

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Dalby

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The flooding rain across the supply area drastically reduced numbers. Most of the very small number of predominantly feeder and restocker classes were on hand prior to the commencement of the rain. The smaller number of buyers displayed an urgency to secure stock and lifted values on yearling steers by 10c to 20c and 4c to 15c/kg on the heifer portion.

The vast majority of the yearling steers were D muscle descriptions and lightweights sold to restockers and feeders at 172c/kg. A handful of medium weight C2 yearling steers to feed averaged 184c while the largest number of D muscle lines averaged in the mid to high 170c/kg range.

Feeder operators were the major buyers on the yearling heifers and lightweight D2 classes averaged 162c/kg. Medium weights averaged in the mid to high 160c/kg range.

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
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	D	2	49	165.2	- 175.2	172.4	4	-			405	- 526	497
	RS	D	2	50	167.2	- 179.2	172.1	-3	-			378	- 475	415
330-400	FD	C	2	15	184.2	- 184.2	184.2	6	-			672	- 672	672
	RS	D	2	24	176.2	- 179.2	178.2	27	-			636	- 643	638
	FD	D	2	120	163.2	- 180.2	175.4	11	-			547	- 700	648
	FD	D	3	2	175.2	- 175.2	175.2	N/Q	-			675	- 675	675
400+	FD	D	2	32	173.2	- 173.2	173.2	N/Q	-			736	- 736	736
				292	163.2	184.2	174.8		0	0		378	736	593
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	FD	D	2	75	154.2	- 167.2	162.5	4	-			347	- 446	405
330-400	FD	D	2	37	165.2	- 168.2	166.1	15	-			553	- 563	557
	FD	D	3	64	166.2	- 169.2	168.4	14	-			563	- 640	608
				176	154.2	169.2	165.4		0	0		347	640	511
Grown Steer														
0-400		D	2	3	122.2	- 122.2	122.2	-8	222	- 222	222	367	- 367	367
400-500	FD	D	3	10	173.2	- 173.2	173.2	N/Q	-			779	- 779	779
500-600		D	3	2	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	N/Q	302	- 302	302	873	- 873	873
				15	122.2	173.2	162.1		222	302	254	367	873	709
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	1	2	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	244	- 244	244	330	- 330	330
	FD	D	2	2	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-			539	- 539	539
				4	110.0	140.0	125.0		244	244	245	330	539	435
Cows														
400-520		D	3	5	123.2	- 123.2	123.2	-4	280	- 280	280	524	- 524	524
				5	123.2	123.2	123.2		280	280	280	524	524	524
Bulls														
0-450		D	2	11	169.2	- 169.2	169.2	32	308	- 308	308	415	- 584	491
	FD	D	2	1	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	N/Q	-			534	- 534	534
	FD	D	3	6	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	N/Q	-			743	- 743	743

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450-600		D	2	2	132.2	- 132.2	132.2	N/Q	240	- 240	240	747	- 747	747
600+		D	1	1	100.2	- 100.2	100.2	N/Q	182	- 182	182	621	- 621	621
				21	100.2	169.2	160.1		182	308	289	415	747	596

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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