

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Naracoorte

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Agents penned a reduced sized yarding of cattle, with quality from average too good for the current field of buyers. Most participated fully and offered unchanged to mainly higher prices in the order of 5c to 10c/kg. Grown steers were scarce but supplementary fed yearlings were in good supply in the smaller yarding. The penning was made up of 399 live weight cattle, 101 cows, 18 open auction young cattle and 25 bulls.

Yearlings made up the bulk of the young cattle offering, with the C2 and C3 grades from 280c to 345c and supplementary fed types started at 310c/kg. Restockers paid to 342c and purchased much of the offering and nearly all of the few vealers that were penned.

Only a dozen or so grown steers came forward and sold at 280c, 316c and 325c/kg. The C3 and C4 score grown heifers made 266c to 298c with a single at 310c/kg. Restockers purchased most of the E1 cows and paid from 164c to 221c/kg. Processors paid 200c to 210c for D1 cows and from 230c to 247c for the 2 to 4 scores, with top sales at 254c and 260c/kg. The B2 heavy weight bulls were also slightly dearer and made from 235c to 265c/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														
280-330	RS	C	2	1	327.0	- 327.0	327.0	N/Q	-	-	-	965	- 965	965
				1	327.0	327.0			0	0		965	965	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	6	294.0	- 294.0	294.0	N/Q	555	- 555	555	764	- 764	764
	RS	C	2	4	342.0	- 342.0	342.0	N/Q	-	-	-	787	- 787	787
280-330	RS	C	2	9	286.0	- 292.0	289.3	N/Q	-	-	-	847	- 858	852
		C	2	1	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	567	- 567	567	885	- 885	885
				20	286.0	342.0			555	567		764	885	
Yearling Steer														
280-330		C	2	5	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	539	- 539	539	910	- 910	910
	RS	C	2	33	275.0	- 345.0	336.1	9	-	-	-	866	- 1085	1045
330-400	RS	C	2	27	310.0	- 334.0	324.0	2	-	-	-	1070	- 1246	1173
	FD	C	2	8	326.0	- 326.0	326.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1271	- 1271	1271
	RS	C	3	3	318.0	- 330.0	326.0	2	-	-	-	1097	- 1271	1213
		C	3	10	325.0	- 342.0	334.8	18	613	- 622	619	1121	- 1334	1247
	DA	D	2	1	232.0	- 232.0	232.0	N/Q	474	- 474	474	812	- 812	812
400+	FD	C	2	27	318.0	- 329.0	324.8	N/Q	-	-	-	1349	- 1472	1399
	FD	C	3	26	321.0	- 328.0	326.3	5	-	-	-	1591	- 1635	1607
		C	3	18	324.0	- 328.0	324.7	6	600	- 607	601	1507	- 1525	1510
		D	2	1	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	540	- 540	540	1283	- 1283	1283
				159	232.0	345.0			474	622		812	1635	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	RS	C	2	2	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	-	-	-	826	- 826	826
280-330	RS	C	2	1	287.0	- 287.0	287.0	N/Q	-	-	-	847	- 847	847
		C	3	2	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	N/Q	593	- 593	593	1024	- 1024	1024
330-400	RS	C	2	9	309.0	- 310.0	309.7	10	-	-	-	1051	- 1132	1105

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400+		C	3	39	310.0	- 328.0	321.7	7	594	- 611	603	1070	- 1168	1134
	RS	C	3	11	318.0	- 318.0	318.0	N/Q	-			1145	- 1145	1145
		C	2	9	254.0	- 274.0	265.1	N/Q	508	- 537	524	1168	- 1274	1227
		C	3	42	286.0	- 332.0	320.4	4	550	- 615	600	1345	- 1680	1426
		C	4	18	326.0	- 326.0	326.0	16	593	- 593	593	1712	- 1712	1712
	RS	D	1	2	225.0	- 225.0	225.0	N/Q	-			923	- 923	923
	DA	D	2	1	235.0	- 235.0	235.0	N/Q	480	- 480	480	1022	- 1022	1022
				136	225.0	332.0		480	615		826	1712		
Grown Steer														
500-600		C	3	7	280.0	- 325.0	316.0	3	528	- 613	596	1582	- 1804	1767
600-750		C	3	2	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	528	- 528	528	1778	- 1778	1778
750+		C	4	1	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	N/Q	472	- 472	472	2180	- 2180	2180
				10	255.0	325.0		472	613		1582	2180		
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	1	310.0	- 310.0	310.0	N/Q	585	- 585	585	1643	- 1643	1643
540+		C	3	22	270.0	- 298.0	287.6	23	529	- 573	556	1568	- 1684	1637
		C	4	1	266.0	- 266.0	266.0	N/Q	502	- 502	502	1982	- 1982	1982
		D	2	9	258.0	- 265.0	264.2	N/Q	527	- 530	530	1419	- 1444	1441
				33	258.0	310.0		502	585		1419	1982		
Cows														
0-400		E	1	1	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	452	- 452	452	684	- 684	684
400-520	DA	D	1	5	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	455	- 455	455	900	- 900	900
		D	1	1	208.0	- 208.0	208.0	N/Q	462	- 462	462	936	- 936	936
		D	2	1	218.0	- 218.0	218.0	N/Q	464	- 464	464	1090	- 1090	1090
520+	RS	E	1	26	164.0	- 221.0	210.7	N/Q	-			672	- 950	896
		C	2	31	230.0	- 246.0	235.9	N/Q	469	- 502	486	1288	- 1506	1377
		C	3	6	247.0	- 260.0	251.3	N/Q	504	- 510	506	1544	- 1937	1675
		C	4	17	245.0	- 260.0	253.3	N/Q	480	- 508	504	1678	- 1781	1766
		C	5	3	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	451	- 451	451	1495	- 1495	1495
		D	1	3	206.0	- 210.0	208.7	N/Q	458	- 477	471	1082	- 1176	1145
		D	2	2	205.0	- 233.0	219.0	N/Q	446	- 496	471	1281	- 1398	1340
		E	1	2	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	417	- 417	417	919	- 919	919
				98	164.0	260.0		417	510		672	1937		
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	4	200.0	- 282.0	258.0	N/Q	377	- 532	487	710	- 1218	1035
450-600		C	2	1	248.0	- 248.0	248.0	N/Q	468	- 468	468	1327	- 1327	1327
		C	3	1	264.0	- 264.0	264.0	N/Q	489	- 489	489	1307	- 1307	1307
		D	1	1	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	408	- 408	408	1160	- 1160	1160
600+	B	1	1	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	407	- 407	407	1617	- 1617	1617	
	B	2	18	235.0	- 265.0	253.5	N/Q	435	- 473	460	1569	- 2483	1938	
	C	1	1	238.0	- 238.0	238.0	N/Q	449	- 449	449	1559	- 1559	1559	
	C	2	3	230.0	- 242.0	237.3	-3	434	- 457	448	1656	- 1718	1681	
				30	200.0	282.0		377	532		710	2483		

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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