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Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba Landmark

comparison date	29/12/2014

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Yarding Change 95 comparison date 29/12/2014

The first sale for the New Year attracted a small selection of predominantly young cattle, with a fair sample of light weight yearling steers suitable for restockers, along with a reasonable selection of supplementary fed yearling heifers ideally suited to the local butcher trade. The falls of rain in places resulted in a large number of restocker buyers in the market, plus a few trade and feeder operators. Local trade lines improved in price and light weight yearling steers returning to the paddock lifted in price by over 50c/kg.

A couple of vealer heifers made to 210c/kg. Light weight yearling steers to restockers made to a top of 252.2c to average close to 250c/kg. Supplementary fed yearling heifers sold to the local butcher trade at 220.2c to average 208c/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	С	2	1	202.2	- 202.2	202.2	N/Q	-	-		374 -	374	374
				1	202.2	202.2			0	0		374	374	
Vealer Ste	er													
280-330		С	3	1	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	382 -	382	382	599 -	599	599
				1	210.0	210.0			382	382		599	599	
Vealer He	ifer													
200-280		С	2	3	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	389 -	389	389	441 -	441	441
				3	210.0	210.0			389	389		441	441	
Yearling S														
200-280	RS	С	2	26	220.0	- 252.2	249.7	N/Q	-	-		539 -	593	589
	RS	D	2	2		- 190.0	184.1	N/Q	-	-		419 -	447	433
280-330	RS	D	2	1		- 179.2	179.2	N/Q	-	-		511 -	511	511
330-400		С	3	5	219.2	- 219.2	219.2	N/Q	399 -	399	399	822 -	822	822
400+		С	3	1	230.2	- 230.2	230.2	N/Q	419 -	419	419	978 -	978	978
				35	178.2	252.2			399	419		419	978	
Yearling H	leifer													
200-280		С	2	1	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	352 -		352	466 -	466	466
330-400		С	3	23		- 220.2	208.6	N/Q	367 -		386	723 -	826	763
400+		С	3	15		- 200.0	191.8	N/Q	339 -		355	779 -	850	815
				39	183.2	220.2			339	408		466	850	
Bulls		-	-	-	04 · 5	24 (2								543
0-450	RS	С	2	2		- 211.2	211.2	N/Q				517 -	517	517
		С	3	1		- 193.2	193.2	N/Q	345 -	345	345	840 -	840	840
	FD	С	3	3		- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-			655 -	655	655
				6	170.0	211.2			345	345		517	840	

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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