

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Great Southern Saleyard

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Numbers dropped and quality also slipped for most of the young cattle yarded. Yearling cattle suitable for feeders and restockers again dominated the market. Limited trade supplies were available and met with solid competition. Cows were well represented and of good quality. Prices commenced at lower levels but improved throughout the sale.

Trade steers sold between 151c and 190c to be 5c/kg dearer. Trade heifers made from 140c to 192c to also be firm to 10c/kg dearer.

Feeder and restocker steers were marginally cheaper on average with light weights from 160c to 206c to be approximately 10c/kg cheaper. Medium and heavy weights sold from 150c to 196c/kg to average close to firm with later sales lifting the average. Heifer sales also saw light weights 10c/kg cheaper. Prices were from 139c to 192c with better drafts averaging 182c to be dearer with D muscled drafts from 148c to 168c to be up to 14c/kg cheaper.

Cow sales improved with quality very good for the majority. Heavy cows made from 123c to 137c for the majority to be 7c/kg dearer. Lighter weight cows sold from 100c to 125c to be firm to 10c/kg dearer. Bull prices remained similar with heavy bulls from 105c to 132c and light bulls sold from 120c to 175c/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>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330	FD	C	1	18	185.0	- 188.0	185.8	-3	-	-	-	545	- 592	579
	RS	C	1	4	180.0	- 195.0	183.8	-13	-	-	-	428	- 517	450
	RS	C	2	15	174.0	- 195.0	184.7	-10	-	-	-	430	- 575	542
	FD	C	2	16	169.0	- 189.0	176.5	-10	-	-	-	497	- 556	524
	FD	D	1	20	187.0	- 187.0	187.0	N/Q	-	-	-	475	- 475	475
	RS	D	1	28	130.0	- 206.0	192.0	16	-	-	-	371	- 468	438
	FD	D	2	18	159.0	- 174.0	169.8	-6	-	-	-	510	- 512	511
330-400	FD	C	2	48	170.0	- 196.0	187.6	-3	-	-	-	564	- 741	674
	FD	D	1	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-	-	-	544	- 544	544
	FD	D	2	25	135.0	- 176.0	167.8	-1	-	-	-	513	- 668	586
400+	FD	C	2	5	156.0	- 178.0	173.2	1	-	-	-	694	- 739	721
		C	3	8	151.0	- 190.0	174.9	5	275	- 352	326	842	- 982	938
		D	3	1	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	311	- 311	311	710	- 710	710
				<b>207</b>	<b>130.0</b>	<b>206.0</b>	<b>181.8</b>		<b>275</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>982</b>	<b>575</b>
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-330	RS	C	1	15	171.0	- 171.0	171.0	-3	-	-	-	489	- 489	489
		C	2	13	170.0	- 192.0	181.8	12	324	- 384	356	430	- 481	454
	FD	D	1	31	158.0	- 168.0	161.9	N/Q	-	-	-	445	- 528	472
	RS	D	1	31	148.0	- 158.0	153.6	-13	-	-	-	332	- 458	407
	RS	D	2	39	131.0	- 169.0	158.9	-14	-	-	-	298	- 490	424
	FD	D	2	44	139.0	- 170.0	165.3	11	-	-	-	442	- 549	522
		D	2	5	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	275	- 275	275	442	- 442	442
330-400	FD	C	2	78	169.0	- 183.0	176.3	8	-	-	-	561	- 730	648
	RS	D	2	3	147.0	- 156.0	150.0	-10	-	-	-	497	- 554	516
	FD	D	2	63	125.0	- 172.0	164.2	11	-	-	-	469	- 605	568

