

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Warwick

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With only scattered falls of rain in the supply area numbers still fell by 20%. Overall quality was generally good, and most of the usual buyers were in attendance and operating. Values improved for a number of classes of young cattle, however heavy yearling steers to feed experienced very little change in price. Heavy steers and bullocks sold to a dearer trend, and cows lifted in value by 4c to 5c/kg.

A fair sample of yearling steers sold to restockers at 243c with a couple of pens to 246.2c/kg. Vealer heifers generally sold in the 220c/kg range with a few sales to 237.2c/kg. Medium weight C2 yearling steers to feed averaged around 10c dearer at 220c, while the better conditioned lines mostly sold around 227c with sales to 236.2c/kg. Heavy weights to feed averaged 193c and made to 205.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed sold from 192c to 209c, and heavyweights to the trade averaged 193c and made to 207.2c/kg.

Heavy steers to export slaughter made to 195.6c to average 189c, and a relatively good supply of bullocks averaged similar money to make to 194.8c/kg.

Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 132c, and 3 scores 144c/kg. Good heavy cows averaged 4c dearer at 165c with a few very heavy classes making to 175.6c/kg, returning \$1537/head. Heavy Bulls made to 175c and averaged 167c/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+		C	2	4	222.2	- 230.2	228.2	8	419	- 434	431	367	- 403	394
	RS	C	2	4	239.2	- 239.2	239.2	N/Q	-	-	-	419	- 419	419
	RS	D	2	6	215.2	- 215.2	215.2	N/Q	-	-	-	409	- 420	414
				<b>14</b>	<b>215.2</b>	<b>239.2</b>	<b>225.8</b>		<b>419</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>431</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>420</b>	<b>410</b>
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
200-280		C	2	1	221.2	- 221.2	221.2	N/Q	402	- 402	402	586	- 586	586
	RS	C	2	27	230.2	- 246.2	243.1	-1	-	-	-	518	- 650	601
		D	2	1	185.2	- 185.2	185.2	N/Q	337	- 337	337	491	- 491	491
280-330	RS	C	2	8	231.2	- 240.2	233.5	N/Q	-	-	-	659	- 685	665
		C	2	1	235.0	- 235.0	235.0	N/Q	427	- 427	427	693	- 693	693
	FD	C	2	6	238.2	- 238.2	238.2	N/Q	-	-	-	703	- 703	703
	FD	C	3	3	225.0	- 225.0	225.0	N/Q	-	-	-	664	- 664	664
		C	3	5	224.6	- 224.6	224.6	-10	408	- 408	408	663	- 663	663
330+		C	3	6	236.0	- 236.0	236.0	N/Q	429	- 429	429	861	- 861	861
				<b>58</b>	<b>185.2</b>	<b>246.2</b>	<b>236.5</b>		<b>337</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>491</b>	<b>861</b>	<b>655</b>
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	11	220.2	- 228.2	223.1	N/C	408	- 423	413	495	- 619	547
	FD	C	2	9	229.2	- 233.2	229.6	13	-	-	-	516	- 548	519
		C	3	2	222.2	- 222.2	222.2	N/Q	412	- 412	412	589	- 589	589
		D	2	1	215.2	- 215.2	215.2	N/Q	399	- 399	399	592	- 592	592
	FD	D	2	3	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	-10	-	-	-	468	- 468	468
280-330		C	2	1	233.2	- 233.2	233.2	N/Q	432	- 432	432	665	- 665	665
		C	3	9	227.2	- 235.2	230.5	-10	421	- 436	427	665	- 670	670
330+		C	3	1	237.2	- 237.2	237.2	N/Q	439	- 439	439	795	- 795	795

