

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Naracoorte

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Yarding Change 730  
-300

comparison date 21/06/2016

Agents yarded a smaller number of 730 head of liveweight and open auction cattle. An extra trade and processor buyer added to the usual array as a major domestic buyer returned to add to the high prices on offer in yet another dearer market. The good quality of recent weeks continued with more grain assisted cattle on offer. More restocker orders were present and they participated in the paying the high prices with strong bidding as they sought supply. We also witnessed the SA young auctioneer competition which was won by Jack Coleman of Elders Jamestown.

Yearling steers were in demand with strong trade, restocker and feeder competition. The trade were active ranging from 349c to 387c as these cattle lifted by over 30c/kg. Restockers and feeders also added to the buoyant prices as they purchased ranging from mainly 335c to 389c/kg. Yearling heifers were also received the benefit of a 20c to 30c rise in price as the trade were active ranging from 342c to 372c with restockers seeking supply ranging from 333c to 352c/kg.

Grown steers to the trade ranged from 347c to 360c for a limited supply as they rose by 20c/kg. Grown heifers received the largest price rise as they jumped by a huge 35c to 45c as the trade were active ranging from mainly 310c to 355c/kg. A similar number of cows came forward with only a small lift of 4c/kg. Lightweight D2 cows ranged from 210c to 265c with the heavier D3 and D4 selection ranging from 265c to 288c/kg. Bulls ranged from mainly 240c to 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
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
280-330	RS	C	2	6	360.0	- 360.0	360.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1188	- 1188	1188
	RS	C	3	8	380.0	- 389.0	387.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1128	- 1146	1132
330-400	RS	C	2	1	355.0	- 355.0	355.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1243	- 1243	1243
	RS	C	3	1	335.0	- 335.0	335.0	N/C	-	-	-	1173	- 1173	1173
		C	3	14	349.0	- 380.0	373.1	47	635	- 691	678	1278	- 1351	1294
	FD	C	3	1	347.0	- 347.0	347.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1284	- 1284	1284
	RS	D	2	3	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	-30	-	-	-	972	- 972	972
400+		B	3	4	355.0	- 379.0	370.3	N/Q	634	- 689	667	1697	- 1781	1721
	RS	C	3	11	357.0	- 360.0	359.7	32	-	-	-	1517	- 1584	1578
	FD	C	3	8	360.0	- 360.0	360.0	12	-	-	-	1476	- 1476	1476
		C	3	38	354.0	- 387.0	375.1	39	644	- 704	682	1556	- 1893	1814
				<b>95</b>	<b>270.0</b>	<b>389.0</b>			<b>634</b>	<b>704</b>		<b>972</b>	<b>1893</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	3	6	333.0	- 346.0	339.5	N/Q	-	-	-	932	- 969	951
280-330		C	3	7	358.0	- 358.0	358.0	28	663	- 663	663	1181	- 1181	1181
330-400	RS	C	2	2	345.0	- 345.0	345.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1173	- 1173	1173
		C	2	2	355.0	- 356.0	355.5	N/Q	657	- 659	658	1210	- 1243	1226
		C	3	28	350.0	- 372.0	354.1	21	648	- 689	656	1232	- 1440	1276
	RS	C	3	6	350.0	- 350.0	350.0	33	-	-	-	1400	- 1400	1400
		C	4	1	364.0	- 364.0	364.0	N/Q	674	- 674	674	1383	- 1383	1383
400+	RS	C	2	8	352.0	- 352.0	352.0	63	-	-	-	1584	- 1584	1584
	RS	C	3	20	348.0	- 350.0	349.3	N/Q	-	-	-	1435	- 1571	1486
		C	3	44	342.0	- 370.0	362.8	32	633	- 685	672	1483	- 1813	1690
				<b>124</b>	<b>333.0</b>	<b>372.0</b>			<b>633</b>	<b>689</b>		<b>932</b>	<b>1813</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>														

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
500-600		C	3	19	347.0	- 360.0	354.5	19	631	- 655	645	2018	- 2082	2026
	RS	C	3	8	353.0	- 353.0	353.0	N/Q		-		2047	- 2047	2047
				<b>27</b>	<b>347.0</b>	<b>360.0</b>			<b>631</b>	<b>655</b>		<b>2018</b>	<b>2082</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540		C	2	5	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	13	528	- 528	528	1482	- 1482	1482
		C	3	12	332.0	- 343.0	336.6	39	615	- 635	623	1660	- 1852	1740
540+	RS	C	2	2	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	N/Q		-		1760	- 1760	1760
	RS	C	3	12	330.0	- 348.0	339.0	N/Q		-		1984	- 2013	1998
		C	3	65	310.0	- 355.0	331.8	44	574	- 657	614	1832	- 2065	1917
				<b>96</b>	<b>285.0</b>	<b>355.0</b>			<b>528</b>	<b>657</b>		<b>1482</b>	<b>2065</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
520+		D	2	50	210.0	- 265.0	256.6	4	488	- 616	597	1134	- 1482	1439
		D	3	123	268.0	- 288.0	280.1	7	570	- 613	596	1608	- 1792	1725
		D	4	19	265.0	- 266.0	265.3	2	530	- 532	531	1749	- 1756	1751
				<b>192</b>	<b>210.0</b>	<b>288.0</b>			<b>488</b>	<b>616</b>		<b>1134</b>	<b>1792</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
600+		B	3	2	270.0	- 275.0	272.5	N/Q	474	- 483	478	2363	- 2613	2488
		C	2	3	220.0	- 268.0	252.0	22	400	- 487	458	1540	- 2278	2032
		C	3	19	240.0	- 280.0	265.1	4	429	- 500	473	2010	- 2783	2483
				<b>24</b>	<b>220.0</b>	<b>280.0</b>			<b>400</b>	<b>500</b>		<b>1540</b>	<b>2783</b>	

#### 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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