

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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There was a big jump in the supply of stock and there was a wide variation in quality across all categories. A large panel of buyers and onlookers packed the walkways and buyers were able to absorb the larger numbers plus lift prices on a number of classes. Falls of follow-up rain in places lifted restocker demand and some additional southern domestic support on the heavy grown steers, bullocks and cows lifted prices by 12c to 14c/kg.

Restockers snapped up a large sample of calves at an average of 404c with some to 451.2c/kg. Light weight yearling steers returning to the paddock made to 408.2c with most around 386c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed for the domestic market made to 374.2c, while the largest numbers averaged 343c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed made to 345.2c with most around 342c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers were well supplied and generally sold around 349c with some to 366.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to the trade made to 333.2c to average 322c/kg.

Heavy grown steers averaged 309c and made to 314.2c and a few bullocks made to 312.2c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 223c and made to 229.2c/kg. A fair supply of good heavy cows averaged close to 254c and made to the occasional 274.2c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 269.2c/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														
0-80	RS	C	2	27	418.2	- 418.2	418.2	N/Q	-	-	-	188	- 188	188
80+	RS	C	2	130	341.2	- 451.2	404.3	64	-	-	-	496	- 828	628
		C	2	4	346.2	- 346.2	346.2	13	653	- 653	653	606	- 606	606
	RS	D	2	5	298.2	- 298.2	298.2	N/Q	-	-	-	522	- 522	522
				166	298.2	451.2			653	653		188	828	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	7	322.2	- 346.2	335.9	N/Q	597	- 641	622	789	- 814	803
	FD	C	2	2	346.2	- 346.2	346.2	N/Q	-	-	-	814	- 814	814
	RS	C	2	4	358.2	- 358.2	358.2	N/Q	-	-	-	806	- 806	806
				13	322.2	358.2			597	641		789	814	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	20	350.2	- 368.2	360.8	22	-	-	-	858	- 976	908
	RS	C	2	68	360.2	- 408.2	386.7	28	-	-	-	851	- 1053	914
	RS	D	2	15	315.2	- 338.2	332.8	N/Q	-	-	-	790	- 835	815
	RS	E	1	4	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	-	-	-	472	- 472	472
280-330	FD	C	2	21	368.2	- 374.2	371.9	10	-	-	-	1086	- 1105	1099
	FD	D	2	19	260.0	- 323.2	316.9	N/Q	-	-	-	741	- 921	903
330-400	FD	C	2	34	330.0	- 366.2	343.8	13	-	-	-	1106	- 1294	1182
		C	3	6	318.2	- 337.2	330.9	N/Q	579	- 613	602	1114	- 1298	1237
	RS	D	1	1	269.2	- 269.2	269.2	N/Q	-	-	-	902	- 902	902
	FD	D	2	40	300.0	- 324.2	320.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1050	- 1180	1145
		D	3	2	320.2	- 320.2	320.2	N/Q	582	- 582	582	1073	- 1073	1073
	RS	E	1	4	216.2	- 216.2	216.2	N/Q	-	-	-	724	- 724	724
400+	FD	C	2	18	320.0	- 339.2	335.2	19	-	-	-	1366	- 1526	1449
	FD	C	3	34	332.2	- 345.2	342.1	25	-	-	-	1412	- 1553	1520

