

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Pakenham

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Yarding Change ¹⁹⁴⁷/₆₄₄

comparison date 19/10/2015

There were approximately 1,000 export and 950 young cattle penned, representing an increase of 650 head week-on-week. There was a full field of buyers present and operating in a stronger market. Quality was fairly good with a better selection of trade cattle, grown steers and bullocks while demand for the secondary lines improved a little. The vealers suited to butcher orders sold firm to a few cents dearer. Yearling trade steers held firm while the heifers to the trade improved 4c to 7c/kg. Grown steers and bullocks lifted 8c to 10c/kg for the better selection. Heavy weight grown heifers gained 10c/kg. Heavy weight Friesian manufacturing steers kicked 14c, with the crossbred portion 11c/kg dearer.

The vealers sold mostly from 285c to 300c/kg. Yearling trade steers made between 285c and 325c/kg. Yearling heifers suited to the trade sold between 255c and 325c/kg. Feeder steers made from 244c to 292c, with the heifer portion from 225c to 274c/kg.

Grown steers sold from 268c to 309c/kg. Bullocks made between 276c and 300c/kg. Heavy weight grown heifers showing good finish sold between 243c and 280c/kg. Heavy weight Friesian manufacturing steers made from 245c to 250c with the crossbred portion from 255c to 295c/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
Vealer Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	15	283.6	- 284.0	284.0	40	-	-	-	794	- 795	795
280-330	FD	C	2	3	276.0	- 284.0	281.3	N/Q	-	-	-	828	- 909	882
				18	276.0	284.0			0	0		794	909	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	9	265.0	- 276.6	270.0	17	491	- 512	500	692	- 772	728
280-330		B	2	2	300.0	- 300.0	300.0	N/Q	536	- 536	536	900	- 900	900
		C	2	17	266.0	- 286.0	273.9	13	493	- 539	507	798	- 915	832
		C	3	3	283.6	- 292.2	288.6	-7	516	- 531	525	851	- 928	885
				31	265.0	300.0			491	539		692	928	
Yearling Steer														
200-280		C	2	2	269.6	- 269.6	269.6	N/Q	499	- 499	499	755	- 755	755
		FD	C	2	6	260.0	- 267.6	263.8	20	-	-	676	- 696	686
		FD	D	2	2	247.6	- 247.6	247.6	N/Q	-	-	669	- 669	669
280-330		C	2	1	256.0	- 256.0	256.0	N/Q	474	- 474	474	845	- 845	845
		FD	C	2	24	244.2	- 278.6	274.0	22	-	-	781	- 919	850
		C	3	2	295.0	- 300.0	297.5	N/Q	536	- 546	541	885	- 990	938
		RS	D	1	4	248.2	- 248.2	248.2	N/Q	-	-	745	- 745	745
		RS	D	2	4	275.0	- 275.0	275.0	N/Q	-	-	825	- 825	825
		FD	D	2	4	241.6	- 241.6	241.6	N/Q	-	-	785	- 785	785
		D	2	1	253.6	- 253.6	253.6	N/Q	479	- 479	479	812	- 812	812
330-400		A	2	1	287.6	- 287.6	287.6	N/Q	464	- 464	464	1035	- 1035	1035
		B	2	2	270.0	- 286.2	278.1	N/Q	466	- 511	488	1030	- 1080	1055
		FD	B	2	3	292.0	- 292.0	292.0	2	-	-	1051	- 1051	1051
		B	3	5	304.2	- 322.6	317.9	N/Q	525	- 556	548	1065	- 1226	1190
		C	2	13	245.6	- 292.0	276.0	16	463	- 541	512	884	- 1110	1018
		FD	C	2	54	264.6	- 292.0	276.1	6	-	-	914	- 1120	999

