

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Mount Barker

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Yarding Change 658
-139

comparison date 10/09/2015

A total yarding of 658 head of mixed quality cattle were offered at Mt Barker. Yearling stock made up the bulk of the yarding, easing 10c/kg week-on-week.

Heavy yearling steers 330kg plus made 280c to 335c, to average 315c/kg. Medium weights, 280kg to 330kg, made from 310c to 327c, to average 319c/kg. Light weights, 200kg to 280kg, sold for 300c to 315c, to average 308c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers made 260c to 295c, to average 275c/kg. Medium weights made 210c to 301c, averaging 286c/kg. Light weights sold for 282c to 301c, to average 292c/kg.

Grown steers, 500kg to 600kg, sold from 242c to 297c, to average 265c/kg. Trade heifers over 500kg sold for 200c to 266c, to average 232c/kg. Cow prices eased by 5c to 10c on last week's sale with slaughter cows making from 160c to 179c/kg. Heavier prime cows made 180c to 227c, to average 206c and medium cows sold from 182c to 194c/kg. Heavy bulls made from 185c to 224c, to average 214c/kg. Young lightweight bulls sold to live export from 220c to 270c and to feeders and restockers from 230c to 224c, to average 227c/kg. A pen of Angus cross Friesian poddy steers sold by appraisal to make \$750/head.

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 Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	3	3	263.0	- 263.0	263.0	N/Q	-	-	-	723	- 723	723
				3	263.0	263.0			0	0		723	723	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	13	300.0	- 315.0	308.1	22	-	-	-	816	- 841	829
280-330	FD	C	2	29	310.0	- 327.0	318.9	-3	-	-	-	915	- 1066	1004
	RS	C	2	7	311.0	- 311.0	311.0	-7	-	-	-	942	- 942	942
	FD	C	3	8	325.0	- 325.0	325.0	-7	-	-	-	1050	- 1050	1050
330-400	FD	C	2	61	290.0	- 335.0	317.6	-9	-	-	-	1035	- 1214	1121
	FD	C	3	82	301.0	- 330.0	322.4	-9	-	-	-	1052	- 1280	1199
400+	FD	C	2	4	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	-55	-	-	-	1218	- 1218	1218
	RS	C	2	1	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	-	-	-	924	- 924	924
	FD	C	3	5	288.0	- 310.0	298.4	-18	-	-	-	1271	- 1347	1290
		C	3	1	288.0	- 288.0	288.0	N/Q	497	- 497	497	1526	- 1526	1526
				211	210.0	335.0			497	497		816	1526	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	6	301.0	- 301.0	301.0	-9	-	-	-	774	- 774	774
	RS	C	2	9	282.0	- 282.0	282.0	-20	-	-	-	663	- 663	663
280-330	RS	C	2	23	295.0	- 301.0	298.7	-9	-	-	-	882	- 932	899
	FD	C	2	17	278.0	- 298.0	284.8	-2	-	-	-	806	- 933	874
	FD	C	3	19	210.0	- 301.0	286.6	N/Q	-	-	-	651	- 969	917
330-400	RS	C	2	4	276.0	- 276.0	276.0	-21	-	-	-	952	- 952	952
	FD	C	2	30	260.0	- 295.0	275.1	-25	-	-	-	880	- 1021	944
	FD	C	3	44	274.0	- 279.0	276.0	6	-	-	-	956	- 1116	1019
400+	FD	C	3	18	260.0	- 280.0	277.6	18	-	-	-	1126	- 2002	1229
				170	210.0	301.0			0	0		651	2002	
Grown Steer														

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0-400	FD	C	3	6	309.0	- 309.0	309.0	N/Q	-			1171	- 1171	1171
400-500	FD	C	2	6	297.0	- 297.0	297.0	N/Q	-			1301	- 1301	1301
	FD	C	3	8	289.0	- 296.0	293.3	-6	-			1295	- 1441	1398
		C	3	11	284.0	- 300.0	298.5	4	490	- 517	515	1392	- 1431	1427
500-600		C	3	21	242.0	- 297.0	270.1	3	417	- 512	466	1293	- 1488	1442
	FD	C	3	2	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	-			1360	- 1360	1360
				54	242.0	309.0			417	517		1171	1488	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	2	4	244.0	- 244.0	244.0	44	-			915	- 915	915
		C	3	19	210.0	- 286.0	264.2	24	362	- 502	463	1061	- 1301	1236
	FD	C	3	33	250.0	- 293.0	276.8	-2	-			1013	- 1296	1188
		C	4	1	227.0	- 227.0	227.0	N/Q	398	- 398	398	1146	- 1146	1146
	DA	D	2	4	286.0	- 286.0	286.0	N/Q	511	- 511	511	1401	- 1401	1401
		D	3	8	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	393	- 393	393	733	- 878	823
540+		C	3	6	200.0	- 266.0	232.5	4	345	- 459	401	1221	- 1520	1403
		C	4	6	233.0	- 233.0	233.0	12	402	- 402	402	1449	- 1449	1449
	DA	D	2	4	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	N/Q	366	- 366	366	1160	- 1160	1160
				85	200.0	293.0			345	511		733	1520	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+	DA	D	3	10	225.0	- 225.0	225.0	-7	402	- 402	402	1328	- 1328	1328
				10	225.0	225.0			402	402		1328	1328	
Cows														
0-400		D	3	7	182.0	- 182.0	182.0	N/Q	314	- 314	314	699	- 699	699
400-520		D	2	5	160.0	- 179.0	167.6	-5	276	- 314	291	723	- 841	770
	RS	D	2	2	146.0	- 160.0	153.0	N/Q	-			759	- 792	776
	RS	D	3	1	164.0	- 164.0	164.0	N/Q	-			779	- 779	779
		D	3	8	194.0	- 194.0	194.0	-14	335	- 335	335	867	- 867	867
520+		D	2	2	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	319	- 319	319	986	- 986	986
	RS	D	2	1	174.0	- 174.0	174.0	N/Q	-			1105	- 1105	1105
	DA	D	3	8	200.0	- 201.0	200.5	N/Q	357	- 359	358	1078	- 1158	1118
		D	3	16	180.0	- 211.0	198.7	-14	310	- 364	344	954	- 1615	1189
		D	4	17	195.0	- 227.0	214.1	3	336	- 391	369	1248	- 1640	1489
		D	5	8	150.0	- 190.0	163.3	-21	259	- 328	284	941	- 1184	1029
				75	146.0	227.0			259	391		699	1640	
Bulls														
0-450	LE	C	2	5	220.0	- 270.0	256.0	15	393	- 474	452	635	- 847	794
	LE	C	3	2	220.0	- 250.0	235.0	N/Q	379	- 431	405	748	- 875	812
450-600		C	2	1	224.0	- 224.0	224.0	N/Q	400	- 400	400	1064	- 1064	1064
		C	3	1	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	411	- 411	411	1231	- 1231	1231
600+		C	3	12	185.0	- 224.0	213.8	9	330	- 400	382	1691	- 2311	1940
		D	3	1	207.0	- 207.0	207.0	N/Q	376	- 376	376	1635	- 1635	1635
				22	185.0	270.0			330	474		635	2311	

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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