

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Yarding Change ²⁷⁷⁰/₂₀₀₈

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Numbers increased for a mixed quality yarding. There were good numbers of yearlings to suit both the processors and feeders along with plenty of lightweight young cattle. There were also some excellent pens of heavy weight cows along some plainer types from drought effected areas. All the regular buyers were in attendance and operating.

Trade cattle to the processors were 2c to 4c dearer with vealers selling to 200c/kg. The C3 yearling steers sold from 165c to 195c while the prime heifers to the trade sold from 154c to 197c/kg. Young feeder cattle were 10c dearer with the better quality steers selling from 158c to 190c while the better heifers sold from 135c to 164c/kg. Restockers paid to 205c/kg for young steer vealers in store condition.

Grown steers were firm with the C3s and C4s selling from 154c to 177c while grown heifers sold to 160c/kg. Most grades of cows were 8c to 12c dearer with solid support coming from the restockers on the lighter cows. The 2 score cows sold from 85c to 112c to the processors while the restockers paid from 80c to 130c/kg. The better 3 and 4 score cows sold from 116c to 145c with the 4 score heavy weights averaging 138c/kg. The best bull sold for 167c/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	1	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	331	- 331	331	129	- 129	129
80+		C	2	30	155.0	- 221.0	170.7	N/Q	293	- 425	327	171	- 298	244
	RS	C	2	2	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	-	-	-	238	- 238	238
				33	155.0	221.0			293	425		129	298	
Vealer Steer														
0-200		C	2	5	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	302	- 302	302	296	- 296	296
	RS	C	2	76	180.0	- 205.0	186.2	-14	-	-	-	315	- 338	327
	RS	D	3	2	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	-	-	-	271	- 271	271
200-280	RS	C	2	25	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	-	-	-	414	- 414	414
	FD	C	2	9	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-	-	-	448	- 448	448
280-330	FD	C	2	2	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-	-	-	456	- 456	456
	RS	C	2	12	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-	-	-	443	- 443	443
		C	3	4	175.0	- 200.0	189.3	19	330	- 377	357	543	- 650	609
				135	150.0	205.0			302	377		271	650	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200		C	2	17	150.0	- 160.0	157.6	8	283	- 308	302	278	- 304	298
	RS	C	2	55	140.0	- 159.0	149.0	-18	-	-	-	273	- 302	287
	RS	D	3	5	148.0	- 148.0	148.0	N/Q	-	-	-	244	- 244	244
200-280		C	2	12	152.0	- 152.0	152.0	N/Q	292	- 292	292	418	- 418	418
	RS	D	3	16	123.0	- 123.0	123.0	N/Q	-	-	-	258	- 258	258
280-330		C	2	9	156.0	- 156.0	156.0	N/Q	300	- 300	300	445	- 445	445
		C	3	6	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	-29	327	- 327	327	553	- 553	553
330+		C	3	8	150.0	- 190.0	168.9	N/Q	283	- 359	319	563	- 795	671
				128	123.0	190.0			283	359		244	795	
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	112	147.0	- 175.0	168.8	-2	-	-	-	466	- 569	542

