

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Great Southern Saleyard

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Numbers remained low with cow supplies constricted and heavyweight grown cattle remaining in short supply.

Heavyweight vealer steers over 330kg achieved rates of 254c to 269c/kg. Medium weight steers were up 6c achieving rates of 248c to 265c for an average of 260c with lightweight steers 240c to 250c/kg. Heavyweight vealer heifers achieved rates of 240c to 260c/kg. Medium weights made 241c to 259c with lightweight vealer heifers recording rates of 160c to 238c/kg.

Supplementary fed yearling trade steers recorded rates of 231c to 247c with store yearling steers 5c dearer, at 232c to 266c/kg. Yearling trade heifers remained relatively equal at rates of 190c to 224c with store drafts making 245c to 254c/kg.

Heavy steers achieved rates of 160c to 172c with heifers to processors cheaper by 10c, recording rates of 140c to 160c/kg.

Heavyweight 3 and 4 score cows were 5c to 10c cheaper, recording rates of 130c to 164c with boner cows equal at 135c to 147c/kg. Heavyweight bulls were 2c dearer at 125c to 146c with lightweight bulls less than 400kg selling to live export feeders for rates of 140c to 172c/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	2	5	132.0	- 132.0	132.0	N/Q	-			257	- 257	257
200-280	FD	C	1	8	240.0	- 247.0	245.3	N/Q	-			585	- 624	595
	RS	C	1	6	239.0	- 239.0	239.0	-20	-			557	- 557	557
	RS	D	2	16	212.0	- 250.0	237.1	N/Q	-			518	- 595	566
	FD	D	2	21	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	-			535	- 535	535
280-330	FD	C	1	4	248.0	- 248.0	248.0	-8	-			754	- 754	754
	FD	C	2	53	245.0	- 268.0	263.1	N/Q	-			723	- 855	802
	RS	C	2	29	257.0	- 271.0	264.9	N/Q	-			753	- 875	801
	FD	D	2	15	267.0	- 267.0	267.0	N/Q	-			772	- 793	782
330+	RS	C	1	10	254.0	- 254.0	254.0	N/Q	-			975	- 975	975
	FD	C	2	13	262.0	- 269.0	267.4	N/Q	-			890	- 962	907
				180	132.0	271.0	241.6		0	0	0	257	975	685
Vealer Heifer														
200-280	RS	C	1	34	160.0	- 238.0	217.7	-14	-			382	- 659	579
	FD	C	1	11	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	-12	-			610	- 610	610
	FD	D	2	16	184.0	- 223.0	201.1	N/Q	-			456	- 515	482
280-330	FD	C	1	11	259.0	- 259.0	259.0	N/Q	-			803	- 803	803
	RS	C	1	43	241.0	- 259.0	253.1	N/Q	-			706	- 782	767
		C	1	20	259.0	- 259.0	259.0	N/Q	508	- 508	508	787	- 787	787
	RS	D	2	17	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	N/Q	-			701	- 701	701
330+	RS	C	1	7	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	-			926	- 926	926
				159	160.0	260.0	240.6		508	508	508	382	926	707
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	12	263.0	- 263.0	263.0	N/Q	-			815	- 815	815
	FD	D	2	8	205.0	- 220.0	218.1	N/Q	-			543	- 704	684

