

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Great Southern Saleyard

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Yarding Change ¹⁰²⁰₁₃₉

comparison date 31/05/2012

The larger yarding continued to be dominated by young store grades of cattle. Cow supplies were similar, while the volumes of heavy and trade weight steers and heifers remained negligible.

Trade demand on the limited numbers of trade weight yearlings remained solid, where steers sold for 208c while heifers made 210c/kg. The store market followed the very strong demand from feeders and restockers seen at the previous sale with little or no change recorded. Feeders paid 225c for steers while heifers were bought at 220c/kg.

Cow quality remained fair. Trade demand remained solid with only marginal changes in values realised with this also the case in heavy weight bull categories. Heavy D3 cows for 148c while light bulls to restockers made 190c/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
Vealer Steer														
0-200	RS	C	2	2	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	-			437	- 437	437
				2	230.0	230.0	230.0		0	0		437	437	437
Vealer Heifer														
280-330		C	2	5	214.0	- 214.0	214.0	N/Q	396	- 396	396	668	- 668	668
				5	214.0	214.0	214.0		396	396	396	668	668	668
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	1	36	223.0	- 231.0	228.3	4	-			685	- 747	729
	RS	C	1	61	215.0	- 235.0	222.8	-8	-			578	- 710	637
	RS	D	1	1	197.0	- 197.0	197.0	N/Q	-			453	- 453	453
330-400	GF	B	2	1	248.0	- 248.0	248.0	N/Q	413	- 413	413	980	- 980	980
	FD	C	1	62	208.0	- 233.0	225.2	N/C	-			737	- 897	811
	RS	C	1	4	224.0	- 224.0	224.0	N/Q	-			793	- 793	793
	FD	C	2	20	219.0	- 231.0	223.4	-3	-			827	- 872	867
	GF	C	2	6	225.0	- 225.0	225.0	N/Q	409	- 409	409	889	- 889	889
	RS	D	1	2	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-			515	- 515	515
400+	FD	C	1	9	212.0	- 220.0	216.4	N/Q	-			876	- 893	886
		C	2	6	208.0	- 208.0	208.0	N/Q	393	- 393	393	1009	- 1009	1009
	FD	C	2	13	180.0	- 221.0	217.8	-6	-			828	- 922	914
	GF	C	3	20	210.0	- 226.0	218.0	N/Q	375	- 411	393	1141	- 1163	1152
	DA	D	1	16	156.0	- 156.0	156.0	N/Q	332	- 332	332	736	- 736	736
				257	150.0	248.0	218.3		332	413	375	453	1163	795
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	1	76	200.0	- 221.0	215.7	-1	-			388	- 729	639
	FD	C	1	34	213.0	- 218.0	216.1	-1	-			635	- 708	672
	RS	D	1	43	150.0	- 212.0	198.8	3	-			470	- 562	534
330-400	FD	C	1	52	213.0	- 227.0	217.9	N/C	-			773	- 860	804
	RS	C	1	19	215.0	- 221.0	219.8	N/Q	-			742	- 836	756
	GF	C	3	7	227.0	- 227.0	227.0	N/Q	413	- 413	413	867	- 867	867
	RS	D	1	3	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-			552	- 552	552

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
400+	FD	C	2	10	203.0	- 220.0	213.2	N/Q	-				849	- 889	873
		C	2	5	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	389	- 389	389	863	- 863	863	
	GF	C	3	6	223.0	- 223.0	223.0	N/Q	406	- 406	406	950	- 950	950	
				255	150.0	227.0	213.3		389	413	404	388	950	694	
Grown Steer															
500-600		C	3	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	309	- 309	309	859	- 859	859	
	DA	D	1	10	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	N/Q	311	- 311	311	802	- 802	802	
					11	146.0	170.0	148.2		309	311	310	802	859	807
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	3	2	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	N/Q	311	- 311	311	887	- 887	887	
		D	2	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	269	- 269	269	658	- 658	658	
	RS	D	2	8	140.0	- 144.0	143.0	N/Q	-			639	- 707	656	
		D	3	11	154.0	- 165.0	158.7	7	285	- 317	298	758	- 822	806	
540+		C	3	2	163.0	- 163.0	163.0	N/Q	302	- 302	302	967	- 967	967	
	RS	D	2	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	-			735	- 735	735	
		D	3	5	150.0	- 157.0	152.8	-2	278	- 302	287	878	- 893	887	
				30	130.0	168.0	152.9		269	317	296	639	967	789	
Cows															
400-520	RS	D	1	2	112.0	- 112.0	112.0	N/Q	-			515	- 515	515	
		D	1	6	109.0	- 133.0	121.0	-6	242	- 283	263	521	- 649	585	
		D	2	7	137.0	- 138.0	137.4	8	292	- 294	292	644	- 700	668	
		D	3	11	140.0	- 146.0	142.5	N/C	290	- 296	292	684	- 752	700	
520+		D	2	27	133.0	- 143.0	141.0	3	271	- 302	294	712	- 936	793	
		D	3	31	143.0	- 149.0	147.5	N/C	282	- 298	295	782	- 994	881	
		D	4	25	142.0	- 149.0	147.2	-1	284	- 298	294	866	- 1117	957	
		D	5	2	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	270	- 270	270	898	- 979	938	
		D	6	2	125.0	- 133.0	129.0	N/Q	250	- 266	258	831	- 865	848	
	DA	E	1	5	109.0	- 109.0	109.0	N/Q	273	- 273	273	629	- 629	629	
	DA	E	2	5	124.0	- 124.0	124.0	N/Q	276	- 276	276	715	- 715	715	
				123	109.0	149.0	140.1		242	302	290	515	1117	812	
Bulls															
0-450	RS	C	1	2	169.0	- 170.0	169.5	N/Q	-			617	- 629	623	
	RS	C	2	15	160.0	- 210.0	190.0	N/Q	-			546	- 670	630	
	LE	C	2	1	179.0	- 179.0	179.0	N/Q	326	- 326	326	671	- 671	671	
450-600		C	2	5	143.0	- 147.0	144.6	10	260	- 263	261	679	- 860	752	
600+		B	2	3	130.0	- 154.0	140.3	-4	224	- 257	236	1255	- 1445	1321	
		C	1	2	133.0	- 134.0	133.5	N/Q	244	- 246	245	1077	- 1079	1078	
		C	2	7	128.0	- 140.0	135.0	-4	224	- 250	238	858	- 1295	1100	
		C	3	1	139.0	- 139.0	139.0	N/Q	244	- 244	244	897	- 897	897	
					36	128.0	210.0	162.9		224	326	250	546	1445	829

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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