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330-400	RS	C	2	61	145.0	- 184.0	171.7	-1	-	-	-	370	-	460	433		
		C	3	2	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	327	-	327	327	451	-	451	451	
	FD	D	3	10	153.0	- 153.0	153.0	9	-	-	-	390	-	390	390		
	RS	D	3	5	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-	-	-	315	-	315	315		
	FD	C	2	143	158.0	- 184.0	178.7	6	-	-	-	577	-	635	630		
	FD	C	3	30	170.0	- 187.0	177.4	3	-	-	-	614	-	681	652		
		C	3	19	165.0	- 195.0	182.8	N/Q	317	-	368	347	638	-	751	670	
	RS	D	2	9	124.0	- 124.0	124.0	N/Q	-	-	-	415	-	415	415		
	RS	D	3	2	133.0	- 133.0	133.0	N/Q	-	-	-	472	-	472	472		
400+	FD	D	3	7	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-	-	-	533	-	533	533		
		C	2	5	189.0	- 189.0	189.0	N/Q	364	-	364	364	784	-	784	784	
	FD	C	2	8	181.0	- 181.0	181.0	10	-	-	-	751	-	751	751		
	FD	C	3	191	155.0	- 190.0	182.0	10	-	-	-	740	-	902	820		
		C	3	33	169.0	- 186.0	178.6	5	319	-	351	337	828	-	919	888	
	FD	D	3	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	-	-	-	533	-	533	533		
				638	124.0	195.0			317	368		315	919				
Yearling Heifer																	
0-330	FD	C	2	154	138.0	- 152.0	143.3	-5	-	-	-	354	-	471	400		
	RS	C	2	32	147.0	- 151.0	149.8	N/Q	-	-	-	355	-	375	361		
		C	2	6	135.0	- 140.0	136.7	-13	260	-	269	263	371	-	455	399	
		C	3	14	165.0	- 188.0	179.8	N/Q	311	-	355	339	470	-	611	561	
	FD	D	2	9	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	-	-	-	281	-	281	281		
	RS	D	3	10	110.0	- 120.0	116.0	-27	-	-	-	222	-	237	228		
	FD	D	3	110	119.0	- 132.0	125.4	N/Q	-	-	-	292	-	376	335		
	330-400		C	2	6	149.0	- 149.0	149.0	N/C	287	-	287	287	529	-	529	529
		FD	C	2	58	135.0	- 159.0	149.4	N/Q	-	-	-	466	-	612	552	
FD		C	3	35	160.0	- 166.0	163.3	N/Q	-	-	-	560	-	656	612		
400+		C	3	52	145.0	- 192.0	174.8	15	274	-	362	333	552	-	754	646	
	FD	D	3	16	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	-	-	-	456	-	456	456		
	FD	C	2	1	147.0	- 147.0	147.0	N/Q	-	-	-	625	-	625	625		
	FD	C	3	37	159.0	- 164.0	161.3	N/Q	-	-	-	668	-	776	711		
		C	3	202	154.0	- 197.0	167.1	1	293	-	372	317	639	-	831	732	
	FD	D	3	15	111.0	- 147.0	133.9	N/Q	-	-	-	483	-	610	564		
				757	110.0	197.0			260	372		222	831				
Grown Steer																	
0-400		C	2	1	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	298	-	298	298	426	-	426	426	
	RS	D	2	2	105.0	- 105.0	105.0	N/Q	-	-	-	341	-	341	341		
	FD	D	3	16	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	-	-	-	581	-	581	581		
400-500	FD	C	2	23	140.0	- 160.0	153.9	N/C	-	-	-	595	-	696	665		
	FD	C	3	28	167.0	- 176.0	172.7	8	-	-	-	760	-	871	822		
		C	3	26	154.0	- 162.0	157.5	-4	296	-	312	299	735	-	786	744	
500-600	FD	D	3	11	140.0	- 158.0	151.5	N/Q	-	-	-	595	-	672	644		
		C	4	70	165.0	- 176.0	171.3	-1	311	-	330	322	850	-	1030	928	
600-750		C	3	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	302	-	302	302	1000	-	1000	1000	
		C	4	22	164.0	- 177.0	173.3	N/Q	309	-	334	327	1025	-	1142	1086	

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		D	3	6	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	274	- 274	274	921	- 921	921
				206	105.0	177.0			274	334		341	1142	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	71	135.0	- 160.0	147.3	6	260	- 304	284	628	- 772	695
	FD	C	3	3	132.0	- 132.0	132.0	N/Q		-		640	- 640	640
		C	4	34	155.0	- 159.0	158.0	5	293	- 300	298	757	- 835	817
		D	3	14	126.0	- 136.0	132.3	10	250	- 267	262	548	- 683	628
540+		C	3	2	151.0	- 151.0	151.0	N/Q	296	- 296	296	853	- 853	853
				124	126.0	160.0			250	304		548	853	
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540		D	2	1	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	245	- 245	245	558	- 558	558
		D	3	6	112.0	- 112.0	112.0	29	233	- 233	233	599	- 599	599
540+		D	3	22	135.0	- 142.0	136.9	N/Q	265	- 296	273	831	- 844	840
				29	112.0	142.0			233	296		558	844	
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	2	69	80.0	- 130.0	99.2	19		-		260	- 462	368
		D	2	9	98.0	- 98.0	98.0	20	228	- 228	228	368	- 368	368
400-520		D	2	88	85.0	- 112.0	105.3	14	193	- 255	239	370	- 577	476
	RS	D	2	23	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	8		-		489	- 489	489
		D	3	88	112.0	- 132.0	118.4	6	238	- 275	252	543	- 653	567
		D	4	18	129.0	- 132.0	130.2	-5	269	- 275	271	639	- 640	639
520+		C	3	2	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	279	- 279	279	906	- 906	906
		D	3	22	116.0	- 124.0	120.0	N/C	247	- 264	255	609	- 651	630
		D	4	307	130.0	- 145.0	138.0	12	268	- 290	281	693	- 1051	845
		D	5	8	138.0	- 138.0	138.0	N/Q	288	- 288	288	897	- 897	897
				634	80.0	145.0			193	290		260	1051	
Bulls														
0-450		D	3	1	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	235	- 235	235	498	- 498	498
450-600		C	2	3	120.0	- 148.0	132.7	8	240	- 279	256	660	- 814	745
600+		C	2	1	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	240	- 240	240	1031	- 1031	1031
		C	3	10	155.0	- 167.0	163.7	1	293	- 315	309	1160	- 1612	1370
				15	120.0	167.0			235	315		498	1612	

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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