

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Numbers declined marginally and quality was mixed, with very few prime cattle offered. A large run of Bos Indicus calves were yarded, whilst vealers were better supplied. Yearlings were more suited to feed and restocking orders. Grown steer and bullock numbers were back by half and there were just over 200 cows offered to a full field of buyers. Most categories eased with the exception of the better vealers and light yearlings.

Trade vealers ranged from 195c to 234c for the light and medium weights and the heavy butcher vealers reached 243c/kg. Restocking steers ranged from 224c to 234c/kg. Medium weight yearling feeder steers eased 2c averaging 213c/kg. Heavy trade steers eased 12c, ranging from 201c to 223c/kg. The better medium weights reached 236c/kg. Heifers lost 7c selling from 180c to 207c but medium weights gained 4c ranging from 185c to 235c/kg.

Heavy grown steers held firm, while bullocks eased 6c/kg. Prices ranged from 184c to 207c/kg. The lighter grown steers gained 7c to range from 192c and 205c/kg. Most cows slipped 10c and the heavier, higher yielding cows were back only 2c to 3c, with the medium and heavy 3 and 4 scores ranging between 145c and 174.2c/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		C	2	3	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	510	- 510	510	195	- 195	195
				3	260.0	260.0	260.0		510	510	510	195	195	195
Vealer Steer														
0-200		C	2	28	229.2	- 262.2	233.9	N/Q	424	- 495	435	393	- 413	410
	RS	C	2	5	224.2	- 224.2	224.2	N/Q	-	-	-	415	- 415	415
	RS	D	2	9	224.2	- 224.2	224.2	N/Q	-	-	-	370	- 370	370
200-280	RS	C	1	7	223.0	- 223.0	223.0	N/Q	-	-	-	602	- 602	602
	RS	C	2	1	232.2	- 232.2	232.2	N/Q	-	-	-	604	- 604	604
		C	2	30	195.2	- 234.2	211.0	-13	368	- 434	395	468	- 609	515
	FD	C	2	1	232.2	- 232.2	232.2	N/Q	-	-	-	627	- 627	627
280-330	FD	C	2	7	232.2	- 232.2	232.2	N/Q	-	-	-	743	- 743	743
		C	2	6	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	407	- 407	407	704	- 704	704
	RS	C	2	13	190.0	- 230.2	225.0	N/Q	-	-	-	608	- 737	697
		C	3	4	229.2	- 230.0	229.8	N/Q	417	- 418	418	733	- 736	735
330+		C	3	13	210.0	- 243.2	233.6	N/Q	382	- 459	435	704	- 876	804
				124	190.0	262.2	224.8		368	495	417	370	876	562
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	C	2	4	192.0	- 205.0	195.3	-25	-	-	-	326	- 359	334
200-280	RS	C	2	12	229.6	- 229.6	229.6	N/Q	-	-	-	528	- 528	528
		C	2	30	211.2	- 238.0	226.3	20	406	- 441	427	545	- 619	553
		C	3	7	205.2	- 231.2	213.2	N/Q	380	- 428	395	507	- 570	554
		D	2	3	175.6	- 200.0	191.9	5	351	- 392	379	457	- 500	486
280-330		C	2	6	236.6	- 236.6	236.6	32	438	- 438	438	686	- 686	686
	RS	C	2	5	208.6	- 208.6	208.6	N/Q	-	-	-	595	- 595	595
		C	3	5	220.0	- 244.2	237.4	22	407	- 444	435	660	- 781	741
330+		C	3	12	210.0	- 215.2	214.8	-10	389	- 391	391	735	- 742	742

