

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Mount Barker

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Numbers were back for a total yarding of 1,140 mixed quality weaners. Weaners suitable for live export sold well, with strong buyer competition.

Heavy steers over 330kg made 260c to 340c and averaged 320c/kg to remain firm. Heavy weight store steers sold to 230c/kg. Medium weight steers, 280-330kg, sold from 264c to 334c to average 320c and were 10c dearer while the medium weight store steers sold from 230c to 300c to average 265c/kg. Lighter weights under 280kg made 291c to 336c to average 312c, back 5c/kg.

Heavy weight heifers rose by 8c, selling from 260c to 305c to average 294c/kg. Medium weights sold for 230c to 301c to average 271c, down 14c/kg. Light weights sold from 250c to 299c and averaged 278c, up 5c/kg. Bulls weighing under 450kg were up 30c, selling from 220c to 329c to average 285c/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														
0-200	RS	C	2	2	291.0	- 291.0	291.0	N/Q	-	-	-	562	- 562	562
200-280	RS	C	2	16	320.0	- 336.0	334.1	-6	-	-	-	687	- 864	808
	FD	C	3	2	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	-	-	-	820	- 820	820
	RS	C	3	16	308.0	- 333.0	327.9	-2	-	-	-	816	- 909	860
280-330	RS	C	2	2	230.0	- 300.0	265.0	N/Q	-	-	-	656	- 855	755
	FD	C	3	73	280.0	- 327.0	314.1	-3	-	-	-	885	- 1053	1002
	LE	C	3	81	318.0	- 330.0	326.3	N/Q	578	- 611	597	990	- 1063	1022
330+	RS	C	3	54	264.0	- 334.0	320.2	13	-	-	-	826	- 1030	969
	RS	C	2	1	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	-	-	-	805	- 805	805
	LE	C	3	52	316.0	- 323.0	319.7	-10	575	- 582	578	1059	- 1251	1133
	FD	C	3	324	260.0	- 340.0	319.5	6	-	-	-	1014	- 1337	1172
	RS	C	3	22	315.0	- 323.0	319.4	4	-	-	-	1055	- 1134	1098
				645	230.0	340.0			575	611		562	1337	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	C	2	2	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q	-	-	-	470	- 470	470
	RS	C	3	4	299.0	- 299.0	299.0	29	-	-	-	517	- 517	517
200-280	RS	C	2	12	276.0	- 280.0	278.3	11	-	-	-	618	- 624	622
	RS	C	3	17	260.0	- 280.0	267.9	1	-	-	-	655	- 715	697
	FD	C	3	17	267.0	- 288.0	281.3	10	-	-	-	729	- 776	762
	LE	C	3	32	275.0	- 296.0	289.3	13	519	- 559	549	663	- 814	770
280-330	RS	C	2	7	242.0	- 242.0	242.0	N/Q	-	-	-	685	- 685	685
	LE	C	3	79	279.0	- 292.0	287.7	-11	515	- 543	533	784	- 937	854
	FD	C	3	93	250.0	- 301.0	287.3	10	-	-	-	750	- 981	886
	RS	C	3	77	230.0	- 293.0	266.6	-14	-	-	-	673	- 950	834
330+	RS	C	3	18	285.0	- 305.0	292.8	8	-	-	-	1012	- 1043	1024
	FD	C	3	96	260.0	- 298.0	287.9	4	-	-	-	941	- 1195	1026
	LE	C	3	5	301.0	- 301.0	301.0	N/Q	547	- 547	547	1020	- 1020	1020

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				459	230.0	305.0			515	559		470	1195	
Bulls														
0-450	LE	C	3	26	220.0	- 329.0	288.4	37	400	- 598	524	751	- 1015	853
	FD	C	3	2	239.0	- 239.0	239.0	N/Q		-		1011	- 1011	1011
				28	220.0	329.0			400	598		751	1015	

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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