

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Prices varied in a slightly improved selection of cattle that was reduced in number. The mainly plain to average quality offering included a few supplementary fed pens of yearlings and unfinished grown steers, along with the usual spread of store conditioned young cattle and mixed selection of cows. The regular buyers were present but again not all operated fully on the 478 weighed cattle, 149 cows and 15 bulls.

Young cattle prices varied around last week's levels, but overall sales were generally dearer. Plain quality was generally the best performer on the day, with D1 yearlings mostly from 120c to 157c and the D2 grades between 143c and 166c/kg. The C2 and C3 grades made from 175c to 210c with restockers going to 213c/kg. The few better quality sales of heifer vealers and supplementary fed yearlings to processors were from 190c to 210c/kg.

Grown steers were of plain finish and on quality were equal to 5c/kg easier. The C3 grades sold from 188c to 208c, with leaner C2's to processors and restockers between 182c and 186c/kg. A few more grown heifers were yarded and most were 3 scores that sold from 145c to 160c, with the tops at 175c and 173/kg, and they averaged equal to slightly dearer. Processors displayed preference for the leaner 1 and 2 score cows with prices here mainly 5c to 10c/kg higher. Due to less buyer competition the better covered cows were only 2c to 4c/kg dearer. The D1 cows sold from 120c to 132c, while D2 cows were at 128c to 138c/kg, with no top end quality on offer. The 3 to 5 scores made 132c to 140c, with the few better quality to 143c/kg. The B2 heavy weight bulls averaged 5c cheaper, with prices from 128c to 138c/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 Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	11	176.0	- 196.0	183.3	6	345	- 377	357	493	- 529	506
	FD	C	2	1	176.0	- 176.0	176.0	N/Q	-	-	-	449	- 449	449
	RS	D	2	1	149.0	- 149.0	149.0	N/Q	-	-	-	387	- 387	387
280-330		C	2	4	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	362	- 362	362	564	- 564	564
330+		C	3	6	184.0	- 210.0	192.7	N/Q	347	- 389	361	616	- 704	645
				<b>23</b>	<b>149.0</b>	<b>210.0</b>			<b>345</b>	<b>389</b>		<b>387</b>	<b>704</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330	RS	C	2	5	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	-10	-	-	-	594	- 594	594
	RS	D	1	5	140.0	- 157.0	143.4	-19	-	-	-	448	- 455	449
	RS	D	2	1	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	N/Q	-	-	-	535	- 535	535
330-400	RS	C	2	24	183.0	- 205.0	199.3	N/C	-	-	-	613	- 738	705
		C	2	7	184.0	- 184.0	184.0	N/Q	354	- 354	354	681	- 681	681
	FD	C	2	77	188.0	- 213.0	203.4	2	-	-	-	677	- 820	755
		C	3	1	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	389	- 389	389	788	- 788	788
	DA	D	1	4	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	234	- 234	234	396	- 396	396
	RS	D	2	2	166.0	- 166.0	166.0	N/Q	-	-	-	581	- 581	581
400+	RS	C	2	11	185.0	- 197.0	189.4	9	-	-	-	837	- 1027	958
	FD	C	2	16	194.0	- 208.0	201.9	-5	-	-	-	873	- 884	879
	FD	C	3	10	208.0	- 208.0	208.0	-1	-	-	-	874	- 874	874
		C	3	21	192.0	- 210.0	203.6	20	362	- 396	384	873	- 1050	974
	DA	D	1	1	128.0	- 128.0	128.0	N/Q	272	- 272	272	582	- 582	582
				<b>185</b>	<b>110.0</b>	<b>213.0</b>			<b>234</b>	<b>396</b>		<b>396</b>	<b>1050</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-330	RS	D	1	12	120.0	- 156.0	146.8	N/Q	-	-	-	348	- 421	408

