

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Yarding Change ¹¹²⁰
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The increased supply of stock contained a larger number of store condition classes. Buyer representation was good and included additional restocker operators. Vealer heifers to local butchers were the only category to receive strong support while most other classes of young cattle struggled to maintain a firm trend. Export slaughter lines experienced a small improvement in price from a very low base the previous sale.

Calves returning to the paddock made to 210.2c to average 189c/kg. Vealer steers also purchased by restockers averaged 197c and sold to 206.6c/kg. Vealer heifers to feed, restockers and processors averaged in the mid 160c/kg range, with the occasional sale to a local butcher at 218.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed averaged 175c and sold to 179.2c/kg. Yearling heifers in the medium weight range to feed averaged 151c and sold to 153.2c/kg. Heavy weights to feed averaged close to 147c/kg.

A handful of heavy grown steers to export slaughter made to 166.2c to average 163c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 112c and sold to 119.2c/kg. Good heavy cows averaged 4c dearer at 132c with sales to 136.2c/kg. Heavy bulls gained 9c to average 155c with sales to 162c/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	3	163.2	- 163.2	163.2	N/Q	308	- 308	308	286	- 286	286
	RS	C	2	29	152.2	- 210.2	188.9	5	-	-	-	248	- 376	317
				32	152.2	210.2	186.5		308	308	308	248	376	314
Vealer Steer														
200-280		C	2	2	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	336	- 336	336	435	- 435	435
	FD	C	2	3	179.2	- 179.2	179.2	-5	-	-	-	439	- 439	439
	RS	C	2	49	187.2	- 206.6	197.4	15	-	-	-	440	- 488	459
	FD	D	2	6	175.2	- 175.2	175.2	N/Q	-	-	-	464	- 464	464
	RS	D	2	5	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	N/Q	-	-	-	405	- 405	405
280-330	FD	C	2	2	184.2	- 184.2	184.2	N/Q	-	-	-	589	- 589	589
330+		C	3	2	199.2	- 200.0	199.6	N/Q	362	- 364	363	670	- 677	674
				69	165.2	206.6	191.7		336	364	350	405	677	464
Vealer Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	33	163.2	- 178.2	168.6	-1	-	-	-	347	- 437	371
	RS	C	2	32	160.2	- 173.2	167.2	-13	-	-	-	328	- 372	357
		C	2	45	159.2	- 176.2	164.1	-2	295	- 326	304	338	- 467	390
		C	3	3	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	-3	352	- 352	352	504	- 504	504
280-330		C	2	3	165.2	- 175.0	169.5	-13	306	- 324	314	471	- 499	483
		C	3	11	184.2	- 207.2	194.0	-3	341	- 384	359	580	- 673	622
330+		C	3	6	181.2	- 218.2	191.4	N/Q	336	- 404	354	607	- 753	645
				133	159.2	218.2	170.4		295	404	320	328	753	413
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	30	174.2	- 182.2	180.2	N/Q	-	-	-	427	- 532	462
	RS	C	2	28	173.2	- 198.2	187.5	N/Q	-	-	-	441	- 525	484
	RS	D	2	23	148.2	- 174.2	167.7	-6	-	-	-	371	- 474	428
		D	2	5	156.2	- 156.2	156.2	N/Q	284	- 284	284	391	- 391	391

