

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Naracoorte

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Agents yarded 1,147 head of live weight and open auction cattle as numbers rose sharply. The full range of trade and processor buying support returned and all were active, along with some extra restocking orders which combined to add strength to the market. More pens of grain assisted cattle came forward along with a large number of open auction calves. Quality fell slightly on last week as prices again rewarded vendors by generally rising across the sale.

Feeders and restockers were very active on the yearling steers as they sought supply ranging from 252c to 310c and the trade purchased from 275c to 325c, with prices 6c to 8c/kg dearer. Yearling heifers to the trade mainly ranged from 280c to 321c, also up 6c/kg. Feeders and restockers sought supply from 254c to 290c/kg.

Only a small number of grown cattle were offered, with the trade active on steers from mainly 274c to 307c, to be 2c/kg cheaper due to the poorer quality yarded compared to last week. Feeders and restockers showed some interest on lighter weights from 254c to 295c/kg. Grown heifers to the trade improved in price by 8c to 10c, ranging from mainly 250c to 290c/kg. Buyers and onlookers witnessed a very dear cow market as numbers more than trebled on last week. A small number of D2 types ranged from 212c to 228c while the D3 and D4 selection ranged from 222c to a high of 248c, with all cows at least 10c/kg dearer. A larger number of bulls ranged from mainly 202c to 240c/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
Yearling Steer														
280-330	RS	C	3	5	299.0	- 299.0	299.0	N/Q	-	-	-	957	- 957	957
330-400	RS	C	2	33	252.0	- 303.0	294.2	18	-	-	-	932	- 1151	1096
	FD	C	2	8	299.0	- 299.0	299.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1136	- 1136	1136
	FD	C	3	24	296.0	- 310.0	301.4	N/Q	-	-	-	1036	- 1209	1137
	RS	C	3	14	280.0	- 292.0	286.9	N/Q	-	-	-	1051	- 1092	1069
		C	3	28	282.0	- 316.0	296.0	6	513	- 575	538	1036	- 1256	1111
400+	RS	C	2	18	266.0	- 270.0	268.7	N/Q	-	-	-	1188	- 1197	1191
	FD	C	2	9	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1276	- 1276	1276
	FD	C	3	29	290.0	- 304.0	300.5	N/Q	-	-	-	1276	- 1398	1370
	RS	C	3	13	268.0	- 299.0	287.1	N/Q	-	-	-	1420	- 1435	1430
		C	3	27	275.0	- 325.0	309.7	9	500	- 591	563	1238	- 1560	1419
				208	252.0	325.0			500	591		932	1560	
Yearling Heifer														
330-400	RS	C	2	23	234.0	- 284.0	273.0	N/Q	-	-	-	850	- 994	968
		C	2	2	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	519	- 519	519	980	- 980	980
	FD	C	2	7	283.0	- 283.0	283.0	32	-	-	-	991	- 991	991
	FD	C	3	9	255.0	- 266.0	263.6	N/Q	-	-	-	944	- 958	954
		C	3	21	233.0	- 310.0	289.8	6	432	- 574	537	932	- 1209	1102
	RS	C	3	7	274.0	- 274.0	274.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1041	- 1041	1041
400+	FD	C	2	2	254.0	- 254.0	254.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1067	- 1067	1067
	FD	C	3	23	272.0	- 290.0	279.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1142	- 1315	1233
		C	3	59	243.0	- 321.0	278.8	-13	450	- 594	516	1037	- 1471	1283
	RS	C	3	41	260.0	- 288.0	276.7	N/Q	-	-	-	1118	- 1360	1296
				194	233.0	321.0			432	594		850	1471	
Grown Steer														

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400-500		C	3	10	274.0	- 290.0	286.2	-2	498	- 527	520	1267	- 1325	1299
	FD	C	3	1	254.0	- 254.0	254.0	N/Q	-			1143	- 1143	1143
	RS	C	3	18	284.0	- 284.0	284.0	N/Q	-			1363	- 1363	1363
500-600	RS	C	3	9	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	-			1593	- 1593	1593
		C	3	79	232.0	- 307.0	291.8	-3	422	- 558	531	1392	- 1800	1637
				117	232.0	307.0			422	558		1143	1800	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	2	15	259.0	- 260.0	259.7	N/Q	480	- 482	481	1217	- 1300	1278
	RS	C	2	7	216.0	- 230.0	224.0	N/Q	-			1166	- 1196	1183
		C	3	9	250.0	- 290.0	273.3	10	463	- 537	506	1269	- 1456	1408
540+		C	3	32	235.0	- 280.0	267.2	9	435	- 519	495	1355	- 1620	1539
				63	216.0	290.0			435	537		1166	1620	
Cows														
520+		D	2	40	212.0	- 228.0	222.0	39	493	- 530	516	1166	- 1300	1227
		D	3	229	226.0	- 248.0	239.5	10	481	- 528	510	1294	- 1549	1415
		D	4	8	222.0	- 242.0	234.5	10	444	- 484	469	1265	- 1525	1427
				277	212.0	248.0			444	530		1166	1549	
Bulls														
450-600		C	3	12	217.0	- 233.0	225.7	N/Q	388	- 416	403	1194	- 1350	1274
600+		B	3	3	202.0	- 212.0	208.0	-10	361	- 379	371	1575	- 1717	1627
		C	3	19	195.0	- 240.0	217.5	2	348	- 429	388	1287	- 2040	1691
				34	195.0	240.0			348	429		1194	2040	

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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