

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Despite some scattered falls of rain in parts of the supply area, numbers remained close to the previous week. There was a wide variation in the quality of the young cattle. A fair sample of heavy grown steers and bullocks were penned and most of the cows were heavy 3 and 4 scores. A fair panel of buyers was present, with representatives covering all categories. Apart from some lightweight classes most of the young cattle improved in price, with stronger support from restockers and feeder operators. Extra butcher competition along with stronger processor demand lifted average prices on heavy yearling steers by 7c/kg. Heavy grown steers and bullocks gained 3c to 5c and cows were noticeably dearer to average 5c to 11c/kg better.

Calves to restockers average 169c and sold to 171c/kg. A small selection of vealer heifers sold to local butchers to average in the early to mid 190c range, with the occasional sale to 217c/kg. Lightweight yearling steers returning to the paddock sold to a dearer market to average 181c, with sales to 188c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed mostly sold in the early to mid 170c/kg range. Heavy weights to feed averaged 4c dearer at 176c and sold to 183c, while slaughter descriptions averaged 187c and sold to 197c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to the trade averaged 12c dearer at 171c, with sales to 195c/kg. Heavy weights also to the trade improved 7c to average 167c/kg.

Heavy grown steers averaged 190c and made to 195c and bullocks also averaged 190c and made to 194c/kg. A small selection of heavy grown heifers made to 186c, to average 184c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 9c dearer at close to 125c and 3 scores averaged 136c and made to 141c/kg. Heavy 3 scores averaged 142c, while good heavy cows averaged 155c with a few to 164c/kg. Heavy bulls to processors made to 173c/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	2	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	283	-	283	283	150	-	150	150
	RS	C	2	33	148.2	- 171.2	169.2	-11					193	-	317	296
		D	2	3	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	226	-	226	226	120	-	120	120
				38	120.0	171.2	164.3		226	283	249	120	317	275		
Vealer Steer																
280-330		C	3	1	188.2	- 188.2	188.2	N/Q	342	-	342	342	612	-	612	612
				1	188.2	188.2	188.0		342	342	342	612	612	612		
Vealer Heifer																
200-280		C	2	5	150.2	- 170.0	162.6	9	278	-	315	301	413	-	468	447
	FD	C	2	2	162.2	- 162.2	162.2	N/Q					381	-	381	381
		C	3	3	188.0	- 201.2	192.4	22	348	-	373	356	498	-	533	510
280-330		C	3	11	179.2	- 217.2	194.8	N/C	332	-	402	361	511	-	664	600
				21	150.2	217.2	183.7		278	402	344	381	664	530		
Yearling Steer																
0-330	FD	C	2	18	169.2	- 173.2	171.5	15					383	-	502	457
		RS	C	2	59	169.2	- 188.2	181.6	23				355	-	536	475
		RS	D	2	7	134.2	- 148.2	139.5	N/Q				315	-	371	352
330-400	RS	C	2	11	167.2	- 169.2	168.7	18					609	-	644	620
	FD	C	2	48	159.2	- 179.2	172.2	4					536	-	695	628
	FD	C	3	26	173.2	- 179.2	176.7	6					667	-	690	680
		C	3	16	174.2	- 191.2	179.6	N/C	317	-	348	327	639	-	717	663
	FD	D	2	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q					449	-	449	449
	RS	D	2	15	116.2	- 144.2	131.6	N/Q					401	-	505	465

