

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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There was quite a good quality yarding for the first split sale, containing 722 young cattle, 32 grown steers, 22 grown heifers and 70 mainly lightweight bulls. These sold to steady trade and export competition from most of the usual SA and Victorian buyers. There were also small lines of B muscled light and medium weight vealers which attracted strong Victorian wholesale competition, while feeder and restocker orders were also active on mainly vealers and yearling steers and heifers.

The B muscled vealer steers to the trade sold from 210c to 240c at prices up to 11c/kg dearer. C2 sales were 3c to 11c cheaper to a mixture of trade and feeder activity as they sold from 188c to 200c/kg. Vealer heifers for a mixture of light and medium weights sold to the trade from 170c to 227c, at prices 3c to 13c/kg cheaper. Feeder and restocker purchases of lightweight C1 and C2 vealer heifers were down to 12c less selling from 170c to 186c/kg. Yearling steer C3 heavyweights sold from 190c to 205c to be 2c/kg less. However, B muscled sales were 14c cheaper selling between 200c and 205c/kg. Feeder and restocker orders sourced C1 and C2 light and medium weight yearling steers from 141c to 195c, or 4c to 12c/kg cheaper. Yearling heifer C3 medium and heavyweight sales were generally from 175c to 198c to be basically unchanged due to the supermarket influence, after early prices were up to 10c/kg lower. Feeders and restockers sourced a wide range of weights and quality from 124c to 175c at prices 3c to 12c/kg less.

The few grown steers yarded sold from 180c to 203c to be 2c/kg less, and were averaging close to 340c/kg cwt. Grown heifers in small lines sold mainly between 135c and 175c with a C3 sale 7c/kg dearer. Light bulls to a mixture of orders sold generally from 140c to 170c, with the few medium and heavyweights to processors 129c to 160c/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	D	1	3	151.0	- 151.0	151.0	N/Q	-	-	-	378	- 378	378
280-330		B	2	19	210.0	- 230.0	222.5	N/Q	375	- 407	395	690	- 759	711
		C	2	5	188.0	- 200.0	194.2	-11	348	- 367	358	600	- 644	609
	FD	C	2	19	190.0	- 198.0	194.9	-6	-	-	-	618	- 653	635
330+		B	2	21	220.0	- 240.0	231.4	11	389	- 425	410	816	- 825	820
		C	2	24	190.0	- 200.0	194.8	-3	352	- 357	355	665	- 882	756
				91	151.0	240.0	207.6		348	425	383	378	882	715
Vealer Heifer														
280-330	RS	C	1	22	179.0	- 179.0	179.0	N/Q	-	-	-	510	- 510	510
		C	2	11	170.0	- 200.0	187.8	N/Q	321	- 370	351	553	- 660	608
	FD	C	2	15	170.0	- 186.0	182.8	-12	-	-	-	553	- 558	557
		C	3	27	200.0	- 227.0	204.6	-3	357	- 405	366	630	- 749	648
		D	3	1	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	298	- 298	298	521	- 521	521
330+		B	2	6	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	389	- 389	389	748	- 748	748
		C	2	8	165.0	- 170.0	168.1	N/Q	311	- 315	314	561	- 578	572
		C	3	14	186.0	- 215.0	197.4	-13	332	- 381	352	670	- 774	705
				104	158.0	227.0	190.9		298	405	355	510	774	608
Yearling Steer														
0-330	RS	C	1	12	141.0	- 175.0	169.3	N/Q	-	-	-	451	- 525	513
	RS	D	1	3	126.0	- 126.0	126.0	N/Q	-	-	-	416	- 416	416
330-400	RS	C	1	16	150.0	- 178.0	162.3	N/Q	-	-	-	510	- 605	552
	FD	C	1	5	161.0	- 161.0	161.0	N/Q	-	-	-	547	- 547	547

