

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Wodonga

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Numbers were steady in a very mixed quality offering with all weights and grades represented along with a mixed selection of dairy lines. The usual group of buyers attended and not all operated fully. Demand strengthened across most categories with leaner grades keenly sort.

Heavy cows along with leaner types sold to strong demand lifting 8c making from 126c to 144.6c/kg. The 2 and 3 score cows were in shorter supply and most buyers were eager to acquire a share, prices rose 7c to 8c/kg. The D3 medium weight lines averaged 113.1c while the heavy D3 pens averaged 125.1c reaching a top price of 135c/kg.

The mixed quality selection of bulls sold to strong competition with prices lifting up to 10c/kg. Most B and C muscled bulls sold between 149c and 166c/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
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	3	2	130.0	- 135.0	132.5	N/Q	245	- 255	250	637	- 662	649
540+		C	3	1	147.2	- 147.2	147.2	N/Q	283	- 283	283	972	- 972	972
		C	4	5	144.0	- 144.0	144.0	9	267	- 267	267	842	- 917	887
	DA	D	3	1	117.2	- 117.2	117.2	N/Q	234	- 234	234	774	- 774	774
				9	117.2	147.2	138.8		234	283	261	637	972	831
Cows														
0-400		D	2	4	111.6	- 111.6	111.6	16	254	- 254	254	435	- 435	435
		D	4	2	131.2	- 131.2	131.2	N/Q	252	- 252	252	512	- 512	512
400-520	DA	D	1	22	98.0	- 105.2	102.9	9	223	- 239	234	454	- 527	504
		D	1	10	100.0	- 105.0	102.5	21	244	- 256	250	442	- 525	484
		D	2	21	114.6	- 123.2	117.6	12	247	- 262	253	509	- 580	561
		D	3	19	116.2	- 122.6	120.7	7	247	- 261	257	511	- 614	555
		D	4	4	128.0	- 128.0	128.0	N/Q	246	- 246	246	653	- 653	653
	DA	E	1	1	92.6	- 92.6	92.6	N/Q	226	- 226	226	391	- 391	391
520+	DA	D	1	40	98.0	- 113.0	104.9	N/Q	239	- 256	248	537	- 698	601
	DA	D	2	8	117.6	- 118.0	117.9	9	246	- 250	248	714	- 791	762
		D	2	15	108.6	- 108.6	108.6	-1	247	- 247	247	619	- 619	619
		D	3	67	113.2	- 135.0	125.1	8	218	- 275	260	643	- 945	718
		D	4	115	126.0	- 144.6	133.5	8	242	- 289	259	728	- 1017	843
		D	5	12	121.2	- 128.0	122.9	6	242	- 246	243	737	- 924	784
				340	92.6	144.6	121.6		218	289	254	391	1017	700
Bulls														
450-600		D	1	1	105.0	- 105.0	105.0	N/Q	202	- 202	202	536	- 536	536
	DA	D	1	3	118.2	- 118.2	118.2	N/Q	219	- 219	219	654	- 654	654
	DA	D	2	3	118.2	- 118.2	118.2	N/Q	219	- 219	219	654	- 654	654
		D	2	4	120.0	- 127.2	125.4	5	231	- 245	241	696	- 744	732
600+		B	2	4	156.0	- 166.2	162.9	10	279	- 297	290	1435	- 1593	1476
		C	2	12	149.2	- 156.2	153.7	10	266	- 283	276	1019	- 1648	1354

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		D	1	1	112.0	- 112.0	112.0	N/Q	200	-	200	200	1086	-	1086	1086
		D	2	7	121.2	- 147.2	131.9	4	239	-	263	249	812	-	1715	1146
			35		105.0	166.2	138.5		200		297	254	536	1715	1104	

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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