

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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It was a very mixed quality yarding, again with a large presence of cows, a number of which were in plain condition. Young calves were also well supplied, with a number of well finished trade weight cattle and grown steers throughout the yarding. Most of the regular buyers were in attendance and operating, with solid support again coming from the feeder operators.

Trade cattle to the processors were firm to 3c dearer, with vealers selling to 180c and prime yearling steers to slaughter selling from 163c to 171c/kg. Young feeder steers were 3c to 5c/kg dearer, while the feeder heifers were a little cheaper. The better quality young feeder steers sold from 130c to 175c, while the good quality feeder heifers sold from 118c to 158c/kg.

Grown steers were 4c to 8c dearer, with the C4s selling from 155c to 174c to average 169c/kg. Grown heifers sold to 158c/kg. Light and medium weight cows were 4c to 8c dearer, while the heavier weight cows were up to 12c/kg dearer. The 2 score cows sold from 63c to 93c to the processors and 109c/kg to restockers for some PTIC Angus cows. The D3 and D4 medium and heavy weight cows sold from 92c to 133c, with the 4 score heavy weights averaging 127c/kg. Bulls sold to 170c/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														
0-80		C	2	4	116.2	- 120.0	117.2	N/Q	226	- 232	231	64	- 78	67
		D	2	2	151.2	- 151.2	151.2	N/Q	297	- 297	297	98	- 98	98
	RS	D	2	13	103.2	- 103.2	103.2	N/Q	-	-	-	62	- 62	62
80+		C	2	5	110.0	- 137.2	131.8	14	216	- 264	254	110	- 117	115
	RS	C	2	10	115.2	- 161.6	144.5	-1	-	-	-	132	- 234	194
	RS	D	2	17	84.2	- 122.0	113.6	N/C	-	-	-	104	- 167	159
				51	84.2	161.6	120.5		216	297	253	62	234	127
Vealer Steer														
0-200	RS	C	2	30	133.0	- 175.2	150.5	N/Q	-	-	-	233	- 307	267
	RS	D	3	6	117.2	- 117.2	117.2	N/Q	-	-	-	217	- 217	217
		D	3	30	119.0	- 128.0	123.5	-5	229	- 246	238	149	- 237	193
200-280	RS	C	2	11	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	6	-	-	-	413	- 413	413
		C	2	19	147.2	- 150.2	148.6	-3	283	- 283	283	353	- 390	373
		D	3	12	125.2	- 125.2	125.2	-5	256	- 256	256	313	- 313	313
280-330	FD	C	2	3	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-	-	-	428	- 428	428
	RS	D	3	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	-	-	-	285	- 285	285
330+		C	3	4	160.0	- 180.0	165.0	N/Q	296	- 333	306	544	- 621	563
				116	100.0	180.0	140.3		229	333	258	149	621	295
Vealer Heifer														
0-200		C	2	9	159.2	- 159.2	159.2	19	312	- 312	312	231	- 231	231
		D	2	17	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	221	- 221	221	190	- 190	190
	RS	D	2	14	84.2	- 103.2	100.5	N/Q	-	-	-	114	- 139	117
200-280		C	2	86	110.0	- 154.2	142.5	8	216	- 297	274	270	- 387	349
		D	2	2	80.0	- 80.0	80.0	N/Q	167	- 167	167	188	- 188	188
		D	3	13	103.2	- 121.2	119.1	19	202	- 233	229	212	- 303	290
280-330		C	2	5	141.6	- 146.2	143.4	N/Q	267	- 281	273	418	- 446	429

