

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Toowoomba Elders

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Yarding Change <sup>609</sup>  
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The slightly smaller yarding contained a very mixed quality line-up. Calves and vealers were scarce, however there was a fair line up of yearling steers and heifers. Only a handful of heavy steers and bullocks were penned and most of the cows were in the lower fat score range. Buyer attendance was good and included all major export processors plus the usual following of feeder operators, restockers and trade buyers. Young cattle generally sold to strong demand from restockers and feeder operators. Export slaughter lines generally sold close to the previous week's level.

Calves to restockers made to 210c to average 201c/kg. Lightweight yearling steers to feed averaged 196c, while those returning to the paddock made to 225.2c to average 218c/kg. A small selection of medium weight yearling steers to the trade made to 219.2c to average close to 200c/kg. Heavy feeders averaged 188c and sold to 198c/kg. Lightweight yearling heifers were in demand from feeder operators and averaged 191c and sold to 197.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to the trade averaged 189c and sold to 198.2c/kg.

A handful of bullocks sold to the wholesale meat trade at 185c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 121c and sold to 126.2c/kg. A very small sample of heavy cows averaged close to 137c/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	2	196.2	- 206.2	201.2	N/Q	370	- 389	380	268	- 383	325
	RS	C	2	13	197.2	- 210.0	201.1	-25	-	-	-	330	- 378	349
	RS	D	2	1	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	-	-	-	310	- 310	310
		D	2	10	179.2	- 187.2	181.6	N/Q	338	- 353	343	242	- 365	279
				<b>26</b>	<b>179.2</b>	<b>210.0</b>	<b>193.1</b>		<b>338</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>383</b>	<b>319</b>
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	4	205.2	- 205.2	205.2	8	380	- 380	380	564	- 564	564
		D	2	10	183.2	- 183.2	183.2	N/Q	339	- 339	339	431	- 431	431
				<b>14</b>	<b>183.2</b>	<b>205.2</b>	<b>189.5</b>		<b>339</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>431</b>	<b>564</b>	<b>469</b>
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330	FD	C	2	25	193.2	- 199.2	196.1	N/Q	-	-	-	528	- 592	556
	RS	C	2	19	198.2	- 225.2	218.7	9	-	-	-	491	- 597	561
	RS	D	2	6	159.2	- 181.2	173.0	N/Q	-	-	-	358	- 544	457
	FD	D	2	7	170.0	- 174.2	170.6	-19	-	-	-	417	- 523	432
330-400	FD	C	2	8	185.0	- 202.2	191.2	1	-	-	-	641	- 712	680
	RS	C	2	5	189.2	- 208.2	196.8	6	-	-	-	653	- 718	679
	FD	C	3	8	189.2	- 195.2	190.6	-9	-	-	-	689	- 728	722
		C	3	7	191.2	- 219.2	199.5	-9	348	- 399	363	702	- 822	748
	FD	D	2	8	161.2	- 185.2	180.3	5	-	-	-	588	- 655	621
	FD	D	3	3	168.2	- 180.0	176.1	-1	-	-	-	572	- 657	629
400+	FD	C	3	27	179.2	- 198.2	187.9	3	-	-	-	762	- 892	815
		C	3	5	187.2	- 200.0	192.3	-1	334	- 364	346	810	- 917	874
		D	2	2	144.2	- 144.2	144.2	N/Q	262	- 262	262	613	- 613	613
	FD	D	3	5	175.0	- 177.0	176.2	2	-	-	-	761	- 788	777

