

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Wodonga

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Numbers declined in a mixed quality offering with all weights and grades represented along with a very mixed selection of dairy lines. A large field of buyers attended and not all operated fully. Demand was steady across most categories with well finished cows keenly sought after by northern processors.

Heavy cows sold to strong demand making from 124c to 143.2c/kg. The 2 and 3 score cows were in reasonable supply and most buyers were eager to capture a market share resulting in prices firm to slightly dearer for the plainer lines. The D3 medium weight lines averaged 121.7c while the heavy D3 pens averaged 124c reaching a top price of 128c/kg.

The mixed quality selection of bulls sold to subdued bidding and the B and C muscled bulls sold from 135c and 158c/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	RS	D	1	3	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	-			354	- 354	354
540+		D	4	2	136.0	- 136.0	136.0	N/Q	262	- 262	262	836	- 836	836
	RS	D	4	1	140.6	- 140.6	140.6	N/Q	-			1153	- 1153	1153
				6	110.0	140.6	123.8		262	262	262	354	1153	648
Cows														
0-400		D	1	16	100.0	- 101.6	100.8	N/Q	244	- 248	246	377	- 397	387
400-520		D	1	7	98.2	- 98.2	98.2	-2	240	- 240	240	492	- 492	492
		D	2	46	100.0	- 114.6	110.1	-4	227	- 261	250	405	- 590	523
	DA	D	2	10	108.0	- 108.0	108.0	N/Q	246	- 246	246	549	- 549	549
	FD	D	3	5	122.0	- 122.0	122.0	N/Q	-			628	- 628	628
		D	3	94	114.0	- 129.2	121.7	-1	243	- 270	257	490	- 647	589
		D	4	7	126.0	- 126.0	126.0	-5	242	- 242	242	605	- 605	605
520+	DA	D	1	11	95.0	- 108.0	98.5	-7	232	- 263	240	506	- 686	555
	DA	D	2	15	105.0	- 113.0	108.9	-5	219	- 235	229	570	- 712	648
		D	2	9	114.0	- 131.0	118.3	10	259	- 262	261	624	- 793	662
		D	3	72	114.0	- 128.0	124.0	-4	243	- 272	261	594	- 793	699
		D	4	212	124.0	- 143.2	133.6	-1	245	- 270	259	691	- 1131	841
				504	95.0	143.2	123.8		219	272	256	377	1131	699
Bulls														
450-600		D	2	1	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	226	- 226	226	650	- 650	650
600+		B	2	3	150.0	- 158.0	155.3	-5	259	- 282	274	1500	- 1578	1552
		C	2	14	133.2	- 152.0	142.2	-10	234	- 271	253	1164	- 1595	1361
		D	1	1	90.0	- 90.0	90.0	N/Q	170	- 170	170	585	- 585	585
		D	2	11	123.6	- 143.0	134.1	N/C	219	- 262	246	876	- 1473	1227
				30	90.0	158.0	138.1		170	282	249	585	1595	1281

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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