

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Pakenham

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Yarding Change ²²⁴⁴
682

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There were approximately 1,000 export and 1,250 young cattle penned representing an increase of 700 head week-on-week. There was a large field of buyers present and operating in a mixed market. Quality was mixed, with a good supply of well finished vealers and a mixed offering of heavy weight export cattle. Young cattle to the trade sold mostly firm although the yearling heifers slipped 5c to 6c/kg. Feeder lines were mostly firm however secondary cattle struggled to attract competition in the latter stages of the sale. Grown steers and bullocks sold from 6c to 10c easier for most and up to 13c/kg in places. Crossbred manufacturing steers eased 2c/kg.

Heavy weight vealers suited to butcher orders sold from 280c to 323c/kg. Yearling trade steers made between 280c and 311c/kg. Yearling heifers to the trade sold between 253c and 315c/kg. Medium weight yearling feeder steers made from 253c to 305c, with the heifer portion from 262c to 295c/kg.

Grown steers sold from 267c to 293c/kg. Bullocks made between 272c and 288c/kg. Heavy weight Friesian manufacturing steers sold between 234c and 245c, with the crossbred portion between 250c and 280c/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	B	2	1	276.6	- 276.6	276.6	N/Q	-	-	-	664	- 664	664
	FD	C	2	17	282.0	- 292.0	286.3	-3	-	-	-	737	- 818	785
		C	2	4	290.0	- 295.0	291.3	N/Q	537	- 546	539	812	- 826	816
280-330	FD	B	2	5	298.0	- 300.0	299.2	1	-	-	-	900	- 954	921
		B	3	4	297.6	- 315.0	309.4	N/Q	522	- 554	541	893	- 1040	975
		C	2	13	272.0	- 292.6	280.3	N/Q	504	- 542	519	816	- 937	845
	FD	C	2	42	280.0	- 302.2	292.3	3	-	-	-	840	- 944	898
		C	3	19	292.0	- 310.0	301.1	1	531	- 564	547	876	- 1023	954
330+	FD	B	2	10	292.0	- 306.0	298.2	N/Q	-	-	-	993	- 1086	1033
		B	2	5	292.0	- 306.0	296.4	-1	512	- 528	518	1095	- 1168	1140
		B	3	21	305.0	- 322.6	314.2	2	535	- 566	548	1097	- 1254	1146
		C	2	3	280.0	- 292.0	285.7	N/Q	519	- 541	529	998	- 1064	1023
	FD	C	2	38	275.0	- 298.0	288.7	1	-	-	-	935	- 1073	1004
	FD	C	3	8	282.0	- 282.0	282.0	-14	-	-	-	1058	- 1058	1058
		C	3	46	288.0	- 312.6	302.6	-1	524	- 559	545	1022	- 1200	1098
				236	272.0	322.6		504	566		664	1254		
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		B	2	4	296.0	- 296.0	296.0	8	529	- 529	529	814	- 829	818
	FD	B	2	1	286.0	- 286.0	286.0	N/Q	-	-	-	801	- 801	801
	FD	C	2	7	288.2	- 288.2	288.2	N/Q	-	-	-	807	- 807	807
	RS	C	2	1	265.0	- 265.0	265.0	N/Q	-	-	-	636	- 636	636
		C	2	41	250.0	- 296.0	280.9	1	463	- 538	513	600	- 829	766
		C	3	1	297.2	- 297.2	297.2	N/Q	540	- 540	540	773	- 773	773
	FD	D	2	4	265.0	- 265.0	265.0	N/Q	-	-	-	689	- 689	689
280-330		B	2	3	309.6	- 309.6	309.6	18	543	- 543	543	929	- 929	929
		B	3	1	306.6	- 306.6	306.6	N/Q	538	- 538	538	920	- 920	920