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					286	216.2	408.2			579	613		472	1553	
Yearling Heifer															
200-280		C	2	16	320.0	- 352.2	341.7	9	593	- 652	633	656	- 880	804	
	FD	C	2	144	326.2	- 366.2	348.8	17				792	- 916	851	
	RS	D	2	26	270.0	- 326.2	315.4	31				603	- 767	672	
	FD	D	2	24	296.2	- 320.0	312.0	19				656	- 833	780	
280-330	FD	C	2	22	320.0	- 347.2	329.5	5				912	- 1042	949	
		C	2	14	316.2	- 336.2	320.7	N/Q	586	- 623	594	904	- 958	941	
		C	3	3	336.2	- 336.2	336.2	N/Q	623	- 623	623	1009	- 1009	1009	
	FD	D	2	11	314.2	- 314.2	314.2	N/Q				895	- 895	895	
330-400	FD	C	2	13	300.2	- 323.2	314.4	N/Q				1036	- 1099	1075	
		C	3	12	310.0	- 333.2	322.0	-8	574	- 617	596	1039	- 1283	1113	
	FD	D	2	20	256.2	- 290.0	281.1	N/Q				858	- 1078	978	
	RS	E	2	8	238.2	- 238.2	238.2	N/Q				869	- 869	869	
400+	FD	C	3	4	289.2	- 289.2	289.2	-17				1229	- 1229	1229	
		C	3	6	300.2	- 334.2	320.5	-2	556	- 619	594	1276	- 1788	1496	
					323	238.2	366.2		556	652		603	1788		
Grown Steer															
0-400	FD	D	2	11	270.0	- 274.2	272.3	N/Q				1040	- 1056	1048	
400-500	FD	C	2	8	298.2	- 307.2	303.8	15				1306	- 1342	1319	
		C	2	2	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q	455	- 455	455	1063	- 1063	1063	
500-600		C	4	20	290.2	- 314.2	309.2	14	518	- 561	552	1698	- 1826	1774	
600-750		C	4	9	312.2	- 312.2	312.2	13	558	- 558	558	1879	- 1879	1879	
750+		C	4	1	287.2	- 287.2	287.2	N/Q	513	- 513	513	2326	- 2326	2326	
					51	250.0	314.2		455	561		1040	2326		
Grown Heifer															
0-540	FD	C	3	4	275.2	- 275.2	275.2	N/Q				1115	- 1115	1115	
	RS	D	2	1	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q				891	- 891	891	
	DA	D	2	3	220.0	- 227.2	222.4	N/Q	458	- 473	463	1089	- 1102	1093	
	FD	D	2	1	252.2	- 252.2	252.2	N/Q				1072	- 1072	1072	
		D	3	2	225.2	- 254.2	239.7	N/Q	425	- 489	457	1047	- 1106	1076	
					11	220.0	275.2		425	489		891	1115		
Cows															
0-400		D	1	27	164.2	- 210.2	176.9	-5	373	- 478	402	632	- 841	688	
	RS	D	1	1	178.2	- 178.2	178.2	N/Q				713	- 713	713	
		D	2	16	216.2	- 227.2	222.5	N/Q	470	- 494	484	865	- 909	890	
400-520	RS	D	1	23	217.2	- 217.2	217.2	N/Q				945	- 945	945	
	DA	D	1	1	187.2	- 187.2	187.2	N/Q	426	- 426	426	908	- 908	908	
		D	1	5	193.2	- 224.2	202.8	N/Q	439	- 510	461	840	- 975	894	
		D	2	12	220.2	- 229.2	223.3	-3	479	- 498	485	991	- 1112	1021	
		D	4	27	242.2	- 264.2	247.6	4	475	- 518	486	1131	- 1308	1184	
520+		C	3	2	243.2	- 252.2	247.7	N/Q	496	- 515	506	1349	- 1459	1404	
		D	2	2	228.2	- 228.2	228.2	N/Q	496	- 496	496	1221	- 1221	1221	
	DA	D	2	1	228.2	- 228.2	228.2	N/Q	496	- 496	496	1221	- 1221	1221	
		D	3	7	246.2	- 246.2	246.2	12	502	- 502	502	1391	- 1391	1391	

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		D	4	84	243.2	- 274.2	253.9	12	477	- 527	497	1306	- 1714	1479
		D	5	6	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	1	469	- 469	469	1380	- 1380	1380
				214	164.2	274.2			373	527		632	1714	
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	6	300.0	- 300.0	300.0	-13		-		705	- 705	705
		D	2	1	210.2	- 210.2	210.2	N/Q	382	- 382	382	872	- 872	872
450-600		C	2	1	266.2	- 266.2	266.2	N/Q	484	- 484	484	1238	- 1238	1238
	FD	C	3	3	300.2	- 300.2	300.2	N/Q		-		1396	- 1456	1416
		C	3	1	242.2	- 242.2	242.2	N/Q	433	- 433	433	1368	- 1368	1368
		D	2	2	220.0	- 228.2	224.1	N/Q	400	- 415	408	1067	- 1335	1201
600+		C	3	4	249.2	- 269.2	257.7	13	445	- 481	460	1620	- 2965	2197
		D	2	1	241.2	- 241.2	241.2	N/Q	439	- 439	439	2171	- 2171	2171
				19	210.2	300.2			382	484		705	2965	

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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