

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Numbers reduced by 19%, partly due to local producers are focusing their activities on oat cropping. Overall quality was fair to good and prices improved for a number of classes. Young cattle gained 4c to 5c, and up to 12c/kg in places, with very strong support from the trade and feeder operators. Heavy grown steers and bullocks lifted in price by 2c to 5c, while cows averaged 4c to 6c/kg better.

A fair sample of calves sold to slaughter at 169c, with sales to 173.2c/kg. Vealer steers to feed and restockers generally sold in the mid to high 170c range, with sales to 185.2c/kg. Most of the vealer heifers averaged 166c while those to local butchers averaged 186c and sold to 193.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed averaged close to 181c and sold to a top of 189.2c, while heavy weights made to 171.2c and averaged 165c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers averaged 158c and medium weights sold to 179.2c/kg.

Heavy grown steers made to 176.2c to average 171c and a handful of bullocks averaged 167c/kg. Full mouth bullocks averaged 144c and sold to 145.6c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 6c dearer at 113c and sold to 115.6c/kg. Good heavy cows made to 145.6c on a couple of occasions, with most close to 135c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 163.6c/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+		C	2	48	157.2	- 173.2	169.4	N/Q	297	-	327	320	244	-	301	272
	RS	C	2	1	161.2	- 161.2	161.2	N/Q					218	-	218	218
	RS	D	2	5	121.2	- 130.0	124.7	-34					164	-	215	184
				54	121.2	173.2	165.1		297	327	320	164	301	263		
Vealer Steer																
200-280		C	2	5	168.2	- 171.2	170.6	4	306	-	311	310	385	-	446	397
	FD	C	2	17	164.2	- 182.0	179.8	N/Q					435	-	464	449
	RS	C	2	22	168.2	- 185.2	174.5	5					378	-	451	415
		C	3	2	182.2	- 182.2	182.2	N/Q	331	-	331	331	483	-	483	483
		D	2	3	163.2	- 163.2	163.2	N/Q	297	-	297	297	375	-	375	375
280-330		C	3	2	182.2	- 182.2	182.2	N/Q	331	-	331	331	519	-	519	519
	FD	C	3	2	176.2	- 176.2	176.2	N/Q					529	-	529	529
330+		C	3	1	183.2	- 183.2	183.2	N/Q	333	-	333	333	641	-	641	641
				54	163.2	185.2	176.0		297	333	315	375	641	437		
Vealer Heifer																
200-280		C	2	40	160.2	- 172.0	166.4	-2	297	-	319	308	344	-	456	393
		C	3	3	182.2	- 182.2	182.2	N/Q	337	-	337	337	483	-	501	489
		D	2	3	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	-4	259	-	259	259	301	-	301	301
280-330		C	2	2	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	315	-	315	315	485	-	485	485
		C	3	15	173.2	- 193.2	186.1	N/Q	321	-	358	345	511	-	564	539
330+		C	3	2	169.2	- 169.2	169.2	N/Q	313	-	313	313	575	-	575	575
				65	140.0	193.2	170.6		259	358	316	301	575	436		
Yearling Steer																
0-330	FD	C	2	2	170.2	- 170.2	170.2	N/Q					485	-	485	485
	RS	C	2	22	165.0	- 175.2	172.7	-5					437	-	482	477
	FD	D	2	3	148.6	- 148.6	148.6	N/Q					394	-	394	394

