

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Great Southern Saleyard

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The sizable drop in numbers was due to lower supplies of yearling stores and cows with vealers, trade yearling and heavy weight steer and heifer supplies similar.

Vealers enjoyed a solid feeder and restocker demand throughout the classes, while feeder demand for better quality store yearlings remained similar. Medium vealer steers sold 9¢ cheaper on 225¢ while the majority of the medium vealer heifers sold to feeders from 180¢ to 194¢/kg. Medium weight yearling C2 heifers sold to a top price of 188¢ to make 181¢/kg. Trade and heavy weight steers and heifers all recorded a lower local trade demand that created price falls.

This was also the case in both cow and bull categories where lower values were recorded. Heavy D4 cows sold from 85¢ to 101¢/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	C	2	35	195.0	- 229.0	224.9	-9	-	-	-	536	- 605	596
280-330	RS	C	2	7	217.0	- 217.0	217.0	N/Q	-	-	-	629	- 629	629
	FD	C	2	70	207.0	- 219.0	211.4	9	-	-	-	599	- 672	640
		C	3	3	204.0	- 204.0	204.0	N/Q	371	- 371	371	626	- 626	626
330+	FD	C	2	67	206.0	- 210.0	208.8	14	-	-	-	708	- 793	742
	RS	C	2	1	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	-	-	-	780	- 780	780
				183	195.0	229.0	213.1		371	371	371	536	793	669
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	D	1	4	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	-	-	-	259	- 259	259
200-280	RS	C	1	2	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	-	442	- 442	442
	FD	C	2	16	189.0	- 189.0	189.0	-1	-	-	-	459	- 459	459
		C	3	4	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	352	- 352	352	528	- 528	528
	RS	C	3	6	187.0	- 187.0	187.0	N/Q	-	-	-	520	- 520	520
280-330	FD	C	2	21	180.0	- 194.0	192.7	7	-	-	-	540	- 586	569
	FD	C	3	16	183.0	- 183.0	183.0	N/Q	-	-	-	604	- 604	604
330+	FD	C	3	18	186.0	- 186.0	186.0	N/Q	-	-	-	681	- 681	681
				87	130.0	194.0	184.9		352	352	352	259	681	556
Yearling Steer														
0-330	RS	C	1	13	170.0	- 216.0	206.0	N/C	-	-	-	504	- 603	579
330-400	RS	C	1	20	172.0	- 200.0	180.4	-8	-	-	-	635	- 664	643
	FD	C	1	16	198.0	- 208.0	205.5	N/Q	-	-	-	683	- 740	726
	FD	C	2	10	190.0	- 206.0	197.0	15	-	-	-	713	- 774	737
400+	FD	C	2	7	154.0	- 180.0	167.0	9	-	-	-	671	- 729	691
		C	2	1	184.0	- 184.0	184.0	N/Q	341	- 341	341	791	- 791	791
	RS	C	2	23	120.0	- 165.0	151.8	-12	-	-	-	576	- 801	762
	FD	C	3	4	178.0	- 178.0	178.0	-2	-	-	-	762	- 762	762
		C	3	8	187.0	- 187.0	187.0	20	346	- 346	346	787	- 787	787
				102	120.0	216.0	182.3		341	346	346	504	801	705

