

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Numbers increased substantially for the first cow sale of 2013 and most weights and grades were represented. An almost full contingent of buyers operated with steady demand also coming from a major Queensland export company.

Heavy cows sold to strong demand with prices lifting up to 8c/kg. Well finished cows ranged from 124c to 136c averaging 129.6c/kg. The 2 and 3 score cows were in reasonable supply. Southern buyers were keen to secure leaner grades, with the D3 and D2 pens ranging from 113c to 128c/kg.

The mixed quality selection of bulls sold to increased competition with B muscled bulls averaging 151.6c and topping at 158c/kg. Estimated Carcase Estimated

Category Weight	Sale Prefix	Muscle Score	Fat Score	Head	Live Weight c/kg					nated Ca Veight c/I			timated /Head		
					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
Grown He	ifer														
0-540	RS	D	1	2	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q				398 -	398	398	
		D	3	3	129.6	- 129.6	129.6	N/Q	259	259	259	697 -	697	697	
540+		D	3	1	138.0	- 138.0	138.0	N/Q	265	265	265	765 -	765	765	
				6	100.0	138.0	121.2		259	265	261	398	765	609	
Cows															
0-400		Е	1	9	98.2	- 98.2	98.2	N/Q	240	240	240	368 -	368	368	
	DA	Е	1	8	95.6	- 95.6	95.6	N/Q	233	233	233	362 -	362	362	
400-520		С	2	2	114.0	- 114.0	114.0	N/Q	259	259	259	540 -	540	540	
	DA	D	1	10	94.2	- 105.0	97.4	-1	230	256	238	443 -	543	473	
	DA	D	2	2	105.2	- 105.2	105.2	N/Q	224	224	224	515 -	515	515	
		D	2	44	104.2	- 112.0	109.2	4	237	255	248	475 -	577	524	
		D	3	75	115.0	- 126.2	120.3	6	245	269	256	514 -	634	587	
520+		D	1	4	107.2	- 107.2	107.2	N/Q	262 -	262	262	565 -	565	565	
	RS	D	1	2	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q		•		530 -	530	530	
	DA	D	1	23	104.6	- 110.2	106.6	4	255	269	260	567 -	665	639	
	DA	D	2	27	108.0	- 116.2	111.8	2	230	260	244	624 -	813	699	
		D	2	8	113.6	- 113.6	113.6	N/C	242	242	242	668 -	668	668	
		D	3	80	115.0	- 128.0	121.8	4	245	272	258	632 -	867	739	
		D	4	276	123.0	- 136.6	129.6	2	244	273	259	704 -	1155	843	
		D	5	2	118.0	- 118.0	118.0	N/Q	236	236	236	620 -	620	620	
				572	94.2	136.6	121.8		224	273	255	362	1155	726	
Bulls															
450-600		С	2	2	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	223	223	223	729 -	729	729	
		D	2	1	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	231 -	231	231	612 -	612	612	
600+		В	2	5	145.0	- 158.0	151.6	28	259	282	271	1254 -	1596	1428	
		С	2	22	130.0	- 150.0	141.5	24	232	274	255	1053 -	1693	1326	
		D	2	2	124.0	- 133.0	128.5	N/Q	239	251	245	874 -	1197	1036	
				32	120.0	158.0	140.6		223	282	254	612	1693	1264	

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

Category Weight	Sale Prefix	Muscle Score	Head	Live Weight c/kg				Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg			Estimated \$/Head			
				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	

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