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
400+		D	2	3	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	N/Q	286	- 286	286	511	- 511	511	
		D	3	1	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	307	- 307	307	585	- 585	585	
		RS	D	3	1	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	-	-	481	- 481	481	
		FD	C	2	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	816	- 816	816	
		FD	D	2	1	161.0	- 161.0	161.0	N/Q	-	-	800	- 800	800	
			D	3	3	167.0	- 168.0	167.3	N/C	318	- 320	319	715	- 764	731
	FD	D	3	5	174.0	- 174.0	174.0	24	-	-	865	- 865	865		
					<b>337</b>	<b>125.0</b>	<b>192.0</b>	<b>165.7</b>		<b>275</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>865</b>	<b>537</b>
<b>Grown Steer</b>															
500-600		C	2	3	152.0	- 156.0	153.3	N/Q	287	- 294	289	856	- 858	857	
		C	3	9	149.0	- 155.0	153.7	1	276	- 293	289	869	- 888	884	
	FD	D	3	8	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	-	-	818	- 818	818		
600-750		C	3	5	144.0	- 149.0	148.0	-5	269	- 276	275	933	- 950	936	
					<b>25</b>	<b>144.0</b>	<b>158.0</b>	<b>153.9</b>		<b>269</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>818</b>	<b>950</b>	<b>870</b>
<b>Grown Heifer</b>															
0-540		C	3	3	151.0	- 151.0	151.0	N/Q	285	- 285	285	728	- 728	728	
	FD	D	2	2	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-	-	539	- 539	539		
	RS	D	2	12	128.0	- 134.0	130.5	31	-	-	410	- 449	433		
		D	2	13	135.0	- 148.0	138.5	-2	267	- 287	270	570	- 663	630	
		D	3	6	136.0	- 160.0	146.7	1	262	- 302	278	598	- 800	716	
540+		D	3	5	143.0	- 146.0	145.4	13	275	- 276	275	808	- 924	874	
		D	4	2	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	274	- 274	274	947	- 947	947	
					<b>43</b>	<b>128.0</b>	<b>160.0</b>	<b>139.5</b>		<b>262</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>947</b>	<b>633</b>
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>															
0-540	DA	D	1	5	134.0	- 134.0	134.0	N/Q	268	- 268	268	632	- 632	632	
					<b>5</b>	<b>134.0</b>	<b>134.0</b>	<b>134.0</b>		<b>268</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>632</b>	<b>632</b>	<b>632</b>
<b>Cows</b>															
0-400		D	2	2	80.0	- 80.0	80.0	N/Q	174	- 174	174	312	- 312	312	
		E	2	2	71.0	- 82.0	76.5	N/Q	158	- 182	170	256	- 328	292	
	RS	E	2	1	104.0	- 104.0	104.0	N/Q	-	-	400	- 400	400		
400-520		D	2	11	100.0	- 125.0	117.5	12	208	- 250	239	470	- 650	559	
		D	3	14	111.0	- 133.0	129.7	5	227	- 263	255	511	- 686	611	
520+		D	2	7	126.0	- 132.0	129.4	27	256	- 261	259	674	- 871	748	
		D	3	57	123.0	- 137.0	134.5	7	246	- 267	260	646	- 930	796	
		D	4	26	120.0	- 137.0	134.1	8	226	- 261	253	760	- 1016	902	
		D	5	8	105.0	- 131.0	123.0	6	198	- 247	232	854	- 895	868	
					<b>128</b>	<b>71.0</b>	<b>137.0</b>	<b>129.4</b>		<b>158</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>1016</b>	<b>760</b>
<b>Bulls</b>															
0-450	DA	C	1	1	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	245	- 245	245	348	- 348	348	
	FD	C	1	7	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	-	-	509	- 509	509		
	DA	D	1	1	129.0	- 129.0	129.0	N/Q	258	- 258	258	561	- 561	561	
		D	2	1	117.0	- 117.0	117.0	N/Q	225	- 225	225	503	- 503	503	
450-600		C	2	1	119.0	- 119.0	119.0	N/Q	229	- 229	229	643	- 643	643	
600+		C	2	7	105.0	- 125.0	115.0	-3	198	- 234	216	888	- 1113	975	
	RS	C	2	1	132.0	- 132.0	132.0	N/Q	-	-	838	- 838	838		

