

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Naracoorte

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A larger mixed quality yarding featuring local and pastoral bred cattle were yarded. There were 583 young cattle, 34 grown steers, 91 grown heifers, 604 cows and 71 bulls yarded to be sold to steady trade and export competition from most of the usual SA and Victorian buyers. Feeder and restocker orders were also quite active on mainly young cattle.

Vealer steers in small numbers to the trade sold from 188c to 225c/kg. Feeders and restockers purchased the majority from 194c to 210c at prices 6c/kg less. Vealer heifers on limited numbers to the trade sold between 194c and 200c, with lightweight C2 sales 11c/kg dearer. A feeder orders sourced B1 lightweight heifers at 205c, while restockers purchased D2 lightweights from 155c to 178c/kg.

Yearling steer C2, C3 and B2 medium and heavyweights with many having been supplementary fed sold from 185c to 231c at prices generally 1c to 8c/kg cheaper. Feeders and restockers sourced C1 and C2 light and medium weight steers from 161c to 214c at prices up to 15c/kg dearer. Yearling heifer C3 medium and heavy weights ranged between 190c and 222c with supplementary feds at the higher end to be 20c dearer for the medium weights, and 15c/kg cheaper for the heavy heifers. The C2 medium weight heifers to feeder activity sold from 173c to 189c, at prices 4c/kg less.

Small numbers of grown steers sold from 175c to 202c, with C2 sales 7c/kg cheaper. Pastoral bred manufacturing steers sold from 148c to 172c/kg.

The 2 to 5 score medium and heavy beef cows sold from 124c to 162c, to be unchanged to 3c/kg dearer. This tended to leave most selling in a 265c to 310c/kg cwt price range. Lines of pastoral bred cows sold between 98c and 149c, with small numbers of Friesians selling from 132c to 140c/kg. Medium and heavy bulls in increased numbers sold mainly from 140c to 170c to be unchanged to 6c/kg cheaper.

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	1	14	194.0	- 194.0	194.0	-6	-	-	-	504	- 504	504
		C	2	1	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	389	- 389	389	578	- 578	578
280-330	FD	C	1	1	192.0	- 192.0	192.0	N/Q	-	-	-	595	- 595	595
		C	1	1	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	348	- 348	348	564	- 564	564
	FD	C	2	1	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	N/Q	-	-	-	615	- 615	615
		C	2	1	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	359	- 359	359	627	- 627	627
330+		C	3	1	225.0	- 225.0	225.0	N/Q	402	- 402	402	788	- 788	788
				20	188.0	225.0	196.3		348	402	375	504	788	541
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	2	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	N/Q	361	- 361	361	536	- 536	536
280-330	FD	B	1	7	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	N/Q	-	-	-	666	- 666	666
		C	2	5	194.0	- 200.0	196.4	11	363	- 370	366	553	- 600	572
	RS	D	2	29	155.0	- 178.0	169.6	-4	-	-	-	465	- 534	509
				43	155.0	205.0	179.7		361	370	364	465	666	543
Yearling Steer														
0-330	RS	C	1	11	171.0	- 188.0	177.2	N/Q	-	-	-	513	- 620	552
	RS	C	2	5	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	N/Q	-	-	-	677	- 677	677
	FD	C	2	9	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	-	-	-	693	- 693	693
330-400		B	2	12	202.0	- 231.0	227.1	-2	361	- 409	401	808	- 924	885
	FD	C	1	9	182.0	- 189.0	184.1	N/Q	-	-	-	637	- 658	642

