

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Yarding Change ²⁰⁵⁰
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Consignments lifted marginally and quality remained mixed. The yearlings were well supplied percentage wise, as the bulk offered was suitable for lot feeder purchases. There were also numbers of prime conditioned pens selling to the butcher orders. There were fair numbers of grown steers and heifers, together with around 560 cows, in the penning. Extra southern and northern processors competed and this, combined with the promise of rainfall throughout the state, ensured all categories sold at dearer levels.

The 200kg+ vealer steers returning to the paddock gained 12c, to top at 191c/kg. The medium weight yearling steers to lot feeder orders improved 6c/kg, as the heavy weights also trended dearer. Yearling heifers to the lot feeders gained up to 15c, to sell from 145c to 165c/kg. The prime conditioned yearlings to the butchers gained from 10c to 12c/kg.

Grown steers to slaughter improved by 7c, while the heifer portion lifted 11c/kg. Cows continued the dearer trends to gain from 5c to 9c/kg. The plainer 2 scores averaged 115c, as the better finished 3 and 4 scores ranged from 120c to 142c/kg. Heavy bulls sold a few cents either side of firm.

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	7	116.0	- 116.0	116.0	N/Q	-	-	-	99	-	99	99	
				7	116.0	116.0	116.0		0	0		99	99	99		
Vealer Steer																
0-200	RS	D	2	1	137.2	- 137.2	137.2	N/Q	-	-	-	247	-	247	247	
200-280	RS	C	2	56	155.2	- 191.0	181.9	13	-	-	-	388	-	535	455	
280-330	RS	C	2	2	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/C	-	-	-	510	-	510	510	
	FD	C	2	7	166.2	- 170.0	168.9	-5	-	-	-	499	-	510	507	
330+		C	3	3	182.6	- 182.6	182.6	N/Q	338	-	338	338	621	-	621	621
				69	137.2	191.0	179.6		338	338	338	247	621	466		
Vealer Heifer																
200-280	RS	C	2	7	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	14	-	-	-	308	-	308	308	
		C	2	2	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	280	-	280	280	350	-	350	350
		FD	C	2	3	145.6	- 145.6	145.6	4	-	-	-	364	-	364	364
330+	RS	D	2	3	122.0	- 122.0	122.0	N/Q	-	-	-	250	-	250	250	
		C	3	5	170.0	- 175.0	173.0	N/Q	315	-	324	320	578	-	630	609
				20	122.0	175.0	146.4		280	324	309	250	630	387		
Yearling Steer																
0-330	RS	C	2	26	158.0	- 174.0	170.7	6	-	-	-	461	-	527	489	
		FD	C	2	20	165.6	- 170.0	168.2	3	-	-	-	497	-	536	520
		FD	D	2	1	160.6	- 160.6	160.6	N/Q	-	-	-	450	-	450	450
330-400	RS	C	2	9	175.8	- 175.8	175.8	N/Q	-	-	-	589	-	589	589	
		FD	C	2	87	160.0	- 184.8	176.6	6	-	-	-	571	-	698	628
400+	FD	C	2	70	170.0	- 179.6	173.7	1	-	-	-	696	-	733	718	
		C	3	51	160.0	- 185.0	171.3	10	296	-	343	317	693	-	800	729
		FD	C	3	46	160.0	- 179.2	175.7	14	-	-	-	704	-	786	761
				310	158.0	185.0	173.8		296	343	317	450	800	664		

