

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Pakenham

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There were approximately 400 export and 500 young cattle penned representing a decrease of 400 head week-on-week. The usual buying group was present and operating in a dearer market. Quality was similar to last sale with most cattle showing their winter coat, however processors were not deterred as some secondary categories saw significant improvement along with the better drafts. The limited selection of vealers sold to strengthened demand lifting a few cents. The well finished yearling cattle included some grain assisted lines with the better supply of heavy weights improving 7c to 11c/kg, while most lacked finish and sold to feeder orders at dearer prices. The limited selection of grown steers and bullocks regained last week's losses as prices improved 8c to 13c/kg.

The best C3 and B muscle vealers to the trade sold from 198c to 210c with the majority from 170c to 200c/kg. Yearling trade steers made between 204c and 222c/kg. Yearling heifers showing good finish sold between 170c and 215c/kg. Feeder steers made from 173c to 189c, lifting 10c with the heifer portion from 167c to 179c, gaining 4c/kg.

Grown steers sold from 182c to 214c/kg. Bullocks made between 184c and 208c/kg. Grown heifers showing good finish sold between 160c and 185c/kg, recording mixed results. Heavy weight Friesian manufacturing steers made from 162c to 175c, lifting 4c/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
Vealer Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	4	171.6	- 174.6	173.1	N/Q	-			413	- 452	433
280-330	FD	C	2	6	170.0	- 183.6	176.6	-3	-			534	- 588	547
		C	3	1	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	382	- 382	382	672	- 672	672
330+		B	2	2	206.0	- 209.6	207.8	N/Q	368	- 374	371	742	- 796	769
		C	2	11	182.2	- 200.0	196.6	6	337	- 370	361	655	- 740	692
	FD	C	2	17	175.0	- 190.0	181.1	N/C	-			595	- 646	617
		C	3	4	199.6	- 210.0	207.0	-4	363	- 382	376	711	- 735	722
				45	170.0	210.0			337	382		413	796	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	5	166.6	- 180.0	173.2	-4	309	- 333	321	400	- 504	472
	FD	C	2	2	165.0	- 172.0	168.5	N/Q	-			396	- 447	422
280-330	FD	C	2	11	172.0	- 178.0	175.9	14	-			516	- 564	540
		C	2	2	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	319	- 319	319	516	- 516	516
		C	3	6	202.0	- 202.0	202.0	N/Q	367	- 367	367	646	- 646	646
330+		C	2	3	188.0	- 206.0	194.0	8	348	- 382	359	639	- 700	660
	FD	C	2	13	172.0	- 181.6	178.9	N/Q	-			585	- 641	625
		C	3	3	198.0	- 206.6	203.5	8	360	- 376	370	723	- 762	739
	FD	D	2	3	161.6	- 161.6	161.6	N/Q	-			549	- 549	549
				48	161.6	206.6			309	382		396	762	
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	8	178.0	- 186.0	183.8	-8	-			534	- 614	591
330-400	FD	C	2	45	172.6	- 188.6	184.4	10	-			619	- 728	674
		C	2	5	186.0	- 195.0	190.6	3	344	- 361	353	632	- 760	709
		C	3	11	205.0	- 215.0	208.9	-6	373	- 391	380	760	- 846	794
		D	2	1	155.6	- 155.6	155.6	N/Q	299	- 299	299	576	- 576	576

