

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Numbers doubled and the quality remained varied with an offering of plainer cattle, along with a good number of supplementary fed lines. Yearlings made up the majority of the offering and there were nearly 300 cows. All the usual buyers were active in a mainly cheaper market.

The medium and heavy trade yearling steers eased 1c to 2c, selling from 165c to 212c, to average 195c/kg. Trade heifers lifted 4c to 6c, mainly due to the quality of the supplementary fed cattle, as prices ranged from 162c to 204c, averaging 185c/kg. The 2 score feeder steers were 10c to 15c cheaper, with good numbers supplied and sold between 155c and 202c/kg.

Grown steers were 1c cheaper, making from 167c to 192c, and heavy grown heifers received from 132c to 150c/kg. Cows were 1c to 4c easier with the medium weights between 110c and 128c, and the heavy 3 and 4 scores from 126c to 150c/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>Vealer Steer</b>														
200-280		C	2	1	213.0	- 213.0	213.0	N/Q	410	- 410	410	511	- 511	511
				<b>1</b>	<b>213.0</b>	<b>213.0</b>	<b>213.0</b>		<b>410</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>511</b>
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	3	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	317	- 317	317	363	- 363	363
				<b>3</b>	<b>165.0</b>	<b>165.0</b>	<b>165.0</b>		<b>317</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>363</b>
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330	FD	C	2	14	170.0	- 200.2	190.1	9	-	-	-	484	- 641	601
	RS	C	2	77	179.0	- 217.6	200.0	28	-	-	-	433	- 631	539
		C	3	2	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	370	- 370	370	640	- 640	640
	DA	D	2	4	102.2	- 102.2	102.2	N/Q	197	- 197	197	307	- 307	307
	RS	D	2	20	130.0	- 200.0	178.9	N/Q	-	-	-	312	- 593	422
330-400	FD	C	2	101	155.0	- 202.6	182.6	-12	-	-	-	543	- 758	655
	FD	C	3	47	184.2	- 198.0	193.6	N/Q	-	-	-	635	- 734	720
		C	3	19	165.0	- 212.2	195.2	-1	306	- 393	361	569	- 806	734
	FD	D	2	1	139.6	- 139.6	139.6	N/Q	-	-	-	475	- 475	475
400+	FD	C	2	76	165.0	- 188.0	173.8	-15	-	-	-	710	- 823	746
	FD	C	3	39	193.0	- 193.6	193.3	N/Q	-	-	-	794	- 927	826
		C	3	69	175.0	- 205.0	189.7	-2	324	- 380	349	754	- 1043	899
		C	4	13	191.0	- 199.2	196.3	N/Q	347	- 368	361	936	- 1003	995
	FD	C	4	5	199.2	- 199.2	199.2	N/Q	-	-	-	837	- 837	837
				<b>487</b>	<b>102.2</b>	<b>217.6</b>	<b>187.3</b>		<b>197</b>	<b>393</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>1043</b>	<b>705</b>
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-330		C	2	9	184.2	- 190.0	188.1	N/Q	354	- 365	362	507	- 608	574
	FD	C	2	15	152.2	- 152.2	152.2	14	-	-	-	487	- 487	487
		C	3	1	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	352	- 352	352	608	- 608	608
	FD	D	1	5	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	-	-	-	319	- 319	319
	FD	D	2	7	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	18	-	-	-	450	- 450	450
	RS	D	2	28	110.0	- 174.0	154.2	N/Q	-	-	-	252	- 383	332

