

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

Market information provided by MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service

### Toowoomba Landmark

report date 09 Jul 2012

Yarding Change  $\frac{577}{302}$

comparison date 02/07/2012

Supply more than doubled and there was a fair representation of most classes. All the usual buyers were present and most were operating. A good quality run of vealer heifers improved in price, while the remaining young cattle sold to a firm market. Heavy steers to export slaughter made gains, and cows also experienced a lift in price.

Calves to restockers averaged 212c and made to 218.2c, while a few vealer steers returned to the paddock at 230.2c/kg. Vealer heifers received strong support from feeder operators as well as processors, and the feeder portion averaged 207c and slaughter descriptions 204c/kg. Lightweight yearling steers sold to restockers at 211c with sales to 215.2c/kg. A small sample of medium weight feeders made to 217.2c to average 205c and heavy weights averaged 190c/kg. Lightweight yearling heifers to feed received similar demand to the vealer heifers with most at 192c, and slaughter lines averaged 195c/kg.

Heavy steers to export slaughter averaged 182c and made to 187c/kg. Medium weight plain cows averaged 116c and sold to 124.2c/kg. Good heavy cows averaged 146c and made to 151.2c/kg. Heavy Bulls made to 167.6c/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+	RS	C	2	21	205.2	- 218.2	212.3	N/Q	-	-	-	339	- 382	368
		D	2	4	183.2	- 195.2	192.2	N/Q	346	- 368	363	303	- 311	305
	RS	D	2	10	193.2	- 193.2	193.2	10	-	-	-	319	- 319	319
				<b>35</b>	<b>183.2</b>	<b>218.2</b>	<b>204.5</b>		<b>346</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>382</b>	<b>346</b>
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	10	230.2	- 230.2	230.2	3	-	-	-	541	- 541	541
				<b>10</b>	<b>230.2</b>	<b>230.2</b>	<b>230.2</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>541</b>	<b>541</b>	<b>541</b>
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	24	202.2	- 207.2	204.7	2	374	- 384	379	455	- 487	471
	FD	C	2	20	207.2	- 207.2	207.2	11	-	-	-	487	- 487	487
	RS	C	2	5	210.2	- 210.2	210.2	N/Q	-	-	-	515	- 515	515
				<b>49</b>	<b>202.2</b>	<b>210.2</b>	<b>206.3</b>		<b>374</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>482</b>
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330	FD	C	2	14	195.0	- 215.0	205.1	N/Q	-	-	-	458	- 710	511
	RS	C	2	46	200.0	- 215.2	211.7	14	-	-	-	439	- 643	501
		D	2	7	193.2	- 193.2	193.2	N/Q	351	- 351	351	454	- 454	454
330-400	FD	C	2	16	196.2	- 217.2	205.7	3	-	-	-	704	- 836	738
	FD	C	3	2	198.2	- 198.2	198.2	N/Q	-	-	-	763	- 763	763
400+	FD	C	2	17	183.6	- 190.2	187.1	2	-	-	-	806	- 826	813
	FD	C	3	12	186.6	- 193.2	190.4	-2	-	-	-	793	- 821	809
		D	3	3	177.2	- 177.2	177.2	N/Q	322	- 322	322	771	- 771	771
				<b>117</b>	<b>177.2</b>	<b>217.2</b>	<b>202.1</b>		<b>322</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>439</b>	<b>836</b>	<b>620</b>
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-330	FD	C	2	58	185.0	- 199.6	192.2	1	-	-	-	463	- 566	474
		C	2	20	175.0	- 201.2	194.9	8	324	- 373	361	421	- 499	463
	FD	D	2	2	178.2	- 178.2	178.2	N/Q	-	-	-	472	- 472	472
		D	2	3	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	N/Q	308	- 308	308	407	- 407	407