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400+	FD	D	2	3	153.6	- 165.0	161.2	11	-			522	- 611	581
		D	3	3	191.6	- 195.0	193.9	8	355	- 361	359	709	- 741	730
	B	2	2	200.0	- 205.0	202.5	N/Q	364	- 373	368	920	- 943	932	
		3	10	212.0	- 218.6	213.0	N/Q	372	- 384	374	954	- 992	959	
	C	2	13	175.0	- 195.6	189.6	8	324	- 368	352	819	- 924	857	
		FD	C	2	14	174.6	- 188.0	185.5	4	-		773	- 865	845
	C	3	41	204.0	- 221.6	211.7	11	371	- 396	382	893	- 1024	932	
	D	2	1	164.0	- 164.0	164.0	N/Q	315	- 315	315	697	- 697	697	
D	3	3	180.0	- 182.6	181.7	-5	333	- 345	341	776	- 792	781		
				160	153.6	221.6		299	396		522	1024		
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	FD	D	2	15	162.0	- 170.0	166.4	8	-		458	- 486	470	
330-400	B	3	1	214.6	- 214.6	214.6	N/Q	383	- 383	383	751	- 751	751	
		C	2	3	169.6	- 185.0	178.1	-10	314	- 343	330	628	- 648	635
FD	C	2	4	178.6	- 178.6	178.6	6	-		679	- 679	679		
	C	3	31	200.0	- 213.6	203.2	-5	364	- 388	370	720	- 854	773	
RS	D	1	15	119.6	- 119.6	119.6	1	-		407	- 407	407		
FD	D	2	23	167.2	- 178.6	176.2	4	-		639	- 688	652		
	D	2	8	155.0	- 178.0	173.0	25	298	- 342	333	558	- 676	653	
	D	3	41	175.0	- 190.0	185.3	2	324	- 352	343	648	- 760	700	
	400+	B	3	2	212.0	- 212.0	212.0	N/Q	379	- 379	379	954	- 954	954
C	2	1	152.6	- 152.6	152.6	N/Q	283	- 283	283	732	- 732	732		
	3	14	198.0	- 210.0	200.9	N/C	360	- 382	365	848	- 931	923		
	D	2	12	156.6	- 157.6	157.2	5	301	- 303	302	666	- 670	668	
	D	3	28	170.0	- 196.6	189.4	7	315	- 364	351	765	- 933	863	
				198	119.6	214.6		283	388		407	954		
Grown Steer														
400-500	C	2	1	185.2	- 185.2	185.2	N/Q	343	- 343	343	870	- 870	870	
		FD	C	2	25	182.2	- 182.2	182.2	2	-		875	- 875	875
500-600	C	2	38	182.0	- 202.0	194.2	8	337	- 374	360	946	- 1212	1057	
		3	24	205.0	- 214.2	209.6	8	373	- 390	381	1066	- 1242	1216	
600-750	D	3	41	193.0	- 212.0	206.5	13	357	- 386	377	1042	- 1230	1151	
		C	2	10	184.0	- 198.0	193.8	13	341	- 367	359	1196	- 1238	1225
		C	3	3	202.0	- 202.0	202.0	N/Q	361	- 361	361	1414	- 1414	1414
C	4	1	207.6	- 207.6	207.6	N/Q	378	- 378	378	1329	- 1329	1329		
	D	3	45	190.0	- 205.0	202.2	9	346	- 373	368	1190	- 1333	1278	
750+	C	4	7	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	12	304	- 304	304	1445	- 1445	1445	
				195	170.0	214.2		304	390		870	1445		
Grown Heifer														
0-540	RS	D	1	7	124.6	- 124.6	124.6	N/Q	-		424	- 424	424	
	DA	D	2	2	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	320	- 320	320	720	- 720	720
D	2	8	146.6	- 158.6	154.5	3	293	- 317	309	616	- 738	695		
	3	27	160.6	- 185.0	176.7	4	309	- 343	332	739	- 999	916		
	4	4	160.0	- 165.0	163.8	15	308	- 317	315	832	- 891	876		
540+	C	3	2	166.2	- 182.0	174.1	N/Q	320	- 337	328	1064	- 1229	1146	

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		D	2	13	160.0	- 163.6	162.5	8	320	- 327	325	880	- 900	894
		D	3	10	160.0	- 175.0	170.0	-8	296	- 331	323	961	- 1050	996
		D	4	4	155.0	- 160.0	158.8	13	293	- 308	304	884	- 1040	1001
				77	124.6	185.0			293	343		424	1229	
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540		D	1	8	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	310	- 310	310	558	- 558	558
	DA	D	1	11	112.0	- 160.0	142.5	-12	233	- 320	289	403	- 760	630
	FD	D	2	6	155.0	- 165.6	163.8	9		-		667	- 828	801
		D	2	5	170.0	- 172.0	171.6	14	321	- 325	324	850	- 894	886
	DA	D	2	10	166.6	- 170.0	169.3	N/Q	320	- 327	326	782	- 783	782
540+		C	4	6	168.2	- 168.2	168.2	N/Q	300	- 300	300	1598	- 1598	1598
	DA	D	1	2	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	N/Q	324	- 324	324	891	- 891	891
		D	2	7	170.0	- 181.6	171.7	1	321	- 343	324	1053	- 1122	1112
	DA	D	2	28	165.0	- 175.0	173.1	4	317	- 337	331	941	- 1070	1004
		D	3	19	185.0	- 192.0	187.8	8	336	- 356	347	1110	- 1344	1203
	DA	D	3	4	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	N/Q	308	- 308	308	1230	- 1230	1230
				106	112.0	192.0			233	356		403	1598	
Cows														
520+		D	3	12	150.0	- 168.2	157.7	7	298	- 324	310	837	- 1076	943
				12	150.0	168.2			298	324		837	1076	
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	1	167.6	- 167.6	167.6	N/Q	310	- 310	310	737	- 737	737
				1	167.6	167.6			310	310		737	737	

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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