

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Numbers declined moderately in a good quality yarding, which was offered to a full field of domestic and export processors. Young cattle were well represented along with an increased selection of good quality vealers. Lot feeder buyers were in attendance and restockers operated on well-bred secondary lines of yearling steers.

A full gallery of domestic buyers competed over a good quality selection of trade cattle. Medium weight trade steers and heifers sold to strong demand with the steer portion selling up to 9c dearer, prices ranged between 161c to 196c with European supplementary fed steers topping at 208c/kg. Medium weight trade heifers sold to steady demand with prices lifting 2c and averaging 157.2c/kg. There was a substantial increase in vealers and all weights and grades sold to strong competition resulting in a dearer trend of 4c to 8c with prices ranging from 162c to 215.6c/kg. Well-bred secondary steers returning to the paddock made from 172c to 194c with plainer lines averaging 155c/kg.

There was a mixed selection of grown cattle offered which sold to the usual group of export buyers with demand steady for both heavy grown steers and bullocks and most of the C3 and C4 pens ranged from 156c to 174c/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		C	2	5	175.0	- 176.6	176.0	N/Q	313	- 327	321	406	- 473	433	
280-330		B	2	30	185.0	- 193.2	186.0	-3	330	- 365	336	580	- 638	595	
		C	2	6	173.2	- 180.2	175.8	9	311	- 328	323	520	- 595	571	
		D	2	2	150.0	- 164.2	157.1	N/Q	289	- 310	299	483	- 509	496	
330+		B	2	243	180.2	- 215.6	194.4	2	322	- 385	348	626	- 985	749	
		C	2	25	170.0	- 184.0	177.6	4	304	- 340	321	607	- 740	663	
	RS	C	2	8	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	34	-	-	-	614	- 614	614	
		C	3	13	172.0	- 182.0	178.1	8	315	- 337	327	585	- 765	681	
	RS	D	2	1	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	-	-	-	636	- 636	636	
		D	2	1	143.2	- 143.2	143.2	N/Q	275	- 275	275	551	- 551	551	
					334	143.2	215.6	190.4		275	385	343	406	985	713
Vealer Heifer															
200-280		B	2	5	184.2	- 184.2	184.2	-4	329	- 329	329	479	- 479	479	
		C	2	6	178.2	- 179.2	178.5	N/Q	336	- 338	337	440	- 489	457	
280-330		B	2	56	182.2	- 195.0	187.7	20	329	- 348	338	549	- 605	583	
		C	2	11	152.0	- 175.0	166.7	-3	287	- 313	308	479	- 525	503	
		C	3	28	170.0	- 178.0	172.4	8	315	- 332	321	514	- 587	535	
		D	2	3	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	7	274	- 274	274	450	- 450	450	
		D	3	2	156.0	- 156.0	156.0	N/Q	294	- 294	294	468	- 468	468	
330+		B	2	103	180.0	- 192.0	186.9	N/C	321	- 343	336	653	- 792	701	
		C	2	27	155.2	- 179.6	167.2	5	280	- 328	305	535	- 700	608	
	FD	C	2	3	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	2	-	-	-	608	- 608	608	
		C	3	34	168.0	- 174.0	172.1	18	304	- 328	320	578	- 662	620	
		C	4	4	162.0	- 165.0	163.5	N/Q	306	- 311	309	591	- 602	597	
		D	2	3	132.0	- 132.0	132.0	-8	254	- 254	254	450	- 450	450	
					285	132.0	195.0	179.2		254	348	327	440	792	617

