

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Toowoomba Landmark

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Yarding Change ⁴⁵⁰
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The increased supply contained some large runs of yearling steers and heifers and a mixed quality line-up of heavy grown steers and bullocks, with fair supply of cows. Buyer representation was good and all were operating. Prices for young cattle generally improved, with feeder operators and the trade providing stronger competition and average prices lifted by 6c to 13c/kg. Heavy grown steers and bullocks generally sold to a very solid market and cows improved in price.

Medium weight yearling steers to feed averaged 183c and sold to 188c/kg. A fair sample of heavy feeders averaged 179c and sold to 183c and slaughter descriptions averaged 181c and sold to 186c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 6c dearer at 156c and sold to 164c, while a few to local butchers made to 186c/kg.

Heavy grown steers averaged 184c and bullocks averaged 185c with some supplementary fed lines to 193c/kg. Medium weight plain condition cows averaged 97c and sold to 105c/kg. A lift in the standard of the good heavy cows increased average prices to 154c with sales to 159c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 169c/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	3	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	-2	276	- 276	276	270	- 270	270
				3	146.2	146.2	146.3		276	276	276	270	270	270
Yearling Steer														
0-330	RS	D	2	4	125.2	- 125.2	125.2	N/Q	-	-	-	294	- 294	294
330-400	FD	C	2	9	176.2	- 178.0	177.4	7	-	-	-	608	- 685	660
	FD	C	3	24	179.2	- 188.8	183.6	N/Q	-	-	-	618	- 670	645
	RS	C	3	12	185.2	- 185.2	185.2	N/Q	-	-	-	620	- 620	620
	FD	D	2	2	138.2	- 138.2	138.2	N/Q	-	-	-	504	- 504	504
400+		C	3	19	165.2	- 185.6	181.7	1	300	- 338	330	689	- 884	813
	FD	C	3	46	172.2	- 183.2	179.1	N/C	-	-	-	747	- 902	790
				116	125.2	188.8	178.4		300	338	330	294	902	714
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	FD	C	2	10	151.2	- 151.2	151.2	-6	-	-	-	431	- 431	431
		C	3	4	177.6	- 185.6	183.3	N/Q	329	- 344	339	488	- 557	534
		D	2	12	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	-5	241	- 241	241	280	- 280	280
	FD	D	2	7	141.2	- 141.2	141.2	9	-	-	-	424	- 424	424
330-400	FD	C	2	50	150.0	- 164.2	156.4	6	-	-	-	525	- 632	560
		C	3	13	166.2	- 186.2	175.8	13	308	- 345	326	592	- 735	637
	RS	D	2	5	100.2	- 100.2	100.2	N/Q	-	-	-	336	- 336	336
		D	3	2	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	N/Q	252	- 252	252	484	- 484	484
400+	FD	C	2	1	147.2	- 147.2	147.2	N/Q	-	-	-	626	- 626	626
		C	3	8	170.0	- 173.2	170.4	5	315	- 321	316	719	- 723	722
				112	100.2	186.2	153.4		241	345	295	280	735	519
Grown Steer														
0-400	RS	D	2	5	123.2	- 123.2	123.2	N/Q	-	-	-	450	- 450	450
500-600		C	4	13	182.2	- 185.2	184.7	1	325	- 331	330	975	- 1046	1035
600-750		C	3	20	173.2	- 176.2	174.4	N/Q	315	- 320	317	1100	- 1145	1127

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		C	4	34	178.2	- 192.6	185.5	N/C	318	- 344	331	1133	- 1296	1188
				72	123.2	192.6	177.9		315	344	327	450	1296	1092
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	4	149.2	- 155.2	152.2	N/Q	287	- 293	290	671	- 830	751
		C	4	6	169.2	- 174.2	170.9	18	329	- 332	331	761	- 880	801
		D	2	7	106.2	- 110.2	109.6	24	221	- 230	228	419	- 468	461
		D	3	2	137.2	- 137.2	137.2	N/Q	264	- 264	264	528	- 528	528
				19	106.2	174.2	140.8		221	332	277	419	880	637
Cows														
400-520		C	1	2	105.2	- 105.2	105.2	N/Q	239	- 239	239	458	- 458	458
	DA	D	1	2	101.2	- 113.2	107.2	N/Q	230	- 257	244	501	- 589	545
		D	1	12	90.0	- 105.2	97.1	-3	205	- 239	221	378	- 475	421
		D	3	5	140.2	- 140.2	140.2	11	286	- 286	286	680	- 680	680
		D	4	6	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	5	291	- 291	291	689	- 689	689
520+	DA	D	1	1	95.2	- 95.2	95.2	N/Q	216	- 216	216	633	- 633	633
	DA	D	2	1	131.2	- 131.2	131.2	N/Q	285	- 285	285	1056	- 1056	1056
		D	2	3	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	6	272	- 272	272	694	- 694	694
		D	3	14	133.2	- 147.2	138.0	3	272	- 300	282	770	- 833	779
		D	4	17	146.2	- 159.2	154.6	10	287	- 312	303	782	- 1077	926
				63	90.0	159.2	132.4		205	312	273	378	1077	714
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	3	9	150.0	- 160.0	157.8	N/Q				548	- 616	601
		C	3	3	156.2	- 156.2	156.2	N/Q	284	- 284	284	601	- 601	601
450-600		C	3	4	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	277	- 277	277	721	- 721	721
600+		C	3	17	140.0	- 169.2	159.5	-2	250	- 302	285	978	- 1528	1180
				33	140.0	169.2	158.2		250	302	283	548	1528	914

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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