

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba Elders

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Yarding Change $\frac{822}{332}$

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Numbers increased by over 60% and a fair panel of buyers was present and operating in a generally dearer market. Feeder operators, restockers and the trade provided strong competition across most classes of young cattle with improvements of 5c to 10c/kg. The relatively small selection of bullocks sold to a dearer market and this trend flowed onto the cows with gains of 6c to 12c/kg.

Calves returning to the paddock made to 278.2c, to average 239c/kg. Vealer heifers lifted in price to average in the 240c range with some to restockers reaching 250c/kg. Lightweight yearling steers to feed averaged 273c and made to 300.2c/kg. Medium weights to feed made to a top of 302.2c with most averaging from 266c to 273c/kg. A small sample of heavyweights to feed averaged in the 260c range, while a handful to the trade made to 294.2c/kg. Lightweight yearling heifers to feed averaged 237c and made to 249.2c/kg. Medium weights to the trade averaged 243c and made to 250c, while a few heavyweights made to the occasional 282.2c/kg.

Bullocks to export slaughter averaged 273c with some to the local meat trade reaching 289.2c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 179c and 3 scores 207c and the better end of the medium weights averaged 221c/kg. Good heavy cows mostly sold close to 225c with some to 230c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 227.2c/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+		C	2	8	214.2	- 250.2	231.6	N/Q	404	- 472	437	396	- 488	421
	RS	C	2	24	208.2	- 278.2	239.3	-24		-		364	- 496	432
		D	2	5	140.0	- 186.2	167.2	N/Q	264	- 351	316	203	- 317	272
				37	140.0	278.2			264	472		203	496	
Vealer Steer														
200-280		C	2	2	270.2	- 270.2	270.2	N/Q	491	- 491	491	635	- 635	635
	FD	C	2	2	240.0	- 267.2	253.6	N/Q		-		564	- 601	583
				4	240.0	270.2			491	491		564	635	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	10	230.2	- 234.2	233.8	14	426	- 434	433	541	- 550	549
	FD	C	2	6	247.2	- 247.2	247.2	10		-		556	- 556	556
		RS	2	7	246.2	- 250.0	247.3	19		-		638	- 652	648
280-330	FD	C	2	8	240.2	- 245.2	242.1	-13		-		685	- 699	690
				31	230.2	250.0			426	434		541	699	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	22	260.0	- 265.0	260.5	14		-		650	- 676	661
		RS	2	16	265.0	- 286.2	278.9	N/Q		-		689	- 758	736
		RS	2	5	242.2	- 242.2	242.2	N/Q		-		666	- 666	666
	FD	D	2	2	234.2	- 234.2	234.2	N/Q		-		527	- 527	527
280-330	FD	C	2	34	247.2	- 300.2	273.7	8		-		705	- 901	796
		RS	2	3	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	2		-		690	- 690	690
	FD	D	2	5	160.2	- 200.0	192.0	N/Q		-		457	- 570	547
330-400	FD	C	2	53	246.2	- 302.2	266.0	7		-		825	- 1058	921
		FD	3	43	240.0	- 300.2	273.2	-7		-		828	- 1096	996
	FD	D	2	8	194.2	- 234.2	220.5	-1		-		651	- 890	800

