

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Warwick

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Yarding Change ¹⁸⁰⁰/₅₆₈

comparison date 10/04/2012

The supply of stock increased by 48% as producers offload stock before winter. The change in the season was also reflected in the overall quality with larger numbers of plain condition lines included in a line-up. Buyer attendance was not as good as the previous sale with some export processors absent from the buying panel. Apart from well bred calves and vealer steers receiving strong demand from restockers all other classes lost ground in value. Vealer heifers averaged 11c to 15c/kg less and medium weight yearling steers to feed lost a similar amount. Virtually no bullocks were penned and heavy steers lost 6c/kg. Cows also experienced a cheaper market with medium weight 2 scores around 2c easier, while good heavy cows lost the most to average 13c/kg less.

A few pens of calves to restockers made to 250.2c with most around 223c/kg. Vealer steers returning to the paddock made to a top of 238.2c to average 224c/kg. Vealer heifers to feed averaged 192c and slaughter descriptions averaged close to 200c with sales to 211.6c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed averaged in the early to mid-190c/kg range with some to 203.2c/kg. Heavyweights to feed only lost 2c to average 185c with sales to 195c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged from 182c to 188c with sales to 192.2c/kg.

Heavy steers to export slaughter averaged 171c with the occasional pen to 176c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 118c, and 3 scores 126c/kg. Good heavy cows averaged 139c and sold to 145c, with the occasional old stud cow making to 155c to return \$1039/head.

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														
80+		C	2	2	199.2	- 199.2	199.2	N/Q	376	- 376	376	349	- 349	349
	RS	C	2	65	205.0	- 250.2	223.2	-3	-	-	-	284	- 412	340
	RS	D	1	20	189.2	- 194.0	192.1	N/Q	-	-	-	243	- 255	248
	RS	D	2	2	193.2	- 193.2	193.2	N/Q	-	-	-	261	- 261	261
		D	2	23	185.2	- 197.2	192.2	N/Q	349	- 372	363	250	- 367	310
				112	185.2	250.2	210.3		349	376	364	243	412	316
Vealer Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	24	190.0	- 211.6	204.0	-9	-	-	-	466	- 544	506
	RS	C	2	107	198.2	- 238.2	224.7	6	-	-	-	450	- 554	515
	FD	D	2	1	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-	-	-	379	- 379	379
	RS	D	2	1	184.2	- 184.2	184.2	N/Q	-	-	-	488	- 488	488
280-330	FD	C	2	5	194.2	- 194.2	194.2	N/Q	-	-	-	573	- 573	573
		C	2	5	208.0	- 208.0	208.0	-9	378	- 378	378	593	- 593	593
				143	184.2	238.2	219.0		378	378	378	379	593	517
Vealer Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	48	187.2	- 201.2	192.1	-15	-	-	-	400	- 515	453
		C	2	42	188.2	- 210.2	199.9	-11	349	- 389	370	404	- 515	459
	FD	D	2	13	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	-	-	-	411	- 464	444
		D	2	6	188.2	- 188.2	188.2	N/Q	349	- 349	349	423	- 423	423
280-330	FD	C	2	12	180.0	- 194.2	192.0	-23	-	-	-	531	- 573	566
		C	3	1	211.6	- 211.6	211.6	N/Q	392	- 392	392	667	- 667	667
				122	175.0	211.6	192.9		349	392	368	400	667	465
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	42	190.0	- 204.2	195.0	N/Q	-	-	-	458	- 613	527

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330-400	RS	C	2	12	188.2	- 188.2	188.2	N/Q	-			565	- 565	565	
		C	3	10	212.2	- 212.2	212.2	N/Q	386	- 386	386	562	- 562	562	
		D	2	1	185.2	- 185.2	185.2	N/Q	337	- 337	337	546	- 546	546	
	FD	C	2	142	181.2	- 201.2	190.7	-14	-			620	- 751	696	
	RS	C	2	8	197.2	- 197.2	197.2	N/Q	-			661	- 661	661	
	RS	C	3	8	193.2	- 193.2	193.2	N/Q	-			667	- 667	667	
	FD	C	3	75	190.0	- 203.2	196.0	-15	-			683	- 782	725	
		C	3	3	189.2	- 203.2	193.9	-23	344	- 370	353	710	- 782	734	
400+	FD	D	2	66	150.0	- 185.0	168.6	-11	-			525	- 675	584	
	FD	D	3	8	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-			712	- 712	712	
		B	3	3	190.0	- 200.0	193.3	N/Q	328	- 345	333	870	- 1191	1084	
	FD	C	2	17	181.2	- 185.0	183.4	1	-			749	- 779	769	
	FD	C	3	97	179.2	- 195.0	185.0	-2	-			738	- 856	792	
		C	3	20	180.0	- 182.2	181.3	-13	327	- 331	330	765	- 873	804	
	FD	D	3	7	167.2	- 175.0	171.7	-2	-			711	- 779	745	
				519	150.0	212.2	187.5		327	386	347	458	1191	693	
Yearling Heifer															
0-330		C	2	2	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	333	- 333	333	477	- 477	477	
	FD	C	2	22	189.2	- 200.2	193.2	-10	-			470	- 558	526	
		C	3	12	215.2	- 215.2	215.2	N/Q	399	- 399	399	570	- 570	570	
		D	2	2	170.2	- 170.2	170.2	N/Q	315	- 315	315	417	- 417	417	
	FD	D	2	13	168.0	- 180.0	175.4	N/Q	-			445	- 531	498	
330-400	RS	D	2	3	142.2	- 142.2	142.2	N/Q	-			377	- 377	377	
	RS	C	2	5	180.2	- 180.2	180.2	2	-			622	- 622	622	
	FD	C	2	32	180.2	- 192.2	188.7	1	-			604	- 644	635	
		C	3	9	180.0	- 210.2	195.2	7	333	- 389	361	657	- 809	743	
	FD	C	3	23	180.0	- 185.2	182.7	-8	-			603	- 665	646	
		D	2	5	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	259	- 259	259	511	- 511	511	
	FD	D	2	5	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	-8	-			586	- 586	586	
	RS	D	2	2	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-			570	- 570	570	
400+		D	3	6	169.2	- 182.2	176.5	N/Q	313	- 337	327	601	- 701	662	
	FD	D	3	35	155.0	- 180.2	162.4	-9	-			519	- 658	573	
		C	3	4	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	-5	315	- 315	315	740	- 740	740	
	FD	D	3	7	158.2	- 176.2	168.2	-5	-			688	- 745	724	
		D	3	5	165.2	- 167.2	166.0	-2	306	- 310	307	711	- 719	715	
					192	140.0	215.2	179.3		259	399	342	377	809	599
	Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	D	2	14	149.2	- 149.2	149.2	N/Q	-			574	- 574	574	
400-500	FD	C	3	18	165.0	- 175.0	171.4	-8	-			814	- 861	828	
		C	3	12	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	-3	300	- 300	300	719	- 719	719	
		D	2	3	147.2	- 147.2	147.2	N/Q	268	- 268	268	626	- 626	626	
500-600		C	3	1	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	N/Q	300	- 300	300	933	- 933	933	
	FD	C	3	8	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	-			883	- 883	883	
		C	4	24	165.2	- 176.2	171.7	-6	295	- 315	307	937	- 996	982	