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Yearling Heifer														
0-330		C	2	8	149.4	- 149.4	149.4	28	287	- 287	287	448	- 448	448
	FD	C	2	59	135.2	- 167.0	146.7	16		-		394	- 551	434
		D	2	5	120.0	- 122.0	121.6	N/Q	240	- 254	251	329	- 342	332
	RS	D	2	31	131.6	- 139.0	133.2	37		-		329	- 428	375
330-400	FD	C	2	96	142.6	- 164.6	156.1	18		-		485	- 585	550
		C	2	3	144.6	- 144.6	144.6	13	284	- 284	284	492	- 492	492
		C	3	46	151.2	- 169.0	163.8	13	291	- 319	310	555	- 627	580
	FD	C	3	12	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q		-		608	- 608	608
	RS	D	2	3	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	38		-		436	- 436	436
400+		C	2	4	168.8	- 168.8	168.8	N/Q	319	- 319	319	692	- 692	692
		C	3	56	149.8	- 168.8	159.3	18	288	- 319	303	622	- 701	672
				323	120.0	169.0	153.1		240	319	303	329	701	534
Grown Steer														
0-400		D	2	7	88.0	- 88.0	88.0	N/Q	191	- 191	191	282	- 282	282
400-500		C	2	4	125.0	- 150.0	143.8	14	250	- 289	279	563	- 675	647
	FD	C	2	23	155.0	- 168.6	164.1	11		-		636	- 725	710
	RS	C	2	4	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	-8		-		615	- 615	615
		C	3	5	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	14	300	- 300	300	778	- 778	778
500-600		C	3	167	166.0	- 175.0	171.8	8	307	- 324	318	874	- 995	939
600-750		C	3	20	169.6	- 172.0	170.0	7	314	- 319	315	1035	- 1049	1037
		C	4	7	168.2	- 168.2	168.2	N/C	312	- 312	312	1043	- 1043	1043
				237	88.0	175.0	167.3		191	324	312	282	1049	895
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	2	23	135.6	- 148.2	139.4	14	289	- 309	295	475	- 667	533
	RS	C	2	65	141.6	- 157.2	151.8	30		-		568	- 660	638
		C	3	119	148.0	- 160.6	155.7	13	296	- 330	313	627	- 856	721
		D	1	8	80.0	- 80.0	80.0	N/Q	191	- 191	191	256	- 256	256
		D	2	40	112.6	- 138.6	124.5	11	250	- 308	277	394	- 574	472
	RS	D	2	3	136.6	- 136.6	136.6	32		-		560	- 560	560
		D	3	5	137.6	- 140.0	138.1	10	287	- 298	289	578	- 630	588
	RS	E	1	3	76.0	- 76.0	76.0	N/Q		-		213	- 213	213
				266	76.0	160.6	144.9		191	330	298	213	856	623
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540	DA	D	2	8	129.0	- 129.0	129.0	27	275	- 275	275	529	- 529	529
540+	DA	D	3	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	292	- 292	292	854	- 854	854
				9	129.0	140.0	130.2		275	292	276	529	854	565
Cows														
0-400		D	1	28	60.0	- 88.0	76.3	-5	167	- 232	203	210	- 317	268
		D	2	17	96.0	- 106.2	101.3	11	240	- 266	253	336	- 404	371
		E	2	1	70.0	- 70.0	70.0	N/Q	184	- 184	184	245	- 245	245
400-520		D	1	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	263	- 263	263	420	- 420	420
		D	2	116	105.0	- 126.0	114.4	11	256	- 289	271	452	- 624	507
	DA	D	2	3	97.6	- 97.6	97.6	-12	244	- 244	244	459	- 459	459
		D	3	56	120.0	- 130.0	125.1	7	255	- 277	266	540	- 653	591

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520+		C	3	50	138.0	- 139.6	139.0	8	276	- 279	278	793	- 907	850	
		C	4	28	130.0	- 141.6	140.1	N/C	260	- 283	280	819	- 952	899	
			D	2	17	124.0	- 124.0	124.0	N/Q	282	- 288	283	657	- 657	657
		DA	D	3	1	126.0	- 126.0	126.0	N/Q	268	- 268	268	819	- 819	819
			D	3	132	126.0	- 136.0	133.4	5	263	- 283	278	668	- 878	734
			D	4	64	128.6	- 138.0	133.3	8	268	- 288	278	772	- 883	819
			D	5	1	125.2	- 125.2	125.2	N/Q	266	- 266	266	814	- 814	814
				515	60.0	141.6	124.2		167	289	270	210	952	655	
Bulls															
0-450		B	2	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	276	- 276	276	672	- 672	672	
450-600		C	2	6	138.0	- 152.0	146.8	-1	251	- 276	266	788	- 858	819	
600+		B	2	25	152.0	- 167.0	161.0	3	262	- 291	278	1040	- 1701	1361	
		C	2	12	135.0	- 153.0	146.1	-5	246	- 273	262	851	- 1192	972	
		D	2	1	118.0	- 118.0	118.0	N/Q	227	- 227	227	944	- 944	944	
				45	118.0	167.0	154.2		227	291	271	672	1701	1161	

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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