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400+	FD	C	2	14	170.2	- 175.0	171.9	6	-			697	- 745	733		
	FD	C	3	65	165.0	- 183.2	176.8	4	-			743	- 863	788		
		C	3	41	175.0	- 197.2	187.5	7	318	- 352	341	753	- 1144	898		
	FD	D	2	2	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-			648	- 648	648		
	RS	D	2	2	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	-			628	- 628	628		
				325	116.2	197.2	174.4				317	352	337	315	1144	653
Yearling Heifer																
0-330		C	2	9	154.2	- 160.2	157.0	N/Q	286	- 297	291	362	- 425	401		
	FD	C	2	18	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-			398	- 398	398		
		C	3	2	168.2	- 168.2	168.2	N/Q	312	- 312	312	479	- 479	479		
		D	2	3	141.2	- 141.2	141.2	N/Q	262	- 262	262	332	- 332	332		
	RS	D	2	7	120.0	- 127.2	123.1	N/Q	-			261	- 318	293		
330-400	FD	C	2	33	141.2	- 157.2	146.2	N/C	-			487	- 542	505		
	FD	C	3	17	156.2	- 163.2	160.0	12	-			547	- 624	588		
		C	3	60	150.0	- 195.0	171.8	12	278	- 361	318	507	- 740	617		
	RS	C	3	4	150.2	- 150.2	150.2	N/Q	-			578	- 578	578		
	RS	D	2	5	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	-			466	- 466	466		
		D	2	5	95.0	- 95.0	95.0	N/Q	176	- 176	176	328	- 328	328		
400+	RS	E	1	9	109.2	- 109.2	109.2	N/Q	-			366	- 366	366		
	FD	C	2	3	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	N/Q	-			615	- 615	615		
	FD	C	3	1	154.2	- 154.2	154.2	N/C	-			678	- 678	678		
		C	3	23	154.2	- 176.2	167.5	7	286	- 326	310	625	- 819	720		
		D	2	1	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	250	- 250	250	560	- 560	560		
				200	95.0	195.0	154.5				176	361	305	261	819	538
Grown Steer																
0-400		D	3	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	236	- 236	236	501	- 501	501		
400-500	FD	C	2	3	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	-14	-			638	- 638	638		
	FD	C	3	5	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	-4	-			680	- 680	680		
	RS	D	2	4	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	-			553	- 553	553		
500-600		C	3	4	150.0	- 168.2	156.5	-7	273	- 306	285	803	- 950	861		
		C	4	25	179.2	- 195.2	190.2	3	320	- 349	340	1012	- 1138	1081		
600-750		C	4	50	179.2	- 194.2	190.2	5	320	- 347	340	1145	- 1314	1235		
		D	2	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	255	- 255	255	889	- 889	889		
				93	130.0	195.2	182.1				236	349	335	501	1314	1087
Grown Heifer																
0-540		C	4	6	158.2	- 164.2	161.4	7	299	- 310	305	783	- 862	823		
		GF	C	4	11	158.2	- 177.2	173.7	N/Q	299	- 334	328	767	- 780	777	
		D	2	2	115.2	- 123.2	119.2	N/Q	240	- 257	248	501	- 524	512		
		D	3	13	141.2	- 154.2	144.2	4	272	- 297	277	600	- 773	644		
		RS	E	1	4	90.2	- 90.2	90.2	N/Q	-			298	- 298	298	
	DA	E	1	3	90.2	- 90.2	90.2	N/Q	196	- 196	196	298	- 298	298		
540+		C	4	9	178.2	- 186.2	184.5	21	336	- 351	348	1012	- 1114	1069		
				48	90.2	186.2	151.8				196	351	301	298	1114	721
Manufacturing Steer																
540+		C	4	14	177.2	- 178.2	177.8	-6	322	- 324	323	1214	- 1221	1218		

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				14	177.2	178.2	177.8		322	324	323	1214	1221	1218
Cows														
0-400		D	1	3	97.2	- 97.2	97.2	12	221	- 221	221	389	- 389	389
	RS	D	1	12	100.0	- 102.2	101.3	19		-		385	- 409	399
	DA	D	1	3	93.2	- 93.2	93.2	N/Q	212	- 212	212	373	- 373	373
		D	2	1	109.2	- 109.2	109.2	N/Q	237	- 237	237	431	- 431	431
		E	1	3	60.2	- 60.2	60.2	10	137	- 137	137	202	- 202	202
400-520	DA	D	1	9	95.0	- 98.2	96.1	13	216	- 223	219	414	- 442	428
		D	1	4	105.2	- 110.0	106.4	12	239	- 250	242	458	- 479	463
		D	2	33	118.0	- 132.2	124.9	9	257	- 287	272	513	- 641	565
		D	3	32	128.0	- 141.2	136.1	5	261	- 288	278	608	- 671	646
		D	4	14	139.2	- 155.2	144.6	3	273	- 304	284	626	- 724	695
	DA	E	3	1	106.2	- 106.2	106.2	N/Q	241	- 241	241	462	- 462	462
520+	DA	D	2	2	133.2	- 133.2	133.2	N/Q	290	- 290	290	846	- 846	846
		D	2	1	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	272	- 272	272	669	- 669	669
		D	3	42	135.2	- 151.2	142.2	8	276	- 309	290	723	- 809	765
	DA	D	3	1	143.2	- 143.2	143.2	N/Q	292	- 292	292	895	- 895	895
		D	4	44	144.2	- 164.2	155.6	11	283	- 322	305	793	- 1226	939
		D	5	3	134.2	- 137.2	135.2	6	274	- 280	276	823	- 832	829
				208	60.2	164.2	133.3		137	322	278	202	1226	685
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	7	130.0	- 144.2	134.1	16	236	- 262	244	382	- 488	457
	FD	C	3	12	135.2	- 148.2	143.1	10		-		530	- 615	568
	RS	C	3	3	150.2	- 150.2	150.2	N/Q		-		548	- 548	548
		C	3	4	135.2	- 146.2	143.5	N/Q	246	- 266	261	493	- 636	600
		D	1	6	90.0	- 90.0	90.0	N/Q	164	- 164	164	329	- 329	329
	RS	D	1	5	81.2	- 81.2	81.2	N/Q		-		166	- 166	166
	RS	D	2	8	122.2	- 122.2	122.2	N/Q		-		275	- 275	275
		D	2	8	100.0	- 120.0	107.5	N/Q	182	- 218	196	365	- 438	392
450-600		C	2	1	135.2	- 135.2	135.2	N/Q	246	- 246	246	723	- 723	723
	FD	C	3	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q		-		743	- 743	743
		C	3	1	143.2	- 143.2	143.2	N/Q	256	- 256	256	695	- 695	695
		D	2	1	125.2	- 125.2	125.2	N/Q	228	- 228	228	607	- 607	607
600+		C	3	10	151.2	- 173.2	164.9	18	270	- 309	294	995	- 1663	1277
	RS	C	3	1	174.2	- 174.2	174.2	N/Q		-		1472	- 1472	1472
				68	81.2	174.2	130.0		164	309	236	166	1663	577

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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