

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Consignments eased and quality remained fair to good. The younger drafts were well represented with a fair yarding of grown steers also offered. Compared to the last market cow numbers improved percentage wise and the usual buying orders competed.

Vealer steers and heifers gained 4c as the yearling steers to lot feeders and restockers improved 2c to 3c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to butchers gained 4c/kg with supply limited. Yearling heifers to lot feeders and restockers lifted 3c to 5c to sell from 194c to 200c/kg. Heavy weights to the trade sold at firm prices to range from 184c to 212c/kg.

Grown steers found the competition weaker as those too lot feeders slipped back 5c/kg, while those selling to the processors also eased. Heavy weights to slaughter ranged from 185c to 205c/kg. The best of the heifers topped at 192c/kg. Cows remained similar in price although some were better quality and higher yielding. Plainer 2 scores averaged 135c as the better finished 3 and 4 scores ranged from 138c to 158c/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														
200-280	RS	C	2	37	190.0	- 217.2	213.2	2	-			399	- 602	556
280-330	RS	C	2	61	214.0	- 220.2	217.4	6	-			628	- 698	678
		C	3	1	217.2	- 217.2	217.2	N/Q	402	- 402	402	652	- 652	652
330+	RS	C	2	1	191.8	- 191.8	191.8	N/Q	-			652	- 652	652
		C	3	1	203.6	- 203.6	203.6	N/Q	377	- 377	377	733	- 733	733
				101	190.0	220.2	215.5		377	402	390	399	733	633
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	27	180.0	- 200.0	188.3	4	346	- 385	362	410	- 560	489
	FD	C	2	1	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-			481	- 481	481
	RS	C	2	13	175.2	- 192.2	184.4	N/C	-			368	- 538	460
		C	3	1	201.2	- 201.2	201.2	N/Q	387	- 387	387	543	- 543	543
280-330		C	2	5	186.0	- 186.2	186.2	4	358	- 358	358	531	- 558	536
	RS	C	2	32	190.5	- 195.2	191.8	N/Q	-			543	- 586	555
		C	3	12	190.0	- 220.2	202.4	2	359	- 408	381	570	- 705	638
	FD	D	2	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-			480	- 480	480
330+		C	3	1	218.2	- 218.2	218.2	N/Q	404	- 404	404	829	- 829	829
				93	160.0	220.2	190.8		346	408	368	368	829	533
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	5	212.6	- 212.6	212.6	4	-			617	- 617	617
	RS	C	2	21	208.8	- 215.2	211.7	4	-			647	- 689	670
330-400	RS	C	2	106	201.2	- 215.2	211.0	3	-			694	- 806	742
	FD	C	2	55	209.2	- 214.2	211.7	5	-			714	- 812	778
400+		B	3	1	224.4	- 224.4	224.4	N/Q	401	- 401	401	954	- 954	954
	FD	C	2	129	194.2	- 211.2	204.3	2	-			816	- 916	860
	RS	C	2	22	185.0	- 200.0	197.2	-1	-			759	- 840	827
	RS	C	3	1	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-			833	- 833	833
		C	3	17	200.0	- 219.2	209.3	5	370	- 400	383	845	- 964	900

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	FD	C	3	8	212.0	- 212.0	212.0	N/Q	-			869	- 869	869
				365	185.0	224.4	207.9		370	401	384	617	964	799
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	FD	C	2	1	189.2	- 189.2	189.2	N/Q	-			568	- 568	568
	RS	C	2	52	180.2	- 198.4	193.4	N/Q	-			543	- 640	611
	RS	D	2	5	136.0	- 145.0	141.4	-9	-			388	- 464	433
		D	2	1	141.2	- 141.2	141.2	N/Q	294	- 294	294	466	- 466	466
		E	2	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	227	- 227	227	320	- 320	320
330-400	RS	C	2	57	185.8	- 200.4	192.8	N/Q	-			647	- 701	674
	FD	C	2	37	194.0	- 198.0	197.5	7	-			683	- 752	745
		C	3	21	195.0	- 198.6	195.6	-9	368	- 375	369	663	- 702	673
400+		C	2	6	172.2	- 172.2	172.2	-6	344	- 344	344	723	- 723	723
		C	3	85	184.0	- 212.2	189.9	-3	354	- 393	363	764	- 891	833
		D	3	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	340	- 340	340	714	- 714	714
				267	100.0	212.2	190.8		227	393	361	320	891	717
Grown Steer														
0-400		D	2	2	128.2	- 128.2	128.2	N/Q	256	- 256	256	436	- 436	436
	RS	D	2	4	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	-			543	- 543	543
400-500	RS	C	2	7	164.0	- 199.0	184.0	N/Q	-			672	- 856	777
		C	2	17	163.6	- 175.2	171.7	10	327	- 337	333	671	- 835	783
	FD	C	2	162	173.0	- 200.6	193.9	-6	-			718	- 933	847
		C	3	6	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	-4	352	- 352	352	893	- 893	893
		D	2	3	135.6	- 157.2	142.8	N/Q	283	- 314	293	544	- 637	575
500-600		C	3	137	185.0	- 201.2	196.5	-5	343	- 359	355	962	- 1160	1071
600-750		C	3	29	190.0	- 205.0	200.4	-4	346	- 366	361	1178	- 1271	1239
		C	4	1	201.0	- 201.0	201.0	N/Q	359	- 359	359	1226	- 1226	1226
				368	128.2	205.0	192.9		256	366	352	436	1271	951
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	2	1	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	N/Q	344	- 344	344	694	- 694	694
		C	3	45	174.0	- 187.6	184.0	5	348	- 370	361	753	- 950	834
		C	4	2	170.0	- 192.0	181.0	N/Q	340	- 362	351	850	- 998	924
		D	2	1	160.6	- 160.6	160.6	N/Q	357	- 357	357	562	- 562	562
		D	3	3	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	313	- 313	313	630	- 630	630
				52	150.0	192.0	181.1		313	370	357	562	998	817
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	1	4	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	-3	-			475	- 475	475
		D	1	1	102.0	- 102.0	102.0	N/Q	268	- 268	268	347	- 347	347
		D	2	4	134.2	- 134.2	134.2	10	327	- 327	327	510	- 510	510
400-520		D	2	42	129.2	- 142.0	135.7	1	308	- 338	323	554	- 625	601
	RS	D	2	14	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	-			546	- 546	546
		D	3	31	138.0	- 144.2	141.9	3	294	- 307	302	607	- 710	653
520+		C	3	2	154.2	- 158.0	156.1	N/Q	302	- 304	303	956	- 995	976
		C	4	34	148.0	- 153.2	152.0	N/Q	296	- 300	299	858	- 1134	1069
		D	3	12	140.0	- 148.0	144.7	-3	292	- 308	302	779	- 876	811
		D	4	30	142.0	- 153.0	151.2	3	296	- 319	315	798	- 1010	968

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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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