

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Yarding Change 900
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Numbers halved in a mixed quality yarding which was offered to the regular turnout of domestic and export buyers. Young cattle were the majority with limited numbers of yearlings suitable for lot feeding or restocking. Lotfeeder buyers were in attendance and local restockers were also operating on plainer lines.

The regular contingent of buyers competed strongly over a mixed quality offering of grass finished and supplementary fed stock. Prices for medium weight trade steers sold up to 18c dearer while the heifer portion sold to a dearer trend of 9c/kg mostly due to the limited availability of stock. Feeder steers sold to a smaller group of buyer's prices rising up to 9c/kg. Vealers were in reasonable supply and quality improved from the previous sale. Southern and Northern buyers were keen to fill their quotas which resulted in prices lifting 10c to 22c/kg. The B muscled steers and heifers ranged in price from 220c to 258c/kg.

A reduced selection of 250 grown cattle sold to a regular gallery of buyer's heavy steers and bullocks sold 15c to 17c/kg dearer due to the improved quality of the previous sale. Heavy bullocks sold to an average price of 188.4c while milk and two teeth heavy steers between 500 to 600kg reached a top price of 207.2c/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
Vealer Steer														
200-280		C	2	3	220.2	- 220.2	220.2	N/Q	408	- 408	408	551	- 551	551
	RS	C	2	5	200.2	- 200.2	200.2	-26	-	-	-	507	- 507	507
280-330		B	2	17	232.0	- 258.0	243.3	14	414	- 461	435	742	- 839	797
		C	2	2	219.2	- 219.2	219.2	N/Q	406	- 406	406	647	- 647	647
	RS	C	2	2	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	N/Q	-	-	-	760	- 760	760
	FD	C	2	6	212.2	- 212.2	212.2	7	-	-	-	622	- 622	622
330+		B	2	93	220.0	- 252.0	239.1	22	393	- 457	431	760	- 1170	948
		C	2	2	215.0	- 215.0	215.0	N/Q	384	- 384	384	742	- 742	742
	FD	C	2	12	210.0	- 211.2	210.8	N/C	-	-	-	767	- 830	814
		C	3	31	208.0	- 236.0	225.2	15	391	- 449	422	826	- 979	871
				173	200.2	258.0	232.2		384	461	428	507	1170	871
Vealer Heifer														
280-330		B	2	36	222.0	- 254.2	235.6	21	396	- 454	425	682	- 821	738
		C	2	30	208.6	- 225.0	218.6	17	394	- 425	414	642	- 693	663
	FD	C	2	5	204.2	- 204.2	204.2	8	-	-	-	602	- 602	602
	RS	C	2	5	218.0	- 218.0	218.0	N/Q	-	-	-	719	- 719	719
		C	3	10	223.2	- 224.0	223.7	22	413	- 423	419	690	- 732	707
		C	4	4	186.2	- 186.2	186.2	N/Q	351	- 351	351	577	- 577	577
330+		B	2	39	233.2	- 251.2	243.9	31	416	- 460	441	820	- 956	875
	FD	C	2	4	215.0	- 215.0	215.0	10	-	-	-	720	- 720	720
		C	2	4	212.0	- 215.0	213.5	N/Q	393	- 406	399	710	- 823	767
		C	3	9	213.0	- 235.2	222.4	10	398	- 424	409	763	- 858	805
				146	186.2	254.2	228.5		351	460	422	577	956	752
Yearling Steer														
330-400	FD	C	2	13	207.0	- 216.2	211.6	20	-	-	-	814	- 832	823
		C	3	2	209.2	- 209.2	209.2	N/Q	395	- 395	395	774	- 774	774

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400+		B	3	5	223.0	- 223.0	223.0	N/Q	421	- 421	421	1004	- 1004	1004
	FD	C	2	28	192.0	- 205.4	199.0	9	-	-	-	837	- 1011	918
	RS	C	2	5	193.0	- 193.0	193.0	20	-	-	-	793	- 793	793
		C	3	89	177.2	- 231.2	206.8	18	334	- 436	390	815	- 1066	929
	FD	C	3	5	192.0	- 192.0	192.0	-7	-	-	-	854	- 854	854
		D	3	4	186.0	- 186.0	186.0	28	351	- 351	351	917	- 917	917
				151	177.2	231.2	204.8		334	436	390	774	1066	911
Yearling Heifer														
0-330		C	2	12	182.2	- 182.2	182.2	N/Q	337	- 337	337	461	- 461	461
330-400	FD	C	2	23	175.2	- 184.0	179.8	-30	-	-	-	699	- 714	707
	RS	C	2	3	178.2	- 178.2	178.2	N/Q	-	-	-	652	- 652	652
		C	3	13	175.6	- 195.0	186.0	4	331	- 361	347	692	- 701	696
400+		C	3	21	171.2	- 196.2	183.3	9	323	- 370	346	794	- 879	840
				72	171.2	196.2	182.3		323	370	344	461	879	700
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	3	30	172.0	- 194.0	182.6	13	325	- 366	345	787	- 970	839
500-600		C	3	95	174.2	- 207.2	195.0	17	329	- 384	365	888	- 1184	1069
		C	4	4	182.0	- 182.0	182.0	27	343	- 343	343	1026	- 1026	1026
600-750		C	4	25	177.2	- 205.0	188.4	15	328	- 380	349	1150	- 1240	1178
	RS	C	4	3	174.0	- 174.0	174.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1070	- 1070	1070
750+		C	4	4	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	330	- 330	330	1370	- 1370	1370
		D	3	2	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	N/Q	314	- 314	314	1288	- 1288	1288
				163	166.2	207.2	190.2		314	384	357	787	1370	1053
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	11	178.0	- 178.0	178.0	28	336	- 336	336	860	- 860	860
		C	4	42	177.2	- 185.0	182.1	12	334	- 349	344	895	- 971	953
		D	3	7	155.0	- 160.0	157.1	9	293	- 302	297	600	- 608	604
540+		C	3	3	186.2	- 186.2	186.2	N/Q	351	- 351	351	1030	- 1030	1030
		C	4	17	166.0	- 184.6	173.8	23	313	- 348	328	1017	- 1061	1029
		D	4	3	156.0	- 156.0	156.0	N/Q	294	- 294	294	881	- 881	881
				83	155.0	186.2	177.0		293	351	334	600	1061	927
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540		D	2	19	171.2	- 171.2	171.2	45	329	- 329	329	813	- 813	813
		D	3	7	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	298	- 298	298	793	- 793	793
540+		D	3	5	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	12	304	- 304	304	874	- 874	874
		D	4	2	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	311	- 311	311	1370	- 1370	1370
		D	5	1	112.2	- 112.2	112.2	N/Q	224	- 224	224	1206	- 1206	1206
				34	112.2	171.2	164.4		224	329	315	793	1370	862
Cows														
520+		D	4	5	153.0	- 153.0	153.0	11	294	- 294	294	982	- 982	982
				5	153.0	153.0	153.0		294	294	294	982	982	982
Bulls														
0-450		B	2	2	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	375	- 375	375	914	- 914	914
		C	2	8	175.0	- 208.2	193.9	N/Q	324	- 393	354	665	- 874	739
450-600		C	2	2	175.6	- 175.6	175.6	N/Q	308	- 308	308	852	- 852	852

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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

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