

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba

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Useful falls of rain across the supply area over the weekend reduced the number of stock by 29%. The overall quality of the young cattle continues to be mixed. However, in the grown cattle section there was a small sample of well-presented heavy grown steers and bullocks and a reasonable selection of good heavy cows. A fair panel of buyers was present and most were operating. Young light weight cattle to restockers and feed generally maintained the high levels of the previous sale. Medium weight grown steers to feed were noticeably dearer. The small selection of heavy grown steers and bullocks to export slaughter gained 2c to 5c and cows lifted in price by 2c to 6c/kg.

Calves returning to the paddock made to 364.2c, with most around 339c/kg. Light weight yearling steers to restockers made to 378.2c, with most close to 357c/kg. A handful of medium weight yearling steers to feed made to 360c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to feed made to a top of 340.2c, to average 323c/kg. A small selection of medium weight yearling heifers to the trade made to 344.2c, while heavy weights to feed made to 317.2c, to average 312c/kg.

Medium weight grown steers to feed made to 344.2c, to average 327c/kg. Heavy weight grown steers to export slaughter made to a top of 340.2c, to average 330c and bullocks also averaged 330c/kg. Medium weight 3 score cows averaged 246c, and good heavy cows made to 280.2c, to average 278c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 308.2c/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+	RS	C	2	33	314.2	- 364.2	339.5	7	-	-	-	432	- 581	501
		C	2	16	306.2	- 317.2	314.1	N/Q	578	- 599	593	536	- 587	573
	RS	D	2	2	299.8	- 299.8	299.8	N/Q	-	-	-	405	- 405	405
				51	299.8	364.2			578	599		405	587	
Vealer Steer														
200-280	RS	C	2	11	344.2	- 376.2	367.5	N/Q	-	-	-	809	- 884	864
				11	344.2	376.2			0	0		809	884	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	4	314.2	- 314.2	314.2	N/Q	582	- 582	582	644	- 644	644
	FD	C	2	15	328.2	- 340.0	337.4	N/Q	-	-	-	706	- 799	780
				19	314.2	340.0			582	582		644	799	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	6	360.2	- 360.2	360.2	10	-	-	-	901	- 901	901
	RS	C	2	54	330.2	- 378.2	356.9	1	-	-	-	743	- 898	851
	RS	D	2	17	304.2	- 320.2	312.6	15	-	-	-	715	- 817	752
	FD	D	2	1	312.2	- 312.2	312.2	N/Q	-	-	-	827	- 827	827
		D	2	4	243.2	- 292.2	280.0	N/Q	442	- 531	509	620	- 745	714
280-330	FD	C	2	27	326.2	- 355.0	334.6	-11	-	-	-	979	- 1065	1000
	RS	C	2	3	336.2	- 336.2	336.2	-10	-	-	-	1009	- 1009	1009
330-400	FD	C	2	2	336.2	- 360.0	348.1	N/Q	-	-	-	1126	- 1224	1175
		C	2	3	340.2	- 340.2	340.2	N/Q	619	- 619	619	1191	- 1191	1191
	FD	C	3	4	360.0	- 360.0	360.0	16	-	-	-	1206	- 1206	1206
		C	3	2	335.2	- 344.2	339.7	N/Q	610	- 626	618	1291	- 1325	1308
400+		C	3	1	342.2	- 342.2	342.2	N/Q	622	- 622	622	1660	- 1660	1660
	FD	C	3	6	350.2	- 350.2	350.2	6	-	-	-	1772	- 1772	1772

