

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Supply increased, and some categories of cattle were dearer in another overall good quality yarding that sold to the regular following of buyers, though not all operated fully. Prices were slightly easier to unchanged, for the offering of supplementary fed yearlings, but grass and the few milk fed young cattle were on a dearer trend. Heavy weight 3 to 5 score cows sold fully equal, with some sales up around 5c higher and heavy weight bulls averaged 3c/kg dearer. The grown steers made 5c to 10c/kg less, with plainer quality affected the most. Grown heifers lost some of their big gains of last week to be 20c/kg cheaper. The yarding comprised of 854 weighed cattle, 202 cows, 8 open auction young cattle and 33 heavy weight bulls.

There were just a few C2 and C3 milk fed young cattle and they mainly sold between 368c and 388c/kg to restockers and trade buyers. The trade paid 393c and 410c/kg for the best quality. The C2 and C3 yearling steers mostly sold between 350c and 375c, with restockers going to 385c, and the trade paid to 392c/kg for a single C3 steer. The C3 and a few C4 yearling heifers made between 293c and 371c, with restockers starting at 320c, and the trade paid 384c and 390c/kg for their best.

Only a few pens of C3 and a pen of C4 grown steers were yarded, with the C3's from 340c to 356c and the C4's on 356c/kg. The grown heifers were generally not up to the top standard of last week and this accounted for just some of their cheaper prices. The C3 and C4 grades sold from 285c to 315c with a single at 348c/kg. Heavy weight 3 and 4 score cows made 265c to 288c, while the few D2 cows were on 230c to 245c/kg. Heavy weight B2 bulls made between 245c and 270c, with many light and medium weights in the weighed sale from 225c to 305c and seven B2's topped at 320c/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														
330+	FD	C	2	28	381.0	- 382.0	381.3	N/Q	-	-	-	1467	- 1471	1468
		C	3	30	358.0	- 393.0	381.5	N/Q	651	- 702	687	1330	- 1573	1454
				58	358.0		393.0		651	702		1330	1573	
Vealer Heifer														
330+		C	2	8	368.0	- 368.0	368.0	N/Q	694	- 694	694	1325	- 1325	1325
	FD	C	2	22	365.0	- 380.0	376.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1241	- 1349	1324
	RS	C	2	10	367.0	- 367.0	367.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1248	- 1248	1248
		C	3	16	370.0	- 410.0	389.5	N/Q	685	- 732	708	1332	- 1558	1418
				56	365.0		410.0		685	732		1241	1558	
Yearling Steer														
280-330	RS	C	1	1	322.0	- 322.0	322.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1030	- 1030	1030
		C	3	1	392.0	- 392.0	392.0	N/Q	700	- 700	700	1294	- 1294	1294
330-400		C	2	1	372.0	- 372.0	372.0	N/Q	715	- 715	715	1451	- 1451	1451
	RS	C	2	32	360.0	- 385.0	377.6	19	-	-	-	1332	- 1362	1349
	FD	C	2	8	348.0	- 370.0	366.0	-2	-	-	-	1224	- 1425	1393
	FD	C	3	2	372.0	- 372.0	372.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1432	- 1432	1432
		C	3	5	372.0	- 372.0	372.0	-5	689	- 689	689	1432	- 1432	1432
	RS	D	2	4	335.0	- 335.0	335.0	17	-	-	-	1290	- 1290	1290
400+	FD	C	2	6	376.0	- 376.0	376.0	6	-	-	-	1523	- 1523	1523
		C	3	75	338.0	- 375.0	365.1	-2	650	- 694	678	1420	- 1926	1659
	FD	C	3	10	360.0	- 360.0	360.0	-19	-	-	-	1674	- 1674	1674
		C	4	18	344.0	- 354.0	350.7	-14	637	- 656	649	1582	- 1770	1707
		D	2	4	296.0	- 296.0	296.0	N/Q	580	- 580	580	1628	- 1628	1628
				167	296.0		392.0		580	715		1030	1926	

