

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Warwick

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Consignments lifted with young cattle and cows well supplied. There was a fair supply of well finished mixed age heavy grown steers and bullocks. The quality and condition of the penning was fair to good with feedlotter and restockers well catered for. A full field of buyers were in attendance along with an increased feedlot presence.

Demand for all classes was high and resulted in dearer trends throughout the young cattle. A single pen of heavy weight vealer steers sold to restockers at a substantially dearer price. The light and medium weight vealers to both restocks and the trade sold to a slightly dearer trend. Yearling steers to restock and feed sold to a dearer trend of 6c to 8c/kg with heavy weights attracting high demand. Strong demand for an improved quality penning of yearling heifers to restock and feed saw a dearer trend of 10c to 15c/kg and more in places with the improved quality contributing to the price improvement. There were very few young cattle purchased for the trade.

There was high demand and strong competition for all classes of export grade cattle. Heavy grown steers and bullocks sold to a dearer trend of 3c to 5c/kg and more in places. There were price premiums of 10c to 15c/kg for steers carrying 4 or less permanent teeth. Well finished medium and heavy weight cows sold to a dearer trend of 6c to 8c/kg with an improvement in quality contributing to greater price improvements. The plainer condition cows also experienced strong gains with some improvement in estimated yields.

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	
<b>Vealer Steer</b>															
200-280	RS	C	2	2	365.0	- 365.0	365.0	N/Q	-			949	- 949	949	
280-330	RS	C	2	5	352.2	- 365.2	357.4	57	-			1162	- 1205	1179	
330+	RS	C	2	17	400.0	- 400.0	400.0	N/Q	-			1360	- 1360	1360	
		C	3	1	349.2	- 349.2	349.2	N/Q	647	- 647	647	1240	- 1240	1240	
				<b>25</b>	<b>349.2</b>	<b>400.0</b>			<b>647</b>	<b>647</b>		<b>949</b>	<b>1360</b>		
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>															
200-280		C	2	8	332.2	- 340.2	339.1	3	639	- 654	652	814	- 885	871	
		RS	C	2	21	337.2	- 355.0	347.8	3	-		860	- 952	938	
		RS	C	3	6	351.2	- 351.2	351.2	N/Q	-		983	- 983	983	
280-330	RS	C	2	23	320.2	- 355.2	348.1	-20	-			961	- 1156	1081	
		C	2	5	339.2	- 343.2	342.4	N/Q	652	- 660	659	967	- 978	976	
				<b>63</b>	<b>320.2</b>	<b>355.2</b>			<b>639</b>	<b>660</b>		<b>814</b>	<b>1156</b>		
<b>Yearling Steer</b>															
280-330	FD	C	2	74	337.2	- 392.2	371.9	12	-			1012	- 1294	1198	
		RS	C	2	29	331.2	- 376.2	367.0	N/C	-		1043	- 1241	1172	
			C	3	1	337.2	- 337.2	337.2	N/Q	624	- 624	624	1113	- 1113	1113
		RS	D	2	12	369.2	- 369.2	369.2	N/Q	-		1218	- 1218	1218	
330-400	FD	C	2	96	335.0	- 374.2	359.7	6	-			1173	- 1469	1312	
			C	2	4	366.2	- 366.2	366.2	N/Q	704	- 704	704	1282	- 1282	1282
		FD	D	2	5	329.2	- 349.2	341.2	N/Q	-		1222	- 1235	1227	
400+	FD	C	2	70	335.0	- 355.2	347.8	8	-			1374	- 1705	1545	
		FD	C	3	6	340.0	- 350.0	345.0	9	-		1496	- 1523	1509	
			C	3	1	360.2	- 360.2	360.2	N/Q	643	- 643	643	1567	- 1567	1567
				<b>298</b>	<b>329.2</b>	<b>392.2</b>			<b>624</b>	<b>704</b>		<b>1012</b>	<b>1705</b>		

