

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Numbers were back considerably following the previous week's market. There were some good pens of well finished young cattle yarded, along with fair numbers lacking finish. Cows were also well supplied, though there were very few grown steers yarded.

Trade cattle to the processors were 4c to 6c dearer, with vealers selling to 210c/kg. Prime yearling steers sold from 174c to 210c, while the yearling heifers sold from 158c to 192c/kg. Young feeder cattle were 6c dearer with the better quality steers selling from 166c to 211c/kg. The heifer portion sold from 160c to 172c/kg. Restockers paid to 236c/kg for young steers to go back to the paddock.

The few grown steers yarded sold at similar prices, with the prime medium and heavy weights selling from 166c to 188c/kg. Grown heifers were 5c dearer selling to 164c/kg. Cows were firm to 3c dearer, with 2 score cows selling from 97c to 122c/kg. The 3 and 4 score cows sold from 122c to 164c, with the 4 score heavy weights averaging 151c/kg. Bulls were dearer selling to 225c/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	2	4	198.0	- 198.0	198.0	18	381	- 381	381	188	- 188	188
	RS	C	2	4	217.0	- 217.0	217.0	N/Q		-		315	- 315	315
				8	198.0	217.0			381	381		188	315	
Vealer Steer														
0-200	RS	C	2	7	236.0	- 236.0	236.0	N/Q		-		342	- 342	342
200-280	RS	C	2	3	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	1		-		466	- 466	466
	FD	C	2	2	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q		-		530	- 530	530
280-330	RS	C	2	7	208.0	- 208.0	208.0	N/Q		-		676	- 676	676
330+		B	2	3	206.0	- 206.0	206.0	N/Q	382	- 382	382	752	- 752	752
	FD	C	2	8	160.0	- 208.0	183.3	N/Q		-		552	- 718	632
		C	3	11	190.0	- 210.0	208.2	N/Q	359	- 396	393	746	- 751	746
				41	160.0	236.0			359	396		342	752	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	C	2	12	161.0	- 161.0	161.0	N/Q		-		233	- 233	233
200-280		C	2	7	185.0	- 186.0	185.1	N/Q	356	- 358	356	472	- 474	472
		C	3	4	181.0	- 181.0	181.0	N/Q	348	- 348	348	462	- 462	462
330+		C	3	2	175.0	- 179.0	177.0	N/Q	324	- 344	334	600	- 779	689
	RS	C	3	6	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	8		-		596	- 596	596
				31	161.0	186.0			324	358		233	779	
Yearling Steer														
0-330	RS	C	2	44	180.0	- 227.0	217.4	27		-		391	- 544	475
	RS	D	3	2	161.0	- 161.0	161.0	N/Q		-		523	- 523	523
330-400	FD	B	2	2	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q		-		770	- 770	770
	FD	C	2	22	193.0	- 209.0	206.3	5		-		656	- 805	767
	RS	C	2	23	170.0	- 214.0	205.0	N/Q		-		570	- 746	722
	FD	C	3	45	190.0	- 211.0	203.9	6		-		732	- 793	778
		C	3	16	190.0	- 210.0	204.1	5	359	- 396	383	704	- 785	762

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400+	RS	C	3	4	208.0	- 208.0	208.0	N/Q	-			738	- 738	738
	RS	D	3	7	166.0	- 166.0	166.0	N/Q	-			639	- 639	639
	FD	C	2	5	203.0	- 203.0	203.0	43	-			822	- 822	822
		C	3	66	174.0	- 200.0	189.0	1	328	- 377	354	786	- 971	884
	FD	C	3	28	180.0	- 201.0	198.4	4	-			765	- 955	872
				264	161.0	227.0			328	396		391	971	
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	C	2	35	159.0	- 166.0	165.1	N/Q	-			349	- 421	369
		C	3	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	327	- 327	327	485	- 485	485
		D	2	3	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	260	- 260	260	385	- 385	385
330-400	RS	D	2	1	134.0	- 134.0	134.0	N/Q	-			382	- 382	382
	RS	C	2	17	155.0	- 168.0	162.6	-9	-			535	- 580	566
	FD	C	3	30	160.0	- 172.0	169.1	-1	-			607	- 662	645
400+		C	3	33	163.0	- 180.0	170.5	-8	308	- 340	322	569	- 691	643
		D	3	3	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	5	260	- 260	260	479	- 479	479
	FD	C	3	6	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	-3	-			668	- 668	668
		C	3	34	158.0	- 192.0	175.0	4	293	- 362	328	706	- 831	773
		C	4	2	159.0	- 159.0	159.0	N/Q	300	- 300	300	676	- 676	676
				165	134.0	192.0			260	362		349	831	
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	2	4	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	-			595	- 595	595
	FD	D	3	3	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-			728	- 728	728
		D	3	2	156.0	- 156.0	156.0	N/Q	294	- 294	294	710	- 710	710
500-600		C	3	3	155.0	- 165.0	158.3	7	293	- 311	299	814	- 850	826
		C	4	11	166.0	- 188.0	170.0	-11	307	- 355	316	971	- 1006	977
		D	4	1	166.0	- 166.0	166.0	N/Q	307	- 307	307	905	- 905	905
600-750		C	4	3	178.0	- 178.0	178.0	1	330	- 330	330	1166	- 1166	1166
				27	145.0	188.0			293	355		595	1166	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	2	2	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	283	- 283	283	638	- 638	638
		C	4	6	148.0	- 156.0	154.7	-1	279	- 294	292	718	- 772	763
		D	3	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	289	- 289	289	623	- 623	623
540+		C	3	4	144.0	- 144.0	144.0	6	277	- 277	277	842	- 842	842
		C	4	17	156.0	- 164.0	160.1	5	293	- 308	299	850	- 894	872
				30	144.0	164.0			277	308		623	894	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		D	4	6	152.0	- 158.0	157.0	-1	282	- 304	300	1102	- 1367	1323
				6	152.0	158.0			282	304		1102	1367	
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	2	1	97.0	- 97.0	97.0	N/Q	-			344	- 344	344
		D	2	3	115.0	- 122.0	117.3	21	261	- 277	267	443	- 470	452
		D	3	5	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	307	- 307	307	533	- 533	533
400-520		D	2	1	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	250	- 250	250	468	- 468	468
		D	3	14	122.0	- 143.0	137.4	1	265	- 304	293	519	- 736	670
		D	4	12	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	302	- 302	302	747	- 747	747

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520+	D	4	66	66	136.0	- 164.0	150.8	N/C	262	- 322	294	791	- 1034	877
	D	5	10	10	130.0	- 132.0	131.4	-4	254	- 255	254	735	- 865	833
				112	97.0	164.0			250	322		344	1034	
Bulls														
450-600	B	2	3	3	205.0	- 210.0	208.3	N/Q	373	- 382	377	1145	- 1229	1191
	C	2	2	2	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	333	- 333	333	1053	- 1053	1053
	D	3	2	2	130.0	- 160.0	145.0	N/Q	245	- 302	274	631	- 776	703
600+	B	2	27	27	202.0	- 225.0	213.6	14	360	- 393	377	1719	- 2604	2041
	C	2	7	7	160.0	- 213.0	186.9	16	296	- 394	346	1437	- 2100	1735
	D	2	1	1	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	352	- 352	352	1378	- 1378	1378
	D	3	1	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	245	- 245	245	852	- 852	852
			43	130.0	225.0			245	394		631	2604		

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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