

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Yarding Change ¹³²⁰/₂₁₀

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Consignments lifted and quality was fair to good with younger cattle well represented. There was a handy offering of heavy grown steers together with around 220 cows in the penning. The usual buyers competed as the market trend on average lifted 2c to 5c/kg. This could be due in part to some regional markets cancelled owing to the holiday weekend.

Medium weight yearling steers selling to lot feeder orders improved 2c as the heavy weights gained 5c/kg. Quality and muscle score lifted prices for prime conditioned yearling steers selling to the butchers as these reached 220c/kg. Light and medium weight yearling heifers to feeder orders lifted 4c to 5c as heavy weights to the trade gained 7c/kg.

Grown steers to slaughter improved 3c as the best younger pens reached 200c/kg. The heifer portion lifted 4c to reach 185c/kg. Cows sold to increased competition to improve from 2c to 4c/kg. The plainer 2 scores averaged 127c as the better covered 3 and 4 scores ranged from 132c to 146c/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														
0-200	RS	C	1	9	200.6	- 200.6	200.6	N/Q	-			341	- 341	341
200-280	RS	C	2	7	196.6	- 196.6	196.6	-5	-			433	- 433	433
		C	2	1	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	377	- 377	377	480	- 480	480
	MR	C	2	1	190.2	- 190.2	190.2	N/Q	366	- 366	366	476	- 476	476
280-330	RS	C	2	12	208.2	- 208.2	208.2	-2	-			604	- 604	604
				30	190.2	208.2	202.3		366	377	372	341	604	477
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	C	1	16	181.6	- 181.6	181.6	N/Q	-			318	- 318	318
	RS	C	2	7	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	4	-			333	- 333	333
200-280	RS	C	1	2	159.0	- 159.0	159.0	N/Q	-			350	- 350	350
	FD	C	1	19	180.2	- 180.2	180.2	N/Q	-			505	- 505	505
		C	2	22	173.6	- 201.0	183.9	-3	337	- 387	356	442	- 486	463
		C	3	1	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	359	- 359	359	513	- 513	513
		D	2	4	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	300	- 300	300	375	- 375	375
280-330		C	2	1	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	362	- 362	362	536	- 536	536
				72	150.0	201.0	179.6		300	387	348	318	536	423
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	1	4	177.0	- 177.0	177.0	N/Q	-			478	- 478	478
	RS	C	1	17	187.6	- 187.6	187.6	N/Q	-			488	- 488	488
	RS	C	2	2	188.2	- 188.2	188.2	N/Q	-			527	- 527	527
	FD	C	2	12	201.2	- 201.2	201.2	N/Q	-			654	- 654	654
	RS	D	2	3	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	N/Q	-			504	- 504	504
330-400	FD	C	2	106	195.2	- 206.2	203.1	N/Q	-			654	- 776	729
400+		B	2	1	216.6	- 216.6	216.6	N/Q	394	- 394	394	910	- 910	910
		B	3	11	217.6	- 217.6	217.6	N/Q	389	- 389	389	979	- 979	979
	FD	C	2	75	185.0	- 203.2	197.2	5	-			759	- 853	825
	RS	C	3	5	197.0	- 197.0	197.0	N/Q	-			827	- 827	827