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<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	1	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	N/Q	615	- 615	615	864	- 864	864
	RS	D	2	6	355.2	- 355.2	355.2	15	-			870	- 870	870
280-330	FD	C	2	57	315.0	- 338.2	331.0	2	-			945	- 1109	1065
	RS	C	2	28	320.0	- 336.2	329.3	-1	-			960	- 1083	1019
		C	3	4	337.2	- 341.2	339.2	N/Q	624	- 644	634	1109	- 1113	1111
	RS	D	2	13	270.0	- 330.2	302.4	N/Q	-			810	- 1024	910
	FD	D	2	1	294.2	- 294.2	294.2	N/Q	-			838	- 838	838
330-400	FD	C	2	106	310.2	- 345.2	330.7	14	-			1046	- 1300	1187
	FD	C	3	20	340.2	- 340.2	340.2	10	-			1293	- 1293	1293
		C	3	1	344.2	- 344.2	344.2	N/Q	637	- 637	637	1325	- 1325	1325
	FD	D	2	2	320.2	- 320.2	320.2	N/Q	-			1121	- 1121	1121
400+	FD	C	3	13	310.0	- 326.2	315.2	2	-			1318	- 1427	1358
		C	3	4	343.2	- 343.2	343.2	19	613	- 613	613	1510	- 1510	1510
				<b>256</b>	<b>270.0</b>	<b>355.2</b>			<b>613</b>	<b>644</b>		<b>810</b>	<b>1510</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
0-400	FD	C	2	1	344.2	- 344.2	344.2	N/Q	-			1377	- 1377	1377
	RS	D	2	25	245.2	- 270.0	255.0	N/Q	-			834	- 940	883
400-500	FD	C	2	8	310.0	- 353.2	336.0	14	-			1318	- 1678	1474
	FD	C	3	7	348.2	- 349.2	348.3	35	-			1519	- 1567	1560
500-600		B	3	1	325.0	- 325.0	325.0	N/Q	580	- 580	580	1755	- 1755	1755
		C	3	49	285.2	- 321.2	300.8	-5	519	- 584	555	1587	- 1927	1727
600-750		C	3	3	313.2	- 313.2	313.2	15	580	- 580	580	1942	- 1942	1942
		C	4	18	300.0	- 320.2	314.1	26	556	- 593	581	2025	- 2116	2059
				<b>112</b>	<b>245.2</b>	<b>353.2</b>			<b>519</b>	<b>593</b>		<b>834</b>	<b>2116</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540		C	2	3	279.2	- 279.2	279.2	16	537	- 537	537	1187	- 1228	1201
	FD	C	2	44	258.2	- 318.2	310.2	9	-			1033	- 1466	1346
		C	3	13	270.2	- 286.2	275.8	1	520	- 550	530	1187	- 1345	1215
	RS	D	2	35	220.0	- 255.0	240.6	-21	-			791	- 888	873
	FD	D	2	4	247.2	- 284.2	265.7	N/Q	-			865	- 1208	1005
		D	2	2	243.2	- 243.2	243.2	N/Q	486	- 486	486	912	- 912	912
		D	3	2	253.2	- 253.2	253.2	N/Q	497	- 497	497	1013	- 1013	1013
540+		C	3	4	279.2	- 288.2	281.7	N/Q	527	- 544	531	1536	- 1729	1585
				<b>107</b>	<b>220.0</b>	<b>318.2</b>			<b>486</b>	<b>550</b>		<b>791</b>	<b>1729</b>	
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
0-540	DA	D	3	6	267.2	- 268.2	267.5	N/Q	524	- 526	525	1234	- 1389	1338
540+		C	3	12	295.2	- 295.2	295.2	10	547	- 547	547	1860	- 1860	1860
		C	4	1	285.2	- 285.2	285.2	N/Q	528	- 528	528	2339	- 2339	2339
	DA	D	3	8	266.2	- 266.2	266.2	8	512	- 512	512	1730	- 1730	1730
				<b>27</b>	<b>266.2</b>	<b>295.2</b>			<b>512</b>	<b>547</b>		<b>1234</b>	<b>2339</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	1	4	154.2	- 195.2	178.7	7	367	- 465	426	555	- 722	655
	RS	D	1	16	203.2	- 227.2	217.3	5	-			711	- 863	810
		D	2	15	210.0	- 228.2	222.6	15	467	- 492	485	788	- 880	864

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg		
400-520	RS	D	3	1	238.2	- 238.2	238.2	N/Q	507	-	507	507	953	-	953	953
		D	1	6	219.2	- 231.2	229.2	45		-			983	-	986	983
		D	2	35	210.0	- 242.2	228.6	10	467	-	538	503	891	-	1160	1003
520+	DA	D	3	55	220.0	- 246.2	237.7	1	468	-	513	494	924	-	1274	1156
		C	3	2	258.2	- 266.2	262.2	N/Q	497	-	512	504	1381	-	1677	1529
		D	2	2	215.0	- 215.0	215.0	N/Q	478	-	478	478	1161	-	1161	1161
		D	2	2	239.2	- 239.2	239.2	N/Q	498	-	498	498	1292	-	1292	1292
		D	3	25	236.2	- 259.2	249.6	6	492	-	534	516	1275	-	1498	1366
	DA	D	3	1	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	N/Q	510	-	510	510	1678	-	1678	1678
		D	4	40	250.0	- 262.2	254.1	9	504	-	534	520	1375	-	1621	1500
				<b>204</b>	<b>154.2</b>	<b>266.2</b>		<b>367</b>		<b>538</b>		<b>555</b>		<b>1678</b>		
<b>Bulls</b>																
0-450		C	2	7	240.0	- 324.2	290.7	7	462	-	624	545	912	-	1315	1174
	RS	D	2	4	240.0	- 306.2	273.1	-19		-			720	-	735	727
450-600		C	2	4	259.2	- 276.2	269.9	8	463	-	500	486	1296	-	1602	1487
600+		B	2	7	257.2	- 275.2	266.2	6	447	-	474	462	2082	-	2615	2334
		C	2	4	250.0	- 264.2	257.9	2	456	-	489	473	1850	-	2378	2093
				<b>26</b>	<b>240.0</b>	<b>324.2</b>		<b>447</b>		<b>624</b>		<b>720</b>		<b>2615</b>		

#### 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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