

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Wodonga

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Yarding Change ¹⁶⁰⁰/₄₀₀

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Numbers increased and quality was mixed across most grades. There was a mixed selection of secondary yearling steers and heifers, however trade cattle numbers increased and quality improved due to the greater selection of supplementary fed yearlings. Feeder steers were well supplied while there was a very mixed offering of secondary yearling heifers. Grown steer and bullock's numbers were similar to the previous sale.

The reasonable supply of prime vealers was 3c to 7c cheaper for steers while the heifer portion kicked 3c and an exceptional European cross steer sold up to 234c/kg. Yearling steers and heifers suitable for restocking were up to 10c dearer and more in places with most of the better C2 steers purchased by restockers making from 200c to 210c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers and steers suitable for the trade were 8c dearer while the C3 medium weight steer lines averaged 209.1c/kg.

Feeder steers were keenly contested by a smaller gallery of buyers and lighter grades sold to similar rates of the previous week. Medium weight steers eased by 5c/kg while the C2 medium weight lines averaged 199.6c and topped at 206c/kg. The mixed selection of feeder heifers were fully firm to 4c dearer and the C2 muscled pens sold from 183c to 192c/kg.

The mixed quality yarding of grown steers and bullocks sold to steady demand however most of the better quality pens were firm to 3c cheaper for heavy steers while bullocks held firm. The C3 and C4 steers and bullocks made from 182c to 206c/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
Calves														
80+		C	2	1	245.6	- 245.6	245.6	N/Q	463	- 463	463	356	- 356	356
				1	245.6	245.6	246.0		463	463	463	356	356	356
Vealer Steer														
200-280		B	2	6	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	415	- 415	415	590	- 590	590
	FD	B	2	4	210.2	- 210.2	210.2	N/Q	-	-	-	584	- 584	584
	FD	C	2	8	213.2	- 213.2	213.2	N/Q	-	-	-	576	- 576	576
	RS	C	2	3	203.2	- 203.2	203.2	N/Q	-	-	-	569	- 569	569
		C	2	7	208.0	- 208.0	208.0	6	385	- 385	385	572	- 572	572
280-330		B	2	15	212.0	- 226.0	219.3	-10	393	- 407	402	621	- 716	686
	RS	B	2	13	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	-	-	-	630	- 630	630
		C	2	10	204.0	- 214.0	209.8	N/C	382	- 385	384	602	- 685	646
	RS	C	2	5	193.2	- 202.0	196.7	N/Q	-	-	-	606	- 614	611
	FD	C	2	36	190.2	- 208.0	204.9	3	-	-	-	580	- 677	630
	RS	D	2	3	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	-	-	-	503	- 503	503
330+		B	2	82	210.0	- 234.0	219.9	-7	375	- 426	396	730	- 940	852
		C	2	26	193.2	- 231.0	210.5	3	361	- 413	387	681	- 873	767
	FD	C	2	5	194.0	- 200.0	197.6	N/Q	-	-	-	642	- 736	698
	RS	C	2	12	200.2	- 205.0	204.2	19	-	-	-	675	- 789	770
		C	3	4	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	-9	366	- 366	366	1021	- 1021	1021
				239	165.0	234.0	212.0		361	426	394	503	1021	732
Vealer Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	3	204.2	- 204.2	204.2	N/Q	-	-	-	531	- 531	531
280-330		B	2	5	214.0	- 214.0	214.0	N/Q	382	- 382	382	653	- 685	674
	FD	C	2	9	196.2	- 196.2	196.2	N/Q	-	-	-	591	- 591	591