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330+		C	3	1	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	255	- 255	255	466	- 466	466
				147	80.0	159.2	133.4		167	312	264	114	466	297
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	58	130.0	- 175.2	161.4	8	-			358	- 569	496
	RS	C	2	11	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	8	-			286	- 332	311
	FD	C	3	7	162.2	- 167.2	162.9	N/Q	-			527	- 543	529
	RS	D	2	6	110.2	- 110.2	110.2	N/Q	-			281	- 281	281
	FD	D	3	9	130.0	- 154.2	138.1	8	-			423	- 501	449
	RS	D	3	18	100.0	- 127.2	111.0	-6	-			210	- 300	254
330-400	FD	C	2	74	134.6	- 168.2	156.9	10	-			477	- 648	573
		C	2	5	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	245	- 245	245	475	- 475	475
	FD	C	3	30	157.2	- 170.0	162.5	-4	-			558	- 660	597
400+	FD	C	2	15	163.2	- 170.2	169.7	8	-			677	- 698	696
	FD	C	3	61	153.0	- 169.2	162.1	N/Q	-			666	- 748	710
		C	3	9	163.2	- 171.2	166.0	3	308	- 323	313	683	- 775	759
				303	100.0	175.2	154.8		245	323	289	210	775	559
Yearling Heifer														
0-330		C	2	1	97.6	- 97.6	97.6	N/Q	191	- 191	191	268	- 268	268
	FD	C	2	51	125.2	- 135.0	127.7	-1	-			344	- 439	385
		C	3	13	131.6	- 133.2	132.2	-15	251	- 253	252	395	- 440	412
	RS	D	2	30	59.2	- 109.2	83.5	N/Q	-			147	- 300	200
		D	2	5	80.0	- 99.2	91.5	-7	167	- 202	188	196	- 263	236
	FD	D	3	25	115.0	- 118.2	115.4	N/Q	-			328	- 357	340
		D	3	14	100.0	- 120.0	108.6	1	196	- 240	215	270	- 294	281
330-400		C	2	3	125.6	- 125.6	125.6	6	242	- 242	242	433	- 433	433
	FD	C	2	25	130.2	- 138.2	134.8	N/Q	-			436	- 532	488
		C	3	8	130.0	- 140.6	133.4	-1	245	- 270	254	496	- 541	513
	FD	C	3	43	130.2	- 150.0	137.5	-6	-			487	- 578	519
	FD	D	3	21	118.2	- 123.2	122.7	N/Q	-			408	- 419	418
		D	3	4	128.0	- 128.0	128.0	N/Q	246	- 246	246	493	- 493	493
400+	FD	C	2	4	138.0	- 138.0	138.0	N/Q	-			587	- 587	587
	FD	C	3	53	130.2	- 158.2	145.1	N/Q	-			553	- 657	600
		C	3	26	135.0	- 154.6	140.5	-16	255	- 297	266	554	- 657	589
		D	3	6	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	231	- 231	231	522	- 522	522
				332	59.2	158.2	126.9		167	297	243	147	657	446
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	C	2	7	162.2	- 162.2	162.2	42	-			527	- 527	527
	FD	D	3	7	130.0	- 131.2	130.5	N/Q	-			374	- 423	402
400-500	FD	C	2	9	150.6	- 160.0	156.9	N/Q	-			640	- 696	677
		C	3	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-			595	- 595	595
		C	3	10	156.0	- 163.2	160.3	30	300	- 314	308	741	- 792	771
		C	4	18	169.2	- 172.0	170.8	N/Q	319	- 331	326	770	- 834	806
		D	3	15	115.0	- 125.0	117.0	N/Q	226	- 240	229	489	- 606	512
	FD	D	3	3	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	-			546	- 546	546
500-600		C	3	19	138.0	- 160.2	147.3	12	271	- 302	284	725	- 937	814

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		C	4	44	155.0	- 174.0	169.4	4	293	- 331	321	829	- 1018	911
				133	115.0	174.0	155.1		226	331	301	374	1018	754
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	2	3	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	26	-	-	-	524	- 524	524
	FD	C	3	25	136.2	- 148.2	136.7	N/Q	-	-	-	592	- 608	593
		C	3	46	119.2	- 155.2	144.0	8	225	- 293	275	507	- 753	668
		C	4	17	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	289	- 289	289	713	- 713	713
		D	2	23	78.0	- 102.2	89.8	-13	156	- 213	178	316	- 416	367
		D	3	12	115.0	- 130.0	123.1	5	230	- 254	243	462	- 566	536
	FD	D	3	4	122.2	- 122.2	122.2	14	-	-	-	580	- 580	580
	RS	D	3	14	119.2	- 119.2	119.2	4	-	-	-	459	- 459	459
		D	4	14	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	264	- 264	264	735	- 735	735
540+		C	4	8	158.0	- 158.0	158.0	N/Q	298	- 298	298	893	- 893	893
				166	78.0	158.0	132.1		156	298	255	316	893	604
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540		D	3	5	122.2	- 122.2	122.2	10	235	- 235	235	642	- 642	642
				5	122.2	122.2	122.2		235	235	235	642	642	642
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	1	12	36.6	- 36.6	36.6	N/Q	-	-	-	130	- 130	130
	RS	D	2	99	72.2	- 85.2	79.5	-14	-	-	-	206	- 328	291
		D	2	38	63.2	- 88.2	75.5	N/Q	144	- 201	173	231	- 340	291
400-520		D	2	73	70.0	- 95.2	85.3	5	159	- 216	194	298	- 414	368
	RS	D	2	98	84.2	- 109.2	95.5	9	-	-	-	358	- 497	414
		D	3	134	92.0	- 122.2	105.3	4	196	- 260	225	391	- 611	480
		D	4	70	120.0	- 127.6	124.6	8	254	- 266	260	510	- 619	602
520+		D	3	35	116.2	- 118.0	117.3	N/Q	247	- 251	250	610	- 690	660
	DA	D	3	4	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	245	- 245	245	788	- 788	788
		D	4	144	122.0	- 133.2	127.4	12	252	- 278	263	642	- 833	701
		D	5	1	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	260	- 260	260	781	- 781	781
				708	36.6	133.2	102.6		144	278	234	130	833	485
Bulls														
0-450	RS	D	2	8	93.2	- 93.2	93.2	N/Q	-	-	-	228	- 228	228
450-600		D	3	6	114.2	- 120.0	119.0	N/Q	238	- 240	240	668	- 702	696
600+		C	2	2	144.0	- 145.0	144.5	N/Q	277	- 284	281	986	- 1051	1019
		C	3	24	135.0	- 160.0	152.4	11	257	- 302	287	1022	- 1595	1395
	RS	C	3	5	170.2	- 170.2	170.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1676	- 1676	1676
		D	2	1	80.0	- 80.0	80.0	N/Q	160	- 160	160	524	- 524	524
		D	3	3	125.0	- 130.0	128.3	-17	245	- 255	252	981	- 1021	1007
				49	80.0	170.2	137.2		160	302	272	228	1676	1091

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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