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330+		C	2	7	267.0	- 286.0	276.1	2	494	- 520	509	840	- 908	883
	FD	C	2	7	268.0	- 286.0	280.6	3	-	-	804	- 944	854	
	FD	C	3	4	291.6	- 291.6	291.6	4	-	-	933	- 933	933	
		C	3	9	286.6	- 302.6	296.2	5	521	- 543	534	917	- 985	961
		D	3	1	273.0	- 273.0	273.0	N/Q	506	- 506	506	819	- 819	819
		B	2	2	300.0	- 300.0	300.0	N/Q	536	- 536	536	1050	- 1050	1050
		C	2	6	276.0	- 292.0	281.7	3	511	- 541	520	980	- 1007	999
	FD	C	2	5	272.6	- 286.0	283.1	3	-	-	927	- 1014	994	
		C	3	54	280.0	- 312.6	297.6	N/C	509	- 558	540	980	- 1747	1070
	D	3	4	280.0	- 286.0	283.0	6	519	- 530	524	952	- 1064	990	
				162	250.0	312.6		463	558		600	1747		
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	2	280.0	- 282.6	281.3	N/Q	-	-	735	- 784	759	
	FD	D	2	1	275.2	- 275.2	275.2	N/Q	-	-	716	- 716	716	
280-330	FD	C	2	3	280.0	- 287.6	282.5	2	-	-	840	- 920	867	
		C	3	2	291.6	- 291.6	291.6	N/Q	530	- 530	530	875	- 875	875
	FD	D	2	1	262.0	- 262.0	262.0	N/Q	-	-	786	- 786	786	
330-400	FD	B	1	1	275.0	- 275.0	275.0	N/Q	-	-	990	- 990	990	
	FD	B	2	5	300.6	- 305.0	304.1	N/Q	-	-	1067	- 1068	1067	
		B	2	3	275.6	- 310.6	298.9	-5	492	- 555	534	951	- 1149	1083
		C	2	1	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	537	- 537	537	986	- 986	986
	FD	C	2	34	253.2	- 290.6	274.6	-15	-	-	899	- 1104	983	
	FD	C	3	5	280.6	- 296.0	292.9	-5	-	-	1010	- 1051	1043	
		C	3	15	294.0	- 309.6	298.7	-5	535	- 553	541	1044	- 1238	1112
	FD	D	2	7	255.0	- 270.0	263.6	N/Q	-	-	893	- 1026	969	
		D	3	2	275.0	- 286.6	280.8	N/C	509	- 531	520	1018	- 1146	1082
400+		B	2	1	286.6	- 286.6	286.6	N/Q	512	- 512	512	1232	- 1232	1232
		C	2	4	262.0	- 280.0	270.2	-12	485	- 519	500	1179	- 1232	1202
	FD	C	2	38	272.0	- 292.6	283.0	5	-	-	1183	- 1346	1268	
	RS	C	2	9	272.6	- 272.6	272.6	N/Q	-	-	1295	- 1295	1295	
		C	3	17	280.0	- 290.0	288.5	-2	509	- 527	525	1232	- 1356	1317
	RS	D	2	1	246.6	- 246.6	246.6	N/Q	-	-	1036	- 1036	1036	
		D	3	8	263.2	- 282.0	272.3	N/Q	487	- 522	504	1105	- 1269	1202
				160	246.6	310.6		485	555		716	1356		
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	21	299.6	- 299.6	299.6	22	-	-	839	- 839	839	
		D	2	2	256.6	- 256.6	256.6	N/Q	494	- 494	494	718	- 718	718
280-330	FD	C	2	4	262.0	- 269.6	267.7	-13	-	-	786	- 890	864	
	FD	D	2	2	265.0	- 265.0	265.0	N/Q	-	-	848	- 848	848	
		D	2	3	232.2	- 245.6	241.1	-6	447	- 472	464	766	- 786	779
		D	3	4	255.0	- 278.0	272.3	-8	481	- 515	506	842	- 890	878
	FD	D	3	9	277.6	- 279.6	279.4	23	-	-	916	- 923	922	
330-400		B	2	5	294.6	- 294.6	294.6	-13	526	- 526	526	1031	- 1031	1031
	FD	B	2	2	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	-	-	1003	- 1033	1018	
	FD	C	2	35	261.6	- 286.0	269.6	-20	-	-	889	- 1060	962	

