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Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Yarding 665 comparison date 14/10/2011

It was a slightly larger quite good quality yarding containing 628 beef and pastoral bred cows together with a small varying quality yarding of 29 bulls. All sold to steady South East and Victorian processor competition from most of the regular buyers in a sale that tended to ebb and flow. This only led to some sales being basically unchanged and others cheaper. Restocker orders were also active on plain quality medium weight beef cows.

A small number of heifers sold from 156c to 170c, to be 8c/kg cheaper.

The D2 medium weight cows to processor and restocker activity sold from 130c to 152c to be averaging 6c/kg dearer. However, D3 to C6 medium and heavy beef cows sold from 148c to 172c to vary from 1c dearer particularly on larger good quality lines, and 3c to 6c/kg cheaper on the balance as most sold in a 270c to 315c/kg cwt price range. A few pastoral breds sold from 154c to 158c at slightly dearer levels. These was a pen of Friesians selling at 142c/kg. Medium and heavy bulls to Victorian processor inquiry sold from 150c to 180c to be generally unchanged to 5c/kg cheaper.

Category Weight	Sale Prefix	Muscle Score	Fat Score	Head	Live Weight c/kg						d Carcase t c/kg		Estimated \$/Head		
					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	Hi	gh Avg	Low	High	Avg	
Grown He	ifer														
0-540		С	2	4	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	315	- 3	21 319	748 -	791	759	
		D	3	3	156.0	- 162.0	160.0	-8	297	- 3	9 305	718 -	770	752	
				7	156.0	170.0	165.7		297	3	21 313	718	791	756	
Cows															
400-520		С	4	1	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	313	- 3	13 313	894 -	894	894	
		D	1	2	118.0	- 118.0	118.0	N/Q	268	- 2	58 268	531 -	531	531	
	RS	D	1	6	134.0	- 134.0	134.0	N/Q		-		563 -	563	563	
	RS	D	2	12	143.0	- 146.0	145.3	4		-		642 -	644	643	
		D	2	74	130.0	- 152.0	147.6	8	287	- 3	36 319	626 -	790	709	
		D	3	18	150.0	- 155.0	153.3	-4	317	- 3	23 320	707 -	785	754	
	PC	D	3	6	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	3	316	- 3	16 316	735 -	735	735	
	PC	D	4	7	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	301	- 3	301	751 -	751	751	
		Е	2	3	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	233	- 2	33 233	475 -	475	475	
		Е	3	2	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	283	- 2	33 283	618 -	618	618	
		Е	4	4	115.0	- 130.0	122.5	N/Q	250	- 2	77 263	575 -	676	626	
520+		С	4	61	164.0	- 170.0	168.1	-4	32	- 3	15 294	952 -	1082	998	
		С	5	35	162.0	- 164.0	163.4	-9	300	- 3	303	951 -	1017	1011	
		С	6	46	162.0	- 165.0	163.6	-6	291	- 3	03 297	1089 -	1214	1147	
	RS	D	1	2	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q		-		672 -	672	672	
	DA	D	2	13	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	4	296	- 2	96 296	880 -	880	880	
		D	2	1	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	294	- 2	94 294	729 -	729	729	
		D	3	62	148.0	- 158.0	152.7	-5	298	- 3	24 308	799 -	918	839	
	PC	D	3	4	154.0	- 158.0	156.0	N/Q	304	- 3	08 306	832 -	1043	937	
		D	4	163	155.0	- 164.0	160.2	-6	297	- 3	19 307	842 -	943	895	
	PC	D	4	5	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	298	- 2	98 298	837 -	837	837	
		D	5	38	161.0	- 162.0	161.8	1	300	- 3	07 301	926 -	1004	990	
		D	6	49	145.0	- 158.0	153.9	-3	269	- 2	37 279	870 -	1178	1099	

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
		Е	3	11	116.0	- 116.0	116.0	N/Q	252	-	252	252	655 -	655	655
		Е	6	3	108.0	- 108.0	108.0	8	204	-	204	204	713 -	713	713
				628	100.0	172.0	155.6		32		336	301	475	1214	896
Bulls															
450-600		В	1	2	160.0	- 170.0	165.0	N/Q	286	-	304	295	864 -	884	874
		С	1	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	291	-	291	291	800 -	800	800
600+		Α	1	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	310	-	310	310	1368 -	1368	1368
		В	1	5	170.0	- 180.0	176.4	1	301	-	313	309	1332 -	1632	1435
		В	2	6	165.0	- 178.0	173.8	-5	290	-	308	300	1320 -	1958	1795
		В	3	3	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	-1	300	-	308	303	1908 -	1944	1932
		С	2	5	156.0	- 156.0	156.0	-6	284	-	284	284	1030 -	1030	1030
	PC	С	2	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	286	-	286	286	1056 -	1056	1056
	DA	С	2	4	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	289	-	289	289	1050 -	1050	1050
		С	4	1	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	285	-	285	285	1766 -	1766	1766
				29	150.0	180.0	166.9		284		313	296	800	1958	1373

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 Disclaimer:

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