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330-400	FD	C	2	34	160.0	- 186.2	180.9	12	-			602	- 669	656
	RS	C	2	4	162.2	- 170.0	168.1	N/Q	-			621	- 624	621
	FD	C	3	28	163.2	- 189.2	177.0	12	-			621	- 693	640
	FD	D	2	4	149.2	- 149.2	149.2	N/Q	-			545	- 545	545
		D	2	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	273	- 273	273	518	- 518	518
	RS	D	2	10	154.2	- 155.2	155.1	N/Q	-			598	- 609	599
400+	FD	C	2	2	164.2	- 164.2	164.2	N/C	-			706	- 706	706
	FD	C	3	27	161.2	- 171.2	165.7	N/Q	-			689	- 728	710
		C	3	13	154.2	- 173.2	165.5	-4	280	- 315	301	655	- 783	729
				150	148.6	189.2	170.8		273	315	299	394	783	627
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	FD	C	2	9	155.0	- 160.2	157.3	N/Q	-			380	- 473	421
	RS	C	2	7	140.0	- 148.2	145.0	1	-			343	- 363	349
		C	2	31	148.0	- 160.0	158.0	-1	274	- 296	293	371	- 472	409
		D	2	4	117.2	- 117.2	117.2	N/Q	217	- 217	217	275	- 275	275
330-400	FD	C	2	6	154.2	- 154.2	154.2	7	-			532	- 532	532
		C	3	28	145.2	- 179.2	163.8	-13	269	- 332	303	518	- 624	583
	FD	D	2	2	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	-			438	- 438	438
	RS	D	2	2	121.6	- 121.6	121.6	N/Q	-			426	- 426	426
400+	FD	C	3	8	156.2	- 156.6	156.5	N/Q	-			679	- 681	681
		C	3	15	140.2	- 175.2	154.9	4	260	- 324	287	632	- 822	713
		D	3	4	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	N/Q	252	- 252	252	579	- 579	579
				116	117.2	179.2	154.4		217	332	290	275	822	515
Grown Steer														
500-600		C	4	26	162.2	- 176.2	171.0	5	290	- 315	305	916	- 967	942
600-750		C	4	4	166.2	- 168.2	167.2	2	297	- 300	299	1080	- 1170	1129
				30	162.2	176.2	170.5		290	315	304	916	1170	967
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	2	140.2	- 145.0	142.6	N/Q	270	- 279	274	652	- 674	663
		C	4	1	155.2	- 155.2	155.2	N/Q	293	- 293	293	830	- 830	830
		D	1	5	77.2	- 90.2	82.4	N/Q	168	- 196	179	297	- 392	335
	RS	D	1	1	109.2	- 109.2	109.2	N/Q	-			420	- 420	420
		D	3	3	124.2	- 124.2	124.2	N/Q	239	- 239	239	578	- 578	578
540+		C	4	1	159.2	- 159.2	159.2	N/Q	300	- 300	300	947	- 947	947
				13	77.2	159.2	114.8		168	300	229	297	947	533
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	3	11	141.2	- 145.6	144.0	N/Q	257	- 265	262	805	- 917	876
				11	141.2	145.6	144.0		257	265	262	805	917	876
Cows														
0-400		D	1	8	75.0	- 75.0	75.0	N/Q	171	- 171	171	296	- 296	296
	RS	D	1	1	73.2	- 73.2	73.2	N/Q	-			267	- 267	267
400-520	DA	D	1	3	75.2	- 75.2	75.2	N/Q	171	- 171	171	327	- 327	327
		D	1	7	78.2	- 97.2	86.0	N/Q	183	- 221	198	340	- 433	377
		D	2	10	100.0	- 115.6	113.3	6	217	- 251	246	435	- 538	507
		D	3	8	114.2	- 133.2	118.0	1	233	- 261	239	497	- 619	522

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520+		D	4	9	120.2	- 124.6	124.0	-4	236	- 244	243	559	- 579	577	
		C	2	1	123.6	- 123.6	123.6	N/Q	258	- 258	258	661	- 661	661	
			D	2	5	115.0	- 116.2	115.7	N/Q	250	- 253	252	622	- 627	624
		DA	D	2	7	112.6	- 114.2	113.5	N/Q	245	- 248	247	602	- 622	614
		DA	D	3	5	122.6	- 122.6	122.6	N/Q	250	- 250	250	729	- 729	729
			D	3	3	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	-1	255	- 255	255	681	- 681	681
		DA	D	4	3	125.2	- 126.2	125.5	N/Q	246	- 248	246	675	- 751	726
		D	4	37	124.2	- 145.6	134.9	4	244	- 286	265	664	- 1041	788	
				107	73.2	145.6	117.2		171	286	242	267	1041	615	
Bulls															
0-450		C	2	1	182.2	- 182.2	182.2	N/Q	331	- 331	331	519	- 519	519	
			C	3	1	143.2	- 143.2	143.2	N/Q	256	- 256	256	551	- 551	551
		FD	C	3	6	137.2	- 145.0	140.8	N/Q	-	-	-	583	- 653	610
		RS	D	2	6	100.0	- 100.2	100.1	N/Q	-	-	-	365	- 366	365
		FD	D	2	5	116.2	- 123.2	120.4	N/Q	-	-	-	488	- 536	517
450-600			C	3	1	147.2	- 147.2	147.2	N/Q	263	- 263	263	832	- 832	832
			D	2	2	118.2	- 125.0	121.6	N/Q	215	- 227	221	669	- 703	686
600+			C	3	15	133.2	- 163.6	148.5	N/Q	238	- 292	265	912	- 1391	1236
				37	100.0	182.2	134.9		215	331	264	365	1391	818	

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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