

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Numbers fell due to the wet conditions hampering delivery of stock to the sale yards. The quality of the offering was fair, with good numbers of grass finished and supplementary fed yearlings. The usual group of buyers were present and competing in a dearer market for some classes of trade cattle

The limited supply of quality vealers sold to robust competition, which caused prices to rise 10c to 20c/kg. The well finished veal offering achieved good yields and made from 390c to 425.6c/kg. Medium weight grass finished and supplementary fed heifers sold to weaker demand due to the increased supplies. The general run of medium weight heifers sold at 330c to 367c/kg. The good quality supply of grass finished and supplementary fed yearling steers suitable for the trade lifted 6c for the medium weights, making from 368c to 411c/kg.

Not all feed lot buyers operated and prices were mostly unchanged for the medium weights. Well-bred steers made from 347c to 378c, to average 354c/kg. There were less numbers of heifers suitable for lot feeding, which resulted in a drop in price 5c to average 351c/kg. There was a good quality offering of grown steers and bullocks to the usual group of export and domestic processors. Steady competition from processors for heavy steers and bullocks resulted in prices being firm to a few cents easier. The better quality pens of prime C3 steers and C4 bullocks made from 340c to 370c/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	6	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q	-	-	-	680	- 680	680
200-280	RS	C	2	5	403.2	- 403.2	403.2	N/Q	-	-	-	988	- 988	988
		C	2	16	417.0	- 420.0	417.8	20	745	- 778	753	980	- 1008	987
280-330	FD	C	2	15	370.0	- 399.2	395.3	N/Q	-	-	-	1138	- 1221	1149
330+		B	2	22	410.0	- 425.6	419.9	16	707	- 741	726	1421	- 1660	1628
	FD	C	2	12	392.0	- 392.0	392.0	15	-	-	-	1509	- 1509	1509
		C	2	5	370.0	- 370.0	370.0	-18	712	- 712	712	1425	- 1425	1425
		C	3	31	406.0	- 416.0	409.8	11	725	- 759	739	1390	- 1575	1550
				112	340.0	425.6			707	778		680	1660	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	32	375.0	- 412.2	408.1	25	694	- 763	756	989	- 1154	1105
280-330		B	2	4	399.0	- 399.0	399.0	3	713	- 713	713	1177	- 1177	1177
		C	2	18	388.0	- 418.0	398.0	N/Q	719	- 774	737	1164	- 1338	1214
330+		B	2	23	404.0	- 410.0	406.8	11	653	- 721	696	1499	- 1636	1560
		C	2	12	376.0	- 395.2	384.9	19	688	- 732	709	1328	- 1522	1456
		C	3	7	394.0	- 414.0	399.7	-1	730	- 767	740	1517	- 1615	1545
		D	3	2	333.2	- 333.2	333.2	N/Q	617	- 617	617	1150	- 1150	1150
				98	333.2	418.0			617	774		989	1636	
Yearling Steer														
280-330	RS	C	2	4	380.2	- 380.2	380.2	-1	-	-	-	1141	- 1141	1141
330-400	RS	C	2	7	353.2	- 371.2	366.1	N/Q	-	-	-	1377	- 1411	1401
	FD	C	2	10	350.0	- 389.2	357.8	-18	-	-	-	1400	- 1498	1420
		C	2	5	360.0	- 360.0	360.0	N/Q	667	- 667	667	1404	- 1404	1404
		C	3	12	388.0	- 415.0	404.9	19	693	- 741	723	1390	- 1656	1572
400+		C	2	33	352.0	- 385.0	369.5	7	663	- 715	687	1584	- 1867	1692

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	FD	C	2	101	347.2	- 378.2	360.6	-1	-				1435	- 1721	1604
		C	3	95	368.0	- 411.0	387.7	6	682	- 761	714		1507	- 1958	1735
	FD	D	2	2	342.0	- 342.0	342.0	N/Q	-				1419	- 1419	1419
				269	342.0	415.0			663	761		1141	1958		
Yearling Heifer															
200-280		D	2	12	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	500	- 500	500		728	- 728	728
280-330		C	2	4	357.0	- 357.0	357.0	N/Q	674	- 674	674		1017	- 1017	1017
330-400	FD	C	2	118	330.0	- 363.2	351.2	-5	-				1163	- 1375	1291
	RS	C	2	2	332.0	- 332.0	332.0	N/Q	-				1278	- 1278	1278
		C	3	102	330.0	- 380.2	354.9	-27	611	- 717	657		1106	- 1493	1312
		D	2	8	314.2	- 314.2	314.2	N/Q	604	- 604	604		1106	- 1106	1106
400+		C	3	92	348.0	- 378.2	354.4	1	644	- 700	656		1439	- 1834	1664
				338	260.0	380.2			500	717		728	1834		
Grown Steer															
400-500		C	3	5	379.2	- 379.2	379.2	N/Q	702	- 702	702		1896	- 1896	1896
500-600		C	3	215	336.0	- 370.6	355.1	-2	622	- 686	658		1727	- 2187	1969
	FD	C	3	10	342.0	- 342.0	342.0	N/Q	-				1748	- 1748	1748
		D	3	12	358.0	- 358.0	358.0	N/Q	663	- 663	663		2105	- 2105	2105
600-750		C	4	48	322.0	- 360.0	347.8	-3	596	- 667	644		1948	- 2200	2168
		D	4	2	318.2	- 318.2	318.2	N/Q	589	- 589	589		2011	- 2011	2011
				292	318.2	379.2			589	702		1727	2200		
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	3	19	321.2	- 348.0	335.3	13	595	- 644	621		1320	- 1677	1548
		C	4	26	348.0	- 350.0	348.1	23	644	- 648	645		1740	- 1851	1790
		D	2	5	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	-44	462	- 462	462		1015	- 1015	1015
	RS	D	2	11	286.0	- 286.0	286.0	N/Q	-				1210	- 1210	1210
		D	3	8	284.0	- 386.0	347.8	72	536	- 715	648		1377	- 1853	1675
		D	4	1	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	557	- 557	557		1505	- 1505	1505
540+		C	4	9	298.0	- 300.0	298.7	-1	562	- 566	564		1669	- 1788	1709
				79	240.0	386.0			462	715		1015	1853		
Manufacturing Steer															
0-540		D	2	11	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	13	558	- 558	558		1189	- 1189	1189
540+	DA	D	2	9	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	519	- 519	519		1485	- 1485	1485
		D	3	4	300.0	- 300.0	300.0	3	566	- 566	566		1788	- 1788	1788
				24	270.0	300.0			519	566		1189	1788		
Bulls															
0-450		B	2	1	332.0	- 332.0	332.0	N/Q	553	- 553	553		1145	- 1145	1145
				1	332.0	332.0			553	553		1145	1145		

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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