

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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A larger quite good quality yarding containing cattle from wide range of regions featured 1,077 young cattle, 271 grown and manufacturing steers, 45 grown heifers and 38 bulls which sold to steady trade and some supermarket and export competition from most of the regular SA and Victorian buyers at generally lower prices. Large numbers of vealer and yearling heifers experienced the largest price falls as the sale progressed. Feeder and restocker orders were also active on a mixture of vealer and yearling steers and heifers.

The B-musclled vealer steers to Victorian trade competition sold from 205c to 220c, to be 5c to 14c/kg cheaper. However, a few C2 and C3 sales ranged from 165c to 212c, to be unchanged for the C3 steers and up to 7c/kg less for the C2 lightweights. Small numbers of steers to feeder and restocker activity sold from 185c to 206c/kg. Vealer heifers to the trade sold mainly from 156c to 219c with B-musclled light Charolais cross heifers at the higher end to be unchanged to 9c/kg less, with only isolated sales dearer in the early run. Feeder purchases of B and C musclled mainly lightweight heifers were from 160c to 206c, or unchanged to 12c/kg cheaper with the C2 sales most affected. Yearling steer C3 heavyweight sales were from 180c to 190c at prices 4c/kg less. However, C2 sales of medium and heavyweights to a mixture of orders were between 151c to 190c at prices up to 9c/kg dearer. Yearling heifer C3 and C4 sales of medium and heavyweights were from 152c to 185c to be 8c to 11c/kg cheaper. There was an isolated sale of B-musclled heifers at 192c/kg.

Grown steer C3 medium weights sold from 160c to 189c to be 8c/kg cheaper, and averaging around 320c/kg cwt. Grown heifers sold from 110c to 162c with C4 sales 2c dearer, and the balance 6c/kg less. Beef manufacturing steers sold from 129c to 155c, the Friesian steers 130c to 142c and some pastoral breeds at 137c/kg. Light bulls to wholesale and feeder orders sold from 146c to 190c, with the medium and heavyweights 110c to 152c/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	FD	B	1	1	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-	-	-	56	-	56	56	
200-280		B	2	26	206.0	- 212.0	210.8	N/Q	375	-	375	375	536	-	541	540
	FD	B	2	14	206.0	- 206.0	206.0	N/Q	-	-	-	515	-	515	515	
		C	3	2	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	N/Q	355	-	355	355	536	-	536	536
280-330		B	2	76	206.0	- 219.0	210.9	-5	365	-	388	374	587	-	710	636
		C	2	14	190.0	- 195.0	192.9	-7	352	-	358	355	585	-	589	587
	RS	C	2	3	183.0	- 183.0	183.0	N/Q	-	-	-	586	-	586	586	
		C	3	11	208.0	- 208.0	208.0	3	365	-	365	365	686	-	686	686
330+	FD	B	1	1	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	-	-	-	658	-	658	658	
		B	1	1	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	330	-	330	330	694	-	694	694
		B	2	84	205.0	- 220.0	214.2	-14	366	-	381	374	718	-	920	784
		C	2	8	165.0	- 194.0	186.8	N/Q	306	-	353	341	561	-	660	635
	RS	C	2	4	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	N/Q	-	-	-	663	-	663	663	
		C	3	19	195.0	- 212.0	196.9	N/C	345	-	372	348	721	-	819	743
				264	165.0	220.0	207.9		306	388	369	56	920	672		
Vealer Heifer																
200-280	FD	B	1	13	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	-	-	-	520	-	520	520	
	FD	B	2	14	206.0	- 206.0	206.0	N/Q	-	-	-	505	-	505	505	
		C	3	13	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	357	-	357	357	470	-	470	470
280-330		B	2	38	215.0	- 219.0	216.9	1	381	-	388	384	615	-	699	642
		C	2	2	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	319	-	319	319	550	-	550	550
	FD	C	2	22	160.0	- 178.0	170.5	-12	-	-	-	479	-	587	539	