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Yearling Heifer														
280-330		C	3	1	384.0	- 384.0	384.0	N/Q	711	- 711	711	1267	- 1267	1267
	RS	D	1	10	256.0	- 261.0	260.0	N/Q	-	-	-	819	- 835	832
	RS	D	2	1	275.0	- 275.0	275.0	N/Q	-	-	-	908	- 908	908
330-400	FD	C	2	21	320.0	- 371.0	360.3	-1	-	-	-	1072	- 1354	1253
		C	2	6	293.0	- 346.0	314.2	N/Q	586	- 665	620	1040	- 1332	1155
		C	3	39	334.0	- 370.0	359.7	-5	630	- 685	671	1169	- 1452	1343
	FD	C	3	1	362.0	- 362.0	362.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1267	- 1267	1267
		C	4	2	390.0	- 390.0	390.0	N/Q	696	- 696	696	1541	- 1541	1541
	RS	D	1	18	226.0	- 290.0	256.3	N/Q	-	-	-	836	- 1030	905
	RS	D	2	8	335.0	- 354.0	344.5	N/Q	-	-	-	1139	- 1274	1207
	FD	D	2	10	350.0	- 350.0	350.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1313	- 1313	1313
		D	2	2	290.0	- 296.0	293.0	N/Q	580	- 592	586	1015	- 1036	1026
400+		C	2	10	305.0	- 322.0	309.9	N/Q	598	- 631	613	1251	- 1385	1302
	FD	C	2	22	330.0	- 345.0	338.2	-8	-	-	-	1502	- 1673	1595
	RS	C	2	9	335.0	- 335.0	335.0	21	-	-	-	1407	- 1407	1407
	FD	C	3	7	330.0	- 368.0	349.4	N/Q	-	-	-	1436	- 1564	1507
		C	3	65	334.0	- 370.0	347.6	7	639	- 685	658	1386	- 1659	1523
		C	4	30	356.0	- 360.0	358.0	6	647	- 676	662	1638	- 1727	1674
	RS	D	1	10	300.0	- 300.0	300.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1230	- 1230	1230
	RS	D	2	11	352.0	- 352.0	352.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1514	- 1514	1514
	FD	D	2	5	313.0	- 313.0	313.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1283	- 1283	1283
		D	2	30	270.0	- 287.0	277.7	N/Q	537	- 574	554	1115	- 1335	1256
				318	226.0	390.0			537	711		819	1727	
Grown Steer														
500-600		C	3	12	340.0	- 356.0	351.8	N/Q	654	- 681	668	1870	- 2011	1975
600-750		C	3	11	340.0	- 350.0	347.3	-8	642	- 660	655	2118	- 2142	2124
		C	4	13	356.0	- 356.0	356.0	13	672	- 672	672	2207	- 2207	2207
				36	340.0	356.0			642	681		1870	2207	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	1	348.0	- 348.0	348.0	N/Q	657	- 657	657	1862	- 1862	1862
		D	2	1	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	490	- 490	490	1008	- 1008	1008
540+		C	3	39	295.0	- 315.0	303.0	-24	567	- 606	580	1749	- 2000	1848
		C	4	3	286.0	- 290.0	287.3	-58	547	- 550	549	1859	- 1885	1868
		C	5	2	265.0	- 275.0	270.0	N/Q	500	- 529	514	1554	- 1603	1579
		D	2	2	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	560	- 560	560	1596	- 1596	1596
		D	3	1	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	N/Q	559	- 559	559	1696	- 1696	1696
				49	240.0	348.0			490	657		1008	2000	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	3	5	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	539	- 539	539	2086	- 2086	2086
				5	280.0	280.0			539	539		2086	2086	
Cows														
400-520	RS	E	1	5	206.0	- 214.0	210.8	N/Q	-	-	-	845	- 984	928
520+		C	3	48	278.0	- 288.0	283.0	12	549	- 579	564	1582	- 2088	1773
		C	4	29	274.0	- 288.0	280.8	-1	531	- 565	544	1589	- 2102	1949

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		C	5	17	255.0	- 275.0	266.1	-2	490	- 539	510	1884	- 2206	2056
	DA	D	1	1	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	N/Q	456	- 456	456	1148	- 1148	1148
	DA	D	2	11	230.0	- 244.0	231.3	-7	511	- 530	513	1380	- 1513	1392
		D	2	16	236.0	- 245.0	238.3	-12	536	- 544	538	1286	- 1323	1295
		D	3	42	265.0	- 285.0	278.3	N/Q	552	- 577	562	1551	- 1807	1720
	DA	E	1	5	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	-11	448	- 448	448	1015	- 1015	1015
	RS	E	1	1	186.0	- 186.0	186.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1051	- 1051	1051
				175	186.0	288.0			448	579		845	2206	
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	16	230.0	- 285.0	272.9	-4	442	- 548	524	627	- 1098	1037
	RS	C	2	13	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	-15	-	-	-	891	- 891	891
		C	3	7	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	N/Q	593	- 593	593	1344	- 1344	1344
450-600		B	2	28	240.0	- 305.0	277.5	-13	462	- 565	515	1200	- 1754	1474
	RS	C	2	1	226.0	- 226.0	226.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1333	- 1333	1333
		C	2	15	256.0	- 285.0	265.9	17	483	- 538	502	1318	- 1553	1496
		C	3	1	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	546	- 546	546	1372	- 1372	1372
600+		B	2	29	245.0	- 270.0	258.9	3	446	- 496	475	1591	- 2678	1994
		C	2	5	230.0	- 242.0	236.0	-10	437	- 457	447	1620	- 2335	1890
				115	226.0	320.0			437	593		627	2678	

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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