

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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It was another plain quality yarding as seasonal conditions remain dry in most districts. There were limited numbers of prime conditioned young cattle and grown steers were also in short supply. There was a pretty good selection of cows in most runs. All the regular buyers were in attendance and operating.

Limited numbers of trade cattle to slaughter were 5c to 8c/kg dearer while young steers to the restockers and feeders were firm. Yearling heifers to the restockers and feeders were up to 10c/kg dearer with a better selection available compared to the previous sale. The C2 and C3 steer vealers and yearlings sold from 164c to 196c to kill and 155c to 207c/kg to the restockers and feeders. Heifer yearlings to slaughter sold from 145c to 180c and 148 to 166c/kg to the restockers and feeders.

Grown steers were 5c cheaper with the medium weight C4's selling from 160 to 177.2c to average 168c/kg. Grown heifers were 1c cheaper with the heavier weights selling from 155 to 164c/kg. Plain conditioned cows were a little cheaper while the good selection of the better conditione heavier weight cows were 2c to 3c/kg dearer. 1 and 2 score lightweight cows sold from 70c to 118c while the better 3 and 4 score cows sold from 122 to 144c/kg. The best bull made 176.2c/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	D	2	46	161.2	- 204.2	185.7	7	-			177	- 285	235
				46	161.2	204.2	185.7		0	0		177	285	235
Vealer Steer														
0-200		C	2	17	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	317	- 317	317	322	- 322	322
	RS	C	2	81	161.2	- 192.2	178.3	-18	-			250	- 365	315
200-280	RS	C	2	22	175.2	- 197.0	187.5	5	-			359	- 522	435
		C	2	9	164.2	- 170.0	166.1	N/Q	316	- 327	320	394	- 408	399
330+	FD	C	3	5	171.2	- 171.2	171.2	-9	-			591	- 591	591
				134	161.2	197.0	177.0		316	327	318	250	591	352
Vealer Heifer														
0-200		C	2	51	154.2	- 180.0	172.2	32	297	- 340	328	285	- 342	322
	RS	C	2	45	162.2	- 180.2	167.3	N/Q	-			238	- 315	258
		D	3	13	133.2	- 133.2	133.2	N/Q	256	- 256	256	266	- 266	266
200-280		C	2	48	158.0	- 171.2	168.2	17	298	- 329	323	344	- 387	354
		C	3	2	165.0	- 175.0	170.0	N/Q	306	- 324	315	359	- 454	406
330+		C	3	9	150.0	- 180.0	165.6	8	278	- 333	307	518	- 621	571
				168	133.2	180.2	166.3		256	340	317	238	621	324
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	12	189.2	- 189.2	189.2	11	-			520	- 520	520
	RS	C	2	83	155.0	- 192.2	174.3	-3	-			378	- 517	458
	FD	D	3	5	133.2	- 133.2	133.2	N/Q	-			326	- 326	326
330-400	RS	C	2	44	150.0	- 178.2	167.6	1	-			553	- 638	604
	FD	C	2	126	165.0	- 187.2	179.8	2	-			619	- 705	675
	RS	C	3	3	178.0	- 178.0	178.0	-2	-			703	- 703	703
	FD	C	3	12	179.2	- 179.2	179.2	12	-			618	- 618	618
		C	3	11	165.0	- 174.2	172.5	-19	306	- 323	320	586	- 671	659