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		C	3	71	193.6	- 220.6	207.2	15	356	- 401	377	852	- 952	916
	FD	C	3	16	205.2	- 205.2	205.2	N/Q	-			841	- 841	841
				323	168.0	220.6	201.5		356	401	379	478	979	787
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	1	16	180.2	- 180.2	180.2	N/Q	-			451	- 451	451
	RS	C	2	5	173.2	- 173.2	173.2	-3	-			494	- 494	494
	FD	C	2	22	170.0	- 179.2	175.5	4	-			485	- 573	530
	FD	D	2	2	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-			364	- 364	364
		D	2	1	127.0	- 127.0	127.0	N/Q	265	- 265	265	394	- 394	394
	RS	D	2	1	151.6	- 151.6	151.6	N/Q	-			485	- 485	485
330-400		C	2	15	142.6	- 180.0	170.1	N/Q	297	- 346	332	485	- 669	616
	FD	C	2	32	170.0	- 182.2	177.3	7	-			578	- 689	626
		C	3	32	190.0	- 213.6	200.2	13	359	- 396	377	646	- 798	738
	FD	D	2	1	155.2	- 155.2	155.2	N/Q	-			528	- 528	528
400+		B	2	1	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	389	- 389	389	861	- 861	861
	FD	C	2	6	182.6	- 183.2	183.0	N/Q	-			732	- 735	734
		C	2	1	173.6	- 173.6	173.6	N/Q	347	- 347	347	696	- 696	696
		C	3	91	179.2	- 212.2	192.8	7	345	- 393	367	742	- 891	807
				226	127.0	213.6	185.8		265	396	365	364	891	689
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	C	2	15	165.0	- 179.2	173.2	N/Q	-			627	- 681	652
400-500	FD	C	2	59	180.0	- 195.0	191.5	13	-			756	- 858	834
		C	2	9	165.0	- 180.0	171.1	N/Q	317	- 346	329	710	- 810	734
		C	3	10	180.0	- 194.6	182.9	N/Q	333	- 354	337	828	- 895	841
500-600		C	2	24	175.6	- 179.8	178.5	N/Q	338	- 346	343	896	- 979	919
		C	3	91	185.0	- 200.2	195.1	3	336	- 364	355	962	- 1112	1043
		C	4	3	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	336	- 336	336	971	- 971	971
600-750		C	4	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	327	- 327	327	1098	- 1098	1098
				212	165.0	200.2	188.9		317	364	349	627	1112	920
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	2	9	166.6	- 166.6	166.6	10	-			633	- 633	633
		C	2	12	130.0	- 172.0	147.8	-7	271	- 358	308	455	- 722	579
	FD	C	3	6	174.2	- 174.2	174.2	N/Q	-			706	- 706	706
		C	3	34	165.0	- 185.0	173.8	4	330	- 370	348	704	- 944	827
		C	4	3	158.0	- 170.0	166.0	N/Q	316	- 340	332	790	- 884	853
	FD	D	1	2	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	-			368	- 368	368
	RS	D	1	4	122.0	- 122.0	122.0	N/Q	-			366	- 366	366
	RS	D	2	5	134.6	- 134.6	134.6	N/Q	-			511	- 511	511
		D	2	3	124.0	- 143.0	132.3	4	276	- 318	294	521	- 601	549
		D	3	4	130.0	- 154.0	148.0	N/C	283	- 321	311	624	- 693	676
540+		C	3	1	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	330	- 330	330	908	- 908	908
		C	4	2	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	320	- 320	320	960	- 960	960
				85	115.0	185.0	159.9		271	370	332	366	960	700
Manufacturing Steer														
540+	DA	D	2	2	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	316	- 316	316	995	- 995	995

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
				2	158.0	158.0	158.0		316	316	316	995	995	996
Cows														
0-400		D	1	1	90.0	- 90.0	90.0	N/Q	237	- 237	237	342	- 342	342
		D	2	2	112.0	- 115.0	113.5	N/Q	280	- 288	284	392	- 437	415
		E	2	1	80.0	- 80.0	80.0	N/Q	229	- 229	229	288	- 288	288
400-520		D	1	5	115.0	- 116.0	115.4	20	303	- 305	304	472	- 499	482
		D	2	50	120.0	- 136.0	127.5	4	293	- 314	305	516	- 660	573
		D	3	40	132.0	- 140.0	136.7	6	281	- 314	302	608	- 700	646
520+		C	3	5	143.0	- 146.0	143.6	2	286	- 292	287	787	- 905	810
		C	4	1	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	290	- 290	290	928	- 928	928
		D	3	42	137.0	- 143.6	141.9	3	285	- 299	296	747	- 890	781
		D	4	49	138.0	- 145.0	143.3	3	288	- 302	299	812	- 1015	899
		D	5	2	135.0	- 138.0	136.5	N/Q	294	- 294	294	869	- 945	907
				198	80.0	146.0	136.0		229	314	299	288	1015	717
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	3	155.0	- 158.2	156.1	7	283	- 287	286	465	- 649	526
		D	2	2	115.0	- 120.0	117.5	N/Q	221	- 231	226	472	- 492	482
450-600		C	2	2	140.0	- 155.0	147.5	N/Q	255	- 277	266	756	- 853	804
600+		B	2	1	153.2	- 153.2	153.2	N/Q	264	- 264	264	1011	- 1011	1011
		C	2	3	138.0	- 150.0	142.7	-5	250	- 268	256	911	- 1232	1104
				11	115.0	158.2	143.5		221	287	261	465	1232	770

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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