

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Great Southern Saleyard

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A very limited number of cattle sold at the last of the two day sales at this market. As has been the case in recent times heavy weight steer and heifer numbers were limited, as were trade weight yearlings with cows the largest class to be sold. Trade weight yearlings recorded a similar but selective trade and feeder demand and quality dependant with heavy weight export categories again seeing a conservative processor competition. The cow market saw an additional processor order re-enter the market and this improved slaughter purchases with restockers again active on plainer conditioned and store classes.

Heavy yearling steers to the trade averaged 163c while those to feed settled on 152c/kg. Medium yearling heifers to feed settled on 138c/kg. There were too few grown steers and heifers to gain an accurate quote. Medium weight D2 cows settled on 115c while the heavy D3 portion made 111c/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
Yearling Steer														
0-330	RS	C	1	1	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	-			405	- 405	405
	RS	D	1	1	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	-			372	- 372	372
330-400	FD	C	1	8	143.0	- 144.0	143.5	-11	-			537	- 569	553
	FD	C	2	1	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	-			561	- 561	561
400+	FD	C	1	3	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	-8	-			601	- 601	601
	FD	C	2	13	140.0	- 155.0	152.3	-3	-			592	- 694	671
		C	2	2	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/C	269	- 269	269	650	- 650	650
		C	3	10	159.0	- 164.0	162.5	N/C	289	- 298	296	804	- 822	809
				39	120.0	164.0	150.4		269	298	291	372	822	659
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	D	1	7	80.0	- 127.0	100.1	5	-			236	- 368	293
330-400	RS	C	1	1	117.0	- 117.0	117.0	N/Q	-			450	- 450	450
	FD	C	2	1	156.0	- 156.0	156.0	N/Q	-			562	- 562	562
		C	2	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	264	- 264	264	525	- 525	525
		C	3	2	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	250	- 250	250	533	- 533	533
		D	2	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	196	- 196	196	380	- 380	380
	FD	D	2	1	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	-			413	- 413	413
	RS	D	2	2	129.0	- 129.0	129.0	N/Q	-			488	- 488	488
	FD	D	3	10	138.0	- 138.0	138.0	N/Q	-			534	- 534	534
400+		D	3	6	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	208	- 208	208	413	- 413	413
		C	2	2	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	241	- 241	241	569	- 569	569
		C	3	2	153.0	- 153.0	153.0	N/Q	283	- 283	283	704	- 704	704
		D	2	1	122.0	- 122.0	122.0	N/Q	230	- 230	230	525	- 525	525
		D	3	12	125.0	- 159.0	136.3	-11	232	- 294	255	530	- 760	610
			49	80.0	159.0	126.9		196	294	242	236	760	503	
Grown Steer														
500-600		C	3	1	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	232	- 232	232	719	- 719	719
	DA	D	2	2	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	216	- 216	216	583	- 583	583
600-750	DA	D	2	5	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	212	- 212	212	710	- 710	710

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				8	110.0	125.0	111.9		212	232	215	583	719	679
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	2	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	196	- 196	196	430	- 430	430
		D	3	6	153.0	- 153.0	153.0	18	283	- 283	283	823	- 823	823
540+		D	3	2	114.0	- 116.0	115.0	N/C	215	- 219	217	621	- 777	699
				9	100.0	153.0	138.7		196	283	259	430	823	752
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	4	1	86.0	- 86.0	86.0	N/Q	151	- 151	151	907	- 907	907
				1	86.0	86.0	86.0		151	151	151	907	907	907
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	1	4	107.0	- 107.0	107.0	-4	-			400	- 400	400
400-520	RS	D	1	11	98.0	- 106.0	101.6	-9	-			422	- 456	439
	RS	D	2	20	105.0	- 116.0	114.8	6	-			473	- 497	490
		D	2	20	108.0	- 121.0	114.7	10	229	- 257	244	494	- 615	566
520+		D	3	2	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	208	- 208	208	445	- 445	445
		D	2	14	95.0	- 119.0	105.7	5	207	- 253	226	502	- 695	576
		D	3	26	101.0	- 121.0	111.2	5	202	- 248	228	576	- 849	686
	RS	D	3	5	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	-			621	- 621	621
		D	4	10	100.0	- 119.0	113.8	6	196	- 238	225	696	- 878	772
		D	5	1	90.0	- 90.0	90.0	N/Q	180	- 180	180	594	- 594	594
		E	3	1	103.0	- 103.0	103.0	N/Q	215	- 215	215	592	- 592	592
				114	90.0	121.0	110.6		180	257	230	400	878	582
Bulls														
450-600		C	2	4	90.0	- 106.0	96.0	-12	167	- 193	177	441	- 625	498
600+		B	2	3	92.0	- 100.0	95.7	-6	148	- 167	158	1036	- 1090	1064
		C	1	1	101.0	- 101.0	101.0	N/Q	180	- 180	180	808	- 808	808
		C	2	5	99.0	- 105.0	102.6	-1	172	- 188	180	660	- 880	808
		C	3	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	172	- 172	172	955	- 955	955
		C	4	1	105.0	- 105.0	105.0	N/Q	178	- 178	178	929	- 929	929
				15	90.0	106.0	99.3		148	193	174	441	1090	794

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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