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330-400	FD	C	1	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-			570	- 570	570	
	FD	C	2	11	170.0	- 186.0	174.9	N/Q	-			621	- 716	665	
		C	2	22	174.0	- 190.0	184.3	5	341	- 365	357	609	- 705	677	
	RS	C	2	3	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	-6	-			639	- 639	639	
	RS	C	3	18	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	N/Q	-			722	- 722	722	
		C	3	34	185.0	- 200.0	196.9	-2	352	- 377	371	712	- 796	745	
	FD	D	1	2	135.0	- 138.0	136.5	N/Q	-			483	- 486	485	
	RS	D	1	4	136.0	- 136.0	136.0	N/Q	-			469	- 469	469	
	FD	D	2	2	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	-			561	- 561	561	
	D	2	6	143.0	- 160.0	154.3	-3	292	- 320	311	493	- 624	580		
400+		C	3	43	183.0	- 193.0	188.8	13	352	- 364	359	759	- 950	811	
		D	2	1	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	296	- 296	296	595	- 595	595	
		D	3	6	159.0	- 172.0	162.8	N/Q	318	- 337	322	660	- 731	673	
				<b>165</b>	<b>120.0</b>	<b>200.0</b>		<b>292</b>	<b>377</b>		<b>348</b>	<b>950</b>			
<b>Grown Steer</b>															
400-500	RS	C	2	4	182.0	- 182.0	182.0	N/Q	-			883	- 883	883	
500-600	RS	C	2	4	183.0	- 184.0	183.5	N/Q	-			1061	- 1086	1074	
		C	2	11	186.0	- 186.0	186.0	N/Q	365	- 365	365	1032	- 1032	1032	
		C	3	6	189.0	- 208.0	202.2	-6	357	- 393	381	1058	- 1248	1180	
600-750		C	2	7	182.0	- 182.0	182.0	N/Q	350	- 350	350	1110	- 1110	1110	
		C	3	10	188.0	- 190.0	188.2	N/Q	359	- 362	361	1150	- 1194	1189	
		C	4	1	198.0	- 198.0	198.0	N/Q	374	- 374	374	1287	- 1287	1287	
				<b>43</b>	<b>182.0</b>	<b>208.0</b>		<b>350</b>	<b>393</b>		<b>883</b>	<b>1287</b>			
<b>Grown Heifer</b>															
0-540		C	2	11	152.0	- 152.0	152.0	N/Q	304	- 304	304	790	- 790	790	
		D	3	17	146.0	- 153.0	148.1	3	286	- 306	292	719	- 788	768	
540+		C	3	14	160.0	- 173.0	167.4	-18	308	- 333	322	952	- 1016	979	
		C	4	2	150.0	- 175.0	162.5	N/Q	294	- 337	315	818	- 1015	916	
		C	5	5	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	274	- 274	274	906	- 906	906	
		D	2	4	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	N/Q	292	- 292	292	796	- 796	796	
				<b>53</b>	<b>145.0</b>	<b>175.0</b>		<b>274</b>	<b>337</b>		<b>719</b>	<b>1016</b>			
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>															
0-540	RS	D	2	2	163.0	- 163.0	163.0	N/Q	-			848	- 848	848	
540+	DA	D	2	3	152.0	- 152.0	152.0	N/Q	304	- 304	304	851	- 851	851	
				<b>5</b>	<b>152.0</b>	<b>163.0</b>		<b>304</b>	<b>304</b>		<b>848</b>	<b>851</b>			
<b>Cows</b>															
400-520		D	1	28	120.0	- 132.0	126.1	15	279	- 300	290	610	- 634	625	
		RS	D	1	9	105.0	- 116.0	111.9	N/Q	-			504	- 563	532
			D	2	9	128.0	- 138.0	135.8	9	291	- 300	298	666	- 690	685
		RS	E	1	2	90.0	- 90.0	90.0	N/Q	-			374	- 374	374
			E	1	1	90.0	- 90.0	90.0	N/Q	220	- 220	220	419	- 419	419
520+		C	3	9	138.0	- 140.0	138.4	1	282	- 286	283	752	- 868	778	
		C	4	19	137.0	- 143.0	142.1	N/Q	274	- 286	284	801	- 951	894	
		D	1	12	120.0	- 124.0	122.0	13	279	- 288	284	657	- 672	665	
		D	2	13	128.0	- 136.0	134.5	6	278	- 283	282	755	- 802	790	

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		D	3	20	132.0	- 142.0	139.2	3	264	- 290	281	785	- 994	900
				<b>122</b>	<b>90.0</b>	<b>143.0</b>			<b>220</b>	<b>300</b>		<b>374</b>	<b>994</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450		B	2	1	154.0	- 154.0	154.0	N/Q	291	- 291	291	624	- 624	624
		C	2	2	150.0	- 155.0	152.5	N/Q	289	- 298	293	600	- 620	610
	DA	D	1	2	118.0	- 120.0	119.0	N/Q	240	- 241	240	336	- 444	390
450-600		B	2	1	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	263	- 263	263	746	- 746	746
		C	2	2	138.0	- 146.0	142.0	N/C	265	- 281	273	718	- 759	738
600+		B	2	6	128.0	- 138.0	133.2	-4	237	- 256	245	1083	- 1496	1230
		C	1	1	127.0	- 127.0	127.0	N/Q	244	- 244	244	787	- 787	787
		C	2	1	132.0	- 132.0	132.0	N/Q	244	- 244	244	1261	- 1261	1261
		D	1	3	118.0	- 118.0	118.0	N/Q	227	- 227	227	738	- 879	785
				<b>19</b>	<b>118.0</b>	<b>155.0</b>			<b>227</b>	<b>298</b>		<b>336</b>	<b>1496</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

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