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Yearling Steer															
0-330	RS	C	2	51	155.0	- 196.6	183.0	N/Q	-			504	- 637	592	
330-400	RS	B	2	30	194.0	- 194.0	194.0	N/Q	-			743	- 743	743	
	RS	C	2	6	163.0	- 163.0	163.0	-13	-			590	- 590	590	
	RS	C	3	6	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	N/Q	-			672	- 672	672	
400+		C	3	2	175.2	- 175.2	175.2	N/Q	331	- 331	331	618	- 618	618	
		B	2	15	196.0	- 208.0	204.2	16	350	- 402	371	824	- 861	835	
		C	3	146	161.2	- 196.2	183.5	9	299	- 363	341	698	- 899	814	
		FD	C	3	23	164.0	- 172.0	169.9	N/Q	-			659	- 707	694
		RS	C	3	6	172.2	- 172.2	172.2	N/Q	-			708	- 708	708
		D	3	11	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	293	- 293	293	674	- 684	682	
				296	155.0	208.0	182.4		293	402	341	504	899	744	
Yearling Heifer															
0-330		C	3	5	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	293	- 293	293	512	- 512	512	
		D	2	3	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	1	231	- 231	231	396	- 396	396	
330-400	RS	C	2	8	159.2	- 159.2	159.2	N/Q	-			544	- 544	544	
	FD	C	2	63	163.2	- 179.2	172.3	N/Q	-			607	- 642	621	
		C	3	30	145.0	- 156.0	155.3	N/Q	274	- 289	288	500	- 612	572	
400+		D	3	5	130.6	- 141.2	137.0	5	246	- 266	258	470	- 508	493	
		C	2	10	162.2	- 162.2	162.2	N/Q	300	- 300	300	696	- 696	696	
		FD	C	2	5	156.2	- 156.2	156.2	4	-			667	- 667	667
		FD	C	3	4	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	-			649	- 649	649
			C	3	19	142.0	- 163.2	157.2	2	263	- 308	294	611	- 710	671
				152	120.0	179.2	162.0		231	308	287	396	710	608	
Grown Steer															
400-500		C	3	11	150.0	- 158.0	154.9	-6	278	- 298	291	707	- 751	731	
		D	3	2	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	N/Q	276	- 276	276	621	- 621	621	
		D	4	6	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	N/Q	276	- 276	276	711	- 711	711	
500-600		C	3	144	156.0	- 174.0	169.1	-1	279	- 322	313	796	- 1000	916	
		C	4	41	162.0	- 173.6	169.0	5	300	- 322	313	908	- 1042	945	
		D	3	20	146.0	- 155.0	151.6	-1	276	- 287	285	761	- 888	857	
600-750		C	4	148	145.2	- 170.0	162.5	-1	269	- 315	301	965	- 1201	1104	
				372	145.2	174.0	164.6		269	322	305	621	1201	980	
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	3	6	142.2	- 149.2	146.9	N/Q	268	- 276	274	661	- 671	668	
		C	4	1	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	325	- 325	325	869	- 869	869	
		D	2	2	115.2	- 115.2	115.2	N/Q	222	- 222	222	564	- 564	564	
		D	3	10	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	268	- 268	268	601	- 601	601	
		D	4	8	126.0	- 130.0	127.5	N/Q	238	- 245	241	508	- 662	566	
540+		C	4	67	146.0	- 158.2	153.5	14	270	- 293	285	813	- 1079	928	
		D	2	3	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	231	- 231	231	810	- 810	810	
		D	4	8	134.0	- 134.0	134.0	9	253	- 253	253	909	- 909	909	
				105	115.2	172.0	147.0		222	325	274	508	1079	842	
Manufacturing Steer															
0-540		C	2	2	144.0	- 144.0	144.0	N/Q	272	- 272	272	648	- 648	648	

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540+		D	1	6	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	200	- 200	200	350	- 350	350	
		D	2	56	110.0	- 127.0	117.1	1	220	- 244	229	343	- 652	506	
		DA	D	2	6	116.2	- 120.0	117.5	-5	224	- 231	226	473	- 612	519
		D	3	22	125.0	- 152.0	135.0	17	250	- 282	261	651	- 784	705	
		C	4	6	140.0	- 145.0	143.3	5	259	- 269	265	980	- 993	989	
		D	2	3	118.0	- 118.0	118.0	N/Q	227	- 227	227	649	- 649	649	
		DA	D	2	37	120.0	- 136.0	130.0	-3	237	- 262	250	756	- 1040	926
		DA	D	3	5	126.6	- 126.6	126.6	N/Q	239	- 239	239	1036	- 1036	1036
		D	3	16	125.0	- 143.0	131.3	-26	236	- 270	248	738	- 1055	924	
	D	4	59	130.0	- 154.0	145.1	5	245	- 294	275	819	- 1138	1026		
				218	100.0	154.0	130.5		200	294	250	343	1138	794	
Cows															
520+		D	4	5	116.2	- 116.2	116.2	N/Q	224	- 224	224	710	- 710	710	
				5	116.2	116.2	116.2		224	224	224	710	710	710	
Bulls															
0-450	RS	C	2	9	140.0	- 145.0	141.7	N/Q		-		347	- 435	376	
		D	2	5	137.2	- 137.2	137.2	N/Q	259	- 259	259	432	- 432	432	
450-600		C	2	1	130.2	- 130.2	130.2	N/Q	241	- 241	241	729	- 729	729	
		D	1	1	140.2	- 140.2	140.2	N/Q	280	- 280	280	645	- 645	645	
				16	130.2	145.0	139.4		241	280	259	347	729	433	

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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