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
	FD	D	2	2	277.2	- 277.2	277.2	N/Q	-			1178	- 1178	1178
				132	243.2	378.2			442	626		620	1772	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	RS	C	2	19	328.2	- 344.2	337.5	N/Q	-			771	- 809	793
		C	2	12	300.0	- 312.2	304.1	5	556	- 578	563	628	- 734	669
	FD	C	2	25	312.2	- 340.2	323.6	10	-			714	- 919	779
		D	2	2	268.2	- 268.2	268.2	N/Q	497	- 497	497	630	- 630	630
280-330	FD	C	2	8	319.2	- 342.2	330.3	14	-			958	- 1024	985
		C	3	1	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	N/Q	593	- 593	593	960	- 960	960
	FD	D	2	2	284.2	- 284.2	284.2	N/Q	-			810	- 810	810
330-400	FD	C	2	2	322.2	- 322.2	322.2	N/Q	-			1128	- 1128	1128
		C	3	7	335.2	- 344.2	340.3	28	621	- 637	630	1205	- 1291	1241
		D	3	15	281.2	- 288.0	283.5	N/C	521	- 533	525	1026	- 1051	1035
	FD	D	3	29	280.0	- 295.2	284.5	3	-			1026	- 1083	1057
400+	FD	C	2	22	309.2	- 317.2	312.8	N/Q	-			1252	- 1348	1296
		C	3	1	333.2	- 333.2	333.2	N/Q	617	- 617	617	1616	- 1616	1616
	FD	C	3	4	297.2	- 297.2	297.2	-17	-			1293	- 1293	1293
	FD	D	2	1	284.2	- 284.2	284.2	N/Q	-			1208	- 1208	1208
				150	268.2	344.2			497	637		628	1616	
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	2	14	305.2	- 344.2	327.5	18	-			1373	- 1463	1425
	FD	D	2	4	305.2	- 305.2	305.2	N/Q	-			1297	- 1297	1297
500-600	FD	C	3	3	322.2	- 322.2	322.2	N/Q	-			1846	- 1846	1846
		C	3	1	314.2	- 314.2	314.2	N/Q	571	- 571	571	1854	- 1854	1854
		C	4	14	321.2	- 340.2	330.7	2	574	- 608	591	1787	- 1990	1879
		D	3	1	274.2	- 274.2	274.2	N/Q	499	- 499	499	1604	- 1604	1604
600-750		C	3	3	298.2	- 298.2	298.2	N/Q	542	- 542	542	1849	- 1849	1849
		C	4	10	330.2	- 330.2	330.2	5	590	- 590	590	2120	- 2120	2120
				50	274.2	344.2			499	608		1297	2120	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	3	1	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-			1262	- 1262	1262
		C	4	8	298.2	- 306.2	304.2	16	563	- 589	582	1485	- 1595	1513
540+		C	3	1	296.2	- 296.2	296.2	N/Q	559	- 559	559	1629	- 1629	1629
		C	4	5	280.0	- 300.2	296.2	-7	528	- 577	568	1696	- 1778	1713
				15	280.0	306.2			528	589		1262	1778	
Cows														
0-400		D	1	9	168.2	- 208.2	172.6	-1	382	- 473	392	673	- 760	682
		D	2	3	201.2	- 201.2	201.2	1	437	- 437	437	775	- 775	775
400-520		D	1	1	210.2	- 210.2	210.2	N/Q	478	- 478	478	914	- 914	914
	DA	D	1	9	188.2	- 209.2	197.0	-10	428	- 476	448	819	- 922	889
	DA	D	2	4	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	500	- 500	500	1001	- 1001	1001
	RS	D	2	1	257.2	- 257.2	257.2	N/Q	-			1299	- 1299	1299
		D	2	5	229.2	- 230.2	229.6	N/C	498	- 500	499	990	- 1112	1063
		D	3	10	242.2	- 250.2	246.3	3	496	- 527	506	1131	- 1213	1180
		D	4	4	247.2	- 251.2	248.2	-11	485	- 493	487	1199	- 1218	1204

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520+	DA	D	1	4	200.0	- 200.2	200.1	N/Q	455	- 455	455	1070	- 1071	1070
		D	2	2	247.2	- 247.2	247.2	N/Q	537	- 537	537	1323	- 1323	1323
	DA	D	3	2	254.2	- 256.2	255.2	N/Q	519	- 523	521	1487	- 1793	1640
		D	3	10	247.2	- 256.2	252.3	2	505	- 523	515	1333	- 1614	1484
		D	4	44	271.2	- 280.2	278.0	6	532	- 549	545	1549	- 1681	1653
		D	5	7	246.2	- 246.2	246.2	N/Q	502	- 502	502	1477	- 1477	1477
				115	168.2	280.2		382	549		673	1793		
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	4	256.2	- 322.2	291.2	-9	-	-	-	641	- 1047	848
	FD	C	3	2	316.2	- 316.2	316.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1344	- 1344	1344
	RS	D	2	1	252.2	- 252.2	252.2	N/Q	-	-	-	921	- 921	921
450-600		C	3	1	292.2	- 292.2	292.2	N/Q	522	- 522	522	1476	- 1476	1476
		D	2	1	250.2	- 250.2	250.2	N/Q	455	- 455	455	1301	- 1301	1301
600+		C	3	6	270.2	- 308.2	279.9	11	483	- 550	500	1716	- 2928	2115
		D	2	1	241.2	- 241.2	241.2	N/Q	439	- 439	439	1568	- 1568	1568
					16	241.2	322.2		439	550		641	2928	

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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