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400+		C	3	37	285.0	- 325.6	308.1	5	518	- 588	557	986	- 1205	1111
	RS	D	1	4	189.6	- 189.6	189.6	N/Q	-			645	- 645	645
	FD	D	2	11	256.0	- 272.0	263.3	N/Q	-			925	- 947	937
		D	3	12	271.6	- 275.6	274.8	N/Q	503	- 510	509	1032	- 1102	1053
		B	2	1	292.0	- 292.0	292.0	N/Q	521	- 521	521	1285	- 1285	1285
		C	2	19	266.0	- 290.0	277.6	N/C	501	- 528	514	1131	- 1371	1243
	FD	C	2	54	275.0	- 290.0	284.7	6	-			1155	- 1321	1230
	FD	C	3	6	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-			1305	- 1305	1305
		C	3	41	287.0	- 315.0	293.3	-1	522	- 563	533	1210	- 1399	1341
	D	3	19	272.0	- 290.0	273.9	2	504	- 537	507	1197	- 1297	1207	
				332	189.6	325.6		463	588		645	1399		
Yearling Heifer														
200-280		D	1	2	210.0	- 220.0	215.0	N/Q	420	- 440	430	588	- 616	602
	FD	D	1	14	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	-			560	- 560	560
	FD	D	2	25	226.6	- 240.0	230.2	-12	-			544	- 672	626
		D	2	2	244.0	- 244.0	244.0	N/Q	469	- 469	469	683	- 683	683
	RS	D	2	6	231.6	- 248.6	242.9	26	-			602	- 671	648
280-330	FD	C	2	3	254.6	- 254.6	254.6	9	-			764	- 764	764
		C	2	3	254.0	- 260.6	258.4	-2	479	- 492	488	782	- 838	801
	FD	D	2	6	225.0	- 272.0	264.2	38	-			675	- 870	838
		D	2	1	232.0	- 232.0	232.0	N/Q	446	- 446	446	742	- 742	742
	FD	D	3	8	265.0	- 278.2	274.9	N/Q	-			795	- 904	877
		D	3	11	255.0	- 286.0	271.4	11	481	- 540	511	780	- 915	847
330-400		B	3	2	323.6	- 325.6	324.6	N/Q	571	- 578	575	1100	- 1156	1128
		C	2	8	266.0	- 278.6	272.3	17	493	- 516	504	931	- 1003	967
	FD	C	2	14	259.6	- 278.0	268.2	3	-			896	- 979	936
		C	3	23	285.0	- 324.6	300.0	10	527	- 580	546	1017	- 1207	1075
		D	1	7	207.6	- 207.6	207.6	N/Q	415	- 415	415	695	- 695	695
		D	2	36	236.0	- 264.6	247.1	12	454	- 499	475	802	- 966	900
	RS	D	3	3	275.0	- 275.0	275.0	N/Q	-			963	- 963	963
	FD	D	3	8	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	-10	-			905	- 905	905
		D	3	84	254.6	- 288.0	273.4	4	480	- 533	509	917	- 1152	1025
		D	4	1	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	482	- 482	482	923	- 923	923
400+		C	2	1	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	482	- 482	482	1092	- 1092	1092
		C	3	29	285.0	- 287.0	285.7	-2	518	- 522	519	1255	- 1320	1277
	FD	D	3	7	273.6	- 273.6	273.6	N/Q	-			1176	- 1176	1176
		D	3	190	264.0	- 292.6	279.8	7	489	- 542	519	1126	- 1375	1254
		D	4	12	250.0	- 265.0	262.5	N/Q	463	- 491	486	1150	- 1325	1296
				506	200.0	325.6		415	580		544	1375		
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	2	1	271.2	- 271.2	271.2	N/Q	502	- 502	502	1193	- 1193	1193
	FD	D	2	6	255.6	- 255.6	255.6	N/Q	-			1086	- 1086	1086
		D	3	27	272.0	- 287.2	278.8	N/Q	504	- 532	516	1278	- 1364	1317
500-600		B	3	1	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	509	- 509	509	1668	- 1668	1668
	FD	C	2	14	267.6	- 282.0	278.9	N/Q	-			1392	- 1523	1495

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600-750		C	2	32	275.0	- 290.0	285.2	20	509	- 537	526	1481	- 1682	1629	
		C	3	90	290.0	- 309.2	301.6	11	518	- 552	546	1575	- 1855	1708	
		D	3	138	283.6	- 302.0	291.5	10	516	- 556	533	1505	- 1732	1624	
		C	3	18	279.6	- 297.0	295.1	9	508	- 530	528	1845	- 1931	1921	
		C	4	11	290.0	- 300.0	298.2	13	518	- 546	540	1920	- 2030	1940	
750+		D	3	134	275.6	- 296.0	288.8	8	510	- 538	528	1764	- 2071	1908	
		C	3	3	273.6	- 277.6	274.9	N/Q	487	- 489	488	2134	- 2360	2209	
		C	4	19	260.0	- 282.0	270.5	-2	464	- 513	480	2080	- 2249	2167	
				494	255.6	309.2		464	556		1086	2360			
Grown Heifer															
0-540	DA	D	1	6	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	468	- 468	468	880	- 880	880	
		D	2	8	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	22	500	- 500	500	1150	- 1150	1150	
		D	3	67	247.6	- 284.0	262.3	2	474	- 526	497	1185	- 1534	1348	
540+		D	3	40	242.6	- 280.0	253.7	10	467	- 519	482	1362	- 1838	1475	
		D	4	7	247.6	- 268.6	259.2	24	459	- 497	480	1430	- 1746	1528	
				128	220.0	284.0		459	526		880	1838			
Manufacturing Steer															
0-540	DA	D	1	8	224.0	- 228.0	225.0	N/Q	448	- 456	450	1008	- 1049	1018	
		D	1	5	212.0	- 212.0	212.0	29	424	- 424	424	763	- 763	763	
		D	2	1	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q	481	- 481	481	1100	- 1100	1100	
	FD	DA	D	2	2	243.6	- 243.6	243.6	N/Q	469	- 469	469	1218	- 1218	1218
		D	3	6	276.0	- 276.0	276.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1490	- 1490	1490	
		D	3	21	265.6	- 283.2	269.3	10	492	- 524	499	1222	- 1529	1444	
540+		D	2	1	254.6	- 254.6	254.6	N/Q	480	- 480	480	1400	- 1400	1400	
	DA	D	2	24	244.6	- 250.0	248.4	14	470	- 478	475	1424	- 1550	1471	
		D	3	67	256.0	- 295.0	277.5	11	483	- 546	515	1471	- 1947	1793	
				135	212.0	295.0		424	546		763	1947			
Cows															
400-520		D	2	1	220.6	- 220.6	220.6	N/Q	460	- 460	460	993	- 993	993	
520+		D	3	14	226.6	- 226.6	226.6	-12	453	- 453	453	1201	- 1201	1201	
				15	220.6	226.6		453	460		993	1201			
Bulls															
0-450	RS	C	2	1	253.6	- 253.6	253.6	N/Q	-	-	-	913	- 913	913	
		C	2	4	216.6	- 237.6	231.7	-4	409	- 440	429	752	- 832	810	
		C	3	1	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	400	- 400	400	836	- 836	836	
		D	2	4	192.6	- 195.6	194.1	N/Q	369	- 370	370	539	- 704	622	
450-600		C	2	1	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	436	- 436	436	1104	- 1104	1104	
				11	192.6	253.6		369	440		539	1104			

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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