

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Pakenham

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Yarding Change ²⁶⁸/₉₈

comparison date 15/07/2014

There were approximately 250 cows and 20 bulls penned, representing an increase of 100 head week-on-week. Most of the usual buying group was present and operating in a dearer market. Quality was mixed with only a small proportion of well finished heavy beef cows, while the lighter conditioned dairy lines and light and medium weight cows were well supplied. Processors were operating keenly as they tried to secure numbers in the limited offering, with prices lifting 9c to 12c/kg, while the heavy weight bulls sold to firm demand.

Most light and medium weight cows sold from 116c to 142c/kg. Heavy weight cows made mostly between 132c and 162c/kg. Restocking cows sold between 108c and 136c/kg. Heavy weight bulls made from 152c to 178c/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														
0-540	RS	D	1	4	148.0	- 152.2	150.1	N/Q	-	-	-	639	- 681	660
		D	3	7	165.2	- 178.6	169.5	N/Q	318	- 331	323	831	- 929	880
				11	148.0	178.6			318	331		639	929	
Cows														
0-400	RS	E	1	6	108.2	- 110.0	108.5	N/Q	-	-	-	346	- 407	356
		DA	E	1	9	117.2	- 117.2	117.2	N/Q	279	- 279	279	434	- 434
400-520	C	2	1	152.6	- 152.6	152.6	N/Q	305	- 305	305	717	- 717	717	
		D	1	13	127.6	- 141.6	136.6	11	284	- 308	299	592	- 718	674
	DA	D	1	4	128.0	- 135.0	129.8	N/Q	291	- 300	293	608	- 614	613
	RS	D	1	4	142.6	- 145.0	144.4	15	-	-	-	696	- 742	707
	D	2	9	132.0	- 146.0	141.1	7	281	- 308	297	581	- 730	691	
	D	3	15	141.6	- 155.0	152.5	N/Q	289	- 312	308	696	- 783	762	
	D	5	1	102.6	- 102.6	102.6	N/Q	205	- 205	205	534	- 534	534	
520+	RS	E	1	18	109.0	- 136.0	120.5	N/Q	-	-	-	505	- 680	515
	DA	E	1	27	122.0	- 135.6	128.4	9	284	- 308	296	563	- 678	604
	E	1	8	115.6	- 132.6	124.5	1	271	- 301	287	490	- 686	576	
	D	1	4	128.0	- 135.0	131.9	N/C	278	- 294	287	691	- 737	719	
DA	D	1	11	132.0	- 146.6	140.5	8	287	- 319	306	726	- 880	793	
DA	D	2	6	145.0	- 152.6	150.2	12	302	- 318	313	788	- 1068	976	
D	2	10	140.0	- 148.6	145.6	5	296	- 310	305	756	- 847	807		
D	3	26	146.0	- 162.0	154.9	10	289	- 324	308	808	- 960	887		
D	6	2	90.6	- 90.6	90.6	N/Q	174	- 174	174	680	- 680	680		
DA	E	1	20	132.6	- 140.6	138.5	11	301	- 318	314	716	- 900	797	
				194	90.6	162.0			174	324		346	1068	
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	9	144.6	- 150.6	147.2	N/Q	268	- 279	273	522	- 602	555
450-600		C	2	4	150.6	- 157.6	153.5	-1	279	- 287	282	753	- 868	798
	RS	C	2	2	152.6	- 163.6	158.1	N/Q	-	-	-	702	- 949	825
600+		B	2	3	171.6	- 178.0	174.5	-10	295	- 307	299	1244	- 1479	1353

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		C	1	1	152.0	- 152.0	152.0	N/Q	287	- 287	287	973	- 973	973
		C	2	4	161.6	- 168.0	163.5	-1	289	- 300	293	1089	- 1212	1142
		C	3	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	281	- 281	281	1120	- 1120	1120
				24	144.6	178.0			268	307		522	1479	

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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