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
				84	175.6	244.2	221.7		351	444	416	326	781	587
Yearling Steer														
0-330		C	2	22	185.2	- 230.0	215.2	20	356	- 442	413	559	- 715	609
	FD	C	2	22	210.0	- 226.3	223.2	17	-	-	-	641	- 724	706
	RS	C	2	13	205.0	- 225.2	215.9	-11	-	-	-	608	- 666	635
	FD	C	3	2	229.2	- 229.2	229.2	N/Q	-	-	-	745	- 745	745
		D	2	2	175.2	- 175.2	175.2	N/Q	350	- 350	350	543	- 543	543
330-400		B	3	3	236.0	- 236.0	236.0	N/Q	429	- 429	429	897	- 897	897
	FD	C	2	120	192.0	- 227.2	213.3	-2	-	-	-	691	- 867	780
	RS	C	2	6	180.0	- 209.6	192.2	-39	-	-	-	630	- 757	715
	FD	C	3	10	188.2	- 228.0	211.6	N/Q	-	-	-	696	- 866	769
		C	3	15	216.2	- 232.2	222.6	N/Q	400	- 422	409	757	- 836	788
		D	2	6	155.0	- 168.0	165.8	N/Q	298	- 323	319	550	- 571	568
	FD	D	2	2	173.2	- 181.2	177.2	N/Q	-	-	-	606	- 616	611
	RS	D	2	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	-	621	- 621	621
400+	FD	C	2	44	197.0	- 209.2	201.2	1	-	-	-	827	- 912	862
	RS	C	2	21	190.0	- 200.2	194.4	N/Q	-	-	-	798	- 941	859
	FD	C	3	15	200.0	- 220.2	214.7	-1	-	-	-	878	- 969	955
		C	3	92	201.0	- 223.2	209.0	-12	372	- 406	385	867	- 1092	967
		C	4	1	205.6	- 205.6	205.6	N/Q	381	- 381	381	946	- 946	946
				397	155.0	236.0	209.8		298	442	390	543	1092	820
Yearling Heifer														
0-330		C	1	3	201.2	- 201.2	201.2	N/Q	395	- 395	395	543	- 543	543
		C	2	7	190.0	- 220.0	210.3	11	359	- 423	404	494	- 576	558
	FD	C	2	21	192.0	- 208.2	201.4	1	-	-	-	624	- 666	648
	RS	C	2	11	183.2	- 205.0	199.9	-1	-	-	-	595	- 629	619
		C	3	7	222.2	- 222.2	222.2	2	412	- 412	412	711	- 711	711
		D	2	22	140.0	- 195.6	177.5	-16	280	- 391	347	422	- 560	510
	RS	D	2	10	191.6	- 191.6	191.6	7	-	-	-	613	- 613	613
330-400	RS	C	2	28	189.2	- 215.0	205.4	N/Q	-	-	-	653	- 753	726
	FD	C	2	125	180.0	- 215.0	199.0	-20	-	-	-	629	- 772	709
		C	2	1	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	N/Q	368	- 368	368	702	- 702	702
		C	3	91	185.0	- 235.2	215.9	4	343	- 428	397	659	- 858	778
	RS	D	2	4	144.2	- 144.2	144.2	-34	-	-	-	526	- 526	526
		D	3	2	172.0	- 175.0	173.5	N/Q	325	- 330	327	654	- 656	655
400+		C	2	18	179.2	- 179.2	179.2	N/Q	345	- 345	345	753	- 753	753
	FD	C	2	11	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	-5	-	-	-	796	- 796	796
		C	3	49	180.0	- 205.0	193.8	-7	340	- 378	360	796	- 900	850
	RS	C	3	2	207.0	- 207.0	207.0	N/Q	-	-	-	849	- 849	849
		C	4	3	192.0	- 195.0	193.7	-29	353	- 356	354	902	- 1053	963
		D	2	5	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	330	- 330	330	701	- 701	701
		D	3	15	169.6	- 185.0	175.3	N/Q	320	- 343	330	712	- 777	736
		D	4	5	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	343	- 343	343	814	- 814	814
				440	140.0	235.2	198.6		280	428	372	422	1053	726
Grown Steer														

