

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba Elders

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The supply of stock experienced a small increase and overall quality was mixed. Most of the major export processors were present. Apart from calves and the better end of the vealers and the occasional good yearling all other classes of young cattle sold to a cheaper market. Heavy steers and bullocks also averaged 6c/kg cheaper. Average prices for cows fell by 2c to 5c/kg with heavy weights the least affected.

Calves to the trade averaged 201c with the occasional sale to 220c/kg. A small selection of vealer heifers sold to 202.2c to average in the high 190c/kg range. Medium weight yearling steers to feed average 194c while trade descriptions averaged 10c less at 182c with sales to 199.2c/kg. Heavy B muscle classes made to 209.2c while the remainder sold at 176c/kg. Lightweight D muscle yearling heifers averaged 154c while the better medium weights averaged 175c with sales to 192.2c/kg. Heavy weights mostly sold around 160c/kg.

Heavy steers to export slaughter averaged 177c with some to the wholesale meat trade making to 188.2c/kg. A couple of bullocks made to 177.2c/kg. Medium weight plain cows averaged 107c and 2 scores 119c/kg. Good heavy cows made to 149.2c to average 147c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 165.6c/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														
80+		C	2	83	190.2	- 220.0	201.4	-5	359	- 415	380	290	- 385	336
	RS	C	2	3	204.2	- 206.2	205.5	4		-		378	- 402	394
		D	1	2	154.2	- 174.2	164.2	N/Q	291	- 329	310	208	- 235	222
		D	2	7	167.2	- 175.2	172.9	N/Q	316	- 331	326	210	- 317	250
				95	154.2	220.0	198.6		291	415	374	208	402	329
Vealer Steer														
200-280		C	2	5	190.0	- 198.2	193.3	N/Q	346	- 360	351	447	- 466	454
				5	190.0	198.2	193.2		346	360	351	447	466	454
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	11	191.2	- 202.2	198.2	-8	354	- 374	367	463	- 507	471
				11	191.2	202.2	198.2		354	374	367	463	507	471
Yearling Steer														
0-330		C	2	1	188.2	- 188.2	188.2	N/Q	342	- 342	342	499	- 499	499
	FD	C	2	6	188.2	- 188.2	188.2	-12		-		442	- 442	442
	RS	C	2	3	193.2	- 193.2	193.2	5		-		531	- 531	531
	RS	D	2	24	156.2	- 177.0	171.7	N/Q		-		344	- 416	409
	FD	D	2	15	165.0	- 178.2	174.9	N/Q		-		388	- 532	495
		D	2	3	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	-1	300	- 300	300	388	- 388	388
330-400	FD	C	2	8	188.2	- 190.2	189.2	2		-		630	- 732	684
	FD	C	3	12	190.2	- 198.2	194.5	-2		-		651	- 743	683
		C	3	20	176.2	- 199.2	182.8	-10	320	- 362	332	652	- 763	695
	FD	D	2	9	155.0	- 173.2	169.2	3		-		597	- 632	624
	FD	D	3	4	163.2	- 163.2	163.2	N/Q		-		547	- 547	547
		D	3	1	169.2	- 169.2	169.2	N/Q	308	- 308	308	635	- 635	635
400+		B	3	3	200.2	- 209.2	203.2	N/Q	364	- 380	370	831	- 858	840
		C	3	16	171.2	- 193.2	176.7	-5	306	- 351	319	774	- 873	809

