

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Pakenham

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Yarding Change ³⁸⁰/₁₃

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There were approximately 350 cows and 30 bulls penned. Most of the usual buyers were present and operating in a dearer cow market. Quality was similar to last week's offering with a large proportion of well-conditioned heavy weights while there were very few grown heifers penned. All weights and grades were represented in the cows and competition was stronger across all categories. Heavy weight bulls sold to softer demand despite good yield potential overall.

A handful of dairy cows sold from 106c to 135c lifting 4c to 7c/kg. Light and medium weight beef cows made between 89c and 126c improving 5c to 7c/kg. The usual run of heavy weight beef cows sold between 116c and 146c with a handful of C and B muscle cows between 138c and 148c and all heavy weights gaining between 2c and 5c/kg. Heavy weight bulls made from 128c to 164c falling 9c to 13c/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
Grown Heifer														
540+		D	3	1	142.6	- 142.6	142.6	N/Q	269	- 269	269	891	- 891	891
		D	4	1	135.6	- 135.6	135.6	N/Q	256	- 256	256	868	- 868	868
				2	135.6	142.6	139.5		256	269	263	868	891	880
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		D	2	3	132.0	- 152.6	145.7	N/Q	254	- 288	277	845	- 870	861
		D	3	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	278	- 278	278	1050	- 1050	1050
				4	132.0	152.6	146.8		254	288	277	845	1050	909
Cows														
0-400		D	1	12	107.6	- 114.6	112.9	N/Q	239	- 261	255	367	- 430	383
		E	1	4	88.6	- 113.6	107.4	22	211	- 271	256	310	- 420	393
400-520	DA	D	1	2	120.0	- 120.6	120.3	N/Q	257	- 261	259	600	- 603	602
		D	1	9	111.6	- 125.0	118.0	7	243	- 272	259	491	- 594	544
		D	2	8	120.0	- 125.6	124.2	5	255	- 262	260	552	- 628	609
	RS	D	2	10	131.6	- 131.6	131.6	N/Q	-	-	-	632	- 632	632
		E	1	2	110.0	- 116.0	113.0	N/Q	256	- 264	260	495	- 580	538
	DA	E	1	1	112.0	- 112.0	112.0	N/Q	255	- 255	255	560	- 560	560
520+		B	2	1	148.0	- 148.0	148.0	N/Q	274	- 274	274	925	- 925	925
		C	2	2	138.0	- 138.0	138.0	N/Q	271	- 271	271	787	- 787	787
		C	3	12	143.0	- 145.6	143.7	2	265	- 275	267	858	- 903	875
	DA	D	1	1	123.6	- 123.6	123.6	N/Q	269	- 269	269	742	- 742	742
		D	1	12	118.0	- 122.0	119.7	5	257	- 265	260	637	- 720	658
		D	2	85	124.0	- 136.0	128.7	4	258	- 278	267	682	- 832	726
	DA	D	2	25	128.0	- 134.6	131.7	4	265	- 280	274	717	- 902	829
	RS	D	2	8	122.6	- 132.0	129.7	N/Q	-	-	-	662	- 713	700
		D	3	96	130.0	- 142.6	133.8	3	250	- 273	265	716	- 951	796
		D	4	35	132.0	- 145.6	134.9	3	256	- 280	264	770	- 961	868
		D	5	7	95.0	- 119.6	116.1	N/C	183	- 239	231	732	- 748	745
		E	1	1	116.0	- 116.0	116.0	N/Q	264	- 264	264	626	- 626	626
	DA	E	1	4	106.0	- 124.6	120.0	7	241	- 283	273	557	- 748	700

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
				337	88.6	148.0	129.6		183	283	265	310	961	742
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	3	130.0	- 136.6	134.4	6	236	- 248	244	455	- 615	561
450-600	RS	C	2	1	143.6	- 143.6	143.6	N/Q	-			754	- 754	754
	DA	D	2	1	133.6	- 133.6	133.6	N/Q	247	- 247	247	802	- 802	802
600+		A	2	1	163.6	- 163.6	163.6	N/Q	264	- 264	264	1636	- 1636	1636
		B	2	2	143.6	- 152.0	147.8	N/Q	245	- 252	249	1149	- 1520	1334
		B	3	4	142.6	- 156.2	149.8	-9	238	- 252	245	953	- 1718	1444
	RS	B	3	1	157.0	- 157.0	157.0	N/Q	-			1256	- 1256	1256
		C	1	1	130.6	- 130.6	130.6	N/Q	242	- 242	242	980	- 980	980
		C	2	7	135.0	- 144.2	140.3	-13	241	- 258	251	897	- 1070	990
		C	3	6	142.0	- 147.2	143.9	N/C	245	- 258	251	1080	- 1591	1356
		D	2	1	128.0	- 128.0	128.0	N/Q	237	- 237	237	819	- 819	819
	DA	D	2	1	133.6	- 133.6	133.6	N/Q	243	- 243	243	868	- 868	868
				29	128.0	163.6	142.6		236	264	249	455	1718	1114

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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