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	RS	C	1	36	161.0	- 190.0	173.1	15	-				555	- 646	616
	RS	C	2	18	214.0	- 214.0	214.0	N/Q	-				728	- 770	756
	FD	C	2	42	186.0	- 216.0	204.7	N/Q	-				632	- 774	731
		C	2	2	177.0	- 177.0	177.0	N/Q	334	- 334	334		664	- 664	664
		C	3	36	200.0	- 225.0	211.8	-8	364	- 402	378		760	- 844	824
400+	RS	D	1	1	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	-				529	- 529	529
	B	2	19	220.0	- 225.0	223.2	-1	389	- 398	395		924	- 945	937	
	C	2	13	185.0	- 196.0	190.9	17	349	- 363	357		777	- 931	860	
	C	3	91	205.0	- 225.0	216.2	-4	372	- 395	382		861	- 1100	1008	
				304	158.0	231.0	205.5		334	409	381	513	1100	825	
Yearling Heifer															
0-330	RS	C	1	1	167.0	- 167.0	167.0	N/Q	-				551	- 551	551
	RS	D	1	9	132.0	- 132.0	132.0	N/Q	-				436	- 436	436
	RS	D	2	9	152.0	- 155.0	152.7	N/Q	-				456	- 512	468
330-400		C	2	5	162.0	- 180.0	165.6	-9	306	- 340	313		608	- 630	612
	FD	C	2	18	173.0	- 189.0	180.8	-4	-				595	- 643	624
		C	3	69	197.0	- 222.0	209.8	20	352	- 393	374		743	- 856	797
		D	2	12	140.0	- 142.0	141.7	-9	296	- 298	296		518	- 525	519
		D	3	2	159.0	- 159.0	159.0	N/Q	306	- 306	306		636	- 636	636
400+		C	2	2	172.0	- 184.0	178.0	N/Q	325	- 341	333		722	- 773	748
		C	3	23	190.0	- 212.0	199.6	-15	352	- 375	362		817	- 933	867
		D	2	1	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	309	- 309	309		609	- 609	609
				151	132.0	222.0	188.1		296	393	358	436	933	712	
Grown Steer															
500-600		C	2	7	178.0	- 180.0	178.3	-7	330	- 333	330		926	- 972	932
		C	3	21	184.0	- 202.0	195.6	N/Q	329	- 361	352		1030	- 1062	1052
600-750		C	3	6	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	313	- 313	313		1155	- 1155	1155
				34	175.0	202.0	188.4		313	361	341	926	1155	1046	
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	2	10	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	4	306	- 312	310		680	- 745	732
		C	3	65	164.0	- 188.0	177.2	9	293	- 336	319		828	- 996	912
540+		C	2	2	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	N/Q	306	- 306	306		932	- 932	932
		C	3	12	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	N/C	300	- 300	300		941	- 941	941
		C	4	2	174.0	- 174.0	174.0	N/Q	319	- 319	319		974	- 974	974
				91	162.0	188.0	173.9		293	336	315	680	996	898	
Manufacturing Steer															
0-540	PC	C	2	63	148.0	- 172.0	160.0	N/Q	296	- 325	316		555	- 817	706
		C	2	10	152.0	- 166.0	159.6	4	304	- 332	316		570	- 863	744
		D	2	6	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	2	302	- 302	302		660	- 660	660
540+		C	3	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	321	- 321	321		1116	- 1116	1116
		E	6	1	70.0	- 70.0	70.0	N/Q	125	- 125	125		882	- 882	882
				81	70.0	180.0	157.8		125	332	313	555	1116	715	
Cows															
0-400	PC	D	1	24	98.0	- 115.0	107.4	N/Q	233	- 250	243		353	- 420	391
		E	1	1	60.0	- 60.0	60.0	N/Q	158	- 158	158		240	- 240	240

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400-520	PC	C	2	20	147.0	- 147.0	147.0	N/Q	303	- 303	303	662	- 662	662	
	PC	D	1	8	116.0	- 116.0	116.0	N/Q	264	- 264	264	522	- 522	522	
		D	1	7	108.0	- 118.0	114.7	N/Q	251	- 268	262	497	- 598	538	
		D	2	33	124.0	- 142.0	133.4	N/C	276	- 309	293	570	- 738	651	
	PC	D	2	34	125.0	- 145.0	136.8	N/Q	278	- 309	296	594	- 638	620	
	PC	D	3	6	149.0	- 149.0	149.0	-4	310	- 310	310	656	- 656	656	
		E	4	5	128.0	- 128.0	128.0	N/Q	278	- 278	278	608	- 608	608	
520+		C	2	30	148.0	- 156.0	152.4	2	294	- 312	308	799	- 1071	881	
		C	4	45	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	3	312	- 312	312	1069	- 1069	1069	
		D	2	34	120.0	- 146.0	137.8	12	267	- 309	296	648	- 798	751	
	DA	D	2	4	132.0	- 132.0	132.0	N/Q	287	- 287	287	759	- 759	759	
	DA	D	3	4	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	298	- 298	298	868	- 868	868	
		D	3	148	146.0	- 152.0	148.5	-1	292	- 311	303	788	- 905	841	
		D	4	185	150.0	- 158.0	154.5	N/C	296	- 310	303	870	- 1030	943	
		D	5	12	150.0	- 151.0	150.1	N/C	283	- 285	283	1050	- 1087	1053	
		D	6	4	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	267	- 267	267	945	- 945	945	
				604	60.0	162.0	146.4		158	312	298	240	1087	831	
Bulls															
0-450	RS	C	1	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q		-		442	- 442	442	
450-600		B	1	10	148.0	- 155.0	151.5	2	272	- 277	273	721	- 868	804	
		B	2	5	155.0	- 170.0	165.0	N/Q	277	- 296	292	825	- 884	857	
		C	1	1	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	240	- 240	240	644	- 644	644	
		C	2	2	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	268	- 273	270	690	- 690	690	
600+		A	1	3	158.0	- 162.0	160.0	N/Q	267	- 279	272	1004	- 1580	1320	
		B	1	21	145.0	- 165.0	153.7	-1	259	- 290	274	1058	- 1520	1203	
		B	2	15	149.0	- 160.0	154.1	-6	265	- 278	271	990	- 1632	1262	
		PC	B	2	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	268	- 268	268	1530	- 1530	1530
		C	1	5	120.0	- 135.0	127.8	8	240	- 255	250	891	- 1045	949	
		C	2	7	140.0	- 146.0	143.7	N/C	255	- 268	262	1079	- 1344	1155	
				71	115.0	170.0	150.7		240	296	271	442	1632	1089	

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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