

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Compared to the last sale a fortnight ago numbers lifted and quality remains good, with plenty of supplementary fed cattle available. Yearlings made up the majority of the offering and grown cattle were limited. Most of the usual buyers operated in a mainly dearer market.

Light vealer steers and heifers were in demand by restockers and sold 10c stronger, selling from 180c to 198c for the steer portion. Feeder steers were in less demand and eased 10c on the last sale, with the medium weights receiving 155c to 185c, averaging 177c/kg. Trade steers were 5c stronger on the heavy weights, with supplementary fed medium weights up to 14c dearer. Trade steers ranged between 174c and 217c, averaging 190c/kg. Trade heifers remained at similar prices selling from 160c to 202c/kg.

The 500kg to 600kg milk tooth grown steers ranged from 183c to 191c, while the majority averaged 6c/kg dearer. Cows were 3c to 4c stronger with the 2 score medium weights 82c to 106c and the heavy 3 and 4 scores 109c to 125c/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
<b>Calves</b>														
0-80		C	2	1	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	460	- 460	460	184	- 184	184
				<b>1</b>	<b>230.0</b>	<b>230.0</b>	<b>230.0</b>		<b>460</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>184</b>
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	2	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-	-	-	416	- 416	416
280-330		C	2	4	156.2	- 192.6	183.5	N/Q	300	- 357	343	439	- 578	543
				<b>6</b>	<b>156.2</b>	<b>192.6</b>	<b>175.7</b>		<b>300</b>	<b>357</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>578</b>	<b>501</b>
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
280-330		C	2	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	333	- 333	333	567	- 567	567
330+		C	3	1	198.2	- 198.2	198.2	N/Q	367	- 367	367	684	- 684	684
				<b>2</b>	<b>180.0</b>	<b>198.2</b>	<b>189.0</b>		<b>333</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>567</b>	<b>684</b>	<b>626</b>
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330	FD	C	2	16	178.0	- 210.6	202.6	9	-	-	-	463	- 579	492
	RS	C	2	44	180.0	- 198.2	192.4	9	-	-	-	432	- 508	472
		C	3	5	211.6	- 211.6	211.6	N/Q	392	- 392	392	677	- 677	677
	FD	D	1	1	150.2	- 150.2	150.2	N/Q	-	-	-	338	- 338	338
	RS	D	1	1	126.0	- 126.0	126.0	N/Q	-	-	-	328	- 328	328
	RS	D	2	50	136.0	- 217.6	213.7	N/Q	-	-	-	306	- 490	474
	FD	D	2	17	130.0	- 205.2	196.4	N/Q	-	-	-	338	- 472	456
330-400	FD	C	2	87	155.0	- 185.6	177.1	-13	-	-	-	577	- 677	639
		C	3	35	174.6	- 217.6	208.2	14	323	- 396	380	663	- 783	739
		C	4	15	192.6	- 208.6	197.9	N/Q	350	- 379	360	732	- 803	756
	FD	D	2	21	135.0	- 170.6	168.9	N/Q	-	-	-	479	- 631	624
		D	3	1	176.0	- 176.0	176.0	N/Q	332	- 332	332	625	- 625	625
400+		B	4	12	187.0	- 187.0	187.0	N/Q	346	- 346	346	1010	- 1010	1010
		C	2	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	289	- 289	289	630	- 630	630
	FD	C	2	3	175.6	- 175.6	175.6	-4	-	-	-	720	- 720	720
	FD	C	3	6	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	-	-	-	756	- 756	756

