

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Pakenham

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There were approximately 320 cows and 25 bulls along with a handful of steers and heifers penned, representing a decrease of 100 head week-on-week. Most of the usual buying group was present and operating in a mixed market, dearer in places. There were a smaller proportion of light and medium weight cows which improved around 6c/kg for the leaner grades. Heavy weight cows were well supplied and the majority sold firm, while the heavily conditioned 4 scores eased 6c/kg, as several drafts were carrying a lot of weight. Heavy weight bulls sold to strong competition, lifting 9c to 11c/kg.

Most light and medium weight cows sold from 116c to 138c, while heavy weight cows made mostly between 136c and 155c/kg. Heavy weight C and B muscle bulls sold between 178c and 214c/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 Steer																	
500-600		C	2	1	156.2	- 156.2	156.2	N/Q	289	-	289	289	812	-	812	812	
		D	3	6	176.6	- 176.6	176.6	N/Q	321	-	321	321	1060	-	1060	1060	
				7	156.2	176.6			289	321		812	1060				
Grown Heifer																	
0-540	RS	D	2	4	147.6	- 147.6	147.6	6	-	-	-	797	-	797	797		
		D	3	7	150.0	- 163.6	161.7	N/Q	289	-	309	306	675	-	883	854	
540+		C	3	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	291	-	291	291	1072	-	1072	1072	
		D	3	5	155.0	- 160.0	159.0	4	298	-	302	301	896	-	969	911	
				17	147.6	163.6			289	309		675	1072				
Manufacturing Steer																	
0-540	RS	D	2	2	151.6	- 151.6	151.6	N/Q	-	-	-	606	-	606	606		
				2	151.6	151.6			0	0		606	606				
Cows																	
0-400		D	2	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	283	-	283	283	481	-	481	481	
		DA	D	2	1	123.6	- 123.6	123.6	N/Q	269	-	269	269	457	-	457	457
		DA	E	2	1	118.0	- 118.0	118.0	N/Q	262	-	262	262	448	-	448	448
400-520	RS	D	1	4	137.0	- 137.0	137.0	10	-	-	-	630	-	630	630		
		D	1	25	120.0	- 136.0	131.3	6	261	-	296	287	546	-	680	638	
		D	2	21	131.2	- 138.0	134.3	-2	283	-	294	286	577	-	718	634	
	RS	D	2	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-	-	-	700	-	700	700		
	RS	E	1	1	134.6	- 134.6	134.6	N/Q	-	-	-	592	-	592	592		
		E	1	10	116.0	- 122.6	121.3	12	264	-	279	276	510	-	613	592	
	DA	E	1	5	115.6	- 115.6	115.6	5	275	-	275	275	578	-	578	578	
520+		C	2	3	153.0	- 153.0	153.0	-2	294	-	294	294	842	-	842	842	
		C	3	2	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	287	-	287	287	1085	-	1085	1085	
	DA	D	1	4	131.0	- 136.6	133.8	3	285	-	297	291	707	-	820	764	
	DA	D	2	1	143.0	- 143.0	143.0	N/C	304	-	304	304	930	-	930	930	
		D	2	59	136.0	- 145.6	140.7	N/C	285	-	300	294	740	-	874	782	
		D	3	121	140.0	- 153.6	147.3	-1	279	-	303	295	770	-	1122	890	

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
		D	4	34	140.6	- 147.6	144.0	-6	281	- 295	286	805	- 974	903
		D	5	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	260	- 260	260	910	- 910	910
		D	6	1	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	220	- 220	220	770	- 770	770
	DA	E	1	4	116.0	- 130.0	119.8	-8	270	- 289	277	626	- 780	666
				300	110.0	155.0			220	304		448	1122	
Bulls														
0-450	RS	D	1	3	145.6	- 145.6	145.6	N/Q	-			612	- 612	612
450-600		B	2	1	186.0	- 186.0	186.0	N/Q	321	- 321	321	1023	- 1023	1023
		C	2	1	180.6	- 180.6	180.6	N/Q	323	- 323	323	858	- 858	858
		D	2	1	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	306	- 306	306	825	- 825	825
600+		B	2	6	204.6	- 214.2	210.0	11	341	- 354	348	1868	- 2764	2134
		C	2	7	178.0	- 192.6	186.4	9	324	- 344	334	1385	- 1850	1584
		C	3	1	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	333	- 333	333	2400	- 2400	2400
		DA	D	2	2	150.0	- 159.6	154.8	N/Q	278	- 296	287	1050	- 1915
				22	145.6	214.2			278	354		612	2764	

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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