

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Yarding Change ¹³²²
162

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Numbers were up and quality remained average to good. The usual buying group plus restockers and feeders operated keenly in a generally dearer market, especially on the heavier grown heifers and cows, with cows generally 10c to 15c/kg dearer and more in places. The yarding included 745 young cattle, 442 cows, 72 bulls and 63 open auction young cattle.

Restockers paid from 191c to 196c for vealer steers, with the trade paying from 195c to 200c/kg. The heifers were mostly from 174c to 202c to the trade and from 140c to 200c/kg to restockers. Restockers paid between 164c and 204c for yearling steers, with the trade paying from 184c to 208c for medium weights and paid to 210c/kg for heavier B muscled steers. The C3 and C4 heifers sold from 170c to 195c to the trade and from 146c to 184c/kg to restockers, to be firm to a few cents dearer.

Grown steers ranged mostly from 178c to 199c for light and medium weights and from 185c to 202c for heavier weights. The heifers sold between 164c and 198c and from 170c to 197c for the heavier drafts, to be to 10c/kg dearer.

Restockers were active on light cows and paid from 100c to 138c/kg. Medium D2 and D3 cows sold from 139c to 170c, with heavier C and D muscled cows selling from 166c to 180c, to be 10c to 15c/kg dearer and more in places. Bulls also sold to a dearer trend, with the heavier bulls making between 130c and 169c/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	RS	C	2	13	191.0	- 196.0	195.6	N/Q	-	-	-	535	- 549	548
280-330	RS	C	2	16	172.0	- 192.0	189.4	N/Q	-	-	-	516	- 557	552
		C	3	5	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	N/Q	368	- 368	368	624	- 624	624
330+	RS	C	3	4	191.0	- 191.0	191.0	N/Q	-	-	-	688	- 688	688
		C	4	1	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	370	- 370	370	800	- 800	800
				39	172.0	200.0			368	370		516	800	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280	RS	C	2	4	141.0	- 151.0	148.5	N/Q	-	-	-	324	- 408	387
		C	2	11	145.0	- 176.0	160.2	N/Q	290	- 352	323	392	- 493	442
		C	3	11	174.0	- 174.0	174.0	N/Q	335	- 335	335	418	- 418	418
	RS	D	2	10	140.0	- 144.0	142.0	-7	-	-	-	364	- 374	369
280-330		C	3	17	183.0	- 202.0	185.2	N/Q	345	- 374	349	586	- 667	595
		D	3	8	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	349	- 349	349	555	- 555	555
330+		C	3	30	180.0	- 194.0	187.9	-5	333	- 366	349	660	- 757	690
	RS	C	3	1	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	-	-	-	720	- 720	720
				92	140.0	202.0			290	374		324	757	
Yearling Steer														
0-330		C	2	1	178.0	- 178.0	178.0	N/Q	349	- 349	349	587	- 587	587
	RS	C	2	6	186.0	- 186.0	186.0	N/Q	-	-	-	614	- 614	614
	RS	D	1	2	164.0	- 164.0	164.0	N/Q	-	-	-	394	- 394	394
330-400		B	3	4	202.0	- 202.0	202.0	N/Q	381	- 381	381	808	- 808	808
	RS	C	2	22	178.0	- 195.0	192.7	14	-	-	-	623	- 718	693
	RS	C	3	28	193.0	- 204.0	196.0	N/Q	-	-	-	660	- 761	723
		C	3	38	184.0	- 206.0	198.4	-10	349	- 389	372	643	- 803	768
		C	4	5	208.0	- 208.0	208.0	N/Q	385	- 385	385	832	- 832	832

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
400+	RS	D	2	1	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	N/Q	-			616	- 616	616
		B	4	10	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	382	- 389	385	924	- 1008	966
		C	2	7	175.0	- 192.0	180.3	19	337	- 369	350	718	- 826	791
	RS	C	2	2	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	N/Q	-			706	- 706	706
		C	3	3	187.0	- 187.0	187.0	N/Q	-			804	- 804	804
	RS	C	3	40	182.0	- 205.0	190.3	-3	343	- 387	362	806	- 1099	943
		D	2	6	168.0	- 186.0	183.0	40	323	- 372	364	722	- 781	771
		D	2	2	164.0	- 164.0	164.0	N/Q	-			672	- 672	672
		D	3	5	174.0	- 180.0	177.6	N/Q	335	- 346	342	731	- 900	832
			182	162.0	210.0			323	389		394	1099		
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	2	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	360	- 360	360	594	- 594	594
		D	1	2	148.0	- 148.0	148.0	N/Q	-			340	- 340	340
		D	2	4	138.0	- 138.0	138.0	-17	282	- 282	282	400	- 400	400
330-400	RS	C	2	9	144.0	- 182.0	155.9	2	277	- 357	303	504	- 655	550
		C	2	21	150.0	- 154.0	152.3	N/Q	-			570	- 585	576
	RS	C	3	9	179.0	- 184.0	182.9	N/Q	-			644	- 662	658
		C	3	7	184.0	- 186.0	184.9	-3	354	- 358	356	651	- 736	700
400+	RS	D	2	4	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	10	-			526	- 526	526
		C	2	3	146.0	- 180.0	168.7	2	286	- 346	326	628	- 756	713
	RS	C	2	2	154.0	- 154.0	154.0	N/Q	-			631	- 631	631
		C	3	75	170.0	- 195.0	184.2	1	327	- 375	351	735	- 999	846
		C	4	4	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	N/Q	361	- 361	361	878	- 878	878
			141	138.0	195.0			277	375		340	999		
Grown Steer														
400-500	RS	C	3	6	178.0	- 192.0	182.7	N/Q	342	- 369	351	890	- 922	901
		D	3	1	161.0	- 161.0	161.0	N/Q	322	- 322	322	805	- 805	805
500-600	RS	C	2	3	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	7	346	- 346	346	936	- 936	936
		C	3	25	182.0	- 199.0	196.1	8	350	- 376	371	946	- 1095	1055
600-750	RS	B	3	5	196.0	- 196.0	196.0	N/Q	363	- 363	363	1215	- 1215	1215
		B	4	2	199.0	- 199.0	199.0	N/Q	369	- 369	369	1294	- 1294	1294
	RS	C	3	2	185.0	- 192.0	188.5	N/Q	349	- 362	356	1147	- 1248	1198
		C	4	12	192.0	- 202.0	194.8	-7	356	- 376	362	1254	- 1344	1324
		D	3	1	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	364	- 364	364	1300	- 1300	1300
			88	161.0	208.0			322	378		805	1394		
Grown Heifer														
0-540	RS	C	2	33	164.0	- 170.0	167.6	N/Q	328	- 340	335	722	- 731	727
		C	3	28	173.0	- 198.0	181.9	N/Q	333	- 374	352	739	- 1010	849
		C	4	2	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	N/Q	323	- 323	323	840	- 840	840
	RS	D	2	1	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	N/Q	304	- 304	304	511	- 511	511
		D	2	15	136.0	- 137.0	136.5	N/Q	-			521	- 558	538
		D	3	5	155.0	- 160.0	159.0	-6	298	- 320	316	688	- 837	718
540+	RS	B	5	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	333	- 333	333	1188	- 1188	1188
		C	2	13	176.0	- 176.0	176.0	N/Q	339	- 339	339	968	- 968	968