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		C	3	36	182.0	- 199.2	188.8	5	337	- 369	347	777	- 999	910
		C	4	46	175.6	- 200.0	190.3	N/Q	331	- 364	347	780	- 1073	950
				<b>397</b>	<b>126.0</b>	<b>217.6</b>	<b>191.4</b>		<b>289</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>357</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>1073</b>	<b>672</b>
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-330		C	2	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	289	- 289	289	450	- 450	450
	FD	C	2	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q		-		480	- 480	480
	RS	C	2	6	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	-2		-		406	- 406	406
		C	3	3	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/C	315	- 315	315	544	- 544	544
	RS	D	1	20	130.0	- 180.0	169.5	N/Q		-		208	- 288	260
	RS	D	2	77	135.0	- 184.0	172.1	N/Q		-		324	- 458	406
	FD	D	2	20	120.0	- 147.6	130.4	N/Q		-		371	- 431	378
330-400	FD	C	2	60	146.0	- 171.6	161.7	3		-		496	- 652	580
		C	2	6	166.6	- 166.6	166.6	N/Q	320	- 320	320	600	- 600	600
		C	3	73	160.0	- 202.0	181.4	-3	302	- 374	336	576	- 768	675
		C	4	1	182.6	- 182.6	182.6	N/Q	338	- 338	338	657	- 657	657
	FD	D	2	1	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q		-		529	- 529	529
	FD	D	3	4	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q		-		666	- 666	666
		D	3	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	250	- 250	250	481	- 481	481
400+	FD	C	2	14	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	-2		-		630	- 630	630
	FD	C	3	20	170.2	- 171.0	170.9	N/Q		-		715	- 752	749
	RS	C	3	11	176.2	- 176.2	176.2	N/Q		-		793	- 793	793
		C	3	36	150.6	- 190.0	170.3	1	279	- 359	319	693	- 828	747
		C	4	10	165.0	- 180.0	175.6	N/Q	311	- 333	326	828	- 924	891
		D	3	11	130.0	- 176.6	158.2	N/Q	245	- 333	296	546	- 742	673
				<b>376</b>	<b>120.0</b>	<b>202.0</b>	<b>167.9</b>		<b>245</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>924</b>	<b>576</b>
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
0-400	FD	C	2	6	157.6	- 175.2	160.5	N/Q		-		596	- 599	598
400-500	FD	C	2	22	164.0	- 174.6	167.1	11		-		669	- 751	722
	RS	C	2	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q		-		748	- 748	748
		C	2	1	159.6	- 159.6	159.6	N/Q	301	- 301	301	734	- 734	734
		C	3	6	172.0	- 183.6	176.9	21	319	- 340	328	740	- 845	796
		D	2	3	126.0	- 126.0	126.0	N/Q	252	- 252	252	542	- 542	542
	FD	D	2	2	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q		-		638	- 638	638
500-600		C	2	4	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	311	- 311	311	858	- 858	858
		C	3	10	183.2	- 186.2	185.9	6	339	- 345	344	968	- 1026	974
		C	4	3	184.6	- 184.6	184.6	N/Q	342	- 342	342	1052	- 1052	1052
600-750		C	4	5	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	296	- 296	296	992	- 992	992
				<b>63</b>	<b>126.0</b>	<b>186.2</b>	<b>167.8</b>		<b>252</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>319</b>	<b>542</b>	<b>1052</b>	<b>793</b>
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	FD	C	2	11	144.2	- 150.0	148.9	N/Q		-		606	- 615	613
		C	3	3	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	20	269	- 274	270	667	- 667	667
		C	4	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	278	- 278	278	780	- 780	780
	RS	D	1	5	105.0	- 105.0	105.0	N/Q		-		294	- 294	294
		D	2	1	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	212	- 212	212	418	- 418	418
		D	3	1	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	212	- 212	212	523	- 523	523

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				<b>22</b>	<b>105.0</b>	<b>150.0</b>	<b>134.9</b>		<b>212</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>780</b>	<b>543</b>
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
0-540		C	2	1	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	240	- 240	240	650	- 650	650
		D	2	3	104.2	- 104.2	104.2	N/Q	208	- 208	208	396	- 396	396
				<b>4</b>	<b>104.2</b>	<b>125.0</b>	<b>109.5</b>		<b>208</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>216</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>460</b>
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	1	7	75.0	- 85.0	79.1	N/Q	160	- 181	168	285	- 323	300
	RS	D	1	34	86.0	- 94.2	90.1	N/Q	-	-	-	310	- 358	337
400-520	RS	D	1	19	92.6	- 92.6	92.6	N/Q	-	-	-	384	- 384	384
		D	1	19	70.0	- 92.0	89.4	N/Q	149	- 192	187	284	- 377	369
		D	2	65	82.6	- 106.2	102.6	16	172	- 221	213	377	- 504	456
		D	3	33	109.2	- 119.6	114.1	N/Q	218	- 239	228	536	- 616	568
		D	4	15	110.6	- 116.6	112.2	N/Q	217	- 233	221	575	- 606	583
520+		D	3	14	109.0	- 114.4	110.2	-8	218	- 229	220	601	- 605	604
		D	4	5	121.2	- 125.0	123.0	N/Q	238	- 245	242	679	- 778	703
		D	5	10	120.0	- 121.2	120.8	N/Q	235	- 238	237	792	- 812	806
				<b>221</b>	<b>70.0</b>	<b>125.0</b>	<b>102.1</b>		<b>149</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>812</b>	<b>475</b>
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450	RS	C	2	5	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	-	-	-	456	- 456	456
		C	2	3	130.0	- 143.6	136.1	11	241	- 266	252	546	- 646	586
	RS	D	1	1	141.6	- 141.6	141.6	N/Q	-	-	-	333	- 333	333
450-600		C	2	32	142.0	- 155.0	151.7	N/Q	263	- 287	281	694	- 897	819
		D	2	1	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	217	- 217	217	667	- 667	667
600+		C	2	3	130.0	- 155.0	145.0	19	236	- 282	264	832	- 1020	948
		C	3	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	255	- 255	255	1092	- 1092	1092
				<b>46</b>	<b>115.0</b>	<b>155.0</b>	<b>145.5</b>		<b>217</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>1092</b>	<b>765</b>

#### 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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