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
330-400		D	2	2	172.2	- 175.0	173.6	N/Q	319	- 324	322	594	- 604	599
	FD	D	2	6	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	4	-	-	645	- 645	645	
	RS	D	3	1	168.2	- 168.2	168.2	N/Q	-	-	563	- 563	563	
400+	FD	C	3	3	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	-	-	827	- 827	827	
		C	3	15	174.2	- 194.2	179.5	-35	323	- 360	332	723	- 789	746
	FD	D	3	9	173.2	- 173.2	173.2	N/Q	-	-	736	- 736	736	
				<b>119</b>	<b>166.2</b>	<b>201.2</b>	<b>187.1</b>		<b>308</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>827</b>	<b>545</b>
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
400-500		C	3	10	172.2	- 175.0	174.4	8	313	- 318	317	749	- 866	843
	FD	C	3	22	175.0	- 182.2	179.4	N/C	-	-	774	- 833	798	
	FD	D	3	2	169.2	- 169.2	169.2	N/Q	-	-	787	- 787	787	
500-600		C	3	3	171.2	- 171.2	171.2	4	311	- 311	311	967	- 967	967
		C	4	27	177.2	- 187.0	182.3	N/Q	316	- 334	326	948	- 1086	1017
				<b>64</b>	<b>169.2</b>	<b>187.0</b>	<b>179.1</b>		<b>311</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>322</b>	<b>749</b>	<b>1086</b>	<b>905</b>
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540		D	3	5	144.2	- 155.0	146.4	N/Q	277	- 293	280	627	- 767	655
	RS	D	3	3	159.2	- 159.2	159.2	N/Q	-	-	693	- 693	693	
540+		C	3	9	160.0	- 164.2	163.7	N/Q	302	- 310	309	904	- 928	925
				<b>17</b>	<b>144.2</b>	<b>164.2</b>	<b>157.8</b>		<b>277</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>627</b>	<b>928</b>	<b>805</b>
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	2	2	119.2	- 119.2	119.2	N/Q	284	- 284	284	471	- 471	471
400-520		D	1	10	115.0	- 124.2	116.8	8	319	- 345	325	518	- 590	532
	DA	D	1	8	99.2	- 114.2	101.4	N/Q	276	- 317	282	422	- 497	446
		D	2	2	119.2	- 130.2	124.7	N/Q	284	- 310	297	507	- 605	556
	DA	D	2	1	126.2	- 126.2	126.2	N/Q	301	- 301	301	599	- 599	599
		D	3	3	134.2	- 134.2	134.2	-5	274	- 274	274	597	- 597	597
520+		C	2	8	137.2	- 137.2	137.2	N/Q	292	- 292	292	734	- 734	734
		C	3	14	137.2	- 149.6	142.0	N/Q	280	- 299	289	800	- 846	828
	DA	D	1	1	124.2	- 124.2	124.2	N/Q	345	- 345	345	664	- 664	664
		D	3	21	132.2	- 143.6	141.5	N/Q	270	- 293	289	731	- 811	790
		D	4	13	144.6	- 151.2	145.9	5	284	- 297	286	809	- 867	820
		D	5	14	136.2	- 141.2	138.7	N/Q	278	- 288	283	847	- 851	849
				<b>97</b>	<b>99.2</b>	<b>151.2</b>	<b>134.2</b>		<b>270</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>422</b>	<b>867</b>	<b>728</b>
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450	FD	C	2	2	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	N/Q	-	-	617	- 617	617	
		C	2	6	176.2	- 176.2	176.2	N/Q	320	- 320	320	467	- 467	467
		C	3	5	167.2	- 173.2	172.0	N/Q	304	- 315	313	520	- 727	561
450-600		C	2	1	127.2	- 127.2	127.2	N/Q	231	- 231	231	661	- 661	661
		D	2	1	117.2	- 117.2	117.2	N/Q	213	- 213	213	627	- 627	627
600+		C	3	5	154.2	- 167.6	163.1	N/Q	275	- 299	291	1056	- 1483	1207
				<b>20</b>	<b>117.2</b>	<b>176.2</b>	<b>164.8</b>		<b>213</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>467</b>	<b>1483</b>	<b>708</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

**Disclaimer:**

© MLA 2012. No part of this publication may be reproduced in any form or by any means without prior written permission of MLA. MLA makes no representations and to the extent permitted by law excludes all warranties in relation to the information contained in this publication. MLA is not liable to you or to any third party for any losses, costs or expenses, including any direct, indirect, incidental, consequential, special or exemplary damages or lost profit, resulting from any use or misuse of the information contained in this publication. Information contained in this publication has been obtained from a variety of third party sources which have not been verified by MLA.