

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Mount Barker

report date 29 Oct 2015

Yarding Change $\frac{1343}{57}$

comparison date 22/10/2015

A total yarding of 1,343 head of very mixed quality cattle were presented at Mt Barker this week. Prices fluctuated with quality averaging stronger on all categories except for heavy weight bulls and bullocks which eased 6c to 8c/kg.

Vealer steers made 180c to 334c to average 317c, while the vealer heifers sold for 240c to 289c to average 263c/kg. Heavy yearling steers made 196c to 312c to average 253c/kg. Medium weights sold from 257c to 319c/kg. Heavyweight yearling heifers made 160c to 294c to average 266c while medium weights made 158c to 299c averaging 277c/kg.

Bullocks sold for 208c to 227c/kg. Heavy grown steers sold from 220c to 268c to average 247c/kg. Heavy grown heifers sold from 155c to 270c to average 192c/kg. Heavier prime cows made 163c to 177c to average 172c, while light and medium weight cows sold for 149c to 164c/kg. Heavy bulls made 120c to 151c to average 133c and lightweight bulls sold from 143c to 281c to average 224c/kg.

A pen of third calver Red Angus cows with calves at foot sold by appraisal for \$1,800/unit.

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	39	314.0	- 326.0	319.1	15	-	-	-	750	- 880	810
	RS	C	2	70	295.0	- 330.0	316.0	-7	-	-	-	647	- 869	790
	FD	C	3	7	309.0	- 309.0	309.0	9	-	-	-	865	- 865	865
280-330		C	2	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	346	- 346	346	522	- 522	522
	FD	C	2	10	321.0	- 321.0	321.0	21	-	-	-	1034	- 1034	1034
	RS	C	2	29	230.0	- 316.0	302.4	N/Q	-	-	-	690	- 1018	917
	RS	C	3	46	315.0	- 334.0	325.8	6	-	-	-	954	- 1053	1006
	FD	C	3	48	306.0	- 326.0	319.1	11	-	-	-	998	- 1050	1009
330+	FD	C	3	32	280.0	- 328.0	319.8	15	-	-	-	1167	- 1305	1192
		C	3	1	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	400	- 400	400	748	- 748	748
	RS	C	3	16	326.0	- 326.0	326.0	14	-	-	-	1118	- 1148	1135
				299	180.0	334.0			346	400		522	1305	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	C	2	13	240.0	- 242.0	241.4	N/Q	-	-	-	448	- 468	454
200-280	RS	C	2	61	247.0	- 262.0	256.4	N/Q	-	-	-	543	- 663	616
	RS	C	3	12	247.0	- 260.0	255.7	22	-	-	-	632	- 679	648
280-330	RS	C	2	3	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	10	-	-	-	733	- 733	733
	RS	C	3	32	279.0	- 289.0	283.9	6	-	-	-	798	- 918	838
	FD	C	3	7	246.0	- 284.0	267.7	15	-	-	-	694	- 889	805
330+	RS	C	3	12	271.0	- 275.0	271.3	-17	-	-	-	1073	- 1106	1103
				140	240.0	289.0			0	0		448	1106	
Yearling Steer														
280-330	FD	C	2	9	310.0	- 310.0	310.0	32	-	-	-	936	- 936	936
	FD	C	3	8	257.0	- 319.0	280.3	N/Q	-	-	-	807	- 1053	899
330-400	FD	C	2	13	294.0	- 312.0	307.2	-2	-	-	-	1104	- 1216	1130
		C	2	1	224.0	- 224.0	224.0	N/Q	423	- 423	423	806	- 806	806

