

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba Elders

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Numbers remained close to the previous weeks level and quality was mixed especially in the young cattle section. A full panel of buyers was present and most were operating. Young cattle experienced a mixed trend with the well presented lines to feed and the trade receiving stronger demand however plain condition heifers continued to struggle. Heavy steers and bullocks sold to spirited competition and cows lifted in price by 1c to 5c/kg.

Calves to restockers made to 195.2c to average 186c/kg. A small selection of vealer heifers averaged 8c better at 188c with the occasional sale to 196.2c/kg. Lightweight yearling steers to feed averaged 188c and medium weights 176c with sales to 190.2c/kg. Heavy yearling steers to the trade mostly sold in the high 170c range with a few to 185.2c/kg. The better end of the lightweight yearling heifers sold in the early to mid 170c range, while D muscle lines averaged 157c/kg. Medium weight supplementary fed yearling heifers sold to the trade 3c dearer at 176c with some to 189.2c/kg. Heavyweights also to the trade average 170c and made to 178.2c/kg.

Heavy steers to export slaughter averaged close to 184c and sold to 187.2c, while a few pens of bullocks averaged 180c and sold to 182.2c/kg.

Medium weight plain cows averaged just under 106c and sold to 112.2c, while the 3 scores averaged 135c and made to 140c/kg. Good heavy cows made to 149.2c with a small sample at 144c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 160.2c/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+	RS	C	2	15	178.2	- 195.2	186.7	-4	-	-	-	266	- 342	301
		C	2	3	181.2	- 181.2	181.2	N/Q	342	- 342	342	335	- 335	335
	RS	D	2	4	138.2	- 158.2	143.2	N/Q	-	-	-	229	- 380	342
				22	138.2	195.2	178.0		342	342	342	229	380	313
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	17	182.2	- 196.2	188.8	8	337	- 363	350	410	- 540	487
	FD	C	2	4	175.2	- 175.2	175.2	N/Q	-	-	-	412	- 412	412
	RS	C	2	4	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-	-	-	490	- 490	490
				25	175.2	196.2	186.0		337	363	350	410	540	476
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	10	185.2	- 194.2	188.2	10	-	-	-	459	- 528	476
	RS	D	2	3	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	-2	-	-	-	474	- 474	474
330-400	FD	C	2	44	173.2	- 182.2	176.0	2	-	-	-	584	- 648	613
	RS	C	2	6	176.2	- 176.2	176.2	4	-	-	-	652	- 652	652
	FD	C	3	7	171.2	- 190.2	184.8	N/C	-	-	-	625	- 637	634
	RS	D	2	3	130.2	- 130.2	130.2	-36	-	-	-	488	- 488	488
	FD	D	2	6	155.2	- 167.2	159.2	-5	-	-	-	520	- 577	539
400+		C	3	19	168.2	- 185.2	178.3	1	306	- 337	324	715	- 861	800
	GF	C	3	30	175.0	- 182.2	178.1	N/Q	318	- 331	324	780	- 811	798
		D	3	11	154.2	- 163.2	158.3	N/Q	280	- 297	288	671	- 710	689
				139	130.2	194.2	174.8		280	337	317	459	861	668
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	2	2	176.2	- 176.2	176.2	N/Q	-	-	-	396	- 396	396
		C	2	6	171.2	- 173.2	172.9	-2	317	- 321	320	488	- 494	493

