

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba Elders

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The smaller yarding contained only a handful of heavy grown steers, with no bullocks and a relatively small sample of cows, with young cattle in the largest numbers. A reduced number of buyers attended and prices generally eased for a number of classes. A small selection of vealer heifers to local butchers and a handful of well-bred yearling steers to feed experienced strong competition, while the remainder met a subdued market. Cows eased in price by 3c to 9c/kg.

Vealer heifers generally sold around 148c, with the occasional sale to local butchers at 175.2c/kg. Lightweight yearling steers to feed averaged 158c and sold to 167.2c, and D muscled lines averaged 144c/kg. A handful of medium weights to feed averaged 171c, and heavy weights to the trade made to 183.2c/kg. Lightweight D muscled yearling heifers averaged from 119c to 130c/kg. A fair sample of supplementary fed medium weight yearling heifers sold to the trade at 156c, with sales to 171.2c and certified grainfed grades averaging 150c/kg.

Heavy grown steers averaged 165c and sold to 168.2c/kg. Medium weight plain cows averaged 82c and a few medium weight 2 scores averaged 105c/kg, however no well-conditioned heavy cows were penned. Heavy bulls made to 140.2c/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+	RS	C	1	3	156.2	- 156.2	156.2	N/Q	-			211	- 211	211
	RS	C	2	7	140.0	- 160.2	147.9	4	-			259	- 296	274
	RS	D	1	1	119.2	- 119.2	119.2	N/Q	-			161	- 161	161
	RS	D	2	5	119.2	- 119.2	119.2	N/Q	-			197	- 197	197
				16	119.2	160.2	138.7		0	0		161	296	231
Vealer Steer														
200-280		C	2	2	165.0	- 170.0	167.5	N/Q	300	- 309	305	388	- 417	402
	FD	C	2	4	176.2	- 176.2	176.2	-2	-			414	- 414	414
280-330		C	3	1	175.2	- 175.2	175.2	N/Q	319	- 319	319	534	- 534	534
				7	165.0	176.2	173.6		300	319	309	388	534	428
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	33	143.2	- 154.2	148.1	-15	265	- 286	274	337	- 375	354
	FD	C	2	5	144.2	- 153.2	150.1	-5	-			360	- 382	367
		C	3	1	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	N/Q	308	- 308	308	440	- 440	440
280-330	FD	C	2	3	153.2	- 155.0	154.4	N/Q	-			437	- 442	440
		C	3	19	160.0	- 175.2	165.0	N/Q	296	- 324	306	456	- 517	483
				61	143.2	175.2	154.1		265	324	286	337	517	401
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	4	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	7	-			487	- 487	487
	RS	C	2	17	154.2	- 167.2	158.7	3	-			383	- 463	429
	RS	D	2	18	110.2	- 150.0	144.5	-7	-			253	- 368	353
	FD	D	2	3	134.2	- 143.2	140.2	-9	-			365	- 396	375
		D	2	3	120.0	- 134.2	129.5	-14	218	- 244	235	270	- 356	327
330-400	FD	C	2	5	176.2	- 176.2	176.2	18	-			590	- 599	594
	FD	C	3	6	166.2	- 176.2	171.2	6	-			623	- 661	642
		C	3	2	173.2	- 173.2	173.2	N/Q	315	- 315	315	598	- 598	598

