

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Forbes

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Yarding Change ³⁰⁶³
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Numbers remained steady and quality was mixed. There were some good lines of well-finished cattle offered, along with the plainer secondary lines. Yearlings made up the majority of the offering, along with a large percentage of cows. The usual buyers were present and competing in a fairly steady market.

Yearling steers to processors held fairly firm. Medium weights sold from 188c to 205c and heavy weights from 196c to 211c/kg. Those to feed held firm selling from 175c to 215c/kg. Yearling heifers to processors were firm to 5c better, ranging from 165c to 210c/kg. The secondary lines to feeders jumped 8c, to receive from 171c to 190c/kg.

Heavy steers and bullocks lifted 4c to 5c, to sell from 188c to 210c/kg. Grown heifers sold from 160c to 195c/kg. Cows held fairly steady, with heavy 2 scores selling from 135c to 165c and 3 scores between 150c and 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
Calves														
80+		C	3	8	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	321	- 321	321	221	- 221	221
				8	170.0	170.0			321	321		221	221	
Vealer Steer														
0-200	FD	C	2	10	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	-	-	-	400	- 400	400
200-280	FD	C	2	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	-	-	-	450	- 450	450
		C	3	1	193.0	- 193.0	193.0	N/Q	364	- 364	364	463	- 463	463
				12	180.0	200.0			364	364		400	463	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	8	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	N/Q	-	-	-	353	- 353	353
		C	3	2	174.0	- 174.0	174.0	N/Q	328	- 328	328	418	- 418	418
				10	168.0	174.0			328	328		353	418	
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	4	202.0	- 202.0	202.0	6	-	-	-	566	- 566	566
	RS	C	2	9	165.0	- 180.0	175.2	-29	-	-	-	462	- 540	522
		C	3	1	194.0	- 194.0	194.0	N/Q	366	- 366	366	582	- 582	582
330-400	RS	C	2	2	153.0	- 153.0	153.0	N/Q	-	-	-	551	- 551	551
	FD	C	2	69	173.0	- 209.0	193.8	-9	-	-	-	657	- 836	748
	FD	C	3	136	190.0	- 208.0	202.0	-3	-	-	-	722	- 832	787
		C	3	69	188.0	- 205.0	197.2	-2	355	- 387	368	722	- 816	769
		D	2	7	164.0	- 164.0	164.0	N/Q	309	- 309	309	656	- 656	656
400+	FD	C	2	61	190.0	- 210.0	194.6	4	-	-	-	779	- 878	827
	FD	C	3	65	183.0	- 215.0	202.4	3	-	-	-	769	- 968	886
		C	3	447	176.0	- 211.0	203.7	3	326	- 398	380	827	- 1339	1076
				870	153.0	215.0			309	398		462	1339	
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	2	16	149.0	- 158.0	154.6	5	-	-	-	373	- 411	396
		C	3	10	158.0	- 193.0	180.4	30	298	- 357	336	442	- 611	549
		D	2	4	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	5	255	- 255	255	365	- 365	365

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
330-400	FD	C	2	102	171.0	- 190.0	179.8	10	-			595	- 703	664
		C	3	84	164.0	- 204.0	179.0	7	304	- 378	333	578	- 796	676
	FD	C	3	95	163.0	- 184.0	173.7	6	-			581	- 718	666
		D	3	1	147.0	- 147.0	147.0	N/Q	277	- 277	277	500	- 500	500
400+	B	C	3	1	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	396	- 396	396	1008	- 1008	1008
		FD	C	2	3	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	5	-		693	- 693	693
	FD	C	3	40	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	-14	-			706	- 706	706
		C	3	231	165.0	- 210.0	180.8	-1	306	- 389	336	701	- 1353	853
				587	135.0	210.0		255	396		365	1353		
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	2	6	144.0	- 144.0	144.0	N/Q	-			648	- 648	648
		C	3	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	283	- 283	283	630	- 630	630
500-600		C	3	77	188.0	- 197.0	195.4	13	348	- 368	363	996	- 1112	1074
600-750		C	3	5	199.0	- 199.0	199.0	9	369	- 369	369	1313	- 1313	1313
				89	144.0	199.0		283	369		630	1313		
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	15	154.0	- 187.0	172.1	7	291	- 346	321	647	- 1010	879
540+		C	2	8	164.0	- 164.0	164.0	7	309	- 309	309	918	- 918	918
		C	3	20	169.0	- 195.0	176.3	4	313	- 361	327	946	- 1092	991
				43	154.0	195.0		291	361		647	1092		
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540	DA	D	3	21	184.0	- 184.0	184.0	N/Q	400	- 400	400	975	- 975	975
540+	DA	D	3	8	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	391	- 391	391	1170	- 1170	1170
				29	180.0	184.0		391	400		975	1170		
Cows														
400-520		D	2	10	127.0	- 139.0	128.2	11	276	- 302	279	572	- 667	581
		D	3	5	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	-20	304	- 304	304	672	- 672	672
520+		D	2	157	135.0	- 165.0	148.3	-6	294	- 359	323	729	- 1076	846
		D	3	696	150.0	- 178.0	167.9	2	326	- 387	365	810	- 1285	1043
				868	127.0	178.0		276	387		572	1285		
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	3	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	-			726	- 726	726
450-600		D	2	1	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	269	- 269	269	696	- 696	696
600+		C	2	38	162.0	- 217.0	196.7	-2	300	- 402	366	1247	- 2417	1812
		DA	D	3	1	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	402	- 402	402	1628	- 1628
				43	145.0	217.0		269	402		696	2417		

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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