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Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	1	9	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	-			589	- 589	589
	FD	C	1	13	174.0	- 187.0	182.0	-1	-			536	- 542	540
	FD	C	2	15	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-			581	- 581	581
	RS	D	2	10	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-			425	- 425	425
330-400	FD	C	1	2	159.0	- 159.0	159.0	N/Q	-			617	- 617	617
	FD	C	2	44	179.0	- 188.0	181.3	3	-			623	- 711	676
	FD	D	2	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	-			475	- 475	475
	FD	D	3	7	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	-7	-			494	- 494	494
400+		C	2	33	162.0	- 177.0	168.9	1	300	- 334	313	719	- 748	730
	RS	C	2	3	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-			627	- 627	627
	RS	C	3	9	130.0	- 138.0	130.9	N/Q	-			592	- 628	596
		C	3	1	184.0	- 184.0	184.0	N/Q	341	- 341	341	846	- 846	846
	RS	D	2	19	153.0	- 170.0	161.1	N/Q	-			644	- 780	709
	RS	D	3	6	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	-			671	- 671	671
	RS	D	4	5	118.0	- 118.0	118.0	N/Q	-			576	- 576	576
				177	118.0	188.0	167.1		300	341	314	425	846	637
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	3	1	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	218	- 218	218	570	- 570	570
500-600	RS	C	1	1	108.0	- 108.0	108.0	N/Q	-			605	- 605	605
	RS	C	2	4	126.0	- 157.0	142.5	10	-			674	- 821	751
		C	2	1	134.0	- 134.0	134.0	N/Q	248	- 248	248	730	- 730	730
	RS	C	3	7	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	28	-			818	- 818	818
		C	3	6	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	-29	227	- 227	227	705	- 705	705
	DA	D	2	10	111.0	- 129.0	123.9	5	214	- 243	235	627	- 730	707
600-750		C	3	8	129.0	- 129.0	129.0	-10	235	- 235	235	823	- 823	823
				38	108.0	160.0	133.5		214	248	233	570	823	750
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	16	119.0	- 119.0	119.0	N/Q	216	- 216	216	643	- 643	643
	RS	D	2	1	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	-			462	- 462	462
		D	2	4	106.0	- 106.0	106.0	26	204	- 204	204	552	- 552	552
		D	4	3	113.0	- 113.0	113.0	-15	209	- 209	209	608	- 608	608
540+		D	3	16	110.0	- 115.0	112.3	2	204	- 213	208	630	- 693	646
		D	4	2	117.0	- 117.0	117.0	N/Q	217	- 217	217	723	- 723	723
				42	106.0	119.0	114.5		204	217	211	462	723	632
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	2	3	70.0	- 70.0	70.0	N/Q	-			264	- 264	264
	RS	E	1	7	20.0	- 72.0	50.1	N/Q	-			67	- 264	181
400-520	RS	D	2	2	81.0	- 81.0	81.0	N/Q	-			360	- 360	360
		D	2	3	70.0	- 89.0	82.7	-21	152	- 185	174	287	- 452	397
		D	3	7	85.0	- 90.0	88.6	-18	177	- 184	181	426	- 464	433
520+		D	2	8	101.0	- 101.0	101.0	3	215	- 215	215	536	- 536	536
	RS	D	2	7	104.0	- 104.0	104.0	5	-			571	- 571	571
		D	3	15	91.0	- 94.0	92.1	-12	178	- 192	183	566	- 638	623
		D	4	28	85.0	- 101.0	95.1	-14	169	- 202	188	534	- 693	614

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
				80	20.0	104.0	89.6		152	215	189	67	693	523
Bulls														
0-450	RS	B	2	1	139.0	- 139.0	139.0	N/Q	-			612	- 612	612
	RS	C	1	4	190.0	- 200.0	197.5	N/Q	-			371	- 398	391
	RS	C	2	2	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	-			486	- 486	486
450-600	RS	C	2	1	111.0	- 111.0	111.0	N/Q	-			511	- 511	511
		C	2	1	111.0	- 111.0	111.0	N/Q	198	- 198	198	599	- 599	599
600+		B	2	2	94.0	- 95.0	94.5	N/Q	159	- 164	162	827	- 893	860
		C	1	1	90.0	- 90.0	90.0	N/Q	167	- 167	167	590	- 590	590
		C	2	5	81.0	- 92.0	86.4	-12	142	- 164	153	774	- 857	809
	RS	C	2	2	88.0	- 95.0	91.5	N/Q	-			798	- 810	804
		C	3	3	50.0	- 88.0	71.0	-25	81	- 152	119	605	- 849	750
				22	50.0	200.0	120.8		81	198	151	371	893	658

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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