

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Yarding Change ⁹⁴⁰/₃₄₈

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Supply rebounded in an average to good quality offering of cattle that sold to a mainly regular field of buyers. Prices too lifted by varying degrees as cows were 10c to 15c/kg higher and most processors young cattle averaged close to last weeks levels. Restocking sales of young cattle were slightly dearer for steers but the heifer portion was up to 10c/kg higher. The yarding comprised 610 steers and heifers, 266 cows and 64 bulls.

In the penning of young cattle very few were of poor to plain quality. Most were 2 and 3 scores that sold to keen but steady processor and restocker demand. The majority were medium weight yearlings with most C2 and C3 grades from 165c to 188c/kg. The extremes were from 155c and up to 205c with D muscled yearlings mainly between 120c and 145c/kg. The few 2 and 3 score grown heifers sold from 142c to 150c with a top pen at 157c/kg. The sole pen of C3 grown steers made 185c/kg.

The cow market opened 5c to 10c higher but soon lifted to be between 10c and up to 20c/kg dearer. The plainer 2 score cows sold from 112c to 128c with the average quality 2 to 4 scores from 126c to 136c/kg. The average to good quality made 130c to 145c with two top B3 cows at 154c and 160c/kg. A run of 2 to 5 score medium and heavy weight cows mainly ranged from 240c to 280c/kg cwt. In the line up of heavy weight bulls the B2's averaged 4c higher at 126c to 149c/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
Vealer Steer														
330+		C	3	5	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	N/Q	380	- 380	380	687	- 718	711
	FD	C	3	21	192.0	- 200.0	197.7	N/Q	-	-	-	662	- 710	696
				26	192.0	205.0	199.1		380	380	380	662	718	699
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		D	2	2	148.0	- 148.0	148.0	N/Q	296	- 296	296	385	- 385	385
280-330		C	2	2	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	314	- 314	314	464	- 464	464
330+		C	3	6	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	-27	352	- 352	352	694	- 694	694
				10	148.0	190.0	175.6		296	352	333	385	694	586
Yearling Steer														
0-330		C	2	4	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	310	- 310	310	504	- 504	504
	RS	C	2	22	172.0	- 188.0	180.0	19	-	-	-	490	- 579	549
	RS	D	1	6	153.0	- 153.0	153.0	53	-	-	-	459	- 459	459
	RS	D	2	1	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	-	-	-	341	- 341	341
	FD	D	2	1	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	-	-	-	348	- 348	348
330-400		C	2	3	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	45	343	- 343	343	700	- 700	700
	FD	C	2	8	204.0	- 204.0	204.0	N/Q	-	-	-	755	- 755	755
	RS	C	2	2	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-	-	-	685	- 685	685
		C	3	24	184.0	- 186.0	185.8	N/C	347	- 351	351	662	- 716	713
		D	2	3	140.0	- 152.0	147.7	22	280	- 310	297	532	- 581	561
	RS	D	2	2	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-	-	-	525	- 525	525
	DA	D	2	4	116.0	- 122.0	119.0	N/Q	242	- 249	245	400	- 445	423
400+		FD	C	2	5	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-	-	786	- 786	786
		C	2	12	150.0	- 178.0	161.3	-7	294	- 342	313	630	- 810	751
	FD	C	3	27	192.0	- 196.0	193.3	N/Q	-	-	-	811	- 862	822
		C	3	43	184.0	- 204.0	196.3	N/C	347	- 374	364	801	- 1030	949