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330+		C	3	30	185.0	- 195.0	192.8	11	330	- 349	345	570	- 644	629
	RS	D	2	2	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-			434	- 434	434
	FD	D	2	2	156.0	- 156.0	156.0	N/Q	-			468	- 468	468
		D	3	5	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	-11	259	- 259	259	462	- 462	462
		C	2	8	160.0	- 180.0	175.0	-3	299	- 327	320	536	- 666	634
	FD	C	2	16	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	-			585	- 585	585
		C	3	7	183.0	- 185.0	184.4	4	327	- 339	336	641	- 694	679
	C	4	6	156.0	- 160.0	156.7	-9	279	- 286	280	530	- 576	538	
				178	140.0	219.0	190.3		259	388	349	434	699	577
Yearling Steer														
0-330	RS	C	1	1	161.0	- 161.0	161.0	N/Q	-			483	- 483	483
330-400	FD	C	1	1	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	N/Q	-			648	- 648	648
		C	1	1	149.0	- 149.0	149.0	N/Q	281	- 281	281	536	- 536	536
		C	2	24	156.0	- 165.0	160.6	-3	293	- 304	298	569	- 656	620
	FD	C	2	82	151.0	- 190.0	184.4	9	-			529	- 744	687
	PC	C	2	2	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	300	- 300	300	635	- 635	635
400+		B	2	9	188.0	- 196.0	192.4	-2	330	- 344	338	816	- 902	858
	RS	C	1	23	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	N/Q	-			697	- 697	697
	RS	C	2	23	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-			704	- 704	704
	FD	C	2	18	174.0	- 177.0	175.4	N/Q	-			731	- 757	747
		C	2	34	150.0	- 174.0	160.1	-18	287	- 322	306	675	- 929	716
		C	3	154	180.0	- 190.0	185.8	-4	316	- 339	330	774	- 1002	883
		C	4	4	186.0	- 186.0	186.0	N/Q	326	- 326	326	865	- 865	865
				376	149.0	196.0	177.9		281	344	322	483	1002	775
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	FD	C	2	1	152.0	- 152.0	152.0	N/Q	-			502	- 502	502
330-400	FD	C	2	22	160.0	- 166.0	163.7	-1	-			606	- 619	612
	RS	C	2	9	158.0	- 160.0	159.6	N/Q	-			576	- 577	576
		C	2	8	139.0	- 160.0	145.0	-12	262	- 302	275	507	- 600	537
		C	3	35	163.0	- 174.0	170.9	-8	291	- 316	309	652	- 696	683
		D	3	2	138.0	- 138.0	138.0	N/Q	276	- 276	276	497	- 497	497
	PC	D	3	10	148.0	- 148.0	148.0	N/Q	296	- 296	296	562	- 562	562
	RS	D	3	5	149.0	- 149.0	149.0	N/Q	-			544	- 544	544
400+		B	2	4	192.0	- 192.0	192.0	5	340	- 340	340	893	- 893	893
	FD	C	2	6	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	-			596	- 596	596
		C	2	17	160.0	- 162.0	160.6	7	296	- 300	297	760	- 810	775
		C	3	108	156.0	- 185.0	173.0	-7	286	- 327	312	686	- 831	783
	PC	C	3	5	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	258	- 258	258	625	- 625	625
	FD	C	3	15	167.0	- 167.0	167.0	-9	-			718	- 718	718
		C	4	21	152.0	- 165.0	157.1	-11	271	- 292	280	638	- 784	695
		D	3	2	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	259	- 259	259	602	- 602	602
	PC	D	3	12	128.0	- 128.0	128.0	2	237	- 237	237	563	- 563	563
	PT	D	3	1	128.0	- 128.0	128.0	N/Q	242	- 242	242	538	- 538	538
				283	128.0	192.0	163.7		237	340	300	497	893	702

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Grown Steer															
400-500		C	2	15	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	-4	315	- 315	315	782	- 782	782	
		C	3	16	184.0	- 184.0	184.0	4	329	- 329	329	920	- 920	920	
500-600		B	2	9	182.0	- 182.0	182.0	-4	319	- 319	319	1028	- 1028	1028	
		C	3	144	160.0	- 189.0	179.2	-8	296	- 335	321	832	- 1077	992	
600-750		C	3	6	174.0	- 174.0	174.0	14	311	- 311	311	1096	- 1096	1096	
				190	160.0	189.0	178.8		296	335	321	782	1096	974	
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	2	1	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	261	- 261	261	767	- 767	767	
		C	4	13	130.0	- 155.0	142.3	2	241	- 277	256	598	- 837	724	
		D	3	14	116.0	- 130.0	129.0	-6	232	- 250	249	510	- 650	640	
540+		C	2	2	138.0	- 138.0	138.0	N/Q	256	- 256	256	856	- 856	856	
		C	6	15	110.0	- 162.0	137.3	N/Q	196	- 289	245	717	- 972	874	
				45	110.0	162.0	136.3		196	289	250	510	972	755	
Manufacturing Steer															
0-540	DA	C	2	17	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	2	280	- 292	286	728	- 756	738	
		C	3	2	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	255	- 255	255	679	- 679	679	
		PC	D	2	8	137.0	- 137.0	137.0	N/Q	298	- 298	298	575	- 575	575
		DA	D	2	5	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	284	- 284	284	738	- 738	738
		DA	D	3	2	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	292	- 292	292	644	- 644	644
540+		C	2	33	129.0	- 152.0	145.1	7	243	- 282	268	800	- 868	850	
		C	3	12	130.0	- 155.0	152.9	11	232	- 277	273	936	- 1023	1016	
		DA	D	3	2	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	260	- 260	260	858	- 858	858
				81	129.0	155.0	143.6		232	298	276	575	1023	808	
Bulls															
0-450		B	1	3	161.0	- 179.0	167.3	N/Q	287	- 320	298	394	- 680	514	
		FD	B	1	2	168.0	- 179.0	173.5	N/Q	-	-	-	465	- 504	485
			B	2	5	148.0	- 190.0	171.6	N/Q	264	- 330	297	608	- 726	666
		FD	C	2	7	174.0	- 177.0	176.3	N/Q	-	-	-	420	- 566	529
			C	2	2	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	N/Q	268	- 268	268	584	- 584	584
450-600	RS	B	1	5	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	N/Q	-	-	-	876	- 876	876	
		B	2	3	136.0	- 152.0	144.7	3	243	- 269	257	730	- 821	762	
		C	1	8	110.0	- 120.0	115.8	N/Q	208	- 223	219	512	- 624	581	
		C	2	1	126.0	- 126.0	126.0	N/Q	225	- 225	225	706	- 706	706	
600+		B	2	2	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	249	- 249	249	994	- 994	994	
				38	110.0	190.0	150.9		208	330	257	394	994	650	

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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