

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Extra numbers were yarded and quality remained mixed. There were good runs of younger cattle together with fair percentages of grown steers and cows penned. The usual buyers competed, however competition was considerably weaker throughout most categories.

The heavier vealer steers returning to the paddock lost 11c/kg. Vealer heifers throughout all weight ranges selling to restockers and the trade also sold considerably cheaper, however the few prime conditioned pens remained firm compared to the last market. Yearling steers to lot feeders and restockers lost 9c to 15c as heavy weights to the butchers sold at similar prices to reach 229c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to lot feeders slipped back 10c/kg as greater falls were recorded for the lighter weights. Heavy weights to the trade remained firm to reach 210c/kg.

Medium weight grown steers to feeder orders slipped 11c as heavy weights to slaughter eased back from 7c to 10c/kg, however fewer milk tooth pens were sold compared to recent markets. The heifer portion lost 8c/kg. Cows also sold to a cheaper trend to slip from 2c to 8c/kg. The plainer 2 scores averaged 125c as the better finished 3 and 4 scores ranged from 128c to 150c/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														
0-80	RS	C	1	8	200.0	- 226.0	207.1	N/Q	-	-	-	80	- 136	99
				8	200.0	226.0	207.1		0	0		80	136	99
Vealer Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	3	195.2	- 195.2	195.2	-8	-	-	-	527	- 527	527
	RS	C	2	7	178.2	- 195.0	190.6	-19	-	-	-	463	- 489	484
280-330		B	2	1	228.2	- 228.2	228.2	N/Q	423	- 423	423	730	- 730	730
		C	2	2	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	377	- 377	377	600	- 600	600
	RS	C	2	94	190.0	- 203.4	198.3	-11	-	-	-	542	- 631	602
		C	3	1	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	N/Q	380	- 380	380	677	- 677	677
330+		C	3	1	199.0	- 199.0	199.0	N/Q	369	- 369	369	677	- 677	677
				109	178.2	228.2	198.1		369	423	385	463	730	595
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	D	1	3	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	-	-	-	192	- 216	208
200-280	FD	C	1	18	179.8	- 179.8	179.8	N/Q	-	-	-	378	- 378	378
	FD	C	2	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	-	476	- 476	476
		C	2	20	155.0	- 180.6	177.9	-20	310	- 347	343	357	- 506	492
	RS	C	2	32	163.2	- 177.0	170.3	-22	-	-	-	375	- 496	429
280-330	RS	C	2	8	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	-	-	-	540	- 540	540
		C	2	6	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	-25	327	- 327	327	485	- 485	485
		C	3	10	190.0	- 216.0	192.6	-27	359	- 408	363	570	- 648	578
330+		C	3	4	190.0	- 207.2	194.3	-1	359	- 391	367	646	- 715	663
				102	120.0	216.0	175.9		310	408	348	192	715	462
Yearling Steer														
0-330	RS	C	1	7	172.6	- 172.6	172.6	N/Q	-	-	-	449	- 449	449
	RS	C	2	52	165.0	- 195.2	183.7	-19	-	-	-	490	- 625	574
	FD	C	2	8	189.6	- 198.0	194.9	-9	-	-	-	607	- 634	624