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330-400	FD	D	2	8	174.2	- 174.2	174.2	N/Q	-			436	- 436	436	
	FD	C	2	72	171.2	- 179.2	175.8	3	-			577	- 675	634	
	FD	C	3	4	170.0	- 177.2	171.8	-10	-			621	- 629	623	
		C	3	2	172.2	- 183.2	177.7	N/Q	313	- 333	323	611	- 669	640	
	FD	D	2	12	153.2	- 165.0	160.1	7	-			569	- 575	571	
	RS	D	2	24	146.2	- 163.2	155.2	2	-			532	- 596	547	
		D	3	1	162.2	- 162.2	162.2	N/Q	295	- 295	295	592	- 592	592	
400+		E	2	5	81.2	- 100.0	96.2	N/Q	148	- 182	175	280	- 335	324	
	FD	C	2	12	153.2	- 160.0	156.0	6	-			680	- 689	685	
		C	3	8	156.2	- 167.2	162.6	-7	284	- 304	296	664	- 777	740	
	FD	C	3	2	167.2	- 167.2	167.2	N/Q	-			711	- 711	711	
	FD	D	2	5	149.2	- 149.2	149.2	N/Q	-			649	- 649	649	
	FD	D	3	6	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-			679	- 679	679	
					247	81.2	198.2	169.1		148	333	267	280	777	556
Yearling Heifer															
0-330	RS	C	2	24	165.2	- 174.2	170.5	N/Q	-			421	- 496	465	
		C	2	17	156.2	- 159.2	157.6	N/Q	289	- 295	292	406	- 414	410	
	FD	D	2	10	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	-			358	- 358	358	
	RS	D	2	4	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	N/Q	-			348	- 348	348	
	330-400	FD	C	2	32	149.2	- 153.2	151.6	-10	-			530	- 578	555
			C	3	7	150.0	- 172.2	164.1	-16	278	- 319	304	503	- 594	564
		FD	D	2	3	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	16	-			553	- 553	553
400+		D	2	7	130.0	- 135.2	131.5	N/Q	241	- 250	244	501	- 507	502	
		D	3	1	142.2	- 142.2	142.2	N/Q	263	- 263	263	476	- 476	476	
	FD	C	2	19	145.0	- 150.0	146.9	N/Q	-			604	- 636	617	
	FD	C	3	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-			608	- 608	608	
		C	3	2	159.2	- 159.2	159.2	N/Q	295	- 295	295	677	- 677	677	
	FD	D	2	11	130.0	- 148.0	143.7	-2	-			527	- 629	606	
		D	2	1	128.2	- 128.2	128.2	N/Q	237	- 237	237	532	- 532	532	
				139	128.2	174.2	152.3		237	319	282	348	677	513	
Grown Steer															
400-500		D	3	1	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	N/Q	248	- 248	248	661	- 661	661	
500-600		C	3	9	148.0	- 157.2	152.1	N/Q	269	- 286	277	747	- 841	789	
		C	4	8	163.2	- 166.2	163.6	2	291	- 297	292	840	- 922	884	
		D	3	5	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	-9	248	- 248	248	770	- 770	770	
600-750		C	3	5	156.2	- 156.2	156.2	6	284	- 284	284	992	- 992	992	
				28	136.2	166.2	152.7		248	297	276	661	992	844	
Grown Heifer															
0-540		D	2	3	115.0	- 129.2	124.5	16	240	- 269	259	518	- 549	539	
	RS	D	2	8	129.2	- 129.2	129.2	22	-			459	- 459	459	
		D	3	10	120.0	- 146.2	138.1	1	231	- 281	266	540	- 671	654	
				21	115.0	146.2	132.8		231	281	264	459	671	563	
Manufacturing Steer															
540+		C	4	29	152.2	- 156.2	155.2	5	277	- 284	282	976	- 992	980	
		D	4	14	143.2	- 147.2	145.8	N/Q	260	- 268	265	920	- 931	924	

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
				43	143.2	156.2	152.1		260	284	277	920	992	962	
Cows															
0-400	RS	D	1	6	76.2	- 76.2	76.2	N/Q	-			293	- 293	293	
		D	1	20	70.0	- 92.2	76.4	5	175	- 231	191	270	- 364	299	
	D	2	1	96.2	- 96.2	96.2	N/Q	219	- 219	219	385	- 385	385		
	E	1	2	54.2	- 54.2	54.2	N/Q	136	- 136	136	214	- 214	214		
	RS	E	1	1	40.0	- 40.0	40.0	N/Q	-			146	- 146	146	
400-520	DA	D	1	3	90.0	- 90.0	90.0	N/Q	225	- 225	225	437	- 437	437	
		RS	D	1	3	100.2	- 100.2	100.2	-3	-			466	- 466	466
		D	1	21	83.2	- 101.2	93.5	N/Q	208	- 253	234	362	- 440	405	
	D	2	30	105.0	- 119.2	112.4	6	239	- 271	256	467	- 549	509		
	RS	D	2	1	111.2	- 111.2	111.2	N/Q	-			484	- 484	484	
520+	D	1	7	113.2	- 113.2	113.2	8	283	- 283	283	606	- 606	606		
		2	3	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	261	- 261	261	615	- 615	615		
		3	5	120.2	- 125.0	122.1	N/C	245	- 255	249	643	- 669	653		
		4	14	128.0	- 136.2	132.3	4	251	- 267	260	685	- 959	736		
		5	2	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	245	- 245	245	702	- 750	726		
				119	40.0	136.2	101.6		136	283	238	146	959	477	
Bulls															
0-450	FD	C	2	4	119.2	- 120.0	119.4	N/Q	-			435	- 486	448	
		C	2	1	128.6	- 128.6	128.6	N/Q	234	- 234	234	534	- 534	534	
	RS	C	3	2	140.0	- 142.2	141.1	N/Q	-			539	- 547	543	
		C	3	1	133.2	- 133.2	133.2	N/Q	242	- 242	242	599	- 599	599	
		D	2	5	115.2	- 120.2	116.8	N/Q	210	- 219	212	424	- 511	450	
FD	D	2	12	107.2	- 120.2	116.4	-2	-			423	- 511	489		
450-600	FD	C	2	2	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	-			621	- 621	621	
		C	3	6	128.0	- 143.2	135.5	-10	229	- 256	242	672	- 769	724	
600+	C	2	1	124.2	- 124.2	124.2	N/Q	226	- 226	226	789	- 789	789		
		3	19	130.0	- 162.0	155.8	9	232	- 289	278	957	- 1409	1135		
		D	3	1	127.2	- 127.2	127.2	N/Q	231	- 231	231	871	- 871	871	
				54	107.2	162.0	135.1		210	289	257	423	1409	758	

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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