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400+	GF	D	3	1	142.2	- 142.2	142.2	N/Q	259	- 259	259	533	- 533	533
	FD	C	2	2	151.2	- 151.2	151.2	N/Q	-	-	-	658	- 658	658
	FD	C	3	3	163.2	- 174.2	170.5	16	-	-	-	661	- 706	691
		C	3	5	154.2	- 183.2	160.0	-11	280	- 333	291	686	- 1035	756
		D	3	4	133.2	- 138.2	137.0	-8	242	- 251	249	566	- 656	634
				73	110.2	183.2	155.2		218	333	270	253	1035	492
Yearling Heifer														
0-330		C	2	3	138.2	- 138.2	138.2	-4	256	- 256	256	325	- 325	325
	FD	C	2	2	135.0	- 141.2	138.1	N/Q	-	-	-	346	- 405	375
	RS	D	2	6	94.2	- 106.2	104.0	-12	-	-	-	221	- 263	240
	FD	D	2	14	120.0	- 135.0	131.1	-1	-	-	-	302	- 336	318
		D	2	19	91.2	- 135.2	119.4	-7	169	- 250	221	196	- 358	297
330-400		C	3	25	145.2	- 171.2	155.9	1	269	- 317	289	486	- 655	571
	GF	C	3	31	144.2	- 165.2	150.7	N/Q	267	- 306	279	496	- 603	533
	FD	C	3	7	145.0	- 150.0	147.9	N/Q	-	-	-	500	- 518	510
	FD	D	2	6	124.2	- 124.2	124.2	-3	-	-	-	428	- 428	428
		D	2	1	128.2	- 128.2	128.2	N/Q	237	- 237	237	442	- 442	442
	GF	D	3	2	111.2	- 139.2	125.2	N/Q	206	- 258	232	384	- 480	432
400+		C	3	5	147.2	- 174.2	154.8	3	273	- 323	287	611	- 758	656
	GF	D	3	2	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	N/Q	271	- 271	271	621	- 621	621
				123	91.2	174.2	139.9		169	323	267	196	758	455
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	2	8	140.2	- 148.2	144.6	N/Q	-	-	-	623	- 680	655
	FD	D	2	2	119.2	- 119.2	119.2	N/Q	-	-	-	519	- 519	519
		D	2	4	110.2	- 120.0	113.4	8	200	- 218	206	468	- 540	504
		D	3	3	138.2	- 138.2	138.2	N/Q	251	- 251	251	656	- 656	656
500-600		C	4	13	161.2	- 168.2	165.5	-1	288	- 300	296	879	- 942	918
	FD	D	2	1	126.2	- 126.2	126.2	N/Q	-	-	-	634	- 634	634
		D	3	1	140.2	- 140.2	140.2	N/Q	255	- 255	255	750	- 750	750
				32	110.2	168.2	146.3		200	300	270	468	942	737
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	2	6	108.2	- 127.2	117.7	8	225	- 265	245	460	- 547	503
		D	3	1	132.2	- 132.2	132.2	N/Q	254	- 254	254	568	- 568	568
				7	108.2	132.2	119.7		225	265	246	460	568	513
Cows														
0-400		D	1	4	67.2	- 78.2	75.5	-5	168	- 196	189	269	- 313	302
	DA	E	2	1	66.2	- 66.2	66.2	N/Q	158	- 158	158	255	- 255	255
400-520	RS	D	1	8	86.2	- 91.6	88.2	5	-	-	-	371	- 398	381
	DA	D	1	9	75.2	- 88.2	79.6	N/C	188	- 221	199	327	- 428	357
		D	1	24	70.0	- 90.0	82.3	-9	175	- 225	206	301	- 437	367
		D	2	3	105.0	- 106.2	105.4	-1	236	- 239	238	457	- 504	473
		D	3	6	113.2	- 113.2	113.2	-3	231	- 231	231	492	- 492	492
520+		D	2	3	105.2	- 105.2	105.2	N/Q	234	- 239	236	558	- 573	568
		D	3	1	115.2	- 115.2	115.2	N/C	235	- 235	235	651	- 651	651
		D	5	3	110.0	- 114.2	112.1	12	225	- 233	229	616	- 645	631

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
				62	66.2	115.2	89.1			158	239	210	255	651	406
Bulls															
0-450	RS	C	2	8	114.2	- 129.2	124.8	N/Q	-				294	- 485	330
		C	2	6	127.2	- 127.2	127.2	N/Q	231	- 231	231		572	- 572	572
		D	2	1	110.2	- 110.2	110.2	N/Q	200	- 200	200		441	- 441	441
450-600		D	2	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	182	- 182	182		520	- 520	520
600+		C	3	5	130.2	- 140.2	135.7	-10	233	- 250	242		878	- 1190	1019
	RS	D	2	1	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	-				780	- 780	780
		D	2	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	182	- 182	182		635	- 635	635
				23	100.0	140.2	124.8			182	250	226	294	1190	589

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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