

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Overall quality slipped on a slightly larger yarding containing 461 young cattle, 30 grown and manufacturing steers, 42 grown heifers, 245 beef cows and 111 bulls. These sold to steady trade and limited export competition from most of the regular buyers as they struggled to source numbers. Feeder and restocker orders were also quite active on mainly young cattle.

Vealer steers in limited numbers to the trade sold from 205c to 215c, at prices unchanged to 8c/kg cheaper. Feeder and restocker orders sourced the majority of C1 and C2 mainly lightweight steers from 179c to 203c, with the C2 sales 6c to 7c/kg less while being much dearer on their C1 purchases. Limited sales to the trade of vealer heifers ranged from 165c to 201c with the C3 lightweight sales 13c/kg dearer. Feeders sourced C2 lightweight heifers from 184c to 195c/kg. Yearling steer C3 and B2 sales were from 200c to 212c on mainly supplementary feds at prices unchanged to 16c/kg dearer, with the B muscled faring best. Other sales of C2 steers to the trade, feeder and restocker activity were from 175c to 195c, or unchanged to 7c/kg cheaper. Small numbers of C3 yearling heifers to wholesale competition sold from 180c to 196c/kg. Other sales of C and D muscled beef and pastoral bred heifers to a wide range of orders were from 132c to 170c/kg.

Small numbers of grown steers to limited demand sold from 160c to 180c to be 3c to 9c/kg cheaper and averaging 315c/kg cwt. Grown heifers in mixed quality lines sold from 135c to 165c with C2 and C4 sales 3c to 12c/kg dearer. Manufacturing steers in small numbers to mainly one processor sold from 110c to 160c/kg. The 2 to 5 score medium and heavy beef cows sold from 110c to 146c to be unchanged to 6c/kg cheaper with virtually no restocker activity evident, and generally 265c to 285c/kg cwt. A larger number of bulls were yarded with the lightweights to a mixture of orders selling between 132c and 185c to be 8c/kg dearer. The medium and heavyweights to processors sold from 132c to 160c to be unchanged to 8c dearer, with a restocker purchase at 170c/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														
280-330	PC	C	1	3	149.0	- 149.0	149.0	N/Q	307	- 307	307	492	- 492	492
	FD	C	1	9	184.0	- 185.0	184.2	-6	-	-	-	555	- 589	581
	RS	C	1	21	179.0	- 199.0	191.4	27	-	-	-	537	- 637	599
	RS	C	2	5	203.0	- 203.0	203.0	N/Q	-	-	-	589	- 589	589
	FD	C	2	38	192.0	- 202.0	195.9	-8	-	-	-	576	- 660	613
		C	2	4	205.0	- 208.0	205.8	-8	376	- 393	380	656	- 666	658
		C	3	2	215.0	- 215.0	215.0	N/Q	384	- 384	384	688	- 688	688
330+		B	2	7	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	375	- 375	375	714	- 714	714
		C	3	2	214.0	- 214.0	214.0	N/C	382	- 382	382	781	- 781	781
				91	149.0	215.0	194.9		307	393	367	492	781	617
Vealer Heifer														
200-280	RS	D	2	2	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-	-	-	440	- 440	440
280-330	RS	C	1	4	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-	-	-	537	- 537	537
	RS	C	2	4	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	N/Q	-	-	-	644	- 644	644
	FD	C	2	40	184.0	- 195.0	186.9	-1	-	-	-	552	- 634	588
		C	3	17	205.0	- 210.0	208.5	13	373	- 382	377	656	- 693	676
		D	3	6	160.0	- 164.0	163.3	3	315	- 320	316	525	- 528	525
				73	160.0	210.0	189.6		315	382	361	440	693	600
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	1	15	182.0	- 182.0	182.0	N/Q	-	-	-	592	- 592	592
330-400		B	2	6	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	368	- 368	368	767	- 767	767
	FD	C	1	31	165.0	- 188.0	183.8	N/Q	-	-	-	561	- 666	644