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		C	3	20	170.0	- 180.0	173.8	4	327	- 346	333	952	- 1044	980
		C	4	18	171.0	- 197.0	183.3	14	329	- 372	346	1067	- 1182	1110
		D	3	5	170.0	- 178.0	176.4	12	327	- 342	339	1020	- 1104	1087
				141	136.0	198.0			298	374		511	1188	
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540		D	1	1	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	302	- 302	302	551	- 551	551
540+		D	2	4	182.0	- 182.0	182.0	18	357	- 357	357	1001	- 1001	1001
				5	145.0	182.0			302	357		551	1001	
Cows														
0-400		D	1	1	80.0	- 80.0	80.0	N/Q	200	- 200	200	224	- 224	224
	DA	D	1	1	105.0	- 105.0	105.0	N/Q	250	- 250	250	420	- 420	420
	RS	D	1	20	100.0	- 137.5	127.3	N/Q	-	-	-	350	- 523	442
	RS	D	2	2	136.0	- 136.0	136.0	N/Q	-	-	-	517	- 517	517
400-520		C	2	17	142.0	- 145.0	143.3	N/Q	296	- 302	299	686	- 696	689
	RS	D	1	4	137.0	- 137.0	137.0	25	-	-	-	617	- 617	617
	RS	D	2	4	138.0	- 138.0	138.0	N/Q	-	-	-	593	- 593	593
		D	2	52	139.0	- 158.0	149.2	15	302	- 341	318	639	- 780	701
		D	3	22	167.0	- 170.0	168.0	N/Q	328	- 347	334	868	- 884	873
520+		C	2	1	151.0	- 151.0	151.0	N/Q	302	- 302	302	831	- 831	831
		C	3	81	168.0	- 175.0	173.1	10	323	- 344	336	907	- 1088	1020
		C	4	77	172.0	- 180.0	176.0	18	328	- 340	334	1079	- 1101	1089
		D	2	10	166.0	- 166.0	166.0	20	332	- 332	332	896	- 896	896
		D	3	33	164.0	- 172.0	169.1	11	322	- 333	330	968	- 1032	1009
		D	4	53	169.0	- 177.0	173.7	25	319	- 340	329	1062	- 1152	1102
		D	5	15	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	24	324	- 324	324	1225	- 1225	1225
				393	80.0	180.0			200	347		224	1225	
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	7	152.0	- 155.0	154.6	7	292	- 304	302	636	- 654	638
		D	1	3	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	-8	261	- 261	261	420	- 420	420
		D	2	3	130.0	- 150.0	136.7	N/Q	260	- 289	270	546	- 675	589
450-600		C	1	20	127.0	- 140.0	133.3	N/Q	254	- 269	261	635	- 784	706
		C	2	13	142.0	- 168.0	150.9	7	278	- 312	289	682	- 1008	775
		D	1	9	136.0	- 136.0	136.0	N/Q	272	- 272	272	653	- 653	653
		D	2	4	141.0	- 165.0	150.5	N/Q	271	- 311	291	776	- 930	851
600+		B	2	3	150.0	- 165.0	159.0	12	278	- 306	293	1200	- 1490	1364
		B	3	1	169.0	- 169.0	169.0	N/Q	307	- 307	307	1521	- 1521	1521
		C	1	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	289	- 289	289	1050	- 1050	1050
		C	2	13	148.0	- 163.0	157.7	17	285	- 308	295	1054	- 1620	1293
		C	3	8	150.0	- 164.0	158.9	N/Q	273	- 304	292	1296	- 1509	1389
		D	1	1	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	270	- 270	270	1080	- 1080	1080
		D	2	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	250	- 250	250	1014	- 1014	1014
				87	120.0	169.0			250	312		420	1620	

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

Disclaimer:

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