

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Forbes

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Yarding Change ¹⁰⁰⁸
-173

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Numbers slipped slightly though quality improved. There was a better run of finished cattle on offer along with those pens more suited to feeders. Yearlings made up the majority of the offering and cows were in short supply. The usual buyers were present and competing in a dearer market.

Vealer heifers sold from 200c to 214c/kg. Yearling steers to feed lifted 5c to 10c with lightweights selling from 174c to 221c and medium weights ranged from 170c to 214c/kg. The heavy weight feeder portion received from 192c to 211c/kg. The majority of yearling steers to slaughter were 7c better ranging from 182c to 237c/kg. The yearling heifer portion to processors lifted 4c selling from 170c to 210c/kg for lightweights. Medium weight yearling heifers received from 180c to 220c/kg. Those to feeders ranged from 166c to 205c/kg.

Heavy steers and bullocks jumped 8c to 10c mostly selling from 188c to 206c/kg. Grown heifers sold from 150c to 176c/kg. Cows were 8c dearer with heavy 2 score selling from 127c to 140c and 3 score 140c to 156c/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 Heifer														
0-200		C	3	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	340	- 340	340	324	- 324	324
200-280		C	3	1	214.0	- 214.0	214.0	N/Q	404	- 404	404	535	- 535	535
280-330		C	3	1	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	377	- 377	377	600	- 600	600
330+		C	3	5	205.0	- 210.0	206.0	-3	387	- 396	389	697	- 756	709
				8	180.0	214.0	203.0		340	404	383	324	756	625
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	71	174.0	- 221.6	204.2	-6	-	-	-	329	- 688	578
	RS	C	2	27	206.6	- 222.0	220.1	9	-	-	-	393	- 665	568
		C	3	8	190.0	- 226.2	209.0	N/Q	359	- 427	394	475	- 679	606
330-400	FD	C	2	130	170.0	- 214.6	203.8	4	-	-	-	625	- 850	742
		C	3	51	182.0	- 237.2	209.8	7	343	- 448	396	655	- 925	781
	FD	C	3	2	205.2	- 205.2	205.2	N/Q	-	-	-	780	- 780	780
400+	FD	C	2	35	192.2	- 211.2	203.8	10	-	-	-	819	- 902	863
		C	3	78	184.6	- 209.0	202.2	6	348	- 394	382	794	- 1209	1071
				402	170.0	237.2	205.5		343	448	388	329	1209	778
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	FD	C	2	88	175.0	- 205.0	189.9	6	-	-	-	408	- 596	516
		C	3	25	170.0	- 210.0	195.1	10	321	- 396	368	476	- 672	586
330-400	FD	C	2	35	166.0	- 190.0	183.8	N/C	-	-	-	581	- 707	671
		C	3	52	180.0	- 220.0	193.0	4	340	- 415	364	630	- 814	715
		C	4	8	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	311	- 311	311	627	- 627	627
	FD	D	2	22	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	-7	-	-	-	558	- 558	558
400+	FD	C	2	27	172.0	- 179.2	176.2	-9	-	-	-	718	- 791	750
		C	3	29	165.0	- 205.2	181.7	2	311	- 387	343	743	- 936	831
				286	155.0	220.0	184.7		311	415	356	408	936	638
Grown Steer														
500-600		C	3	6	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	5	355	- 355	355	1090	- 1090	1090

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600-750		C	3	6	180.2	- 186.0	183.2	-1	340	- 351	346	1128	- 1225	1163
				12	180.2	188.0	185.6		340	355	350	1090	1225	1127
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	5	150.0	- 165.0	154.6	-7	283	- 311	292	660	- 795	758
540+		C	3	5	162.0	- 176.2	173.4	6	306	- 333	327	907	- 1075	1041
				10	150.0	176.2	164.0		283	333	309	660	1075	899
Cows														
0-400		D	2	3	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	23	280	- 280	280	80	- 80	80
400-520		D	2	6	128.0	- 128.0	128.0	1	256	- 256	256	602	- 666	644
520+		D	2	11	136.0	- 140.0	138.8	13	272	- 280	278	756	- 798	777
	DA	D	2	8	127.0	- 127.0	127.0	N/Q	295	- 295	295	724	- 724	724
		D	3	53	140.0	- 156.2	147.4	8	280	- 312	295	781	- 1109	925
				81	127.0	156.2	142.5		256	312	289	80	1109	833
Bulls														
450-600		C	2	2	142.2	- 158.0	150.1	N/Q	268	- 298	283	825	- 916	871
600+		C	2	7	150.0	- 168.0	160.0	8	283	- 317	302	1185	- 1875	1503
	RS	C	2	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q		-		1696	- 1696	1696
				10	142.2	168.0	158.0		268	317	298	825	1875	1396

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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