

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Naracoorte

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Agents yarded 1,234 head of live weight and open auction cattle in a mixed quality offering. A larger field of buyers were present and active, along with the usual feeders and restockers. Prices rebounded on last week, with improvements in all categories.

Vealer steers mainly ranged from 316c to 323c, with heifers also mainly ranging from 314c to 324c in a smaller selection which gave vendors a lift in price of 15c/kg. Yearling steers to the trade mainly ranged from 265c to 312c to rise 20c/kg. Restocking and feeding steers were firm in price, ranging from 271c to 289c/kg. Yearling heifers to the trade mainly ranged from 244c to 295c, also a 15c increase in price, and restockers paid from 190c to 210c, with feeders purchasing to 262c/kg.

Grown steer numbers more than halved and they ranged from 250c to 300c/kg. Heifers ranged from 212c to 298c, with a wide range of quality on offer as all grown cattle rose by 20c/kg. The D2 cows ranged from 160c to 199c, with the D3 and D4 selection ranging from 202c to 230c/kg. Bulls ranged from 212c to 250c/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
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
280-330		C	3	2	316.0	- 316.0	316.0	N/Q	564	- 564	564	1043	- 1043	1043
330+		B	3	12	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	13	571	- 571	571	1120	- 1120	1120
	FD	C	2	6	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	-	-	-	884	- 884	884
		C	3	23	322.0	- 323.0	322.6	25	575	- 577	576	1417	- 1421	1419
				<b>43</b>	<b>260.0</b>	<b>323.0</b>			<b>564</b>	<b>577</b>		<b>884</b>	<b>1421</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
280-330		B	3	11	324.0	- 324.0	324.0	N/Q	579	- 579	579	1037	- 1037	1037
		C	2	6	248.0	- 248.0	248.0	N/Q	451	- 451	451	744	- 744	744
		C	3	3	270.0	- 276.0	272.0	-10	491	- 493	492	810	- 911	844
330+		B	3	18	318.0	- 318.0	318.0	14	568	- 568	568	1177	- 1177	1177
		C	3	9	314.0	- 314.0	314.0	30	561	- 561	561	1256	- 1256	1256
				<b>47</b>	<b>248.0</b>	<b>324.0</b>			<b>451</b>	<b>579</b>		<b>744</b>	<b>1256</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
280-330		C	2	3	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	-80	364	- 364	364	600	- 600	600
	RS	C	2	11	271.0	- 271.0	271.0	N/Q	-	-	-	894	- 894	894
		C	3	16	268.0	- 275.0	269.7	2	487	- 500	490	804	- 825	809
330-400		C	3	34	270.0	- 310.0	302.0	32	491	- 564	549	999	- 1240	1203
400+		C	3	106	265.0	- 312.0	292.2	19	482	- 567	531	1172	- 1485	1340
	FD	C	3	12	289.0	- 289.0	289.0	1	-	-	-	1301	- 1301	1301
	RS	C	3	12	274.0	- 274.0	274.0	-1	-	-	-	1233	- 1233	1233
				<b>194</b>	<b>200.0</b>	<b>312.0</b>			<b>364</b>	<b>567</b>		<b>600</b>	<b>1485</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	7	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	N/Q	-	-	-	527	- 527	527
280-330	RS	C	2	12	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	-	-	-	630	- 630	630
		C	2	14	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	-57	348	- 348	348	620	- 620	620
		C	3	19	265.0	- 282.0	277.5	16	491	- 522	514	795	- 818	812
330-400		C	2	22	244.0	- 244.0	244.0	N/Q	452	- 452	452	854	- 854	854
	RS	C	2	7	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	-	-	-	665	- 665	665

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400+	FD	C	3	12	262.0	- 262.0	262.0	-1	-				996	- 996	996	
		C	3	31	250.0	- 285.0	274.2	16	463	- 528	508		875	- 1140	1058	
		C	4	13	282.0	- 290.0	286.3	31	522	- 537	530		1073	- 1128	1098	
		C	3	97	230.0	- 282.0	265.7	16	426	- 522	492		1035	- 1400	1199	
		C	4	9	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	27	546	- 546	546		1298	- 1298	1298	
				<b>243</b>	<b>188.0</b>	<b>295.0</b>						<b>348</b>	<b>546</b>		<b>527</b>	<b>1400</b>
<b>Grown Steer</b>																
500-600		C	3	99	250.0	- 300.0	281.2	24	455	- 546	511		1375	- 1693	1589	
				<b>99</b>	<b>250.0</b>	<b>300.0</b>			<b>455</b>	<b>546</b>		<b>1375</b>	<b>1693</b>			
<b>Grown Heifer</b>																
0-540		C	3	37	270.0	- 298.0	280.3	24	500	- 552	519		1350	- 1490	1402	
540+		C	3	62	212.0	- 260.0	245.1	20	393	- 482	454		1166	- 1508	1399	
		C	4	7	242.0	- 242.0	242.0	N/Q	448	- 448	448		1379	- 1379	1379	
				<b>106</b>	<b>212.0</b>	<b>298.0</b>			<b>393</b>	<b>552</b>		<b>1166</b>	<b>1508</b>			
<b>Cows</b>																
520+		B	3	4	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	489	- 489	489		1449	- 1449	1449	
		D	2	63	160.0	- 199.0	181.8	N/Q	372	- 463	423		912	- 1154	1028	
		D	3	87	202.0	- 230.0	219.6	N/Q	430	- 489	467		1169	- 1386	1303	
		D	4	6	210.0	- 215.0	210.8	N/Q	420	- 430	422		1355	- 1365	1363	
				<b>160</b>	<b>160.0</b>	<b>230.0</b>			<b>372</b>	<b>489</b>		<b>912</b>	<b>1449</b>			
<b>Bulls</b>																
600+		B	3	3	239.0	- 250.0	244.7	N/Q	419	- 439	429		2151	- 2250	2202	
		C	2	18	212.0	- 230.0	224.2	N/Q	386	- 418	408		1575	- 1725	1619	
		C	3	16	230.0	- 248.0	236.7	N/Q	411	- 443	423		1840	- 2318	2050	
				<b>37</b>	<b>212.0</b>	<b>250.0</b>			<b>386</b>	<b>443</b>		<b>1575</b>	<b>2318</b>			

#### 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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