

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Pakenham

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There were approximately 200 cows and 20 bulls penned. The buying group reduced and at least one export processor was present but not all were operating. Quality was unchanged with most categories of cows represented. Heavy weight beef cows and bulls were firm, while light weight and leaner grades of cows sold to a dearer trend.

A small number of dairy cows sold from 98c to 125c/kg. Plain condition 1 and 2 score beef cows made between 90c and 126c/kg. Good condition heavy weight 3 and 4 score beef cows made from 123c to 136c/kg. Restocker cows returning to the paddock sold mostly between 108c and 129c/kg. Most heavy weight bulls made between 122c to 134c/kg. A good penning of lighter weight bulls sold from 125c to 139c/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
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	3	2	140.0	- 142.0	141.0	N/Q	269	- 273	271	686	- 767	726
				2	140.0	142.0	141.0		269	273	271	686	767	727
Cows														
0-400	RS	E	1	1	88.6	- 88.6	88.6	N/Q		-		354	- 354	354
	DA	E	1	1	97.6	- 97.6	97.6	N/Q	217	- 217	217	390	- 390	390
400-520	DA	D	1	11	105.6	- 122.0	115.2	11	235	- 265	254	528	- 583	563
		D	1	19	89.6	- 114.0	107.9	2	204	- 253	239	376	- 570	505
	RS	D	1	22	107.6	- 116.6	114.6	6		-		516	- 583	551
		D	2	24	112.6	- 125.6	117.4	4	240	- 267	251	513	- 628	586
	DA	D	2	3	121.6	- 121.6	121.6	N/Q	259	- 259	259	608	- 608	608
	RS	D	3	2	129.2	- 129.2	129.2	N/Q		-		633	- 633	633
		D	3	6	118.0	- 132.0	124.6	3	246	- 264	253	561	- 660	618
	DA	E	1	4	103.6	- 105.2	104.8	18	236	- 239	238	518	- 526	524
520+	DA	D	1	13	114.2	- 118.0	116.7	10	248	- 257	254	673	- 700	684
		D	1	1	115.6	- 115.6	115.6	N/Q	251	- 251	251	624	- 624	624
	RS	D	1	5	114.6	- 115.6	115.4	7		-		630	- 647	644
		D	2	15	115.6	- 122.6	118.5	1	241	- 260	249	624	- 756	665
		D	3	22	122.6	- 136.0	126.2	-1	245	- 262	253	665	- 864	744
	DA	D	3	2	122.0	- 125.0	123.5	N/Q	254	- 260	257	675	- 732	704
		D	4	37	122.6	- 134.6	126.8	1	240	- 259	249	670	- 969	753
		D	5	13	100.0	- 119.6	112.9	3	200	- 239	226	559	- 793	724
				201	88.6	136.0	118.4		200	267	248	354	969	644
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	1	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	227	- 227	227	500	- 500	500
		C	3	1	133.2	- 133.2	133.2	N/Q	238	- 238	238	586	- 586	586
	DA	D	2	2	92.6	- 92.6	92.6	N/Q	178	- 178	178	352	- 352	352
450-600		C	2	1	129.2	- 129.2	129.2	N/Q	231	- 231	231	646	- 646	646
		C	3	2	130.6	- 138.6	134.6	N/Q	233	- 248	240	721	- 757	739
600+		C	2	3	122.0	- 124.6	123.4	1	222	- 227	224	915	- 1059	983

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	RS	C	3	1	138.2	- 138.2	138.2	N/Q	-			1064	- 1064	1064
		C	3	4	128.2	- 133.6	130.9	1	229	- 239	233	974	- 1069	1034
	DA	D	2	1	115.6	- 115.6	115.6	N/Q	206	- 206	206	1040	- 1040	1040
				16	92.6	138.6	124.3		178	248	223	352	1069	819

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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