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400+	FD	C	2	38	185.0	- 195.0	191.2	-7	-	-	-	675	- 728	697	
		C	2	29	175.0	- 195.0	190.2	N/Q	330	- 361	354	648	- 702	689	
	FD	B	1	6	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-	-	-	744	- 744	744	
		B	1	2	194.0	- 194.0	194.0	N/Q	346	- 346	346	815	- 815	815	
		B	2	18	210.0	- 212.0	211.3	16	368	- 372	371	912	- 924	916	
		C	2	11	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	330	- 337	334	735	- 770	751	
		C	3	3	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/C	357	- 357	357	840	- 840	840	
159	160.0	212.0	189.6	330	372	356	561	924	712						
Yearling Heifer															
0-330		C	1	2	166.0	- 166.0	166.0	N/Q	346	- 346	346	540	- 540	540	
		C	3	7	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	352	- 352	352	627	- 627	627	
330-400		C	2	6	175.0	- 180.0	175.8	9	330	- 340	332	648	- 674	669	
		PC	C	2	11	148.0	- 150.0	148.4	-7	289	- 296	295	510	- 592	577
		FD	C	2	14	180.0	- 185.0	183.6	-12	-	-	-	612	- 629	624
			C	3	5	196.0	- 196.0	196.0	N/Q	360	- 360	360	686	- 686	686
			C	4	1	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	313	- 313	313	656	- 656	656
		RS	D	2	17	138.0	- 146.0	139.4	17	-	-	-	504	- 552	546
			D	2	17	132.0	- 142.0	140.8	N/Q	278	- 296	294	449	- 483	479
D	3		8	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	14	310	- 310	310	581	- 581	581		
400+	PC	C	2	1	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	311	- 311	311	693	- 693	693	
		C	2	8	165.0	- 170.0	168.1	18	311	- 321	317	693	- 791	754	
	RS	C	2	16	148.0	- 148.0	148.0	N/Q	-	-	-	651	- 651	651	
		C	3	5	180.0	- 188.0	181.6	N/Q	330	- 336	331	756	- 827	770	
		RS	D	2	5	136.0	- 136.0	136.0	N/Q	-	-	-	571	- 571	571
		D	3	4	152.0	- 152.0	152.0	2	304	- 304	304	638	- 638	638	
		127	132.0	196.0	158.7	278	360	316	449	827	607				
Grown Steer															
400-500		C	2	2	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	319	- 319	319	860	- 860	860	
500-600		B	2	2	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	318	- 318	318	1006	- 1006	1006	
		C	2	9	160.0	- 164.0	161.3	-3	296	- 309	301	832	- 886	850	
		C	3	3	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	-9	321	- 327	325	954	- 1017	975	
16	160.0	180.0	167.9	296	327	310	832	1017	894						
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	2	12	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	12	320	- 320	320	744	- 744	744	
		C	4	5	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	3	295	- 295	295	825	- 825	825	
		C	5	4	149.0	- 149.0	149.0	N/Q	266	- 266	266	745	- 745	745	
		D	3	4	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	270	- 270	270	621	- 621	621	
		D	4	2	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	264	- 264	264	689	- 689	689	
540+		C	3	1	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	295	- 295	295	1040	- 1040	1040	
		C	5	5	148.0	- 148.0	148.0	N/Q	264	- 264	264	947	- 947	947	
		D	4	9	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	266	- 266	266	812	- 812	812	
42	135.0	165.0	151.9	264	320	286	621	1040	785						
Manufacturing Steer															
0-540		C	2	9	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	10	308	- 308	308	800	- 800	800	
		D	1	1	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	229	- 229	229	396	- 396	396	

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540+	RS	D	1	1	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	-			299	- 299	299
		C	2	3	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	310	- 310	310	868	- 868	868
				14	110.0	160.0	152.1		229	310	302	299	868	750
Cows														
0-400		D	2	10	128.0	- 128.0	128.0	N/Q	284	- 284	284	512	- 512	512
400-520		C	2	4	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	278	- 278	278	675	- 675	675
		D	1	3	90.0	- 90.0	90.0	-23	214	- 214	214	419	- 419	419
		D	2	27	110.0	- 130.0	124.5	-4	256	- 283	275	462	- 603	576
520+	RS	D	2	9	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	7	-			572	- 572	572
		D	3	20	128.0	- 136.0	133.6	-6	272	- 286	283	608	- 707	689
		C	2	7	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	3	280	- 280	280	742	- 742	742
		C	3	28	143.0	- 146.0	144.7	N/C	275	- 281	278	788	- 944	855
		C	4	5	143.0	- 145.0	143.8	N/Q	275	- 279	277	801	- 841	817
		C	5	11	140.0	- 143.0	140.8	N/Q	264	- 265	264	945	- 1001	979
		D	1	1	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	256	- 256	256	616	- 616	616
		D	3	29	126.0	- 137.0	135.6	-1	263	- 281	273	721	- 756	731
		D	4	70	140.0	- 144.0	142.0	N/C	269	- 288	282	753	- 909	813
		D	5	12	138.0	- 142.0	139.3	-3	265	- 271	267	828	- 994	883
	D	6	8	126.0	- 136.0	132.3	2	238	- 262	253	844	- 898	878	
				244	90.0	146.0	136.5		214	288	276	419	1001	754
Bulls														
0-450	RS	B	1	3	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	-			651	- 651	651
		B	2	5	148.0	- 170.0	161.2	N/Q	264	- 304	288	636	- 680	663
		C	1	3	132.0	- 132.0	132.0	N/Q	264	- 264	264	462	- 462	462
450-600	RS	C	1	2	135.0	- 154.0	144.5	N/Q	-			446	- 539	492
	RS	C	2	27	160.0	- 185.0	167.6	8	-			495	- 592	546
		B	2	15	148.0	- 168.0	165.3	N/Q	264	- 297	293	681	- 773	761
		C	2	3	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	259	- 259	259	700	- 700	700
600+	RS	D	2	4	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	-			728	- 728	728
		B	1	3	140.0	- 145.0	143.3	N/C	257	- 269	265	957	- 1204	1039
		B	2	37	146.0	- 160.0	151.4	8	256	- 278	265	1066	- 1581	1182
	RS	B	2	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-			1190	- 1190	1190
		C	1	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	241	- 241	241	988	- 988	988
		C	2	4	132.0	- 142.0	136.3	2	244	- 258	250	878	- 1193	1011
		C	3	1	153.0	- 153.0	153.0	N/Q	268	- 268	268	1469	- 1469	1469
		D	1	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	208	- 208	208	740	- 740	740
	D	2	1	111.0	- 111.0	111.0	N/Q	231	- 231	231	844	- 844	844	
				111	100.0	185.0	154.4		208	304	270	446	1581	855

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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