

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Wodonga

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Yarding Change 590
-180

comparison date 24/10/2012

There was a moderate reduction in numbers which sold to the regular panel of buyers and local restockers. Quality was mixed with all weights and grades represented with this leading to a reduced demand, particularly across leaner grades.

Heavy well finished cows sold down to 3c cheaper while sales strengthened on all younger pen lots of well finished cows which sold from 132c to 144.6c/kg. Leaner grades sold to weaker demand with buying subdued, two and three score cows sold 7c to 9c/kg cheaper. Dairy cows were keenly contested and they made from 115c 133.6c/kg. The mixed quality selection of bulls sold to steady demand prices ranging from 145c to 175c/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 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | D | 4 | 9 | 132.0 | - 132.0 | 132.0 | N/Q | 264 | - 264 | 264 | 726 | - 726 | 726 | |
| | | | 9 | 132.0 | 132.0 | 132.0 | | 264 | 264 | 264 | 726 | 726 | 726 | |
| Grown Steer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 500-600 | D | 2 | 1 | 138.2 | - 138.2 | 138.2 | N/Q | 266 | - 266 | 266 | 719 | - 719 | 719 | |
| | | | 1 | 138.2 | 138.2 | 138.0 | | 266 | 266 | 266 | 719 | 719 | 719 | |
| Grown Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-540 | C | 2 | 1 | 145.0 | - 145.0 | 145.0 | N/Q | 279 | - 279 | 279 | 696 | - 696 | 696 | |
| | C | 4 | 4 | 144.2 | - 144.2 | 144.2 | N/Q | 272 | - 272 | 272 | 678 | - 678 | 678 | |
| | D | 2 | 19 | 119.6 | - 119.6 | 119.6 | N/Q | 272 | - 272 | 272 | 505 | - 505 | 505 | |
| 540+ | C | 4 | 1 | 152.2 | - 152.2 | 152.2 | N/Q | 287 | - 287 | 287 | 829 | - 829 | 829 | |
| | | | 25 | 119.6 | 152.2 | 125.8 | | 272 | 287 | 273 | 505 | 829 | 553 | |
| Cows | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-400 | D | 3 | 3 | 117.2 | - 117.2 | 117.2 | N/Q | 249 | - 249 | 249 | 465 | - 465 | 465 | |
| 400-520 | D | 1 | 4 | 105.0 | - 109.2 | 108.2 | N/C | 256 | - 266 | 264 | 431 | - 524 | 501 | |
| | RS | D | 1 | 2 | 107.2 | - 107.2 | 107.2 | N/Q | - | - | 440 | - 440 | 440 | |
| | RS | D | 2 | 12 | 119.2 | - 119.2 | 119.2 | N/Q | - | - | 584 | - 584 | 584 | |
| | D | 2 | 5 | 118.6 | - 118.6 | 118.6 | -3 | 252 | - 252 | 252 | 534 | - 534 | 534 | |
| | RS | D | 3 | 12 | 122.6 | - 122.6 | 122.6 | N/Q | - | - | 499 | - 499 | 499 | |
| | D | 3 | 70 | 118.2 | - 132.0 | 123.7 | -9 | 252 | - 281 | 263 | 558 | - 665 | 599 | |
| | D | 4 | 4 | 136.0 | - 136.0 | 136.0 | N/Q | 262 | - 262 | 262 | 653 | - 653 | 653 | |
| | DA | E | 3 | 2 | 115.0 | - 115.0 | 115.0 | N/Q | 245 | - 245 | 245 | 552 | - 552 | 552 |
| 520+ | C | 4 | 1 | 148.6 | - 148.6 | 148.6 | N/Q | 286 | - 286 | 286 | 970 | - 970 | 970 | |
| | DA | D | 1 | 6 | 116.2 | - 117.2 | 117.0 | N/Q | 266 | - 283 | 269 | 616 | - 694 | 681 |
| | D | 1 | 4 | 104.2 | - 104.2 | 104.2 | 1 | 254 | - 254 | 254 | 544 | - 544 | 544 | |
| | DA | D | 2 | 8 | 124.0 | - 133.6 | 126.9 | 5 | 264 | - 284 | 270 | 683 | - 971 | 817 |
| | D | 2 | 2 | 109.0 | - 109.0 | 109.0 | N/Q | 248 | - 248 | 248 | 610 | - 610 | 610 | |
| | D | 3 | 91 | 114.0 | - 135.2 | 126.8 | -7 | 243 | - 288 | 267 | 648 | - 850 | 735 | |
| | D | 4 | 260 | 132.0 | - 144.6 | 136.9 | -3 | 254 | - 280 | 265 | 705 | - 1202 | 892 | |
| | D | 5 | 17 | 122.0 | - 134.2 | 128.2 | -4 | 235 | - 268 | 256 | 801 | - 912 | 859 | |

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| | | | | | Low | High | Avg | Change | Low | High | Avg | Low | High | Avg |
| | | D | 6 | 1 | 120.0 | - 120.0 | 120.0 | N/Q | 250 | - 250 | 250 | 882 | - 882 | 882 |
| | | | | 504 | 104.2 | 148.6 | 130.7 | | 235 | 288 | 265 | 431 | 1202 | 784 |
| Bulls | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-450 | | D | 2 | 1 | 140.0 | - 140.0 | 140.0 | N/Q | 259 | - 259 | 259 | 126 | - 126 | 126 |
| 600+ | | B | 2 | 3 | 164.0 | - 175.0 | 168.0 | 8 | 293 | - 324 | 304 | 1535 | - 1785 | 1631 |
| | DA | C | 2 | 2 | 148.0 | - 150.0 | 149.0 | N/Q | 274 | - 278 | 276 | 1275 | - 1332 | 1304 |
| | | C | 2 | 10 | 145.0 | - 156.0 | 151.2 | N/C | 269 | - 289 | 280 | 1001 | - 1607 | 1242 |
| | | D | 1 | 1 | 120.0 | - 120.0 | 120.0 | N/Q | 222 | - 222 | 222 | 984 | - 984 | 984 |
| | | D | 2 | 2 | 145.0 | - 148.0 | 146.5 | N/Q | 269 | - 274 | 271 | 1214 | - 1305 | 1259 |
| | DA | D | 2 | 1 | 142.6 | - 142.6 | 142.6 | N/Q | 264 | - 264 | 264 | 1383 | - 1383 | 1383 |
| | | | | 20 | 120.0 | 175.0 | 150.5 | | 222 | 324 | 278 | 126 | 1785 | 1247 |

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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