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330+		C	2	13	194.0	- 208.0	195.5	-7	366	- 385	368	559	- 645	577	
		B	2	48	200.0	- 230.0	216.6	3	357	- 411	388	720	- 834	781	
		C	2	5	197.6	- 205.0	202.0	4	366	- 380	374	678	- 711	698	
	FD	C	2	2	191.2	- 191.2	191.2	N/Q		-		707	- 707	707	
		C	3	6	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	10	370	- 370	370	810	- 810	810	
				91	191.2	230.0	208.6		357	411	382	531	834	714	
Yearling Steer															
0-330	RS	C	2	25	205.0	- 206.2	205.2	N/Q	-			635	- 638	637	
	FD	C	2	12	199.2	- 206.6	201.4	-11	-			502	- 645	621	
		D	2	3	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	310	- 310	310	419	- 419	419	
330-400	RS	C	2	9	213.6	- 213.6	213.6	N/Q	-			758	- 758	758	
	FD	C	2	24	205.6	- 208.2	207.0	5	-			697	- 814	751	
		C	3	9	200.0	- 207.0	203.9	-3	370	- 383	378	748	- 807	786	
400+	FD	C	2	59	190.0	- 206.0	199.6	-5	-			836	- 952	881	
		C	3	188	190.0	- 226.0	209.1	8	359	- 419	388	801	- 1048	967	
		D	3	2	179.0	- 179.0	179.0	N/Q	338	- 338	338	829	- 829	829	
					331	155.0	226.0	206.0		310	419	386	419	1048	882
Yearling Heifer															
0-330	FD	C	2	10	184.2	- 184.6	184.4	6	-			535	- 589	562	
		C	2	3	183.0	- 183.0	183.0	N/Q	345	- 345	345	461	- 461	461	
		C	3	3	184.2	- 184.2	184.2	N/Q	341	- 341	341	589	- 589	589	
		RS	C	3	12	187.2	- 187.2	187.2	N/Q	-			595	- 595	595
		RS	D	2	7	170.0	- 184.2	174.1	N/Q	-			502	- 527	507
330-400	FD	C	2	28	183.6	- 192.0	188.3	4	-			665	- 737	706	
		C	3	36	174.0	- 216.0	190.7	-1	322	- 400	353	629	- 799	713	
		D	2	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	269	- 269	269	532	- 532	532	
		D	3	3	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	321	- 321	321	595	- 595	595	
400+	FD	C	2	3	176.6	- 176.6	176.6	1	-			768	- 768	768	
		C	3	121	178.0	- 216.0	194.9	8	330	- 398	360	773	- 973	847	
		D	2	4	154.2	- 154.2	154.2	N/Q	297	- 297	297	621	- 621	621	
		D	3	6	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	2	306	- 306	306	794	- 972	883	
	FD	D	3	12	168.6	- 168.6	168.6	N/Q	-			749	- 749	749	
				249	140.0	216.0	188.4		269	400	354	461	973	758	
Grown Steer															
400-500		C	3	4	184.0	- 203.0	193.5	-13	347	- 376	362	902	- 1015	958	
500-600		C	3	290	182.0	- 206.2	198.7	-3	337	- 382	368	928	- 1206	1113	
		D	3	9	172.0	- 176.0	174.9	N/Q	319	- 330	328	879	- 999	972	
600-750		C	3	7	204.0	- 204.0	204.0	2	378	- 378	378	1226	- 1226	1226	
		C	4	117	182.0	- 202.0	198.6	1	337	- 374	366	1190	- 1409	1268	
		D	4	8	180.0	- 184.0	181.5	-4	333	- 341	336	1148	- 1165	1158	
				435	172.0	206.2	197.9		319	382	366	879	1409	1153	
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	3	2	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	325	- 325	325	834	- 834	834	
		C	4	13	178.0	- 186.6	185.3	7	330	- 346	343	940	- 976	970	
		D	3	6	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	8	311	- 311	311	627	- 627	627	

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540+		C	4	21	155.0	- 184.0	176.5	-7	287	- 347	330	948	- 1187	1091	
		D	3	8	146.0	- 158.0	152.0	4	276	- 298	287	822	- 934	878	
		D	4	3	164.6	- 164.6	164.6	-5	311	- 311	311	979	- 979	979	
		D	5	1	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	293	- 293	293	845	- 845	845	
				54	146.0	186.6	172.5		276	347	323	627	1187	958	
Manufacturing Steer															
0-540		D	2	34	130.0	- 150.0	145.7	2	250	- 300	280	553	- 602	578	
		DA	D	2	2	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	279	- 279	279	718	- 718	718
			D	3	3	153.6	- 153.6	153.6	N/Q	290	- 290	290	714	- 714	714
540+	DA	D	2	17	163.0	- 164.0	163.2	8	314	- 315	314	940	- 1076	1052	
					56	130.0	164.0	151.4		250	315	291	553	1076	734
Cows															
400-520		D	3	2	132.2	- 132.2	132.2	N/Q	249	- 249	249	602	- 602	602	
					2	132.2	132.2	132.0		249	249	250	602	602	602

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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