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					<b>135</b>	<b>144.2</b>	<b>225.2</b>	<b>191.8</b>		<b>262</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>917</b>	<b>656</b>
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>															
0-330	FD	C	2	63	182.2	- 197.2	191.8	3	-				446	- 579	494
	RS	C	2	3	188.2	- 188.2	188.2	-4	-				433	- 433	433
		C	2	21	185.2	- 194.2	189.5	-3	343	- 360	351		444	- 573	507
		D	2	3	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	2	315	- 315	315		451	- 451	451
330-400		C	3	21	182.2	- 198.2	189.3	-16	337	- 367	351		629	- 695	672
	FD	C	3	5	181.2	- 185.2	182.0	-11	-				620	- 625	624
	FD	D	2	4	178.0	- 178.0	178.0	29	-				596	- 596	596
		D	2	2	153.2	- 153.2	153.2	N/Q	284	- 284	284		590	- 590	590
		D	3	6	160.0	- 179.2	168.7	N/Q	296	- 332	312		586	- 668	613
400+		C	3	8	209.8	- 209.8	209.8	26	389	- 389	389		934	- 934	934
					<b>136</b>	<b>153.2</b>	<b>209.8</b>	<b>189.2</b>		<b>284</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>348</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>934</b>	<b>561</b>
<b>Grown Steer</b>															
400-500	FD	C	3	9	175.0	- 175.2	175.1	3	-				761	- 815	797
	FD	D	3	16	160.0	- 166.2	163.3	-4	-				694	- 773	719
500-600		C	3	2	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	N/Q	302	- 302	302		889	- 889	889
		C	4	5	172.2	- 173.2	173.0	-5	308	- 309	309		918	- 921	919
		D	3	3	154.2	- 159.2	155.9	N/Q	280	- 290	283		825	- 852	834
600-750		C	4	8	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	8	330	- 330	330		1127	- 1127	1127
		D	3	2	145.2	- 145.2	145.2	N/Q	264	- 264	264		878	- 878	878
					<b>45</b>	<b>145.2</b>	<b>185.0</b>	<b>169.4</b>		<b>264</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>694</b>	<b>1127</b>	<b>851</b>
<b>Grown Heifer</b>															
0-540		C	4	1	159.2	- 159.2	159.2	N/Q	300	- 300	300		852	- 852	852
		D	2	2	129.2	- 129.2	129.2	N/Q	269	- 269	269		549	- 549	549
		D	3	18	135.2	- 158.0	141.2	-6	260	- 304	268		515	- 782	651
					<b>21</b>	<b>129.2</b>	<b>159.2</b>	<b>140.9</b>		<b>260</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>852</b>	<b>651</b>
<b>Cows</b>															
0-400		D	1	13	84.2	- 113.2	106.9	N/Q	234	- 314	297		274	- 447	418
	RS	D	1	6	108.2	- 108.2	108.2	8	-				433	- 433	433
	RS	D	2	1	119.2	- 119.2	119.2	N/Q	-				435	- 435	435
		D	2	4	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	-1	274	- 274	274		460	- 460	460
400-520		D	1	3	100.0	- 123.2	115.5	4	278	- 342	321		465	- 573	537
	DA	D	1	18	92.0	- 120.0	107.6	-5	256	- 333	299		428	- 582	508
		D	2	32	117.2	- 126.2	121.6	-1	279	- 301	290		510	- 599	551
		D	4	6	138.0	- 145.2	139.2	-6	271	- 285	273		642	- 704	652
	DA	E	1	2	70.0	- 74.2	72.1	N/Q	194	- 206	200		305	- 323	314
520+	DA	D	2	4	118.2	- 118.2	118.2	-12	281	- 281	281		632	- 632	632
	DA	D	3	7	130.2	- 133.2	132.6	N/Q	266	- 272	271		697	- 726	719
		D	3	9	129.2	- 134.2	132.3	2	264	- 274	270		704	- 753	731
		D	4	6	135.2	- 137.2	136.9	-10	265	- 269	268		723	- 734	732
					<b>111</b>	<b>70.0</b>	<b>145.2</b>	<b>118.8</b>		<b>194</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>753</b>	<b>556</b>
<b>Bulls</b>															
0-450		C	2	14	180.0	- 193.2	190.4	N/Q	327	- 351	346		454	- 477	459
	FD	C	3	3	171.2	- 171.2	171.2	20	-				574	- 574	574

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		C	3	2	166.2	- 214.2	190.2	N/Q	302	- 390	346	706	- 910	808
	RS	D	3	1	143.2	- 143.2	143.2	N/Q		-		609	- 609	609
450-600	RS	C	3	1	145.2	- 145.2	145.2	N/Q		-		777	- 777	777
		D	2	1	126.2	- 126.2	126.2	N/Q	230	- 230	230	675	- 675	675
600+		C	3	1	143.2	- 143.2	143.2	N/Q	256	- 256	256	1439	- 1439	1439
		D	2	1	129.2	- 129.2	129.2	N/Q	235	- 235	235	1021	- 1021	1021
				<b>24</b>	<b>126.2</b>	<b>214.2</b>	<b>176.9</b>		<b>230</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>454</b>	<b>1439</b>	<b>595</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

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