

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba Landmark

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There was a small reduction in supply and there was a fair representation of most classes. Buyer attendance was generally good and similar to other markets, while not all were operating across all classes. Isolated useful falls of rain across the supply area lifted restocker support and prices improved by up to 20c/kg on yearling steers and heifers. Export slaughter lines of bullocks and cows averaged 6c to 10c/kg dearer.

Lightweight yearling steers to feed made to 219.2c to average 190c, while those returning to the paddock averaged close to 225c/kg. Medium weights to feed averaged 208c and made to 217.2c/kg. A pen of heavyweights to the trade made to an isolated 229.2c and a small sample of feeders averaged 206c/kg. A good supply of medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 20c better at 193c and sold to 195c/kg. Local trade lines made to 210.2c, to average 192c/kg.

A good sample of bullocks averaged 205c and made to 214.2c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 6c better at 140c/kg. A handful of good heavy cows made into the 170c/kg range. Heavy bulls made to 185c/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
Calves														
80+	RS	C	1	4	130.2	- 130.2	130.2	N/Q	-			176	- 176	176
		C	2	5	191.2	- 191.2	191.2	8	361	- 361	361	354	- 354	354
				9	130.2	191.2			361	361		176	354	
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	19	175.0	- 219.2	190.5	-5	-			516	- 625	551
	RS	C	2	17	224.2	- 225.2	224.8	N/Q	-			594	- 642	622
		D	2	5	140.0	- 146.2	141.2	N/Q	255	- 266	257	329	- 344	332
330-400	FD	C	2	30	180.0	- 217.2	208.5	23	-			639	- 836	749
	FD	C	3	12	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	-2	-			770	- 770	770
		C	3	2	211.2	- 211.2	211.2	N/Q	384	- 384	384	813	- 813	813
	RS	D	2	2	143.2	- 143.2	143.2	N/Q	-			501	- 501	501
400+		B	3	6	229.2	- 229.2	229.2	N/Q	395	- 395	395	928	- 928	928
		C	3	2	206.2	- 206.2	206.2	N/Q	375	- 375	375	876	- 876	876
	FD	C	3	7	206.2	- 206.2	206.2	11	-			928	- 928	928
		D	3	3	155.2	- 155.2	155.2	N/Q	282	- 282	282	722	- 722	722
				105	140.0	229.2			255	395		329	928	
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	2	10	161.2	- 161.2	161.2	N/Q	-			363	- 363	363
		C	2	2	173.2	- 173.2	173.2	N/Q	321	- 321	321	390	- 390	390
	FD	C	2	15	158.2	- 185.2	165.4	-8	-			356	- 528	402
	FD	C	3	8	192.2	- 192.2	192.2	N/Q	-			634	- 634	634
	RS	D	2	3	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	-6	-			293	- 293	293
330-400	FD	C	2	6	189.2	- 189.2	189.2	N/Q	-			672	- 672	672
	FD	C	3	63	190.2	- 195.0	193.2	21	-			637	- 731	687
		C	3	24	187.2	- 210.2	192.3	-2	347	- 389	356	644	- 704	680
	RS	C	3	7	195.2	- 195.2	195.2	N/Q	-			693	- 693	693
	RS	D	1	1	94.2	- 94.2	94.2	N/Q	-			316	- 316	316

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400+		D	2	4	121.2	- 136.2	128.7	N/Q	224	- 252	238	442	- 497	470
		C	3	11	178.2	- 201.2	186.0	11	330	- 373	345	757	- 1076	818
				154	94.2	210.2			224	389		293	1076	
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	3	38	186.2	- 186.2	186.2	N/Q	-			922	- 922	922
500-600		C	3	6	194.2	- 194.2	194.2	N/Q	353	- 353	353	1117	- 1117	1117
		C	4	2	200.2	- 200.2	200.2	N/Q	358	- 358	358	1071	- 1071	1071
600-750		C	4	89	198.2	- 214.2	205.6	6	354	- 383	367	1250	- 1467	1337
				135	186.2	214.2			353	383		922	1467	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	3	9	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	5	304	- 304	304	782	- 782	782
540+		C	4	19	181.2	- 192.2	187.4	19	342	- 363	354	1024	- 1086	1060
				28	158.0	192.2			304	363		782	1086	
Cows														
0-400		D	1	7	76.2	- 105.2	101.1	-21	173	- 239	230	274	- 379	364
		RS	D	1	6	105.2	- 105.2	105.2	N/Q	-		379	- 379	379
		RS	E	1	3	43.2	- 50.0	47.7	N/Q	-		138	- 160	153
400-520		D	1	4	113.2	- 113.2	113.2	-7	257	- 257	257	481	- 481	481
		D	2	23	120.0	- 156.2	140.2	6	261	- 340	305	522	- 666	629
		D	3	19	155.0	- 162.2	159.1	11	316	- 331	325	736	- 787	762
520+		D	3	6	172.2	- 172.2	172.2	18	351	- 351	351	921	- 921	921
		D	4	2	170.2	- 175.0	172.6	N/Q	334	- 343	338	1030	- 1059	1044
				70	43.2	175.0			173	351		138	1059	
Bulls														
0-450		B	3	1	229.2	- 229.2	229.2	N/Q	382	- 382	382	928	- 928	928
		D	2	1	129.2	- 129.2	129.2	N/Q	235	- 235	235	323	- 323	323
600+		C	3	7	170.2	- 185.0	177.7	-11	304	- 330	317	1223	- 1728	1520
				9	129.2	229.2			235	382		323	1728	

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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