

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Mount Barker

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Yarding Change ⁶¹⁹/₆₀

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619 head of mixed quality cattle were yarded at Mt Barker this week. All buyers were in attendance which saw prices remain firm, with the exception of cow prices which rose.

Vealer steers less than 200kg sold from 297c to 364c to average 329c/kg. Vealer heifers weighing under 200kg sold from 260c to 303c to average 278c/kg. Heavy yearling steers weighing over 330kg to the trade made 285c to 310c to average 305c, while feeder buyers paid from 286c to 328c, averaging 328c/kg. Medium weight steers, 280-330kg, made between 315c and 332c to average 322c/kg. Light weights sold from 310c to 339c to average 330c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers over 330kg returned 281c to 291c to average 287c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers weighing 280-330kg made from 150c to 291c depending on quality and averaged 218c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers made 265c to 298c, averaging 281c/kg.

Heavy manufacturing steers sold for 239c/kg. Grown steers over 400kg made from 283c to 297c to the trade while feeders paid up to 304c/kg.

Heavy grown heifers returned from 206c to 295c to average 240c/kg. Heavy cows made 199c to 217c and averaged 210c/kg. Medium weight cows sold for 195c to 208c to average 203c/kg. Light cows averaged 187c, making from 148c to 195c/kg. Heavy bulls made 163c to 204c and lighter weights sold from 290c to 325c to average 314c/kg for live export.

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
Vealer Steer														
0-200	FD	C	2	13	297.0	- 320.0	318.2	N/Q	-	-	-	460	- 614	603
	RS	C	2	4	364.0	- 364.0	364.0	N/Q	-	-	-	488	- 488	488
				17	297.0	364.0			0	0		460	614	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	C	2	7	289.0	- 303.0	301.0	N/Q	-	-	-	491	- 549	499
	RS	C	3	12	260.0	- 270.0	264.2	N/Q	-	-	-	419	- 510	472
				19	260.0	303.0			0	0		419	549	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	18	320.0	- 339.0	331.6	4	-	-	-	803	- 817	812
	FD	C	3	15	310.0	- 332.0	330.5	4	-	-	-	698	- 910	865
		C	3	1	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	414	- 414	414	672	- 672	672
	DA	D	2	13	307.0	- 307.0	307.0	N/Q	602	- 602	602	774	- 774	774
280-330	FD	C	2	4	315.0	- 315.0	315.0	8	-	-	-	926	- 926	926
	FD	C	3	36	320.0	- 332.0	330.1	6	-	-	-	979	- 1050	1006
330-400	FD	C	3	3	307.0	- 307.0	307.0	-19	-	-	-	1176	- 1176	1176
		C	3	1	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	N/Q	491	- 491	491	1069	- 1069	1069
400+		C	3	35	290.0	- 310.0	305.5	N/Q	500	- 554	539	1189	- 1463	1328
	PC	C	3	11	286.0	- 298.0	293.6	N/Q	520	- 542	534	1261	- 1338	1289
	FD	C	3	26	308.0	- 328.0	317.5	N/C	-	-	-	1320	- 1494	1369
				163	240.0	339.0			414	602		672	1494	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	RS	C	2	26	265.0	- 298.0	281.5	N/C	-	-	-	635	- 728	670
	FD	C	2	18	265.0	- 286.0	278.3	-20	-	-	-	609	- 710	638
	RS	C	3	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-	-	-	330	- 330	330
	FD	C	3	31	275.0	- 294.0	286.5	7	-	-	-	753	- 798	769

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
280-330	FD	C	2	21	250.0	- 283.0	279.6	N/Q	-			725	- 924	897
	RS	C	2	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-			428	- 428	428
	FD	C	3	19	280.0	- 291.0	284.6	2	-			820	- 856	835
330-400	FD	C	2	29	150.0	- 292.0	285.2	N/Q	-			533	- 1086	1020
	FD	C	3	21	282.0	- 291.0	287.3	-7	-			990	- 1059	1019
400+		C	3	3	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	448	- 448	448	1126	- 1126	1126
				170	150.0	298.0			448	448		330	1126	
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	3	3	297.0	- 297.0	297.0	2	540	- 540	540	1331	- 1331	1331
	FD	C	3	1	304.0	- 304.0	304.0	N/Q	-			1338	- 1338	1338
	DA	D	3	9	216.0	- 227.0	224.6	N/Q	415	- 437	432	983	- 1019	1011
500-600		C	3	2	283.0	- 283.0	283.0	N/Q	505	- 505	505	1528	- 1528	1528
	DA	D	3	6	246.0	- 246.0	246.0	N/Q	473	- 473	473	1294	- 1294	1294
600-750	DA	D	3	1	239.0	- 239.0	239.0	N/Q	427	- 427	427	1530	- 1530	1530
				22	216.0	304.0			415	540		983	1530	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	2	3	195.0	- 210.0	204.0	N/Q	368	- 396	385	770	- 983	896
	FD	C	3	1	196.0	- 196.0	196.0	N/Q	-			823	- 823	823
		C	3	19	214.0	- 295.0	240.2	13	389	- 536	436	984	- 1367	1191
540+		C	3	10	208.0	- 231.0	222.2	6	371	- 413	399	1196	- 1403	1274
		C	4	3	206.0	- 215.0	212.0	N/Q	368	- 384	379	1393	- 1483	1423
				36	195.0	295.0			368	536		770	1483	
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	2	2	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	-			594	- 594	594
		D	2	3	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	220	- 220	220	327	- 327	327
400-520		D	2	29	148.0	- 195.0	186.9	4	283	- 368	347	645	- 951	841
	DA	D	2	5	179.0	- 179.0	179.0	N/Q	344	- 344	344	743	- 743	743
		D	3	9	195.0	- 208.0	202.8	18	355	- 378	369	965	- 1073	1041
520+	DA	D	2	8	178.0	- 188.0	180.5	N/Q	342	- 362	347	927	- 1137	980
		D	3	77	199.0	- 216.0	209.9	3	362	- 393	381	1113	- 1539	1275
		D	4	34	200.0	- 217.0	209.7	N/Q	357	- 388	377	1060	- 1497	1360
				167	110.0	217.0			220	393		327	1539	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	3	2	298.0	- 331.0	314.5	N/Q	-			671	- 993	832
	LE	C	3	5	296.0	- 325.0	314.8	N/Q	538	- 591	572	843	- 1236	1047
450-600	LE	C	3	1	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	527	- 527	527	1378	- 1378	1378
600+		C	2	2	163.0	- 168.0	165.5	N/Q	314	- 317	315	1277	- 1524	1400
		C	3	12	175.0	- 204.0	187.2	1	318	- 371	340	1258	- 2142	1616
				22	163.0	331.0			314	591		671	2142	

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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