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	FD	C	3	10	169.2	- 177.2	173.2	3	-				719	- 744	732
				135	155.0	209.2	178.9			300	380	328	344	873	607
Yearling Heifer															
0-330		C	2	8	180.2	- 184.2	182.7	-10	334	- 341	338	378	- 478	413	
	FD	C	2	7	192.2	- 192.2	192.2	2	-			452	- 452	452	
		C	3	3	187.2	- 195.2	189.9	N/Q	347	- 362	352	556	- 562	560	
		D	2	35	146.2	- 176.2	154.1	-20	271	- 326	285	306	- 476	386	
	FD	D	2	11	143.2	- 165.2	155.2	-20	-			422	- 438	431	
	RS	D	2	9	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	17	-			357	- 357	357	
330-400	FD	C	2	3	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	N/Q	-			585	- 585	585	
		C	3	48	165.2	- 192.2	175.7	-4	306	- 356	325	627	- 725	656	
		D	2	1	119.2	- 119.2	119.2	N/Q	221	- 221	221	435	- 435	435	
	FD	D	2	1	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	N/Q	-			541	- 541	541	
		D	3	19	154.2	- 161.2	156.3	-5	286	- 299	289	546	- 609	585	
400+	FD	C	2	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-			653	- 653	653	
		C	3	20	155.0	- 174.2	160.9	N/Q	287	- 323	298	659	- 779	687	
		D	2	2	128.2	- 128.2	128.2	N/Q	237	- 237	237	519	- 519	519	
		D	3	3	147.2	- 153.2	151.2	1	273	- 284	280	611	- 651	638	
				171	119.2	195.2	164.9		221	362	305	306	779	540	
Grown Steer															
0-400		D	2	5	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	218	- 218	218	474	- 474	474	
400-500	FD	C	3	6	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	-15	-			697	- 697	697	
	RS	D	3	3	149.2	- 149.2	149.2	N/Q	-			649	- 649	649	
		D	3	3	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	282	- 282	282	752	- 752	752	
	FD	D	3	7	142.2	- 153.2	151.6	N/Q	-			690	- 743	735	
500-600		C	3	11	160.2	- 165.0	163.2	-10	291	- 300	297	857	- 943	887	
		C	4	32	170.2	- 188.2	177.8	-6	304	- 336	318	927	- 1101	1001	
		D	3	9	140.0	- 157.2	149.7	-13	255	- 286	272	763	- 841	799	
600-750		C	3	1	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	N/Q	302	- 302	302	1039	- 1039	1039	
		C	4	3	162.2	- 177.2	169.9	-15	290	- 316	305	1191	- 1217	1204	
				80	120.0	188.2	163.0		218	336	297	474	1217	869	
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	4	1	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	N/Q	312	- 312	312	884	- 884	884	
		D	2	6	117.2	- 120.0	118.6	N/Q	244	- 250	247	451	- 510	481	
540+		C	4	1	163.2	- 163.2	163.2	N/Q	308	- 308	308	922	- 922	922	
		D	4	2	145.2	- 145.2	145.2	N/Q	285	- 285	285	820	- 820	820	
				10	117.2	165.2	133.0		244	312	267	451	922	633	
Manufacturing Steer															
540+		C	3	1	150.2	- 150.2	150.2	N/Q	273	- 273	273	1127	- 1127	1127	
		D	3	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	273	- 273	273	938	- 938	938	
				2	150.0	150.2	150.0		273	273	273	938	1127	1032	
Cows															
0-400		D	1	4	75.2	- 95.0	90.1	N/Q	188	- 238	225	297	- 380	359	
	RS	D	1	2	83.2	- 84.2	83.7	N/Q	-			320	- 333	326	
	DA	D	1	1	85.2	- 85.2	85.2	N/Q	213	- 213	213	328	- 328	328	

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
400-520		D	2	4	112.0	- 112.0	112.0	N/Q	255	- 255	255	442	- 442	442
		E	1	1	50.2	- 50.2	50.2	N/Q	132	- 132	132	198	- 198	198
		D	1	8	89.2	- 110.2	107.2	2	223	- 276	268	379	- 479	465
	DA	D	1	1	85.2	- 85.2	85.2	N/Q	213	- 213	213	422	- 422	422
		D	2	6	112.2	- 125.0	118.9	-5	255	- 284	270	488	- 548	525
520+		D	3	1	134.2	- 134.2	134.2	N/Q	274	- 274	274	624	- 624	624
		C	2	1	126.2	- 126.2	126.2	N/Q	301	- 301	301	675	- 675	675
	DA	D	1	8	100.0	- 114.2	108.4	N/Q	250	- 286	271	535	- 622	579
		D	3	9	130.2	- 138.2	136.4	-2	266	- 282	278	697	- 795	768
		D	4	9	141.2	- 149.2	147.4	-2	277	- 293	289	755	- 859	828
	D	5	1	128.2	- 128.2	128.2	N/Q	262	- 262	262	724	- 724	724	
				56	50.2	149.2	117.4		132	301	266	198	859	584
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	1	177.2	- 177.2	177.2	N/Q		-		416	- 416	416
		C	2	11	145.0	- 186.2	169.2	7	264	- 339	308	355	- 531	446
	FD	C	2	8	159.2	- 159.2	159.2	N/Q		-		549	- 549	549
	RS	D	2	2	120.2	- 120.2	120.2	N/Q		-		415	- 415	415
		D	2	1	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	N/Q	270	- 270	270	511	- 511	511
450-600		C	3	2	145.0	- 170.0	157.5	N/Q	259	- 304	281	819	- 842	830
	RS	C	3	1	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	N/Q		-		729	- 729	729
600+		B	3	2	165.0	- 165.6	165.3	N/Q	285	- 286	285	1408	- 1584	1496
		C	2	1	135.2	- 135.2	135.2	N/Q	246	- 246	246	926	- 926	926
		C	3	2	135.2	- 143.2	139.2	N/Q	241	- 256	249	859	- 931	895
		D	2	1	128.2	- 128.2	128.2	N/Q	233	- 233	233	1026	- 1026	1026
		D	3	1	133.2	- 133.2	133.2	N/Q	238	- 238	238	833	- 833	833
				33	120.2	186.2	156.2		233	339	286	355	1584	637

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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