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400+		B	2	1	180.2	- 180.2	180.2	N/Q	328	- 328	328	838	- 838	838
	FD	C	2	6	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	-5		-		701	- 701	701
	RS	C	3	14	167.2	- 178.0	176.5	21		-		727	- 774	768
		C	3	41	160.0	- 195.6	181.1	10	296	- 362	332	697	- 870	768
	FD	C	3	4	170.2	- 170.2	170.2	-3		-		715	- 715	715
				362	133.2	195.6	176.1		296	362	329	326	870	620
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	2	14	154.2	- 154.2	154.2	19		-		378	- 378	378
		C	2	52	145.0	- 168.0	157.4	14	279	- 317	303	328	- 400	370
	FD	C	2	31	148.0	- 166.2	160.6	18		-		457	- 515	479
		C	3	4	163.2	- 170.0	168.3	8	302	- 321	316	502	- 539	511
	RS	C	3	35	155.0	- 162.2	159.5	10		-		462	- 504	478
	RS	D	2	19	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	N/Q		-		285	- 285	285
	RS	D	3	21	134.2	- 135.2	134.7	1		-		356	- 372	364
		D	3	14	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	11	269	- 269	269	357	- 357	357
330-400		B	2	1	168.2	- 168.2	168.2	N/Q	312	- 312	312	580	- 580	580
	FD	C	2	24	154.2	- 162.2	160.5	15		-		547	- 560	557
	RS	C	2	68	150.0	- 162.2	158.4	9		-		518	- 624	582
	RS	C	3	8	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	-5		-		548	- 578	563
	FD	C	3	11	150.2	- 150.2	150.2	N/Q		-		548	- 548	548
		C	3	21	163.0	- 180.0	163.9	10	308	- 333	311	579	- 628	613
	FD	D	3	10	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	N/Q		-		511	- 511	511
400+	FD	C	2	5	157.2	- 157.2	157.2	N/Q		-		668	- 668	668
	RS	C	2	13	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	N/Q		-		657	- 657	657
		C	3	50	145.0	- 172.0	160.0	-5	274	- 321	301	616	- 781	696
				401	134.2	180.0	155.8		269	333	300	285	781	511
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	2	24	161.2	- 161.2	161.2	N/Q	304	- 304	304	782	- 782	782
	FD	C	2	15	155.0	- 165.0	162.3	-12		-		767	- 767	767
	FD	C	3	41	155.0	- 164.2	160.2	N/Q		-		705	- 813	769
		C	3	22	162.0	- 163.2	162.7	4	302	- 306	304	743	- 786	762
		C	4	6	165.6	- 165.6	165.6	-8	307	- 307	307	820	- 820	820
500-600		C	3	42	145.0	- 160.0	155.9	-5	274	- 302	292	740	- 936	893
		C	4	59	160.0	- 177.2	168.0	-5	296	- 328	313	882	- 1045	956
600-750		C	4	7	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	-6	295	- 295	295	1017	- 1017	1017
				216	145.0	177.2	162.2		274	328	304	705	1045	854
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	20	153.2	- 160.0	158.4	16	289	- 304	302	728	- 804	760
	FD	C	3	4	151.2	- 151.2	151.2	N/Q		-		673	- 673	673
		C	4	23	150.0	- 164.2	154.8	2	283	- 306	292	743	- 862	790
		D	3	48	125.0	- 152.0	132.1	14	236	- 288	262	513	- 737	575
	FD	D	3	10	138.2	- 138.2	138.2	N/Q		-		504	- 504	504
540+		C	4	36	155.0	- 162.2	161.6	-1	293	- 306	305	876	- 933	920
				141	125.0	164.2	148.0		236	306	286	504	933	722
Manufacturing Steer														

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0-540		D	3	11	147.0	- 147.0	147.0	12	283	- 283	283	772	- 772	772
540+		D	3	7	135.0	- 152.6	137.5	-12	260	- 299	265	790	- 1106	835
				18	135.0	152.6	143.3		260	299	276	772	1106	796
Cows														
0-400		D	1	12	70.0	- 70.0	70.0	N/Q	167	- 167	167	266	- 266	266
		D	2	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	227	- 227	227	400	- 400	400
400-520		D	2	44	100.0	- 113.2	107.7	-5	222	- 255	244	445	- 543	487
	RS	D	3	3	122.0	- 122.0	122.0	N/Q	-			592	- 592	592
		D	3	81	122.0	- 134.0	130.4	5	260	- 285	277	591	- 671	630
520+		C	3	12	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	263	- 263	263	845	- 845	845
		D	3	39	122.0	- 134.0	128.7	2	260	- 279	272	641	- 709	682
		D	4	304	134.0	- 144.0	140.2	3	253	- 282	269	725	- 900	821
		D	5	4	120.0	- 132.0	125.5	-9	226	- 250	238	735	- 774	764
				500	70.0	144.0	132.9		167	285	265	266	900	735
Bulls														
0-450		D	3	52	120.0	- 135.0	126.5	6	235	- 260	244	342	- 452	384
450-600		C	2	47	136.0	- 162.2	147.0	12	257	- 312	278	628	- 738	697
600+		B	2	3	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	-5	289	- 289	289	1434	- 1434	1434
		C	2	7	140.0	- 160.0	154.7	-2	269	- 296	289	1057	- 1224	1184
		C	3	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	291	- 291	291	1600	- 1600	1600
				110	120.0	162.2	138.3		235	312	263	342	1600	608

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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