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400+	FD	C	2	17	184.0	- 195.0	189.8	-4	-			644	- 683	664
		C	2	11	160.0	- 185.0	182.3	12	302	- 339	336	584	- 694	676
	RS	C	2	4	151.0	- 165.0	154.5	-1	-			559	- 561	559
	RS	D	2	3	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	N/Q	-			551	- 551	551
		B	2	27	200.0	- 205.0	203.3	-14	351	- 366	357	840	- 994	913
		C	2	5	187.0	- 187.0	187.0	6	343	- 343	343	823	- 823	823
		C	3	110	190.0	- 205.0	198.8	-2	339	- 366	355	798	- 1014	941
				213	126.0	205.0	189.9		302	366	354	416	1014	816
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	2	18	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	-			528	- 528	528
	RS	D	2	39	124.0	- 146.0	141.9	-3	-			392	- 446	422
330-400	PC	C	2	6	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	-2	264	- 264	264	504	- 504	504
		C	2	12	160.0	- 162.0	160.5	13	294	- 324	306	552	- 608	570
	RS	C	2	8	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	N/Q	-			543	- 543	543
	FD	C	2	14	158.0	- 175.0	169.6	-12	-			545	- 639	598
		C	3	35	175.0	- 196.0	190.3	1	327	- 350	343	656	- 784	750
	FD	C	3	6	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	-17	-			688	- 688	688
	PT	D	2	4	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	280	- 280	280	497	- 497	497
	RS	D	2	10	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-			490	- 490	490
	PC	D	2	20	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	12	280	- 280	280	469	- 469	469
		D	3	8	144.0	- 148.0	145.0	-5	277	- 279	278	504	- 592	526
400+		B	2	3	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	5	357	- 357	357	840	- 840	840
		C	2	4	173.0	- 173.0	173.0	16	320	- 320	320	779	- 779	779
		C	3	91	175.0	- 198.0	188.6	N/C	313	- 354	337	753	- 851	815
	PC	C	3	6	163.0	- 163.0	163.0	N/Q	302	- 302	302	685	- 685	685
		C	4	11	175.0	- 176.0	175.6	6	313	- 314	314	814	- 836	828
		D	2	5	124.0	- 124.0	124.0	2	258	- 258	258	546	- 546	546
	PC	D	3	6	144.0	- 144.0	144.0	N/C	272	- 272	272	634	- 634	634
		D	4	7	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	-18	250	- 250	250	651	- 651	651
	PT	D	4	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	255	- 255	255	616	- 616	616
				314	124.0	200.0	167.3		250	357	317	392	851	650
Grown Steer														
400-500		B	2	9	198.0	- 203.0	201.3	N/Q	350	- 356	354	990	- 1015	1007
500-600		B	2	1	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	336	- 336	336	1140	- 1140	1140
		C	3	21	180.0	- 195.0	189.1	-2	330	- 345	338	1035	- 1068	1054
		C	4	1	187.0	- 187.0	187.0	N/Q	325	- 325	325	1047	- 1047	1047
				32	180.0	203.0	192.5		325	356	342	990	1140	1043
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	9	170.0	- 175.0	173.3	N/Q	304	- 313	310	850	- 875	867
	PT	C	3	2	138.0	- 138.0	138.0	N/Q	253	- 253	253	642	- 642	642
	DA	D	1	3	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	244	- 244	244	506	- 506	506
540+		C	3	6	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	7	282	- 282	282	909	- 909	909
		C	5	1	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	261	- 261	261	994	- 994	994
		D	3	1	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	270	- 270	270	756	- 756	756
				22	110.0	175.0	154.1		244	313	284	506	994	809

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Manufacturing Steer																
0-540		C	1	3	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/C	292	-	292	292	420	-	420	420
540+	PC	C	5	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	286	-	286	286	1216	-	1216	1216
				4	140.0	160.0	145.0		286		292	290	420	1216	619	
Bulls																
0-450		B	1	2	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	278	-	278	278	510	-	510	510
	FD	B	1	2	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q		-			512	-	512	512
	RS	B	2	7	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q		-			595	-	595	595
		B	2	4	156.0	- 170.0	163.0	3	276	-	304	290	612	-	686	649
		C	1	5	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	2	250	-	250	250	520	-	520	520
	FD	C	1	12	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q		-			476	-	476	476
	RS	C	1	10	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	-9		-			426	-	426	426
		C	2	3	138.0	- 145.0	142.7	14	259	-	260	259	518	-	609	579
	RS	D	2	3	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q		-			286	-	286	286
450-600		B	1	1	148.0	- 148.0	148.0	N/Q	260	-	260	260	681	-	681	681
		B	2	12	158.0	- 160.0	158.8	9	278	-	283	281	751	-	960	822
		C	2	1	138.0	- 138.0	138.0	N/Q	253	-	253	253	635	-	635	635
	RS	C	2	4	149.0	- 149.0	149.0	N/Q		-			775	-	775	775
600+		B	1	1	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	252	-	252	252	1102	-	1102	1102
		B	2	2	152.0	- 157.0	154.5	N/Q	271	-	275	273	1155	-	1256	1206
		C	1	1	129.0	- 129.0	129.0	N/Q	248	-	248	248	980	-	980	980
				70	110.0	170.0	147.6		248		304	271	286	1256	611	

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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