

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Yarding Change ²⁰¹⁰
145

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Quality overall improved and numbers lifted for a yarding consisting of some good runs of younger steers suitable for lot feeder and restocker orders. Vealers were scarce, while the yearlings were well supplied. Only few numbers of grown steers and heifers were penned with around 280 cows in the market. The market trend was dearer.

Light and medium weight yearling steers to lot feeder and restocker orders lifted 6c to 8c to sell from 218c to 248c/kg. The better finished heavy weights to feeder orders gained 4c as the best reached 219c with those to restockers topping at 226c/kg. Yearling heifers improved 2c to 4c as the lighter weights to feeders ranged from 200c to 215c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers to the trade ranged from 185c to 224c/kg.

Medium weight steers to lot feeders sold to strong competition, while the heavy weights to slaughter remained at similar values with the best younger pens topping at 205c/kg. The heifer portion gained 5c to reach 190c/kg although quality also improved marginally compared to the last market.

Cows continued the dearer trend to remain firm to 4c/kg dearer. The plainer D2 cows averaged 146c, while the 3 and 4 scores ranged from 148c to 175c/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	RS	C	1	3	308.0	- 310.0	308.7	-1	-	-	-	139	- 155	144
		C	2	1	262.0	- 262.0	262.0	N/Q	524	- 524	524	210	- 210	210
80+		C	2	3	250.2	- 250.2	250.2	30	481	- 481	481	350	- 350	350
				7	250.2	310.0	277.0		481	524	492	139	350	242
Vealer Steer														
200-280	RS	C	2	9	248.2	- 250.6	249.3	17	-	-	-	551	- 571	562
280-330	RS	C	2	15	236.2	- 254.0	251.6	7	-	-	-	673	- 762	750
		C	3	6	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	407	- 407	407	627	- 627	627
	RS	C	3	21	259.2	- 259.2	259.2	N/Q	-	-	-	829	- 829	829
330+		C	3	1	226.2	- 226.2	226.2	N/Q	404	- 404	404	927	- 927	927
				52	220.0	259.2	250.1		404	407	407	551	927	739
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	D	2	4	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	-	-	-	297	- 297	297
200-280	RS	C	2	4	213.0	- 213.0	213.0	N/Q	-	-	-	533	- 533	533
	FD	C	2	14	209.6	- 217.2	216.1	9	-	-	-	545	- 586	581
		C	2	4	215.0	- 233.2	228.7	18	414	- 440	433	516	- 606	584
	FD	D	2	3	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	N/Q	-	-	-	429	- 429	429
280-330	FD	C	2	9	217.2	- 217.2	217.2	19	-	-	-	619	- 619	619
				38	165.0	233.2	210.3		414	440	434	297	619	543
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	17	225.0	- 228.2	226.9	3	-	-	-	675	- 742	714
	RS	C	2	23	230.0	- 240.0	234.6	7	-	-	-	644	- 765	700
	DA	D	1	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	283	- 283	283	416	- 416	416
	RS	D	2	1	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	-	-	-	528	- 528	528
330-400	FD	C	2	250	218.0	- 232.0	226.0	6	-	-	-	747	- 881	820

