

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Wodonga

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Numbers were similar and supply was excellent, with the bulk of the offering being well finished beef bred cows. Leaner grades were in shorter supply, with all buyers eager to capture a market share. There were a few extra buyers in attendance, however not all companies operated in a weaker market.

High yielding cows sold to weaker demand, with some buyers avoiding over conditioned pens, resulting in a cheaper trend of 6c/kg. The better finished well-bred lines made from 160c to 175c, with the odd single European cow reaching 177c/kg. The 2 and 3 score cows were in limited supply and all buyers operated in this category, with prices generally 4c to 6c/kg cheaper. The D3 medium weight lines averaged 154.3c, while plainer 2 score cows made from 134c to 151.2c/kg.

Bidding was strongest for European bulls, while other breeds also attracted stronger competition from a major Queensland processor. The better B and C muscled bulls made from 190c to 215c/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		C	3	3	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	11	311	- 311	311	818	- 818	818
540+		C	4	1	174.0	- 174.0	174.0	N/Q	322	- 322	322	1114	- 1114	1114
		D	5	8	152.0	- 152.0	152.0	N/Q	304	- 304	304	1117	- 1117	1117
				12	152.0	174.0			304	322		818	1117	
Cows														
400-520	DA	D	1	6	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	15	329	- 329	329	694	- 694	694
		D	2	38	134.0	- 151.6	143.8	2	279	- 345	322	551	- 747	675
		D	3	43	148.0	- 157.2	154.3	-4	308	- 352	324	646	- 813	739
		D	4	9	157.2	- 158.0	157.6	-12	302	- 304	303	786	- 807	798
	DA	E	2	6	132.0	- 132.0	132.0	N/Q	300	- 300	300	587	- 587	587
520+		D	2	2	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	292	- 292	292	749	- 749	749
	DA	D	2	16	147.0	- 156.2	151.6	-8	334	- 340	337	775	- 1109	942
		D	3	182	147.6	- 174.0	160.6	-6	308	- 356	333	816	- 1156	941
	DA	D	3	2	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	N/Q	320	- 320	320	1278	- 1278	1278
		D	4	622	153.0	- 177.2	165.3	-6	294	- 342	320	825	- 1582	1102
		D	5	24	153.0	- 162.6	160.1	-1	306	- 339	325	932	- 1330	1150
		D	6	3	137.2	- 137.2	137.2	N/Q	298	- 298	298	815	- 815	815
				953	132.0	177.2			279	356		551	1582	
Bulls														
450-600		C	2	5	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	304	- 304	304	983	- 983	983
		D	2	1	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	287	- 287	287	853	- 853	853
600+		B	2	19	202.0	- 215.2	209.6	17	326	- 359	348	1663	- 2239	1985
		C	2	47	182.0	- 207.2	197.9	14	303	- 357	339	1365	- 2168	1802
		D	1	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	283	- 283	283	945	- 945	945
		D	2	22	150.0	- 198.0	179.0	11	278	- 350	321	980	- 1863	1336
	DA	D	2	2	170.2	- 178.0	174.1	N/Q	315	- 330	322	1625	- 1673	1649
				97	150.0	215.2			278	359		853	2239	

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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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