

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba Landmark

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The supply of stock declined by 28% and was dominated by young cattle and a fair selection of cows and only a few pens of bullocks. A fair panel of restocker operators was present along with the usual feeder and export processors. Apart from yearling heifers young cattle generally sold to strong demand. Bullocks could not maintain the previous weeks rates. Cows experienced a mixed trend with plain cows 2c/kg easier while a lift in the overall quality of the good heavy cows saw average prices improve.

The occasional vealer steer with show ring potential made to 224.2c/kg. Lightweight yearling steers mostly sold around 193c and a small selection of medium weights to feed averaged 187c/kg. Lightweight yearling heifers to restockers met keen demand to average 182c and sold to 185.2c/kg. Medium weights to feed averaged 171c/kg.

Bullocks averaged 180c and sold to 187.2c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 123c and 3 scores 139c/kg. Good heavy cows were in the largest numbers and made to 157.2c to average 156c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 173c/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+		C	2	1	194.2	- 194.2	194.2	N/Q	366	-	366	366	359	-	359	359
		D	2	15	168.2	- 173.2	171.5	N/Q	317	-	327	324	234	-	244	237
				16	168.2	194.2	172.9		317	366	326	234	359	245		
Vealer Steer																
200-280	RS	B	2	1	224.2	- 224.2	224.2	N/Q		-			527	-	527	527
				1	224.2	224.2	224.0		0	0			527	527	527	
Vealer Heifer																
200-280		C	2	3	173.2	- 173.2	173.2	-5	321	-	321	321	433	-	433	433
				3	173.2	173.2	173.3		321	321	321	433	433	433	433	
Yearling Steer																
0-330	FD	C	2	10	193.2	- 194.2	193.7	1		-			553	-	580	567
	RS	C	2	8	193.2	- 193.2	193.2	-6		-			454	-	454	454
330-400	RS	C	2	12	170.2	- 199.2	187.0	N/Q		-			587	-	673	642
	FD	C	2	7	180.2	- 180.2	180.2	-1		-			622	-	622	622
		C	3	1	188.2	- 188.2	188.2	N/Q	349	-	349	349	725	-	725	725
		D	2	1	134.2	- 134.2	134.2	N/Q	244	-	244	244	463	-	463	463
	RS	D	2	1	128.2	- 128.2	128.2	N/Q		-			481	-	481	481
400+	FD	C	3	12	170.0	- 175.0	172.5	-4		-			723	-	744	733
		C	3	3	178.6	- 178.6	178.6	-17	325	-	325	325	777	-	777	777
	RS	D	1	5	116.2	- 116.2	116.2	N/Q		-			505	-	505	505
	FD	D	2	2	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q		-			685	-	685	685
	FD	D	3	6	169.2	- 169.2	169.2	5		-			719	-	719	719
		D	3	4	162.2	- 167.2	166.0	N/Q	295	-	304	302	689	-	711	705
				72	116.2	199.2	175.5		244	349	308	454	777	628		
Yearling Heifer																
0-330	RS	C	2	10	179.2	- 185.2	182.2	N/Q		-			491	-	538	514
		C	2	1	172.2	- 172.2	172.2	N/Q	319	-	319	319	405	-	405	405
	RS	D	2	10	154.2	- 154.2	154.2	N/Q		-			409	-	409	409

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
		D	2	3	140.2	- 140.2	140.2	-18	260	- 260	260	287	- 287	287
330-400	RS	C	2	6	178.2	- 178.2	178.2	N/Q	-	-	-	597	- 597	597
	FD	C	2	14	167.2	- 168.2	167.6	-1	-	-	-	610	- 631	619
	FD	C	3	16	170.2	- 174.2	171.5	N/Q	-	-	-	587	- 601	592
		C	3	1	170.2	- 170.2	170.2	N/Q	315	- 315	315	587	- 587	587
		D	2	5	144.2	- 145.2	145.0	N/Q	267	- 269	269	501	- 534	507
	FD	D	2	2	152.2	- 152.2	152.2	N/Q	-	-	-	563	- 563	563
400+	GF	C	3	9	177.2	- 177.2	177.2	N/Q	328	- 328	328	771	- 771	771
		C	3	1	173.2	- 173.2	173.2	N/C	321	- 321	321	736	- 736	736
		D	2	3	155.2	- 155.2	155.2	N/Q	287	- 287	287	675	- 675	675
	FD	D	2	2	145.2	- 145.2	145.2	N/Q	-	-	-	588	- 588	588
	RS	D	2	6	122.2	- 122.2	122.2	N/Q	-	-	-	495	- 495	495
				89	122.2	185.2	163.7		260	328	300	287	771	565
Grown Steer														
500-600		C	3	4	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	309	- 309	309	961	- 961	961
		C	4	6	182.2	- 182.2	182.2	-7	325	- 325	325	975	- 1048	1023
		D	3	2	153.2	- 153.2	153.2	N/Q	279	- 279	279	881	- 881	881
600-750		C	4	15	180.0	- 187.2	180.9	-6	321	- 334	323	1174	- 1260	1200
	RS	D	2	1	121.2	- 121.2	121.2	N/Q	-	-	-	758	- 758	758
		D	3	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	255	- 255	255	959	- 959	959
				29	121.2	187.2	174.2		255	334	316	758	1260	1085
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	4	2	162.2	- 165.2	163.7	N/Q	306	- 312	309	868	- 884	876
		D	3	3	139.2	- 145.0	141.1	N/Q	263	- 274	266	661	- 674	666
540+		C	4	1	171.6	- 171.6	171.6	N/Q	324	- 324	324	1090	- 1090	1090
				6	139.2	171.6	153.7		263	324	290	661	1090	807
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	4	6	170.2	- 170.2	170.2	-3	304	- 304	304	1191	- 1191	1191
				6	170.2	170.2	170.2		304	304	304	1191	1191	1191
Cows														
0-400	RS	E	1	3	30.0	- 30.0	30.0	N/Q	-	-	-	116	- 116	116
	DA	E	1	1	78.2	- 78.2	78.2	N/Q	206	- 206	206	301	- 301	301
400-520	DA	D	1	2	103.2	- 103.2	103.2	N/Q	258	- 258	258	501	- 501	501
		D	1	6	99.2	- 110.0	101.3	N/Q	248	- 275	253	422	- 545	447
		D	2	14	115.0	- 126.2	123.7	-2	261	- 287	281	518	- 612	587
		D	3	11	129.2	- 144.2	139.3	4	264	- 294	284	562	- 685	655
		D	4	15	145.2	- 149.2	147.1	-6	285	- 293	288	690	- 724	701
520+	DA	D	1	5	110.2	- 110.2	110.2	N/Q	276	- 276	276	634	- 634	634
		D	3	30	145.2	- 149.6	147.0	15	296	- 305	300	791	- 815	801
		D	4	48	150.6	- 168.2	158.4	11	295	- 330	311	798	- 940	888
				135	30.0	168.2	140.9		206	330	295	116	940	741
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	2	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	N/Q	291	- 291	291	401	- 401	401
	FD	C	3	3	151.2	- 151.2	151.2	N/Q	-	-	-	522	- 522	522
600+		C	2	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	236	- 236	236	832	- 832	832

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	GF	C	3	1	152.6	- 152.6	152.6	N/Q	273	- 273	273	1022	- 1022	1022
		C	3	5	141.2	- 173.2	156.1	-2	252	- 309	279	920	- 1399	1198
			12		130.0	173.2	153.2		236	309	276	401	1399	851

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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