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400+	RS	C	2	102	223.2	- 248.0	236.0	9	-	-	-	776	- 897	834
	RS	C	3	1	219.6	- 219.6	219.6	N/Q	-	-	-	834	- 834	834
		B	3	1	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	411	- 411	411	966	- 966	966
	FD	C	2	113	203.2	- 217.8	212.6	-5	-	-	-	842	- 925	886
	RS	C	3	9	215.2	- 226.0	222.4	N/Q	-	-	-	882	- 949	929
		C	3	7	210.0	- 230.0	220.7	-2	382	- 411	401	882	- 966	938
	FD	C	3	112	210.0	- 219.2	216.0	4	-	-	-	920	- 951	934
				637	130.0	248.0	223.4		283	411	389	416	966	849
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	FD	C	2	56	207.2	- 215.2	211.4	2	-	-	-	591	- 679	657
	RS	C	2	10	210.6	- 213.6	211.8	18	-	-	-	632	- 684	652
	RS	D	2	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	-	442	- 442	442
	FD	D	3	3	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	-	-	-	608	- 608	608
330-400		C	2	1	201.6	- 201.6	201.6	N/Q	395	- 395	395	766	- 766	766
	RS	C	2	22	212.2	- 212.2	212.2	2	-	-	-	721	- 721	721
	FD	C	2	205	200.0	- 213.0	208.9	3	-	-	-	697	- 816	752
	FD	C	3	10	204.2	- 210.0	205.4	-3	-	-	-	714	- 735	731
		C	3	9	211.2	- 226.0	213.7	1	399	- 419	402	739	- 814	765
400+		B	2	1	222.2	- 222.2	222.2	N/Q	412	- 412	412	911	- 911	911
	FD	C	2	16	202.0	- 204.6	204.3	10	-	-	-	818	- 849	845
	FD	C	3	23	187.2	- 209.0	201.1	5	-	-	-	786	- 838	825
		C	3	36	185.0	- 224.0	207.2	2	356	- 407	391	796	- 941	858
				393	170.0	226.0	208.5		356	419	394	442	941	751
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	2	64	180.2	- 211.0	191.4	6	-	-	-	783	- 865	823
	FD	C	3	20	198.0	- 208.0	203.2	-4	-	-	-	861	- 911	890
		C	3	13	188.0	- 192.0	190.2	-2	348	- 349	349	865	- 883	875
		D	2	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	300	- 300	300	615	- 615	615
500-600		C	3	100	182.0	- 200.2	196.2	-3	337	- 364	355	965	- 1170	1067
		C	4	19	198.2	- 202.0	198.7	N/C	354	- 361	355	1111	- 1146	1130
600-750		C	4	13	187.0	- 205.0	195.0	N/C	340	- 360	348	1141	- 1251	1212
		C	5	12	169.6	- 169.6	169.6	N/Q	314	- 314	314	1187	- 1187	1187
				242	150.0	211.0	193.8		300	364	351	615	1251	995
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	2	3	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	354	- 354	354	697	- 697	697
	FD	C	2	10	165.0	- 174.2	167.8	N/Q	-	-	-	701	- 714	705
	FD	C	3	17	187.0	- 187.0	187.0	7	-	-	-	776	- 776	776
		C	3	72	175.0	- 190.0	183.9	6	350	- 372	364	770	- 1007	884
		C	4	18	172.0	- 187.0	175.5	-13	344	- 360	349	792	- 972	883
		D	3	1	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/C	344	- 344	344	677	- 677	677
540+		C	4	7	176.6	- 180.0	177.4	N/Q	353	- 357	354	989	- 1161	1027
				128	165.0	190.0	181.0		344	372	360	677	1161	857
Manufacturing Steer														
540+	DA	D	2	8	166.0	- 166.0	166.0	N/Q	346	- 346	346	1013	- 1013	1013
				8	166.0	166.0	166.0		346	346	346	1013	1013	1013

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Cows														
400-520		D	1	2	127.2	- 127.2	127.2	N/Q	335	- 335	335	534	- 534	534
		D	2	24	140.2	- 150.2	146.4	-4	334	- 358	349	577	- 750	653
	RS	D	2	6	149.6	- 149.6	149.6	N/Q	-			600	- 600	600
		D	3	37	148.0	- 162.0	156.9	4	315	- 338	331	622	- 810	768
		D	5	2	156.0	- 156.0	156.0	N/Q	332	- 332	332	702	- 702	702
520+	RS	E	1	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	-			420	- 420	420
		C	3	13	169.0	- 175.0	169.9	N/C	331	- 343	333	930	- 1138	964
		C	4	1	168.2	- 168.2	168.2	N/Q	336	- 336	336	1144	- 1144	1144
		D	2	1	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	345	- 345	345	761	- 761	761
	DA	D	2	3	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	-5	340	- 340	340	774	- 774	774
		D	3	35	155.0	- 167.0	163.4	5	323	- 341	338	843	- 923	882
		D	4	83	152.0	- 168.0	164.4	4	323	- 350	338	848	- 1073	951
		D	5	19	140.0	- 160.2	156.6	3	298	- 334	328	896	- 1061	985
		D	6	1	120.2	- 120.2	120.2	N/Q	267	- 267	267	661	- 661	661
					228	100.0	175.0	159.2		267	358	336	420	1144
Bulls														
0-450		B	2	1	171.2	- 171.2	171.2	N/Q	295	- 295	295	702	- 702	702
		C	2	8	153.0	- 155.0	153.8	-5	273	- 287	276	513	- 651	551
450-600		C	2	3	159.2	- 168.0	164.1	N/C	284	- 300	293	776	- 924	874
600+		A	2	1	195.2	- 195.2	195.2	N/Q	315	- 315	315	1972	- 1972	1972
	RS	B	2	1	177.6	- 177.6	177.6	N/Q	-			1332	- 1332	1332
		B	2	13	165.0	- 180.0	173.9	3	285	- 310	300	1295	- 1892	1513
		C	2	3	155.0	- 165.0	161.7	7	277	- 295	289	961	- 1386	1222
				30	153.0	195.2	167.1		273	315	292	513	1972	1146

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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