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330-400	RS	D	2	7	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	N/Q	-			394	- 394	394
	FD	C	2	59	170.0	- 192.8	185.2	-19	-			586	- 724	656
	RS	C	2	20	185.0	- 189.6	188.4	-16	-			629	- 683	670
400+	FD	C	3	4	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	-			722	- 722	722
		B	3	4	227.2	- 229.2	228.2	N/Q	406	- 409	408	986	- 1022	1004
	RS	C	2	2	180.0	- 182.0	181.0	N/Q	-			730	- 738	734
	FD	C	2	55	177.2	- 190.0	184.9	-12	-			727	- 808	774
	RS	C	3	5	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	-18	-			796	- 796	796
		C	3	11	185.0	- 210.0	200.9	-2	343	- 382	365	796	- 927	852
	FD	C	3	7	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-			833	- 833	833
				241	146.0	229.2	185.4		343	409	376	394	1022	676
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	2	8	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	-4	-			533	- 533	533
	FD	C	2	31	156.2	- 165.0	160.5	-23	-			437	- 520	477
	RS	D	2	4	116.0	- 148.2	133.1	N/Q	-			348	- 415	393
330-400		C	2	2	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	327	- 327	327	595	- 595	595
	FD	C	2	132	160.0	- 177.4	172.0	-10	-			544	- 674	601
		C	3	46	170.0	- 224.2	195.3	-7	327	- 415	368	595	- 836	713
400+	RS	D	2	10	140.0	- 147.0	146.3	N/Q	-			476	- 515	511
	RS	D	3	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-			532	- 532	532
		B	3	4	216.2	- 216.2	216.2	N/Q	400	- 400	400	908	- 908	908
	FD	C	2	9	155.0	- 170.0	156.7	N/Q	-			628	- 714	637
		C	3	36	172.0	- 210.0	191.5	5	325	- 393	361	705	- 903	814
					283	116.0	224.2	175.6		325	415	366	348	908
Grown Steer														
0-400		C	2	1	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	N/Q	324	- 324	324	616	- 616	616
	FD	C	2	60	169.6	- 178.6	172.9	N/Q	-			577	- 661	608
		D	2	3	130.0	- 138.6	135.2	N/Q	260	- 289	278	480	- 513	491
400-500	FD	C	2	40	160.0	- 176.0	172.2	-13	-			656	- 770	740
	RS	C	2	12	160.0	- 176.6	166.9	-6	-			648	- 777	702
		C	2	8	160.0	- 174.0	172.3	-3	308	- 335	331	688	- 783	771
500-600	FD	C	3	17	182.2	- 182.2	182.2	-6	-			820	- 820	820
		C	3	25	180.0	- 188.0	183.4	N/Q	333	- 348	339	771	- 902	839
		C	2	25	168.0	- 178.0	173.9	8	323	- 342	335	874	- 910	899
		C	3	18	185.0	- 194.6	189.9	-12	336	- 354	345	962	- 1070	990
600-750		C	4	1	198.0	- 198.0	198.0	N/Q	354	- 354	354	1089	- 1089	1089
		C	3	24	177.2	- 180.0	178.5	-7	327	- 329	328	1072	- 1188	1128
		C	4	36	180.0	- 182.0	180.8	-11	327	- 331	329	1128	- 1170	1154
				270	130.0	198.0	176.5		260	354	333	480	1188	843
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	2	10	136.2	- 155.0	148.6	-19	296	- 323	312	490	- 698	613
	FD	C	2	17	140.0	- 170.0	162.9	-5	-			574	- 731	694
	RS	C	3	1	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	-			726	- 726	726
		C	3	25	158.0	- 180.0	166.8	-8	320	- 356	334	695	- 972	789
		C	4	1	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	310	- 310	310	667	- 667	667

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		D	2	15	123.0	- 137.0	128.1	N/Q	273	- 304	285	517	- 589	546
		D	3	3	144.2	- 144.2	144.2	N/Q	300	- 300	300	591	- 591	591
540+		C	3	2	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	346	- 346	346	990	- 990	990
		C	4	2	162.0	- 163.2	162.6	N/Q	324	- 326	325	996	- 1004	1000
				76	123.0	180.0	155.1		273	356	316	490	1004	697
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540		C	3	1	177.0	- 177.0	177.0	N/Q	328	- 328	328	920	- 920	920
		D	3	6	133.0	- 133.0	133.0	N/Q	251	- 251	251	479	- 479	479
540+		C	3	5	166.0	- 168.0	166.4	N/Q	307	- 311	308	946	- 1428	1043
				12	133.0	177.0	150.6		251	328	281	479	1428	751
Cows														
0-400		D	1	20	110.0	- 112.0	111.9	N/Q	290	- 295	295	392	- 426	417
		D	2	3	128.0	- 128.0	128.0	2	312	- 312	312	486	- 486	486
	RS	E	1	5	60.0	- 60.0	60.0	N/Q	-	-	-	210	- 216	215
400-520	DA	D	1	1	105.0	- 105.0	105.0	N/Q	292	- 292	292	425	- 425	425
		D	2	55	118.0	- 132.0	124.6	-8	291	- 314	300	512	- 607	545
		D	3	20	128.0	- 139.0	133.2	-4	272	- 296	283	563	- 709	620
520+		C	4	16	147.2	- 148.0	147.6	-2	294	- 308	301	858	- 972	919
	DA	D	2	1	132.0	- 132.0	132.0	N/Q	314	- 314	314	700	- 700	700
		D	2	1	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	323	- 323	323	781	- 781	781
		D	3	29	137.0	- 147.0	142.7	-5	292	- 306	299	731	- 895	794
		D	4	39	136.0	- 150.0	141.8	-8	289	- 313	298	746	- 1110	821
		D	5	1	138.0	- 138.0	138.0	N/Q	300	- 300	300	925	- 925	925
				191	60.0	150.0	130.8		272	323	297	210	1110	659
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	3	135.2	- 163.0	152.7	18	250	- 302	281	473	- 619	556
450-600		C	2	9	146.6	- 146.6	146.6	4	262	- 262	262	806	- 850	821
		D	2	1	113.0	- 113.0	113.0	N/Q	226	- 226	226	542	- 542	542
600+		B	2	7	152.0	- 162.6	157.7	-9	266	- 280	273	1246	- 1705	1493
		C	2	8	136.0	- 152.0	143.2	-10	243	- 271	256	897	- 1133	1027
				28	113.0	163.0	147.9		226	302	264	473	1705	1010

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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