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600-750		C	3	1	164.2	- 164.2	164.2	N/Q	299	- 299	299	1043	- 1043	1043
				81	147.2	176.2	165.0		268	315	302	574	1043	816
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	4	158.2	- 163.2	160.7	N/Q	304	- 308	306	702	- 846	774
		D	1	2	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	229	- 229	229	440	- 440	440
		D	3	2	153.2	- 153.2	153.2	N/Q	365	- 365	365	712	- 712	712
540+		C	3	1	158.2	- 158.2	158.2	N/Q	304	- 304	304	894	- 894	894
		C	4	1	175.6	- 175.6	175.6	N/Q	331	- 331	331	1220	- 1220	1220
				10	110.0	175.6	150.3		229	365	305	440	1220	752
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		D	3	6	159.2	- 159.2	159.2	N/Q	290	- 290	290	1114	- 1114	1114
				6	159.2	159.2	159.2		290	290	290	1114	1114	1114
Cows														
0-400		D	1	3	80.0	- 111.2	93.7	4	222	- 309	260	292	- 439	356
	RS	D	1	6	85.0	- 111.2	93.7	-13	-	-	-	310	- 439	353
	DA	E	1	7	71.2	- 71.2	71.2	11	198	- 198	198	260	- 260	260
400-520	DA	D	1	23	85.0	- 110.2	98.2	2	236	- 306	273	370	- 512	448
	RS	D	1	5	118.2	- 122.2	120.6	8	-	-	-	508	- 519	515
		D	1	21	90.0	- 119.2	105.9	1	250	- 331	294	387	- 519	454
		D	2	32	109.2	- 126.6	118.8	-2	260	- 301	283	475	- 582	524
	RS	D	2	23	112.2	- 128.2	118.5	N/Q	-	-	-	487	- 564	513
		D	3	20	123.6	- 133.2	126.3	-11	252	- 272	258	538	- 659	572
	DA	E	2	4	95.0	- 95.0	95.0	N/Q	226	- 226	226	413	- 413	413
520+		C	2	2	127.2	- 127.2	127.2	N/Q	303	- 303	303	954	- 954	954
		C	4	2	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	304	- 304	304	1039	- 1039	1039
		D	2	2	127.2	- 127.2	127.2	N/Q	303	- 303	303	681	- 681	681
	DA	D	2	7	119.2	- 122.0	120.8	-2	284	- 291	288	673	- 689	683
	RS	D	2	3	129.2	- 131.2	130.5	N/Q	-	-	-	698	- 708	705
	DA	D	3	3	125.2	- 125.2	125.2	N/Q	256	- 256	256	720	- 720	720
		D	3	9	130.0	- 135.0	131.2	-8	265	- 276	268	709	- 758	716
		D	4	26	135.2	- 145.0	139.1	-13	265	- 284	273	723	- 918	793
		D	6	2	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	229	- 229	229	688	- 688	688
				200	71.2	155.0	116.6		198	331	272	260	1039	560
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	1	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	N/Q	-	-	-	585	- 585	585
		C	2	1	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	N/Q	248	- 248	248	545	- 545	545
		C	3	4	138.2	- 150.2	144.7	-20	250	- 268	260	622	- 676	651
	FD	C	3	1	147.2	- 147.2	147.2	N/Q	-	-	-	640	- 640	640
	FD	D	2	2	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	-	-	-	619	- 619	619
		D	2	14	110.0	- 140.0	122.2	N/C	200	- 255	222	380	- 558	478
450-600		C	2	4	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	-1	248	- 248	248	633	- 633	633
		C	3	8	144.2	- 168.2	152.6	-11	258	- 300	273	771	- 881	844
600+		C	3	8	143.2	- 159.2	147.9	-15	256	- 284	264	925	- 1379	1103
		D	2	2	115.0	- 136.2	125.6	N/Q	209	- 248	228	719	- 933	826
				45	110.0	168.2	139.2		200	300	247	380	1379	713

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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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