2	1	274.0	- 274.0	274.0	N/Q	507	- 507	507	1315	- 1315	1315
		C	3	6	282.0	- 314.0	308.7	-19	522	- 582	572	1410	- 1633	1596
540+		C	3	13	270.0	- 330.0	314.4	-1	500	- 611	582	1539	- 1848	1787
				<b>20</b>	<b>270.0</b>	<b>330.0</b>			<b>500</b>	<b>611</b>		<b>1315</b>	<b>1848</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
400-520	RS	D	1	36	230.0	- 246.0	241.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1035	- 1181	1140
	RS	D	2	12	246.0	- 246.0	246.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1255	- 1255	1255
		D	2	2	235.0	- 235.0	235.0	N/Q	511	- 511	511	1175	- 1175	1175
520+		D	2	39	234.0	- 260.0	242.9	1	509	- 565	528	1293	- 1612	1420
		D	3	29	245.0	- 278.0	264.4	9	533	- 604	575	1421	- 2008	1659
				<b>118</b>	<b>230.0</b>	<b>278.0</b>			<b>509</b>	<b>604</b>		<b>1035</b>	<b>2008</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
600+		C	2	5	250.0	- 275.0	260.0	10	463	- 509	482	2548	- 2915	2733
				<b>5</b>	<b>250.0</b>	<b>275.0</b>			<b>463</b>	<b>509</b>		<b>2548</b>	<b>2915</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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