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400+		C	3	8	294.0	- 314.6	297.7	N/Q	535	- 562	540	1014	- 1210	1080
		D	2	12	233.6	- 266.6	244.7	-1	449	- 503	469	794	- 960	853
		RS	D	2	2	211.6	- 211.6	211.6	N/Q	-	-	741	- 741	741
		FD	D	2	17	263.6	- 276.6	269.0	5	-	-	940	- 949	945
		FD	D	3	6	278.6	- 278.6	278.6	-2	-	-	975	- 975	975
		D	3	58	255.0	- 286.6	267.9	-6	481	- 531	501	911	- 1146	991
		C	2	14	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	482	- 482	482	1118	- 1118	1118
		C	3	8	296.6	- 296.6	296.6	7	530	- 530	530	1246	- 1246	1246
		D	2	6	243.6	- 243.6	243.6	N/Q	469	- 469	469	1072	- 1072	1072
		D	3	88	252.6	- 276.0	269.2	-5	468	- 511	501	1122	- 1447	1232
	D	4	1	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	N/C	472	- 472	472	1084	- 1084	1084	
				307	211.6	314.6		447	562		718	1447		
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	2	44	265.0	- 292.6	285.6	7	-	-	1193	- 1410	1353	
	RS	C	2	2	265.0	- 265.0	265.0	N/Q	-	-	1259	- 1259	1259	
	FD	D	3	9	268.0	- 268.0	268.0	-16	-	-	1233	- 1233	1233	
500-600		C	2	56	266.6	- 275.6	269.4	-13	489	- 510	498	1424	- 1568	1481
	FD	C	2	52	275.6	- 288.6	279.9	N/Q	-	-	1441	- 1571	1500	
		C	3	31	286.2	- 288.6	286.9	-10	520	- 525	522	1558	- 1660	1630
		D	3	183	268.0	- 292.6	282.9	-6	496	- 532	518	1420	- 1740	1595
	FD	D	3	39	286.0	- 292.6	289.2	-1	-	-	1522	- 1573	1548	
600-750		C	2	5	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	7	509	- 509	509	1764	- 1764	1764
		C	3	11	283.6	- 285.0	283.9	-6	506	- 509	507	1815	- 1853	1822
		C	4	42	283.6	- 288.0	286.0	N/Q	506	- 524	516	1901	- 1928	1913
		D	3	82	272.0	- 283.0	278.7	-13	504	- 522	511	1686	- 1840	1780
				556	265.0	292.6		489	532		1193	1928		
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	2	2	217.6	- 217.6	217.6	N/Q	435	- 435	435	870	- 870	870
		D	3	27	243.6	- 259.6	249.3	-7	469	- 490	477	1173	- 1402	1274
		D	4	4	225.6	- 225.6	225.6	N/Q	434	- 434	434	1218	- 1218	1218
540+		C	3	2	260.6	- 260.6	260.6	N/Q	483	- 483	483	1433	- 1433	1433
		D	3	8	236.6	- 274.0	260.3	-10	438	- 507	488	1360	- 1754	1594
		D	4	5	210.0	- 253.6	236.2	-27	389	- 470	437	1155	- 1395	1299
				48	210.0	274.0		389	507		870	1754		
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540	DA	D	1	10	216.0	- 218.6	217.0	N/Q	432	- 437	434	972	- 1049	1003
		D	1	2	190.0	- 235.0	212.5	N/Q	380	- 470	425	722	- 1222	972
	RS	D	1	2	225.0	- 225.0	225.0	N/Q	-	-	990	- 990	990	
	RS	D	2	8	237.6	- 242.0	240.9	-22	-	-	784	- 1271	1149	
		D	2	18	217.6	- 253.6	239.9	-11	419	- 488	455	805	- 1307	1104
	DA	D	2	11	215.0	- 236.6	234.6	N/C	422	- 455	452	1075	- 1254	1238
		D	3	6	266.6	- 268.0	267.3	-2	496	- 503	500	1273	- 1386	1330
	FD	D	3	7	246.0	- 246.0	246.0	N/Q	-	-	1132	- 1132	1132	
	RS	D	3	6	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	-	-	1300	- 1300	1300	

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540+		D	2	16	241.6	- 260.0	253.3	N/Q	456	- 491	478	1353	- 1530	1438	
	DA	D	2	33	233.6	- 245.6	242.4	N/Q	449	- 472	466	1343	- 1595	1514	
		D	3	99	254.6	- 280.0	265.5	-2	472	- 519	493	1455	- 1960	1602	
	DA	D	3	2	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	N/Q	454	- 454	454	1593	- 1593	1593	
		D	4	1	256.6	- 256.6	256.6	N/Q	475	- 475	475	1668	- 1668	1668	
				221	190.0	280.0					380	519		722	1960

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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