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330-400	FD	C	2	5	168.2	- 187.2	175.8	-1	-			463	- 515	483	
	RS	D	2	9	152.2	- 158.2	152.9	-14	-			342	- 356	344	
	PT	D	2	6	159.2	- 159.2	159.2	N/Q	295	- 295	295	422	- 422	422	
	FD	D	2	11	164.2	- 164.2	164.2	2	-			435	- 435	435	
		D	2	16	140.0	- 168.0	155.9	-1	259	- 311	289	343	- 479	384	
		C	2	3	162.2	- 162.2	162.2	-7	300	- 300	300	560	- 560	560	
	RS	C	2	4	170.2	- 170.2	170.2	7	-			570	- 570	570	
		C	3	36	165.0	- 189.2	175.2	2	306	- 350	325	553	- 728	655	
	RS	C	3	12	167.6	- 167.6	167.6	N/Q	-			561	- 561	561	
	FD	C	3	32	168.0	- 174.2	170.3	7	-			563	- 653	603	
400+	FD	D	2	6	160.6	- 160.6	160.6	N/Q	-			538	- 538	538	
	FD	D	3	13	146.2	- 167.2	154.3	N/Q	-			563	- 594	575	
		D	3	7	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	-4	293	- 293	293	561	- 561	561	
		C	3	26	158.2	- 178.2	170.7	-5	293	- 330	316	672	- 757	706	
		D	3	2	140.2	- 140.2	140.2	N/Q	260	- 260	260	596	- 596	596	
	FD	D	3	4	154.2	- 154.2	154.2	N/Q	-			655	- 655	655	
					200	140.0	189.2	166.2		259	350	311	342	757	565
Grown Steer															
400-500	FD	D	2	3	133.2	- 161.2	151.9	N/Q	-			566	- 685	645	
	RS	D	2	1	126.2	- 126.2	126.2	N/C	-			568	- 568	568	
500-600		C	3	10	157.2	- 157.2	157.2	N/C	286	- 286	286	935	- 935	935	
		C	4	33	173.2	- 187.2	183.6	1	309	- 334	328	998	- 1104	1053	
		D	2	4	127.2	- 127.2	127.2	N/Q	231	- 231	231	731	- 731	731	
600-750		D	3	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	273	- 273	273	818	- 818	818	
		C	4	13	175.0	- 182.2	180.7	-5	313	- 325	323	1126	- 1260	1202	
		D	2	4	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	N/Q	248	- 248	248	933	- 933	933	
					69	126.2	187.2	170.5		231	334	309	566	1260	1010
Grown Heifer															
0-540	RS	D	1	2	113.2	- 113.2	113.2	N/Q	-			436	- 436	436	
	FD	D	3	5	132.2	- 132.2	132.2	-6	-			562	- 562	562	
		D	3	16	126.2	- 156.2	150.2	15	243	- 295	284	536	- 742	708	
		D	5	1	128.2	- 128.2	128.2	N/Q	256	- 256	256	673	- 673	673	
540+		C	4	1	167.2	- 167.2	167.2	N/Q	316	- 316	316	1187	- 1187	1187	
		D	3	1	141.2	- 141.2	141.2	N/Q	266	- 266	266	840	- 840	840	
				26	113.2	167.2	143.3		243	316	283	436	1187	681	
Cows															
0-400		D	1	2	92.6	- 92.6	92.6	N/Q	232	- 232	232	370	- 370	370	
	RS	D	1	16	94.2	- 111.2	97.2	N/Q	-			377	- 439	388	
	RS	E	1	3	68.2	- 68.2	68.2	N/Q	-			249	- 256	251	
	DA	E	1	4	83.2	- 83.2	83.2	N/Q	219	- 219	219	312	- 320	316	
	400-520	DA	D	1	2	109.2	- 109.2	109.2	N/Q	273	- 273	273	530	- 530	530
		RS	D	1	1	94.2	- 94.2	94.2	N/Q	-			410	- 410	410
			D	1	16	95.2	- 112.2	105.8	5	238	- 281	264	451	- 522	474
			D	2	4	120.0	- 127.2	123.6	5	273	- 289	281	558	- 604	581

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520+		D	4	1	147.2	- 147.2	147.2	N/Q	289	- 289	289	729	- 729	729
		D	1	2	109.2	- 109.2	109.2	N/Q	273	- 273	273	579	- 579	579
	DA	D	1	5	104.2	- 129.2	116.4	9	261	- 323	291	568	- 808	688
		D	2	3	128.2	- 129.2	128.5	7	291	- 294	292	686	- 691	688
	DA	D	3	4	132.2	- 132.2	132.2	N/Q	270	- 270	270	839	- 839	839
		D	3	1	143.2	- 143.2	143.2	N/Q	292	- 292	292	766	- 766	766
		D	4	5	140.2	- 149.2	144.0	-3	275	- 293	282	750	- 798	770
				79	68.2	149.2	112.1		219	323	270	249	839	534
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	11	149.2	- 159.2	153.7	N/Q	-	-	-	395	- 438	419
		C	2	3	139.2	- 139.2	139.2	-7	253	- 253	253	418	- 418	418
		C	3	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	250	- 250	250	588	- 588	588
	FD	D	2	4	135.2	- 135.2	135.2	N/Q	-	-	-	507	- 507	507
	RS	D	2	4	118.2	- 118.2	118.2	1	-	-	-	431	- 431	431
600+		D	2	1	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	N/Q	248	- 248	248	592	- 592	592
		C	3	2	155.2	- 160.2	157.7	N/Q	277	- 286	282	1202	- 1319	1260
		D	1	1	106.2	- 106.2	106.2	N/Q	193	- 193	193	658	- 658	658
					27	106.2	160.2	141.5		193	286	252	395	1319

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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