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## **Detailed saleyard report - cattle**

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There were approximately 270 cows and a few heifers and bulls penned. The usual buying group was present for a dearer market overall. Quality was mixed with most weights and grades represented. A handful of grown heifers sold slightly cheaper, while the cows and bulls were stronger. Processors competed strongly on limited numbers.

A small number of grown heifers sold from 130c to 150c/kg. A handful of dairy cows sold mostly from 80c to 127c, lifting 4c to 9c/kg. Plain conditioned 1 and 2 score beef cows made between 99c and 134c, lifting 2c to 5c/kg. Good conditioned 3 and 4 score heavy weight beef cows sold between 124c and 136c, up 4c to 5c/kg. Most lightweight bulls made from 122c to 132c, slipping 2c, while the heavy weights sold from 129c to 140c, lifting 5c/kg.

Category Weight		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 He	ifer														
0-540		D	2	3	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	-4	260	-	260	260	702 -	702	702
		D	3	19	135.0	- 150.0	140.3	-8	260	-	289	270	675 -	810	701
540+		D	3	3	135.6	- 137.6	136.9	-18	266	-	270	269	784 -	841	803
				25	130.0	150.0	138.7		260		289	268	675	841	713
Cows															
0-400	RS	E	1	8	86.6	- 86.6	86.6	-2		-			329 -	329	329
	DA	Е	1	7	58.6	- 58.6	58.6	-25	140	-	140	140	234 -	234	234
400-520	DA	D	1	16	112.0	- 118.0	115.4	9	244	-	251	249	532 -	593	571
		D	1	35	100.6	- 116.6	112.1	2	224	-	254	244	453 -	583	545
		D	2	13	114.6	- 131.2	118.4	-1	240	-	273	248	545 -	656	593
	DA	D	2	7	126.6	- 126.6	126.6	17	264	-	264	264	633 -	633	633
		D	3	6	125.0	- 130.0	128.0	5	250	-	260	256	612 -	650	632
		D	4	2	126.0	- 128.0	127.0	N/Q	252	-	256	254	608 -	630	619
	DA	Е	1	15	80.0	- 107.0	94.1	4	191	-	249	218	352 -	525	435
	RS	Е	1	8	99.6	- 112.0	101.2	13		-			423 -	504	433
		Е	1	16	99.2	- 112.6	103.9	4	226	-	256	236	440 -	535	490
520+	DA	D	1	2	115.6	- 115.6	115.6	N/Q	251	-	251	251	647 -	647	647
		D	1	2	111.6	- 113.2	112.4	N/Q	237	-	246	242	614 -	651	632
		D	2	52	112.6	- 133.6	123.0	3	240	-	278	256	619 -	802	688
	DA	D	2	4	119.2	- 127.2	121.9	4	251	-	265	255	656 -	700	670
		D	3	45	125.0	- 135.6	130.3	4	244	_	270	259	675 -	864	749
		D	4	10	124.0	- 135.0	129.2	5	251	-	260	255	744 -	844	776
		D	5	4	102.6	- 125.0	113.3	N/Q	205	-	250	227	636 -	781	704
	DA	Е	1	6		- 116.6	109.0	5	236	_	259	247	562 -	676	600
				258	58.6		115.5		140		278	246	234	864	606
Bulls															
0-450		С	2	1	95.0	- 95.0	95.0	N/Q	176	-	176	176	333 -	333	333
	RS	С	2	2	115.0	- 128.0	121.5	N/Q		-			518 -	576	547
	RS	D	1	1	113.6	- 113.6	113.6	N/Q		_			454 -	454	454

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
450-600		С	2	7	122.0	- 132.0	128.9	-2	222 -	- 240	234	582 -	780	670
600+		С	1	1	118.0	- 118.0	118.0	N/Q	215 -	215	215	885 -	885	885
		С	2	8	129.2	- 139.6	133.9	5	231 -	249	240	875 -	1080	940
				20	95.0	139.6	127.2		176	249	232	333	1080	749

## 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 Disclaimer:

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