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
					<b>37</b>	<b>195.0</b>	<b>237.2</b>	<b>224.6</b>		<b>399</b>	<b>439</b>	<b>419</b>	<b>468</b>	<b>795</b>	<b>577</b>
<b>Yearling Steer</b>															
0-330		C	2	1	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	400	- 400	400	517	- 517	517	
	FD	C	2	9	225.0	- 236.2	230.0	2	-	-	-	596	- 779	678	
	RS	C	2	6	238.0	- 238.0	238.0	8	-	-	-	714	- 714	714	
	RS	C	3	19	228.0	- 234.2	231.3	N/Q	-	-	-	536	- 574	556	
	FD	C	3	5	236.2	- 236.2	236.2	N/Q	-	-	-	779	- 779	779	
	FD	D	2	18	179.2	- 214.2	203.5	-2	-	-	-	475	- 560	525	
	RS	D	2	4	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	-10	-	-	-	590	- 590	590	
330-400	FD	C	2	56	204.2	- 235.2	219.9	11	-	-	-	742	- 858	797	
	RS	C	2	2	221.2	- 221.2	221.2	N/Q	-	-	-	807	- 807	807	
	FD	C	3	36	217.2	- 236.2	227.4	N/C	-	-	-	793	- 878	839	
		C	3	8	223.2	- 237.2	226.7	10	406	- 431	412	748	- 795	759	
	FD	D	2	12	187.2	- 205.0	191.2	N/C	-	-	-	627	- 759	670	
	RS	D	3	5	164.2	- 164.2	164.2	N/Q	-	-	-	583	- 583	583	
	FD	D	3	2	206.2	- 206.2	206.2	N/Q	-	-	-	753	- 753	753	
400+	FD	C	2	9	185.2	- 191.2	190.5	6	-	-	-	750	- 813	806	
	RS	C	2	6	197.2	- 197.2	197.2	N/Q	-	-	-	858	- 858	858	
	RS	C	3	18	197.2	- 206.2	201.2	N/Q	-	-	-	799	- 835	815	
	FD	C	3	51	183.6	- 205.2	193.6	2	-	-	-	816	- 919	862	
		C	3	3	196.2	- 198.0	197.4	1	357	- 360	359	971	- 980	977	
					<b>270</b>	<b>164.2</b>	<b>238.0</b>	<b>211.2</b>		<b>357</b>	<b>431</b>	<b>398</b>	<b>475</b>	<b>980</b>	<b>763</b>
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>															
0-330		C	2	9	221.2	- 227.2	223.2	8	410	- 421	413	511	- 630	591	
	FD	C	2	11	195.0	- 214.2	207.0	-3	-	-	-	458	- 626	498	
	FD	D	2	6	197.2	- 197.2	197.2	7	-	-	-	483	- 483	483	
		D	2	6	185.2	- 208.2	204.4	3	343	- 386	379	509	- 510	510	
	RS	D	2	19	187.2	- 214.2	202.7	-12	-	-	-	482	- 562	516	
330-400	FD	C	2	19	185.2	- 208.2	192.7	-4	-	-	-	667	- 718	680	
	FD	C	3	12	206.2	- 210.0	209.4	11	-	-	-	704	- 814	722	
		C	3	2	194.2	- 194.2	194.2	N/Q	360	- 360	360	709	- 709	709	
	RS	C	3	2	200.2	- 200.2	200.2	N/Q	-	-	-	731	- 731	731	
	FD	D	2	9	155.2	- 187.2	173.3	18	-	-	-	520	- 627	581	
	FD	D	3	3	195.2	- 195.2	195.2	16	-	-	-	654	- 654	654	
400+	FD	C	2	2	185.2	- 185.2	185.2	N/Q	-	-	-	787	- 787	787	
	FD	C	3	16	179.2	- 214.2	196.1	15	-	-	-	762	- 889	828	
		C	3	10	181.2	- 207.2	193.5	1	336	- 384	358	728	- 881	812	
		D	3	1	174.2	- 174.2	174.2	N/Q	323	- 323	323	723	- 723	723	
					<b>127</b>	<b>155.2</b>	<b>227.2</b>	<b>199.0</b>		<b>323</b>	<b>421</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>889</b>	<b>645</b>
<b>Grown Steer</b>															
400-500	FD	C	3	4	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	8	-	-	-	765	- 810	788	
500-600		C	3	14	179.6	- 183.6	180.2	7	327	- 333	327	943	- 982	950	
		C	4	75	184.2	- 195.6	189.2	2	329	- 349	338	974	- 1123	1075	
600-750		C	3	12	180.6	- 183.2	183.0	8	327	- 328	327	1129	- 1163	1160	
		C	4	111	184.0	- 194.8	189.7	N/C	329	- 352	339	1120	- 1363	1230	

