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Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Lower than usual numbers of prime cattle were once again yarded. A full panel of processors were present and operating. A good quality line of single vendor bullocks attracted strong competition from all major processors. Heavy weight yearling and grown heifers jumped in price and more heavy bulls were penned and sold to increased prices.

Heavy weight yearling heifers topped at 180c/kg and averaged 174c/kg. Bullocks earned to 196c and averaged 191c/kg. Medium weight grown heifers made to 170c and averaged 155c, while heavy weight grown heifers reached 174c and averaged 166c/kg. Medium weight 3 score cows sold to 135c and averaged 126c, while good heavy weight 4 score cows hit 160c and averaged 152c/kg. Heavy bulls earned to 177c and averaged 159c/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
Yearling S	Steer													
330-400		D	3	5	102.2	- 102.2	102.2	N/Q	186 -	186	186	342 -	342	342
				5	102.2	102.2	102.2		186	186	186	342	342	342
Yearling I	Heifer													
0-330		D	2	26	86.2	- 86.2	86.2	N/Q	160 -	160	160	172 -	172	172
		D	3	19	82.2	- 134.2	111.5	N/Q	152 -	249	206	247 -	443	355
330-400		D	3	19	84.2	- 126.2	107.5	N/Q	156 -	234	199	282 -	442	371
		D	4	6	143.2	- 143.2	143.2	N/Q	265 -	265	265	501 -	501	501
400+		D	4	36	160.2	- 180.2	174.3	N/Q	295 -	334	321	657 -	859	812
				106	82.2	180.2	127.7		152	334	236	172	859	477
Grown Sto	eer													
0-400		D	3	12	121.2	- 121.2	121.2	N/Q	220 -	220	220	485 -	485	485
500-600		С	3	18	170.2	- 180.2	175.6	N/Q	310 -	328	319	936 -	991	966
		С	4	29	184.2	- 192.0	190.5	8	335 -	349	346	1013 -	1056	1048
		D	4	15	163.2	- 167.2	164.0	N/Q	291 -	304	294	865 -	920	876
600-750		С	3	2	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	N/Q	300 -	300	300	1074 -	1074	1074
		С	4	170	179.2	- 196.2	191.2	8	326 -	357	348	1129 -	1235	1197
				246	121.2	196.2	184.7		220	357	336	485	1235	1107
Grown He	ifer													
0-540		D	3	9	122.2	- 122.2	122.2	N/Q	226 -	226	226	587 -	587	587
		D	4	7	148.2	- 170.0	155.3	N/Q	274 -	315	288	800 -	838	824
540+		D	4	7	159.2	- 174.2	165.6	N/Q	295 -	323	307	876 -	958	911
				23	122.2	174.2	145.5		226	323	269	587	958	758
Cows														
0-400		D	2	11	50.0	- 105.0	92.9	-17	109 -	228	202	200 -	420	371
400-520		D	2	5	80.0	- 109.2	91.7	N/Q	174 -	237	199	360 -	491	413
		D	3	19	114.2	- 135.0	125.9	-2	233 -	276	257	554 -	675	613
520+		D	3	5	135.2	- 135.2	135.2	1	276 -	276	276	784 -	784	784
		D	4	36	140.2	- 160.2	151.6	1	275 -	314	297	771 -	961	834
		D	5	5	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	265 -	265	265	743 -	743	743
				81	50.0	160.2	131.9		109	314	265	200	961	685

Category Weight	Sale Prefix		Fat Score	Head	Live Weight c/kg			Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg			Estimated \$/Head			
					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
Bulls														
0-450		С	3	3	154.2	- 154.2	154.2	N/Q	275	- 275	275	694	- 694	694
		D	3	4	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	196	- 196	196	495	495	495
450-600		С	3	10	135.0	- 143.2	140.1	N/Q	241	- 256	250	743	- 788	771
		D	3	2	120.2	- 120.2	120.2	N/Q	215	- 215	215	661	- 661	661
600+		С	3	93	145.2	- 177.2	158.8	-7	259	- 316	284	944	- 1152	1032
		D	3	2	137.2	- 137.2	137.2	N/Q	245	- 245	245	892	- 892	892
				114	110.0	177.2	154.3		196	316	276	495	1152	973

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 **Disclaimer:**

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