

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Warwick

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Yarding Change  $\frac{884}{20}$

comparison date 21/03/2017

The number of cattle yarded was similar to last week for a total of 884 head. The yarding consisted of a good supply of young cattle and a fair penning of grown cattle. The offering of young cattle consisted mainly of light yearlings and vealers, with several pens of milk veal, with only a small percentage going to the trade, however there was some good runs of well bred yearlings and vealers that were acquired by feeders and restockers.

The market was stronger for all classes of cattle with buyers keen to acquire cattle. Restocker vealer steers sold to a top of 412c to average 371c, while restocker vealer heifers topped at 350c to average 336c, and the small number of vealers that went to the trade sold to a top of 327c/kg. Feeder steers sold to 339c to average 329c, and restockers topped at 375c/kg. Feeder and restocker yearling heifers ranged from 294c to 335c/kg.

The yarding of export cattle consisted of several pens of bullocks and steers and mixed penning of cows. Bullocks and steers were 10c to 15c dearer selling to a top of 291c to average 288c, and heifers topped at 298c/kg. The cow market improved by 8c to 10c, with 3 score medium weights under 500kg averaging 231c and heavy cows sold to a top of 245c/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
<b>Calves</b>														
80+	RS	C	1	2	416.2	- 416.2	416.2	N/Q	-	-	-	666	- 666	666
	RS	C	2	31	314.2	- 424.2	398.2	49	-	-	-	628	- 858	779
				<b>33</b>	<b>314.2</b>	<b>424.2</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>628</b>	<b>858</b>	
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	119	315.2	- 412.2	371.9	2	-	-	-	830	- 1057	956
				<b>119</b>	<b>315.2</b>	<b>412.2</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>830</b>	<b>1057</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	30	300.0	- 327.0	315.9	N/Q	556	- 606	585	691	- 916	834
	RS	C	2	151	309.2	- 350.2	336.4	-20	-	-	-	727	- 941	865
				<b>181</b>	<b>300.0</b>	<b>350.2</b>			<b>556</b>	<b>606</b>		<b>691</b>	<b>941</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	19	360.0	- 375.2	370.6	27	-	-	-	1008	- 1051	1038
	RS	D	2	12	355.2	- 355.2	355.2	71	-	-	-	995	- 995	995
280-330	RS	C	2	82	320.0	- 372.0	348.5	N/Q	-	-	-	982	- 1190	1084
		C	3	1	339.2	- 339.2	339.2	N/Q	628	- 628	628	1119	- 1119	1119
330-400	RS	C	2	17	330.2	- 357.2	341.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1123	- 1214	1160
	FD	C	2	92	300.0	- 339.2	329.2	-12	-	-	-	1050	- 1320	1237
400+		C	3	6	292.0	- 298.2	295.8	-12	531	- 542	538	1460	- 1491	1479
	FD	C	3	37	285.0	- 335.0	315.9	3	-	-	-	1283	- 1500	1386
				<b>266</b>	<b>285.0</b>	<b>375.2</b>			<b>531</b>	<b>628</b>		<b>982</b>	<b>1500</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	13	292.2	- 303.2	299.3	-14	-	-	-	804	- 849	833
	RS	D	2	3	284.2	- 284.2	284.2	24	-	-	-	739	- 739	739
280-330	RS	C	2	13	314.2	- 315.0	314.7	N/Q	-	-	-	943	- 945	944
	FD	C	2	10	322.0	- 329.2	323.4	6	-	-	-	1053	- 1063	1061
		C	3	1	358.2	- 358.2	358.2	N/Q	663	- 663	663	1182	- 1182	1182

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330-400	FD	C	2	8	295.2	- 335.0	325.9	33	-			1173	- 1208	1178
	RS	C	2	3	316.0	- 316.0	316.0	N/Q	-			1106	- 1106	1106
400+		C	3	3	281.0	- 321.2	294.4	N/Q	511	- 574	532	1349	- 1478	1392
	FD	C	3	4	294.2	- 294.2	294.2	N/Q	-			1353	- 1353	1353
				<b>58</b>	<b>281.0</b>	<b>358.2</b>			<b>511</b>	<b>663</b>		<b>739</b>	<b>1478</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
400-500	RS	C	2	3	280.0	- 293.2	284.4	N/Q	-			1319	- 1400	1373
	FD	C	3	1	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-			1450	- 1450	1450
500-600		C	4	3	281.2	- 281.2	281.2	-3	511	- 511	511	1462	- 1462	1462
600-750		C	4	11	276.0	- 291.2	289.8	3	502	- 530	527	1932	- 1951	1949
750+		C	4	4	287.2	- 287.2	287.2	N/Q	522	- 522	522	2183	- 2183	2183
				<b>22</b>	<b>276.0</b>	<b>293.2</b>			<b>502</b>	<b>530</b>		<b>1319</b>	<b>2183</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540		C	3	8	253.2	- 298.2	280.3	N/Q	478	- 552	523	1089	- 1431	1330
	FD	C	3	2	282.0	- 282.0	282.0	N/Q	-			1410	- 1410	1410
540+		C	4	1	257.2	- 257.2	257.2	N/Q	485	- 485	485	1543	- 1543	1543
				<b>11</b>	<b>253.2</b>	<b>298.2</b>			<b>478</b>	<b>552</b>		<b>1089</b>	<b>1543</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	2	4	188.2	- 188.2	188.2	-26	418	- 418	418	715	- 715	715
	RS	D	2	14	209.2	- 218.0	212.3	2	-			795	- 872	822
400-520	RS	D	2	4	213.2	- 223.0	220.6	9	-			959	- 1004	992
		D	2	24	210.2	- 224.2	219.2	9	465	- 487	475	946	- 1027	1004
		D	3	21	228.0	- 238.0	231.5	8	475	- 496	483	1068	- 1186	1124
		D	4	17	233.2	- 238.0	235.6	6	466	- 486	472	1142	- 1238	1211
520+		D	4	6	239.2	- 245.2	241.7	12	469	- 484	476	1332	- 1674	1550
		D	5	3	213.2	- 213.2	213.2	-7	418	- 418	418	1279	- 1279	1279
				<b>93</b>	<b>188.2</b>	<b>245.2</b>			<b>418</b>	<b>496</b>		<b>715</b>	<b>1674</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450	RS	C	2	4	293.0	- 294.2	293.3	N/Q	-			1118	- 1319	1268
		C	2	1	227.0	- 227.0	227.0	N/Q	437	- 437	437	908	- 908	908
450-600		C	2	6	257.2	- 273.2	263.0	N/Q	468	- 506	483	1352	- 1639	1534
	RS	C	2	3	273.2	- 273.2	273.2	N/Q	-			1503	- 1503	1503
600+		C	2	12	242.2	- 298.2	272.0	N/Q	449	- 523	491	1695	- 2415	1967
				<b>26</b>	<b>227.0</b>	<b>298.2</b>			<b>437</b>	<b>523</b>		<b>908</b>	<b>2415</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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