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330-400		C	2	18	231.0	- 259.0	245.0	N/Q	436	- 489	462	862	- 907	884
	FD	C	2	16	254.0	- 266.0	264.9	8	-	-	-	851	- 914	894
	RS	C	2	18	263.0	- 263.0	263.0	N/Q	-	-	-	973	- 973	973
		C	3	5	265.0	- 265.0	265.0	N/Q	520	- 520	520	914	- 914	914
	FD	D	2	11	232.0	- 232.0	232.0	N/Q	-	-	-	923	- 923	923
	RS	D	2	25	258.0	- 258.0	258.0	N/Q	-	-	-	893	- 893	893
400+		C	2	13	148.0	- 245.0	208.3	N/Q	279	- 462	393	605	- 1019	876
	FD	C	2	2	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1012	- 1012	1012
		C	3	9	247.0	- 247.0	247.0	N/Q	449	- 449	449	1037	- 1037	1037
	FD	D	2	3	244.0	- 244.0	244.0	N/Q	-	-	-	988	- 988	988
				140	148.0	266.0	244.9		279	520	456	543	1037	908
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	1	17	254.0	- 255.0	254.7	N/Q	-	-	-	773	- 808	783
	FD	C	1	13	254.0	- 254.0	254.0	7	-	-	-	810	- 810	810
		C	2	6	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	453	- 453	453	775	- 775	775
	RS	C	2	2	220.0	- 236.0	228.0	N/Q	-	-	-	704	- 708	706
	RS	D	2	17	258.0	- 258.0	258.0	N/Q	-	-	-	841	- 841	841
	RS	D	3	12	237.0	- 237.0	237.0	N/Q	-	-	-	661	- 661	661
330-400	FD	C	1	13	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	3	-	-	-	850	- 850	850
		C	2	10	239.0	- 244.0	240.5	N/Q	451	- 460	454	915	- 935	921
	RS	C	2	1	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	N/Q	-	-	-	919	- 919	919
	FD	D	2	5	131.0	- 224.0	186.8	N/Q	-	-	-	491	- 746	644
	RS	D	3	4	247.0	- 247.0	247.0	N/Q	-	-	-	966	- 966	966
400+		C	1	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	333	- 333	333	791	- 791	791
	RS	C	1	6	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	-	763	- 763	763
	RS	C	2	12	242.0	- 242.0	242.0	N/Q	-	-	-	987	- 987	987
		C	2	16	140.0	- 225.0	191.9	N/Q	264	- 425	362	612	- 1058	884
	RS	D	2	13	175.0	- 201.0	197.0	N/Q	-	-	-	834	- 872	840
				148	131.0	258.0	225.7		264	460	400	491	1058	821
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	2	5	170.0	- 191.0	182.6	N/Q	321	- 360	345	808	- 837	825
500-600		C	2	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	302	- 302	302	816	- 816	816
		C	3	2	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	307	- 307	307	989	- 989	989
		D	2	2	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	333	- 333	333	928	- 928	928
				10	160.0	191.0	168.7		302	360	322	808	989	889
Grown Heifer														
0-540	DA	D	2	2	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	290	- 290	290	754	- 754	754
		D	2	6	161.0	- 161.0	161.0	N/Q	335	- 335	335	665	- 665	665
	FD	D	2	11	135.0	- 156.0	146.5	-4	-	-	-	466	- 652	567
		D	3	8	140.0	- 160.0	153.8	-8	259	- 296	285	581	- 813	751
540+	FD	D	2	2	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-	-	-	791	- 791	791
		D	2	1	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	296	- 296	296	788	- 788	788
		D	3	1	127.0	- 127.0	127.0	N/Q	249	- 249	249	711	- 711	711
		D	4	6	161.0	- 167.0	166.0	N/C	298	- 309	307	979	- 1014	985
				37	127.0	167.0	147.7		249	335	294	466	1014	752

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Cows														
0-400		D	1	3	98.0	- 98.0	98.0	N/Q	218	- 218	218	315	- 315	315
	RS	D	1	7	109.0	- 109.0	109.0	N/Q	-			417	- 417	417
400-520		D	1	14	100.0	- 122.0	114.4	11	213	- 265	249	417	- 577	523
		D	2	22	117.0	- 134.0	126.4	-12	244	- 279	263	493	- 655	600
520+	DA	D	1	8	126.0	- 126.0	126.0	4	280	- 280	280	753	- 753	753
		D	1	8	126.0	- 126.0	126.0	N/Q	280	- 280	280	753	- 753	753
	DA	D	2	3	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	271	- 271	271	754	- 754	754
		D	2	26	110.0	- 134.0	128.7	-8	229	- 275	264	622	- 1001	721
		D	3	34	130.0	- 151.0	145.3	-15	250	- 306	294	734	- 1082	882
		D	4	31	140.0	- 164.0	155.3	-8	269	- 320	302	896	- 1177	997
		D	5	10	120.0	- 130.0	124.0	-22	231	- 250	239	672	- 800	723
				166	98.0	164.0	125.7		213	320	266	315	1177	676
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	1	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	-			609	- 609	609
		C	2	10	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	268	- 268	268	606	- 606	606
	FD	D	2	17	140.0	- 172.0	165.8	N/Q	-			314	- 597	516
450-600		C	3	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	259	- 259	259	878	- 878	878
600+		C	2	6	121.0	- 146.0	135.3	4	212	- 256	239	756	- 1047	964
		C	3	4	125.0	- 129.0	127.5	-10	216	- 222	220	1019	- 1365	1210
		C	4	1	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	208	- 208	208	1288	- 1288	1288
		D	3	4	115.0	- 129.0	122.3	N/Q	217	- 223	221	903	- 1219	1092
		D	4	1	122.0	- 122.0	122.0	N/Q	214	- 214	214	1232	- 1232	1232
				45	115.0	172.0	137.2		208	268	233	314	1365	933

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

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