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		D	3	10	168.0	- 179.6	178.4	N/Q	306	- 327	324	1050	- 1167	1156
				<b>226</b>	<b>168.0</b>	<b>195.6</b>	<b>187.9</b>		<b>306</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>765</b>	<b>1363</b>	<b>1146</b>
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	RS	C	3	6	174.2	- 174.2	174.2	N/Q	-			740	- 740	740
		C	4	13	171.2	- 178.2	174.7	N/C	329	- 336	333	916	- 953	934
				<b>19</b>	<b>171.2</b>	<b>178.2</b>	<b>174.5</b>		<b>329</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>740</b>	<b>953</b>	<b>873</b>
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
540+		C	3	1	173.2	- 173.2	173.2	N/Q	315	- 315	315	1083	- 1083	1083
		C	4	2	178.2	- 178.2	178.2	N/Q	324	- 324	324	1114	- 1114	1114
		D	3	1	153.2	- 153.2	153.2	N/Q	279	- 279	279	1072	- 1072	1072
				<b>4</b>	<b>153.2</b>	<b>178.2</b>	<b>170.5</b>		<b>279</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>1072</b>	<b>1114</b>	<b>1096</b>
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	1	4	90.0	- 105.0	95.4	N/Q	250	- 292	265	329	- 394	365
	RS	D	1	1	108.2	- 108.2	108.2	N/Q	-			427	- 427	427
	DA	D	1	1	103.2	- 103.2	103.2	N/Q	287	- 287	287	387	- 387	387
		D	2	4	108.2	- 120.2	117.0	8	258	- 286	279	427	- 459	438
	DA	E	1	1	174.2	- 174.2	174.2	N/Q	379	- 379	379	636	- 636	636
400-520	DA	D	1	3	103.2	- 108.2	106.5	N/Q	287	- 301	296	470	- 503	492
	RS	D	1	10	114.2	- 114.2	114.2	-14	-			485	- 485	485
		D	1	5	113.2	- 113.2	113.2	17	270	- 270	270	498	- 498	498
	RS	D	2	3	132.2	- 135.2	133.2	7	-			562	- 608	577
		D	2	23	120.0	- 139.2	132.2	1	286	- 331	315	522	- 643	595
		D	3	31	139.2	- 152.2	144.6	2	292	- 331	307	639	- 741	677
		D	4	12	149.2	- 166.2	152.1	-4	293	- 326	298	724	- 748	744
520+		C	2	2	144.2	- 144.2	144.2	N/Q	320	- 320	320	815	- 815	815
		C	4	4	170.2	- 175.6	172.9	N/Q	327	- 338	333	1191	- 1537	1364
	DA	D	2	2	138.2	- 138.2	138.2	N/Q	329	- 329	329	739	- 739	739
		D	2	2	139.2	- 139.2	139.2	N/Q	331	- 331	331	745	- 745	745
	DA	D	3	2	144.6	- 153.2	148.9	N/Q	295	- 313	304	896	- 940	918
		D	3	14	134.2	- 157.2	151.8	5	274	- 321	310	758	- 920	830
		D	4	36	157.2	- 178.2	165.6	4	308	- 349	324	845	- 1039	969
		D	5	4	143.2	- 152.2	149.7	3	292	- 311	306	766	- 907	848
				<b>164</b>	<b>90.0</b>	<b>178.2</b>	<b>143.5</b>		<b>250</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>1537</b>	<b>735</b>
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450	FD	C	3	5	160.0	- 187.2	171.3	-1	-			584	- 796	698
		D	2	1	157.2	- 157.2	157.2	N/Q	286	- 286	286	574	- 574	574
450-600		C	2	3	137.2	- 142.2	139.5	N/Q	250	- 259	254	734	- 761	747
		C	3	3	160.2	- 173.2	164.5	-1	286	- 309	294	905	- 1039	966
600+		C	2	2	129.2	- 154.2	141.7	N/Q	235	- 280	258	782	- 964	873
		C	3	10	158.2	- 175.0	167.0	7	283	- 313	298	989	- 1712	1191
		D	2	2	110.0	- 120.0	115.0	N/Q	200	- 218	209	1140	- 1265	1203
				<b>26</b>	<b>110.0</b>	<b>187.2</b>	<b>158.0</b>		<b>200</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>574</b>	<b>1712</b>	<b>971</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

**Disclaimer:**

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg

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