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400+	RS	C	3	5	199.0	- 199.0	199.0	N/Q	-			738	- 738	738
	FD	C	3	1	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	-			1092	- 1092	1092
	RS	C	2	7	196.0	- 196.0	196.0	N/Q	-			815	- 815	815
	FD	C	3	17	260.0	- 299.0	294.8	4	-			1183	- 1274	1264
				61	196.0	319.0			423	423		738	1274	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	RS	C	2	9	261.0	- 261.0	261.0	N/Q	-			723	- 723	723
280-330	RS	C	2	49	158.0	- 299.0	276.9	N/Q	-			476	- 953	851
	FD	C	2	8	278.0	- 278.0	278.0	8	-			901	- 901	901
330-400	FD	C	2	12	260.0	- 278.0	276.5	2	-			910	- 1068	1054
		C	2	1	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	415	- 415	415	880	- 880	880
400+	RS	C	2	45	160.0	- 293.0	275.6	3	-			581	- 1048	970
	FD	C	3	4	294.0	- 294.0	294.0	16	-			1038	- 1038	1038
	RS	C	3	29	250.0	- 294.0	277.4	31	-			860	- 1155	1013
	FD	C	2	11	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	-30	-			1030	- 1030	1030
	RS	C	2	14	278.0	- 278.0	278.0	14	-			1126	- 1126	1126
				182	158.0	299.0			415	415		476	1155	
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	2	5	254.0	- 254.0	254.0	-5	-			1209	- 1209	1209
	FD	C	3	103	258.0	- 299.0	283.8	29	-			1208	- 1366	1295
		C	3	31	274.0	- 285.0	281.1	23	498	- 518	511	1343	- 1397	1370
500-600		C	3	26	220.0	- 268.0	247.0	11	400	- 487	449	1232	- 1378	1336
600-750		C	3	6	208.0	- 227.0	216.5	-6	378	- 413	394	1352	- 1385	1362
750+		C	3	2	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	291	- 291	291	1389	- 1389	1389
				173	160.0	299.0			291	518		1208	1397	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	RS	C	2	8	279.0	- 279.0	279.0	N/Q	-			1250	- 1250	1250
		C	3	2	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	333	- 333	333	864	- 864	864
	FD	C	3	5	258.0	- 258.0	258.0	-19	-			1099	- 1099	1099
540+	RS	C	3	32	259.0	- 270.0	265.4	36	-			1124	- 1231	1187
		C	4	1	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	287	- 287	287	798	- 798	798
		C	3	1	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	352	- 352	352	1302	- 1302	1302
		C	4	1	159.0	- 159.0	159.0	N/Q	294	- 294	294	1121	- 1121	1121
				50	155.0	279.0			287	352		798	1302	
Cows														
400-520	FD	D	2	8	164.0	- 164.0	164.0	N/Q	-			769	- 769	769
		D	3	6	149.0	- 149.0	149.0	N/C	287	- 287	287	741	- 741	741
520+		D	2	3	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	323	- 323	323	891	- 891	891
	RS	D	2	7	157.0	- 157.0	157.0	N/Q	-			865	- 865	865
	RS	D	3	4	177.0	- 177.0	177.0	-2	-			1253	- 1253	1253
		D	3	13	163.0	- 170.0	167.9	21	314	- 327	323	957	- 1157	1025
		D	4	17	160.0	- 177.0	164.0	N/Q	308	- 354	319	988	- 1243	1058
				58	149.0	177.0			287	354		741	1253	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	10	235.0	- 280.0	266.5	N/Q	-			582	- 975	659

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450-600	FD	C	3	10	236.0	- 281.0	262.8	N/Q	-			745	- 991	816
		C	3	1	143.0	- 143.0	143.0	N/Q	255	- 255	255	465	- 465	465
		C	3	2	149.0	- 153.0	151.0	N/Q	271	- 273	272	849	- 857	853
600+	FD	C	3	4	214.0	- 214.0	214.0	N/Q	-			974	- 974	974
		B	3	2	123.0	- 129.0	126.0	N/Q	212	- 222	217	1438	- 1451	1445
		C	2	5	120.0	- 151.0	134.8	-5	218	- 275	245	917	- 1231	1095
		C	3	6	129.0	- 145.0	137.7	-8	230	- 264	247	906	- 1612	1309
				40	120.0	281.0			212	275		465	1612	

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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