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
400-500		C	2	44	168.0	- 193.2	189.2	10	323	- 365	356	756	- 908	876	
	FD	C	2	51	192.0	- 205.0	200.2	7	-	-	-	787	- 961	901	
	FD	C	3	7	210.6	- 210.6	210.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1011	- 1011	1011	
		C	3	24	189.6	- 201.2	192.7	-1	352	- 373	358	910	- 926	920	
		C	4	3	175.0	- 185.0	178.3	N/Q	324	- 343	330	788	- 851	809	
		D	2	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	250	- 250	250	533	- 533	533	
		D	3	2	174.0	- 174.0	174.0	N/Q	328	- 328	328	827	- 827	827	
500-600		C	2	32	184.2	- 187.2	186.0	-3	341	- 353	351	958	- 1037	1032	
		C	3	84	190.0	- 207.2	200.5	N/C	346	- 384	368	988	- 1140	1075	
		D	4	2	198.0	- 198.0	198.0	N/Q	360	- 360	360	1129	- 1129	1129	
600-750		C	3	13	190.2	- 195.0	191.7	-8	346	- 355	349	1209	- 1388	1333	
		C	4	16	190.0	- 201.2	196.4	-6	349	- 371	358	1178	- 1361	1225	
		C	5	11	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	336	- 336	336	1295	- 1295	1295	
750+		C	4	9	190.2	- 190.2	190.2	N/Q	346	- 346	346	1522	- 1522	1522	
				299	130.0	210.6	194.7		250	384	357	533	1522	1032	
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	2	1	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	310	- 310	310	711	- 711	711	
		C	3	43	165.0	- 199.0	188.0	3	311	- 369	353	693	- 1024	888	
		C	4	7	191.6	- 191.6	191.6	N/Q	355	- 355	355	977	- 977	977	
		RS	D	1	1	104.2	- 104.2	104.2	N/Q	-	-	-	354	- 354	354
		RS	D	2	2	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	-	-	-	651	- 651	651
			D	2	11	145.0	- 148.0	147.2	15	284	- 308	292	555	- 651	616
			D	3	57	140.0	- 184.6	174.0	5	275	- 351	330	588	- 884	800
			D	4	12	193.2	- 193.2	193.2	N/Q	365	- 365	365	1005	- 1005	1005
540+		D	3	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	321	- 321	321	952	- 952	952	
				135	104.2	199.0	177.9		275	369	339	354	1024	836	
Manufacturing Steer															
0-540		C	2	2	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	N/Q	317	- 317	317	874	- 874	874	
		C	3	3	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	324	- 324	324	928	- 928	928	
				5	168.0	175.0	172.2		317	324	321	874	928	906	
Cows															
0-400		D	1	2	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	N/Q	303	- 303	303	504	- 504	504	
		RS	D	2	1	135.2	- 135.2	135.2	N/Q	-	-	-	460	- 460	460
		E	1	2	70.0	- 70.0	70.0	N/Q	156	- 156	156	266	- 266	266	
400-520		RS	D	1	5	137.0	- 137.0	137.0	N/Q	-	-	-	630	- 630	630
			D	1	7	115.0	- 129.2	127.2	-4	250	- 275	271	541	- 594	587
			D	2	23	138.0	- 152.2	145.2	-10	288	- 317	300	595	- 755	700
		RS	D	2	10	148.6	- 148.6	148.6	N/Q	-	-	-	758	- 758	758
		RS	D	3	6	157.2	- 157.2	157.2	N/Q	-	-	-	723	- 723	723
			D	3	41	144.0	- 158.0	149.8	-10	285	- 316	299	657	- 822	726
			D	4	1	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	324	- 324	324	842	- 842	842
520+		C	4	2	170.0	- 172.0	171.0	N/Q	327	- 337	332	1101	- 1105	1103	
			D	2	21	148.0	- 148.2	148.1	N/Q	308	- 309	309	799	- 830	820
			D	3	14	152.0	- 169.2	156.0	-11	304	- 332	312	851	- 1008	879

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		D	4	60	161.0	- 174.2	166.1	-2	316	- 342	326	919	- 1224	1084
		D	5	3	140.0	- 165.0	156.7	N/Q	280	- 324	309	938	- 1122	1061
			198		70.0	174.2	152.9		156	342	308	266	1224	848
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	1	1	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	N/Q	-			616	- 616	616
	RS	C	2	1	236.0	- 236.0	236.0	N/Q	-			401	- 401	401
		C	2	19	180.2	- 214.2	187.1	20	334	- 404	347	375	- 577	560
	RS	C	3	1	196.0	- 196.0	196.0	N/Q	-			637	- 637	637
		C	3	9	206.2	- 206.2	206.2	N/Q	375	- 375	375	742	- 742	742
450-600		C	1	7	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	279	- 279	279	870	- 870	870
		C	2	17	145.0	- 189.0	167.9	11	274	- 344	307	667	- 942	864
	RS	C	2	1	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	-			877	- 877	877
		C	3	11	202.0	- 202.0	202.0	N/Q	361	- 361	361	1101	- 1101	1101
		D	2	2	135.0	- 144.2	139.6	N/Q	260	- 272	266	648	- 764	706
600+		B	2	2	182.2	- 190.0	186.1	N/Q	314	- 317	315	1786	- 1862	1824
		B	3	1	175.6	- 175.6	175.6	N/Q	303	- 303	303	1774	- 1774	1774
		C	1	5	138.6	- 164.2	146.5	N/Q	262	- 293	272	918	- 1346	1110
		C	2	11	150.2	- 165.2	162.0	-5	273	- 300	294	1123	- 1402	1179
		C	3	3	176.0	- 176.0	176.0	N/Q	314	- 314	314	1126	- 1126	1126
		D	2	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	264	- 264	264	1050	- 1050	1050
			92		135.0	236.0	176.9		260	404	322	375	1862	897

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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