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		D	2	5	140.0	- 151.0	147.6	N/Q	280	- 302	298	574	- 680	653
				172	116.0	204.0	181.6		242	374	341	341	1030	743
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	2	8	164.0	- 164.0	164.0	12	-			508	- 508	508
	RS	D	1	14	122.0	- 130.0	124.9	N/Q	-			351	- 366	361
		D	1	12	110.0	- 139.0	127.8	-18	234	- 290	267	283	- 416	364
		D	2	9	130.0	- 158.0	134.2	4	260	- 310	268	392	- 498	422
	FD	D	2	20	148.0	- 148.0	148.0	N/Q	-			429	- 429	429
	RS	D	2	85	134.0	- 165.0	143.5	-2	-			389	- 495	429
		D	3	1	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	310	- 310	310	521	- 521	521
330-400	RS	C	2	36	145.0	- 189.0	165.8	16	-			500	- 690	590
		C	2	1	174.0	- 174.0	174.0	N/Q	335	- 335	335	592	- 592	592
		C	3	16	174.0	- 188.0	183.3	-11	328	- 356	349	638	- 675	651
	RS	C	3	15	191.0	- 191.0	191.0	N/Q	-			659	- 659	659
	RS	D	1	8	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	-			455	- 455	455
	RS	D	2	15	147.0	- 153.0	150.2	N/Q	-			520	- 522	521
		D	2	3	122.0	- 135.0	129.7	-5	249	- 276	263	415	- 502	472
		D	3	3	158.0	- 160.0	158.7	N/Q	310	- 314	311	537	- 584	563
400+		C	3	25	165.0	- 182.0	173.8	N/Q	317	- 350	331	680	- 854	770
				271	110.0	191.0	153.4		234	356	312	283	854	512
Grown Steer														
500-600		C	3	11	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	349	- 349	349	1073	- 1073	1073
				11	185.0	185.0	185.0		349	349	349	1073	1073	1073
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	2	8	148.0	- 148.0	148.0	6	296	- 296	296	710	- 710	710
		C	3	8	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	289	- 289	289	810	- 810	810
		D	2	4	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	6	290	- 290	290	604	- 604	604
540+		C	3	7	157.0	- 157.0	157.0	N/Q	302	- 302	302	887	- 887	887
				27	142.0	157.0	150.0		289	302	294	604	887	770
Cows														
400-520		C	3	11	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	N/Q	292	- 292	292	759	- 759	759
		D	1	17	104.0	- 112.0	110.4	N/Q	246	- 262	255	484	- 560	528
	RS	D	1	46	105.0	- 125.0	121.3	7	-			483	- 537	520
		D	2	1	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	267	- 267	267	576	- 576	576
		E	1	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	238	- 238	238	510	- 510	510
520+		B	3	2	154.0	- 160.0	157.0	N/Q	296	- 302	299	870	- 936	903
		C	2	20	135.0	- 145.0	140.4	N/Q	270	- 290	280	736	- 842	788
		C	3	24	132.0	- 145.0	141.5	16	264	- 290	279	805	- 922	857
		C	4	32	112.0	- 144.0	138.3	N/Q	220	- 277	267	700	- 863	797
		C	5	43	116.0	- 141.0	133.7	N/Q	227	- 266	255	749	- 918	842
		D	2	27	122.0	- 142.0	133.6	N/Q	254	- 302	279	647	- 843	763
		D	3	5	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	12	276	- 276	276	756	- 756	756
		D	4	3	114.0	- 114.0	114.0	-10	224	- 224	224	707	- 707	707
		D	5	1	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	226	- 226	226	650	- 650	650
				233	100.0	160.0	131.8		220	302	269	483	936	727

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Bulls																
0-450		B	2	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	291	-	291	291	720	-	720	720
		C	2	17	147.0	- 150.0	148.1	15	277	-	290	280	392	-	600	581
		D	1	4	95.0	- 126.0	111.8	N/Q	186	-	252	224	290	-	390	334
		D	2	19	122.0	- 146.0	136.9	N/Q	239	-	286	268	415	-	504	463
600+		B	2	31	126.0	- 149.0	133.7	4	228	-	257	240	838	-	1278	1100
		C	1	1	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	208	-	208	208	908	-	908	908
		C	2	18	119.0	- 134.0	126.7	-5	218	-	244	234	809	-	1099	959
		D	1	2	100.0	- 101.0	100.5	N/Q	191	-	196	193	616	-	680	648
		D	2	2	105.0	- 105.0	105.0	N/Q	198	-	198	198	893	-	893	893
				95	95.0	160.0	133.4		186		291	249	290	1278	801	

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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