

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Pakenham

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154

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There were approximately 400 cows and 20 bulls penned representing an increase of 150 head week-on-week. The usual buying group was back in attendance and operating in a generally firm market. Quality was mixed with a good selection of heavy weight beef cows with a little more yield potential than last sale, while lighter and leaner grades were well supplied. Heavy weight cows sold generally firm, with some a few cents dearer and some a few cents cheaper, while the lighter drafts eased a few cents overall. Heavy weight bulls sold firm.

Most light and medium weight cows sold from 165c to 217c/kg. Heavy weight cows made mostly between 192c and 249c/kg. Restocking cows sold mostly between 184c and 209c/kg. Heavy weight bulls made from 259c to 294c/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
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	2	1	255.6	- 255.6	255.6	N/Q	482	- 482	482	1380	- 1380	1380
	RS	D	2	1	201.6	- 201.6	201.6	N/Q	-			857	- 857	857
		D	2	1	219.6	- 219.6	219.6	N/Q	448	- 448	448	1032	- 1032	1032
		D	3	4	229.6	- 247.6	243.1	-5	459	- 476	472	1033	- 1188	1150
540+		D	3	2	238.6	- 249.6	244.1	N/Q	442	- 480	461	1423	- 1551	1487
		D	4	2	249.6	- 250.6	250.1	N/Q	471	- 482	476	1453	- 1498	1476
				11	201.6	255.6			442	482		857	1551	
Cows														
0-400		D	1	1	184.6	- 184.6	184.6	N/Q	420	- 420	420	701	- 701	701
		E	1	6	172.6	- 172.6	172.6	-7	432	- 432	432	690	- 690	690
	RS	E	1	9	143.6	- 167.6	161.6	4	-			531	- 603	576
	DA	E	1	7	164.6	- 170.0	168.5	N/Q	412	- 425	421	617	- 680	662
400-520		C	1	4	216.6	- 216.6	216.6	N/Q	442	- 442	442	1083	- 1083	1083
		C	2	1	216.6	- 216.6	216.6	N/Q	433	- 433	433	1126	- 1126	1126
	RS	D	1	23	184.2	- 208.6	189.4	-3	-			781	- 918	820
		D	1	57	179.6	- 208.6	193.1	-9	399	- 464	430	754	- 1000	877
	DA	D	1	6	186.6	- 186.6	186.6	1	424	- 424	424	858	- 858	858
		D	2	36	189.6	- 234.6	213.2	N/C	412	- 479	451	885	- 1173	1024
	RS	D	2	8	193.6	- 216.6	209.2	N/Q	-			865	- 953	922
		D	3	4	205.0	- 234.6	220.7	-7	418	- 479	450	974	- 1220	1088
		D	4	1	223.6	- 223.6	223.6	N/Q	447	- 447	447	1163	- 1163	1163
		E	1	11	170.0	- 192.0	181.6	2	395	- 440	422	714	- 864	780
	RS	E	1	17	153.6	- 200.0	171.0	-3	-			676	- 880	744
	DA	E	1	15	170.0	- 186.6	178.6	15	406	- 444	418	714	- 903	823
	DA	E	2	1	189.6	- 189.6	189.6	N/Q	421	- 421	421	872	- 872	872
520+		C	1	5	218.6	- 218.6	218.6	2	437	- 437	437	1224	- 1224	1224
		C	2	10	223.6	- 248.6	238.9	10	430	- 478	454	1275	- 1554	1404
		C	3	1	248.2	- 248.2	248.2	N/Q	460	- 460	460	1551	- 1551	1551
	DA	D	1	5	191.6	- 197.6	192.8	6	417	- 430	423	1092	- 1284	1134

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		D	1	9	207.6	- 210.0	209.7	6	451	- 457	456	1121	- 1176	1170
		D	2	18	205.0	- 225.0	213.4	-12	427	- 469	446	1090	- 1268	1153
	DA	D	2	12	200.0	- 206.6	204.8	N/Q	426	- 430	428	1200	- 1384	1331
	DA	D	3	1	224.6	- 224.6	224.6	N/Q	449	- 449	449	1572	- 1572	1572
		D	3	56	216.6	- 248.6	236.9	N/C	442	- 497	468	1212	- 1518	1357
		D	4	24	223.0	- 242.0	232.3	-3	446	- 484	464	1204	- 1682	1383
	DA	E	1	14	168.6	- 191.6	184.0	N/Q	418	- 436	427	961	- 1092	1026
				362	143.6	248.6			395	497		531	1682	
Bulls														
450-600		C	2	2	213.6	- 239.6	226.6	N/Q	396	- 444	420	983	- 1198	1090
		D	2	1	221.6	- 221.6	221.6	N/Q	418	- 418	418	1108	- 1108	1108
600+		B	2	3	266.6	- 280.6	273.6	N/Q	456	- 468	461	1964	- 2133	2050
	RS	B	2	2	280.6	- 293.6	287.1	N/Q	-	-	-	2034	- 2422	2228
	RS	C	2	1	258.6	- 258.6	258.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1746	- 1746	1746
		C	2	3	266.6	- 268.6	267.6	1	476	- 488	481	1880	- 2666	2318
		C	3	1	266.6	- 266.6	266.6	N/Q	460	- 460	460	2399	- 2399	2399
		C	4	1	283.6	- 283.6	283.6	N/Q	489	- 489	489	2694	- 2694	2694
				14	213.6	293.6			396	489		983	2694	

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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