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330-400	FD	D	2	11	142.0	- 165.0	161.7	N/Q	278	- 330	321	383	- 528	496
		C	2	18	130.0	- 174.6	157.3	4	-	-	-	468	- 637	570
		C	3	13	190.0	- 191.6	190.3	7	352	- 355	353	646	- 661	649
	FD	C	4	8	204.2	- 204.2	204.2	N/Q	378	- 378	378	776	- 776	776
		D	2	9	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	-	-	-	486	- 486	486
		D	2	12	105.0	- 114.0	107.7	N/Q	219	- 220	219	357	- 418	370
400+	FD	D	3	11	140.0	- 170.0	153.6	9	269	- 321	292	504	- 587	529
		D	3	5	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	20	-	-	-	627	- 627	627
		C	2	39	162.2	- 177.2	170.5	16	-	-	-	702	- 727	720
	FD	C	3	18	147.6	- 147.6	147.6	N/Q	-	-	-	708	- 708	708
		C	3	46	162.0	- 188.0	178.2	6	306	- 348	330	740	- 831	777
		D	3	2	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	279	- 279	279	609	- 609	609
	D	4	1	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	287	- 287	287	822	- 822	822	
				<b>258</b>	<b>105.0</b>	<b>204.2</b>	<b>162.5</b>		<b>219</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>831</b>	<b>596</b>
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
0-400		C	2	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	327	- 327	327	646	- 646	646
400-500		C	2	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	275	- 275	275	644	- 644	644
	FD	C	2	2	140.0	- 145.0	142.5	N/Q	-	-	-	644	- 703	674
	FD	C	3	11	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	-	-	-	744	- 744	744
500-600		C	2	1	140.6	- 140.6	140.6	N/Q	265	- 265	265	759	- 759	759
		C	3	5	167.6	- 185.6	178.4	-9	310	- 344	330	888	- 1076	1001
		C	4	16	189.2	- 192.0	191.7	N/Q	344	- 349	349	1018	- 1107	1029
				<b>37</b>	<b>140.0</b>	<b>192.0</b>	<b>173.0</b>		<b>265</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>644</b>	<b>1107</b>	<b>893</b>
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	FD	C	2	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-	-	-	675	- 675	675
	RS	D	2	17	152.6	- 152.6	152.6	N/Q	-	-	-	633	- 633	633
		D	2	10	118.2	- 135.0	123.0	N/Q	236	- 260	242	496	- 601	524
		D	3	6	140.0	- 142.0	140.7	N/Q	264	- 280	272	724	- 742	734
		D	4	2	145.0	- 147.6	146.3	N/Q	274	- 284	279	761	- 768	764
540+		D	3	6	132.0	- 132.0	132.0	N/Q	249	- 249	249	719	- 719	719
		D	4	2	141.2	- 150.0	145.6	N/Q	266	- 289	277	840	- 904	872
				<b>44</b>	<b>118.2</b>	<b>152.6</b>	<b>140.8</b>		<b>236</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>904</b>	<b>652</b>
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
0-540		C	2	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	255	- 255	255	585	- 585	585
	DA	D	2	2	124.2	- 131.6	127.9	N/Q	239	- 253	246	602	- 684	643
		D	3	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	308	- 308	308	832	- 832	832
				<b>4</b>	<b>124.2</b>	<b>160.0</b>	<b>136.5</b>		<b>239</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>585</b>	<b>832</b>	<b>676</b>
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	1	3	80.0	- 80.0	80.0	N/Q	170	- 170	170	272	- 272	272
		D	2	4	105.0	- 105.0	105.0	N/Q	219	- 219	219	399	- 399	399
400-520		D	1	22	85.0	- 113.6	95.2	N/Q	181	- 242	203	344	- 511	392
		D	2	14	110.0	- 115.0	111.4	1	220	- 240	228	484	- 541	524
	RS	D	2	41	113.0	- 141.2	130.2	N/Q	-	-	-	509	- 650	594
	FD	D	3	1	139.6	- 139.6	139.6	N/Q	-	-	-	670	- 670	670
		D	3	123	118.0	- 135.6	127.7	N/Q	246	- 271	259	502	- 703	618

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520+	DA	D	2	1	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	229	-	229	229	616	-	616	616
		D	3	64	126.6	- 145.6	139.6	-4	253	-	291	277	684	-	844	773
		D	4	17	142.6	- 150.0	144.6	-1	282	-	294	286	798	-	990	890
				<b>290</b>	<b>80.0</b>	<b>150.0</b>	<b>127.6</b>		<b>170</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>990</b>	<b>637</b>		
<b>Bulls</b>																
0-450	RS	C	2	32	117.2	- 146.6	138.8	N/Q					434	-	511	468
		C	2	3	120.0	- 130.0	123.4	N/Q	222	-	241	229	504	-	559	523
		D	2	15	80.0	- 122.6	119.8	N/Q	148	-	227	222	336	-	423	417
450-600		B	2	1	152.2	- 152.2	152.2	N/Q	277	-	277	277	791	-	791	791
		C	2	10	125.0	- 132.2	131.5	N/Q	232	-	245	244	635	-	675	639
		D	2	4	126.2	- 126.2	126.2	N/Q	234	-	234	234	656	-	656	656
600+		B	2	7	142.6	- 158.2	150.6	N/Q	259	-	283	272	970	-	1500	1172
		C	2	21	140.2	- 154.6	151.9	-13	255	-	286	281	989	-	1131	1008
		D	2	1	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	222	-	222	222	864	-	864	864
				<b>94</b>	<b>80.0</b>	<b>158.2</b>	<b>137.7</b>		<b>148</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>1500</b>	<b>668</b>		

#### 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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