

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Pakenham

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Yarding Change ¹¹¹
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There were approximately 90 cows and 20 bulls penned representing a decrease of 100 head week-on-week. Most of the usual buying group were present but not all operating fully in a dearer market. Quality improved in the limited offering with a larger proportion of well finished heavy weights penned. Competition was stronger for all grades, however the heavy weight drafts saw the strongest bidding. Cow prices improved 10c to 20c for most while the heavy weight bulls gained 9c to 12c/kg.

Most light and medium weight cows sold from 217c to 257c/kg. Heavy weight cows made between 241c and 302c after a top of 309c/kg. Grown heifers reached a top of 313c/kg. Heavy weight bulls sold between 267c and 325c/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
Yearling Steer														
330-400	RS	C	2	1	320.6	- 320.6	320.6	N/Q	-			1186	- 1186	1186
				1	320.6	320.6			0	0		1186	1186	
Yearling Heifer														
330-400	FD	C	2	1	338.6	- 338.6	338.6	N/Q	-			1253	- 1253	1253
				1	338.6	338.6			0	0		1253	1253	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	3	1	312.6	- 312.6	312.6	N/Q	579	- 579	579	1688	- 1688	1688
540+		D	4	2	294.6	- 294.6	294.6	N/Q	556	- 556	556	1709	- 1709	1709
				3	294.6	312.6			556	579		1688	1709	
Cows														
0-400		D	3	1	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q	521	- 521	521	1000	- 1000	1000
400-520		C	1	2	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	520	- 520	520	1300	- 1300	1300
		C	2	1	273.6	- 273.6	273.6	N/Q	537	- 537	537	1313	- 1313	1313
	RS	D	1	2	231.6	- 231.6	231.6	N/Q	-			1019	- 1019	1019
		D	1	6	236.6	- 257.2	242.1	22	526	- 572	534	1041	- 1286	1111
		D	2	7	238.6	- 256.6	246.5	1	508	- 546	528	1050	- 1129	1098
		D	3	4	282.6	- 303.6	292.9	24	573	- 597	583	1342	- 1493	1410
	DA	E	1	6	216.6	- 237.6	224.1	7	516	- 540	525	925	- 1188	1032
		E	1	4	207.6	- 222.6	215.7	8	500	- 519	508	893	- 1144	999
	DA	E	2	1	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	533	- 533	533	1200	- 1200	1200
520+		B	2	3	298.6	- 298.6	298.6	26	543	- 543	543	1792	- 1792	1792
		C	1	1	262.0	- 262.0	262.0	N/Q	535	- 535	535	1441	- 1441	1441
		C	2	5	277.2	- 298.6	286.3	31	533	- 563	546	1525	- 2016	1780
		C	3	1	308.6	- 308.6	308.6	N/Q	572	- 572	572	1929	- 1929	1929
	DA	D	1	3	249.6	- 249.6	249.6	19	543	- 543	543	1373	- 1373	1373
		D	1	2	240.6	- 240.6	240.6	N/Q	523	- 523	523	1275	- 1275	1275
		D	2	3	255.0	- 268.6	262.1	12	543	- 560	550	1377	- 1612	1521
		D	3	17	268.6	- 301.6	286.7	21	543	- 585	569	1543	- 1734	1636
		D	4	12	268.6	- 298.6	283.7	21	530	- 597	564	1504	- 1924	1632
		D	5	2	246.6	- 250.0	248.3	N/Q	481	- 493	487	1480	- 1688	1584

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	DA	E	1	2	217.6	- 228.0	222.8	N/C	495	- 518	506	1197	- 1231	1214
			85		207.6	308.6			481	597		893	2016	
Bulls														
450-600		B	2	1	291.6	- 291.6	291.6	N/Q	503	- 503	503	1750	- 1750	1750
600+		B	2	4	311.6	- 324.6	316.9	37	509	- 535	522	2683	- 3571	3013
		C	1	1	266.6	- 266.6	266.6	N/Q	503	- 503	503	1866	- 1866	1866
		C	2	10	285.6	- 307.6	295.2	9	515	- 540	525	1948	- 2946	2417
		C	3	3	298.6	- 309.6	304.9	12	529	- 543	535	2632	- 2913	2744
			19		266.6	324.6			503	543		1750	3571	

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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