

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Great Southern Saleyard

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Numbers dropped solidly this week with good rains interrupting supply. Quality reflected the conditions with the majority being secondary yearling drafts suitable for feeders and restockers. Some good supplementary fed heavy trade drafts were presented and sold at firm prices, although most other categories were met with reduced competition and sold to cheaper price trends.

Supplementary fed heavy steers to the trade sold from 179 to 199c, while heavy heifers made 165 to 190c/kg.

Feeder steers were back around 5c/kg with better heavy weights 175 to 185c/kg. Medium weights were back 10c, and made 146 to 187c while light weights held firm between 166 and 197c/kg. Heifers also slipped by around 15c/kg. Medium weights were 10c cheaper, and ranged from 145 to 175c, while heavy weights made 120 to 170c/kg.

Cows also fell in value with prime cows back 15c/kg, to average around 108c/kg. Bull sales also trended cheaper by 6c/kg to processors.

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
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	1	24	170.0	- 197.0	183.6	-11	-	-	-	518	- 607	570
	FD	C	2	43	174.0	- 195.0	191.8	N/Q	-	-	-	539	- 605	587
	FD	D	1	1	166.0	- 166.0	166.0	N/Q	-	-	-	495	- 495	495
	RS	D	1	3	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	-	-	-	385	- 443	424
	RS	D	2	13	163.0	- 194.0	187.9	N/Q	-	-	-	415	- 539	475
330-400	FD	C	1	10	179.0	- 179.0	179.0	-19	-	-	-	618	- 618	618
	FD	C	2	33	160.0	- 187.0	178.5	-17	-	-	-	544	- 688	629
		C	3	1	199.0	- 199.0	199.0	N/Q	369	- 369	369	786	- 786	786
	FD	D	2	11	146.0	- 176.0	163.5	N/Q	-	-	-	489	- 617	577
	RS	D	2	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	-	-	-	340	- 340	340
	FD	D	3	5	159.0	- 159.0	159.0	N/Q	-	-	-	625	- 625	625
400+	FD	C	2	6	135.0	- 175.0	166.0	-22	-	-	-	675	- 784	736
		C	3	22	169.0	- 179.0	173.6	2	313	- 332	322	915	- 995	986
	FD	D	2	3	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	N/Q	-	-	-	661	- 661	661
	FD	D	3	1	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-	-	-	786	- 786	786
				177	100.0	199.0	179.9		313	369	324	340	995	640
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	2	8	161.0	- 161.0	161.0	N/Q	-	-	-	412	- 412	412
	FD	C	2	11	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	-	517	- 517	517
	RS	D	1	8	120.0	- 140.0	130.0	-16	-	-	-	234	- 378	290
	RS	D	2	17	125.0	- 158.0	147.1	N/Q	-	-	-	379	- 504	432
	FD	D	2	7	154.0	- 154.0	154.0	-1	-	-	-	507	- 507	507
330-400	FD	C	2	18	154.0	- 175.0	163.7	-14	-	-	-	514	- 651	579
	RS	C	2	7	156.0	- 156.0	156.0	-37	-	-	-	521	- 521	521
		C	3	2	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	359	- 359	359	690	- 690	690
	FD	D	2	11	152.0	- 158.0	157.3	N/Q	-	-	-	532	- 562	543
RS	D	2	5	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	-	-	-	506	- 506	506	

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
400+	FD	C	2	2	132.0	- 136.0	134.0	N/Q	-			568	- 632	600	
		C	3	2	165.0	- 175.0	170.0	N/Q	317	- 330	324	726	- 919	822	
		D	3	2	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	321	- 321	321	991	- 991	991	
				100	120.0	190.0	156.0		317	359	334	234	991	510	
Grown Steer															
400-500	FD	C	2	1	153.0	- 153.0	153.0	N/Q	-			658	- 658	658	
		D	2	2	139.0	- 139.0	139.0	N/Q	-			646	- 646	646	
500-600		C	3	2	135.0	- 140.0	137.5	N/Q	250	- 264	257	722	- 840	781	
600-750		C	4	1	144.0	- 144.0	144.0	N/Q	267	- 267	267	979	- 979	979	
				6	135.0	153.0	141.7		250	267	260	646	979	749	
Grown Heifer															
0-540		D	2	4	116.0	- 116.0	116.0	-1	223	- 228	225	435	- 574	510	
		FD	D	2	4	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	-			562	- 562	562
			D	3	1	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	212	- 212	212	429	- 429	429
540+		D	4	3	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	-20	208	- 208	208	677	- 677	677	
				12	110.0	135.0	120.3		208	228	217	429	677	562	
Manufacturing Steer															
0-540		D	2	2	86.0	- 86.0	86.0	N/Q	169	- 169	169	299	- 299	299	
				2	86.0	86.0	86.0		169	169	169	299	299	300	
Cows															
400-520	RS	D	2	9	100.0	- 103.0	102.7	N/Q	-			425	- 439	437	
		D	2	16	80.0	- 98.0	94.4	-6	167	- 198	190	358	- 492	456	
		D	3	5	95.0	- 105.0	101.0	-10	190	- 210	202	451	- 504	473	
		D	4	10	111.0	- 111.0	111.0	N/Q	214	- 214	214	576	- 576	576	
520+		D	2	1	90.0	- 90.0	90.0	N/Q	180	- 180	180	477	- 477	477	
		D	3	12	85.0	- 115.0	106.0	-20	167	- 221	207	459	- 742	612	
		D	4	8	50.0	- 99.0	90.6	-36	98	- 190	175	330	- 637	531	
		D	5	6	109.0	- 109.0	109.0	-11	208	- 208	208	663	- 663	663	
				67	50.0	115.0	101.3		98	221	198	330	742	528	
Bulls															
0-450	FD	C	1	5	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-			319	- 319	319	
		C	2	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	-			416	- 416	416	
		D	1	3	130.0	- 160.0	150.0	N/Q	-			384	- 475	428	
		D	2	1	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	-			325	- 325	325	
450-600	RS	C	2	1	114.0	- 114.0	114.0	N/Q	-			581	- 581	581	
		C	2	1	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	232	- 232	232	569	- 569	569	
600+		C	2	5	90.0	- 100.0	95.0	-8	170	- 189	178	755	- 936	839	
				17	90.0	160.0	123.8		170	232	187	319	936	527	

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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