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400+	FD	C	2	8	263.2	- 263.2	263.2	N/Q	-			1145	- 1145	1145
	FD	C	3	12	254.2	- 273.2	260.7	-1	-			1105	- 1202	1125
		C	3	10	267.2	- 294.2	271.1	N/Q	486	- 535	493	1175	- 1339	1252
				221	160.2	302.2			486	535		457	1339	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	61	224.2	- 249.2	237.2	N/Q	-			464	- 636	570
		C	2	9	238.2	- 240.2	238.6	14	441	- 445	442	560	- 564	561
	FD	D	2	4	202.2	- 212.2	207.2	25	-			475	- 477	476
		D	2	5	185.0	- 195.2	191.6	12	343	- 362	355	435	- 498	466
280-330	FD	C	2	15	231.2	- 240.0	237.7	3	-			659	- 684	677
		D	2	2	193.2	- 193.2	193.2	N/Q	358	- 358	358	551	- 551	551
	FD	D	2	5	164.0	- 176.2	168.9	N/Q	-			467	- 520	488
330-400	FD	C	3	14	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	-26	-			875	- 875	875
		C	3	36	232.2	- 250.2	243.6	3	430	- 463	451	778	- 938	848
	FD	D	3	10	211.2	- 227.2	224.0	N/Q	-			813	- 875	862
	RS	D	3	1	209.2	- 209.2	209.2	N/Q	-			805	- 805	805
400+		B	3	6	282.2	- 282.2	282.2	N/Q	504	- 504	504	1566	- 1566	1566
		C	3	4	230.0	- 277.2	256.9	18	426	- 513	476	1047	- 1206	1129
	FD	D	2	12	200.2	- 225.2	218.5	N/Q	-			851	- 980	940
		D	3	3	232.2	- 232.2	232.2	30	430	- 430	430	1045	- 1045	1045
	FD	D	3	8	232.2	- 232.2	232.2	N/Q	-			1010	- 1010	1010
				195	164.0	282.2			343	513		435	1566	
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	2	1	252.2	- 252.2	252.2	N/Q	459	- 459	459	1072	- 1072	1072
	FD	C	2	15	229.2	- 248.2	239.7	15	-			974	- 1080	1025
	FD	C	3	2	254.2	- 254.2	254.2	N/Q	-			1258	- 1258	1258
500-600		C	3	4	233.2	- 233.2	233.2	N/Q	424	- 424	424	1318	- 1318	1318
		C	4	5	273.2	- 273.2	273.2	N/Q	488	- 488	488	1598	- 1598	1598
600-750		C	3	1	231.2	- 231.2	231.2	N/Q	420	- 420	420	1688	- 1688	1688
		C	4	14	264.2	- 289.2	273.6	4	472	- 499	485	1651	- 2039	1838
		D	3	2	216.2	- 216.2	216.2	N/Q	393	- 393	393	1351	- 1351	1351
				44	216.2	289.2			393	499		974	2039	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	13	215.2	- 215.2	215.2	-14	406	- 406	406	936	- 979	946
		C	4	7	226.2	- 226.2	226.2	N/Q	427	- 427	427	1210	- 1210	1210
					20	215.2	226.2			406	427		936	1210
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		D	2	3	120.0	- 196.2	148.5	N/Q	218	- 357	270	1079	- 1163	1107
				3	120.0	196.2			218	357		1079	1163	
Cows														
0-400		D	1	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	318	- 318	318	560	- 560	560
		D	2	2	167.2	- 167.2	167.2	N/Q	364	- 364	364	669	- 669	669
		DA	E	1	1	70.0	- 70.0	70.0	N/Q	159	- 159	159	256	- 256
400-520	DA	D	1	1	140.2	- 140.2	140.2	N/Q	319	- 319	319	652	- 652	652
		D	1	12	124.2	- 173.2	154.5	15	282	- 394	351	540	- 753	676

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520+	RS	D	2	16	171.2	- 200.0	179.6	-11	372	- 435	390	744	- 970	811
		D	2	2	178.2	- 178.2	178.2	N/Q	-	-	-	829	- 829	829
	DA	D	3	13	202.2	- 213.2	207.3	8	435	- 440	438	981	- 991	986
		D	4	48	218.2	- 225.2	221.7	12	428	- 442	435	1015	- 1092	1059
		E	2	1	138.2	- 138.2	138.2	N/Q	300	- 300	300	601	- 601	601
	RS	D	1	4	181.2	- 181.2	181.2	N/Q	412	- 412	412	969	- 969	969
		D	2	12	185.2	- 203.2	195.2	-17	403	- 442	424	991	- 1087	1049
		D	3	33	196.2	- 221.2	211.2	N/Q	409	- 461	438	1050	- 1294	1201
		D	4	63	220.2	- 228.2	224.6	6	432	- 448	442	1284	- 1548	1338
		D	4	3	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1610	- 1610	1610
	D	5	1	215.0	- 215.0	215.0	N/Q	439	- 439	439	1215	- 1215	1215	
				213	70.0	230.0		159	461		256	1610		
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	2	206.2	- 206.2	206.2	N/Q	-	-	-	485	- 485	485
		C	3	2	225.2	- 225.2	225.2	N/Q	410	- 410	410	822	- 822	822
600+		C	2	1	191.2	- 191.2	191.2	N/Q	348	- 348	348	1195	- 1195	1195
		C	3	9	112.2	- 227.2	204.3	-23	200	- 406	365	842	- 2032	1541
				14	112.2	227.2		200	410		485	2032		

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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