

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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NVLX Barnawatha

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comparison date

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Numbers declined moderately and most weights and grades were represented. There was a smaller group of buyers in attendance, along with local restocking competition across leaner grades of younger cows.

Well finished cows were in reasonable numbers and the better finished heavy cows sold 2c dearer, making from 202c to 222c/kg. Two and three score cows were well supplied, with leaner grades selling to fluctuating price trends. The D2 and D3 cows sold from 172c to 215c/kg. Friesian cows were in greater numbers and quality was very mixed, with prices ranging from 159c to 193.2c/kg. There was a very mixed selection of plainer conditioned store cows penned and the younger types made from 183c to 196c/kg.

A mixed quality selection of bulls sold to the usual gallery of buyers and the better shaped B and C muscled bulls made from 210c to 236c/kg.

| Category Weight | Sale Prefix | Muscle Score | Fat Score | Head e | Live Weight c/kg | | | | Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg | | | | Estimated \$/Head | | |
|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------|------------------|---------|-------|--------|----------------------------------|---|------|-----|----------------------|------|------|
| | | | | | Low | High | Avg | Change | Low | | High | Avg | Low | High | Avg |
| Grown He | ifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-540 | RS | С | 2 | 1 | 233.4 | - 233.4 | 233.4 | N/Q | | - | | | 1085 - | 1085 | 1085 |
| | | С | 3 | 5 | 228.0 | - 230.0 | 228.8 | 18 | 426 | - | 430 | 429 | 1070 - | 1138 | 1110 |
| | | С | 4 | 6 | 215.0 | - 225.0 | 219.7 | N/Q | 398 | - | 425 | 411 | 1122 - | 1150 | 1137 |
| | | D | 3 | 7 | 218.0 | - 218.0 | 218.0 | N/Q | 404 | - | 404 | 404 | 1020 - | 1020 | 1020 |
| 540+ | | С | 3 | 1 | 215.0 | - 215.0 | 215.0 | N/Q | 414 | - | 414 | 414 | 1355 - | 1355 | 1355 |
| | RS | D | 3 | 3 | 192.0 | - 192.0 | 192.0 | N/Q | | - | | | 1117 - | 1117 | 1117 |
| | | | | 23 | 192.0 | 233.4 | | | 398 | | 430 | | 1020 | 1355 | |
| Cows | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-400 | | Е | 1 | 3 | 140.0 | - 140.0 | 140.0 | 13 | 342 | - | 342 | 342 | 546 - | 546 | 546 |
| 400-520 | RS | D | 2 | 21 | 183.0 | - 196.0 | 191.0 | 9 | | - | | | 870 - | 882 | 875 |
| | DA | D | 2 | 20 | 162.0 | - 174.0 | 168.1 | N/Q | 390 | - | 396 | 393 | 812 - | 875 | 846 |
| | | D | 2 | 19 | 165.0 | - 174.0 | 171.7 | 13 | 375 | - | 396 | 390 | 747 - | 873 | 835 |
| | | D | 3 | 114 | 176.0 | - 199.6 | 187.5 | 1 | 367 | - | 408 | 389 | 854 - | 998 | 925 |
| | | D | 4 | 20 | 197.2 | - 204.2 | 200.9 | -1 | 379 | - | 393 | 386 | 966 - | 1021 | 996 |
| 520+ | | С | 3 | 2 | 192.0 | - 192.0 | 192.0 | N/Q | 400 | - | 400 | 400 | 1117 - | 1117 | 1117 |
| | | С | 4 | 1 | 220.0 | - 220.0 | 220.0 | N/Q | 415 | - | 415 | 415 | 1434 - | 1434 | 1434 |
| | DA | D | 1 | 25 | 159.6 | - 171.2 | 167.2 | -2 | 389 | - | 418 | 408 | 909 - | 1025 | 919 |
| | DA | D | 2 | 24 | 176.0 | - 193.2 | 181.7 | 4 | 350 | - | 403 | 369 | 1038 - | 1256 | 1135 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 15 | 182.6 | - 182.6 | 182.6 | N/Q | | - | | | 1048 - | 1048 | 1048 |
| | | D | 2 | 9 | 172.0 | - 192.2 | 178.5 | 14 | 365 | - | 400 | 376 | 896 - | 1194 | 973 |
| | | D | 3 | 193 | 181.2 | - 215.0 | 193.9 | -2 | 365 | - | 438 | 405 | 959 - | 1355 | 1100 |
| | | D | 4 | 337 | 202.0 | - 222.0 | 211.5 | 2 | 389 | - | 438 | 407 | 1103 - | 1583 | 1352 |
| | | D | 5 | 10 | 175.0 | - 194.2 | 184.1 | 4 | 365 | - | 405 | 384 | 1050 - | 1340 | 1169 |
| | | | | 813 | 140.0 | 222.0 | | | 342 | | 438 | | 546 | 1583 | |
| Bulls | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 450-600 | | С | 2 | 3 | 203.0 | - 220.0 | 208.7 | 9 | 376 | - | 407 | 386 | 1137 - | 1250 | 1174 |
| 600+ | | В | 2 | 1 | 228.0 | - 228.0 | 228.0 | N/C | 380 | - | 380 | 380 | 1733 - | 1733 | 1733 |

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|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|---|------|------------------|---------|-------|--------|----------------------------------|------|-----|----------------------|------|------|
| | | | | | Low | High | Avg | Change | Low | High | Avg | Low | High | Avg |
| | | С | 2 | 8 | 210.0 | - 236.2 | 224.0 | 11 | 375 - | 420 | 395 | 1680 - | 2241 | 2058 |
| | | D | 2 | 6 | 170.0 | - 200.0 | 186.7 | 10 | 315 - | 370 | 338 | 1117 - | 1834 | 1554 |
| | | D | 4 | 5 | 220.0 | - 220.0 | 220.0 | N/Q | 407 - | 407 | 407 | 1434 - | 1434 | 1434 |
| | | | | 23 | 170.0 | 236.2 | | | 315 | 420 | | 1117 | 2241 | |

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 DP: Dorper

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