

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Mount Barker

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Yarding Change ¹⁸⁷³/₆₃₄

comparison date 03/11/2016

Numbers were up week-on-week in a mixed quality yarding of 1,873 cattle. The younger cattle remained firm and were dearer on the quality lines while the older cattle fell, with cows down on last week. Good numbers of slaughter and trade cattle saw prices ease up to 10c/kg on these categories.

Vealer steers over 330kg sold from 346c to 374c/kg. Medium weight steers sold from 360c to 396c/kg. Light weight steers sold from 322c to 416c, averaging 376c/kg. Vealer heifers over 330kg made 341c to 344c, medium weights sold from 330c to 352c and light weights returned 240c to 360c to average 342c/kg. Yearling steers were up 15c, selling from 280c to 370c to average 337c and yearling heifers made 240c to 350c to average 307c/kg.

Grown steers weighing 500-600kg fell 9c, ranging from 234c to 284c and averaging 274c/kg. Grown heifers over 500kg were down 10c, selling from 200c to 269c to average 231c/kg. Bullocks over 600kg remained firm, selling for 250c to 259c/kg. Prime 3 and 4 score cows were back 15c on last week, selling from 168c to 193c to average 182c/kg. Medium weight cows made 167c to 191c, store cows sold for 126c to 170c and overfat cows sold for 146c to 165c/kg. Heavy bulls made from 180c to 201c while light weight bulls sold from 260c to 355c/kg depending on quality.

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														
200-280	RS	B	3	1	373.0	- 373.0	373.0	N/Q	-			1044	- 1044	1044
	FD	C	2	9	322.0	- 322.0	322.0	-40	-			902	- 902	902
	RS	C	2	18	362.0	- 416.0	394.0	N/Q	-			746	- 998	913
	FD	C	3	15	387.0	- 400.0	395.3	N/Q	-			962	- 1084	1009
	RS	C	3	58	372.0	- 426.0	409.3	N/Q	-			943	- 1108	1030
280-330	RS	C	2	28	360.0	- 370.0	365.7	-6	-			1040	- 1055	1046
	RS	C	3	179	360.0	- 396.0	375.3	-12	-			1095	- 1200	1145
	FD	C	3	91	376.0	- 386.0	380.9	N/Q	-			1079	- 1230	1147
330+	RS	C	2	6	368.0	- 368.0	368.0	N/Q	-			1225	- 1225	1225
	FD	C	3	105	346.0	- 374.0	364.4	1	-			1199	- 1419	1297
	RS	C	3	48	345.0	- 366.0	356.0	-10	-			1156	- 1267	1221
				558	322.0	426.0			0	0		746	1419	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	C	3	1	360.0	- 360.0	360.0	N/Q	-			576	- 576	576
200-280	RS	C	2	4	240.0	- 337.0	312.8	N/Q	-			528	- 684	645
	RS	C	3	9	345.0	- 345.0	345.0	N/Q	-			852	- 852	852
	FD	C	3	38	334.0	- 357.0	349.4	12	-			796	- 992	926
280-330	FD	C	3	15	332.0	- 339.0	336.2	N/Q	-			950	- 1085	1031
	RS	C	3	49	330.0	- 352.0	341.1	N/C	-			947	- 1109	1048
330+	RS	C	3	11	342.0	- 344.0	342.9	15	-			1176	- 1241	1212
	FD	C	3	19	339.0	- 341.0	340.4	23	-			1166	- 1193	1175
				146	240.0	360.0			0	0		528	1241	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	RS	D	2	8	311.0	- 311.0	311.0	N/Q	-			833	- 833	833
280-330	RS	C	2	40	280.0	- 375.0	353.1	N/Q	-			896	- 1170	1109

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330-400	FD	C	3	35	363.0	- 370.0	368.0	N/Q	-			1172	- 1184	1181
	RS	C	2	9	357.0	- 357.0	357.0	N/Q	-			1246	- 1246	1246
	FD	C	3	58	355.0	- 369.0	362.8	4	-			1271	- 1343	1320
	RS	C	3	5	356.0	- 356.0	356.0	3	-			1282	- 1282	1282
400+	FD	C	3	56	310.0	- 350.0	339.6	23	-			1370	- 1474	1396
				211	280.0	375.0			0	0		833	1474	
Yearling Heifer														
280-330	RS	C	2	23	331.0	- 331.0	331.0	-2	-			930	- 930	930
	FD	C	3	17	320.0	- 322.0	320.5	-29	-			1014	- 1024	1022
	RS	C	3	18	350.0	- 350.0	350.0	N/Q	-			1141	- 1141	1141
330-400	FD	C	2	22	260.0	- 341.0	312.2	N/Q	-			1022	- 1264	1113
	RS	C	2	21	314.0	- 314.0	314.0	-11	-			1093	- 1093	1093
	FD	C	3	82	300.0	- 341.0	329.5	7	-			1059	- 1290	1202
400+	FD	C	3	31	260.0	- 300.0	278.7	-12	-			1140	- 1288	1248
		C	3	1	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	462	- 462	462	1008	- 1008	1008
				215	240.0	350.0			462	462		930	1290	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	C	2	6	319.0	- 319.0	319.0	N/Q	-			1257	- 1257	1257
400-500	RS	C	2	5	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	-			884	- 884	884
	RS	C	3	1	310.0	- 310.0	310.0	N/Q	-			1271	- 1271	1271
	FD	C	3	40	280.0	- 311.0	304.8	-3	-			1316	- 1454	1437
500-600	FD	C	3	7	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	-15	-			1488	- 1488	1488
		C	3	47	234.0	- 284.0	277.1	-4	450	- 536	523	1383	- 1585	1549
600-750		B	3	1	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q	463	- 463	463	1575	- 1575	1575
		C	3	12	231.0	- 259.0	253.5	-6	436	- 489	477	1444	- 1624	1587
				119	200.0	319.0			436	536		884	1624	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	3	12	266.0	- 275.0	269.8	-18	-			1224	- 1354	1300
	RS	C	3	2	210.0	- 220.0	215.0	N/Q	-			966	- 990	978
		C	3	7	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	12	509	- 509	509	1401	- 1401	1401
540+		C	3	3	200.0	- 222.0	214.7	-38	385	- 419	408	1190	- 1350	1297
		C	4	10	225.0	- 269.0	252.4	28	417	- 498	473	1475	- 1654	1517
	RS	C	4	1	227.0	- 227.0	227.0	N/Q	-			1249	- 1249	1249
				35	200.0	275.0			385	509		966	1654	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		D	3	5	225.0	- 229.0	226.6	-2	433	- 440	436	1564	- 1580	1570
				5	225.0	229.0			433	440		1564	1580	
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	5	2	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-			640	- 640	640
400-520	RS	D	2	10	126.0	- 152.0	133.8	N/Q	-			567	- 769	628
		D	2	14	150.0	- 170.0	162.5	-3	300	- 340	325	717	- 838	782
		D	3	8	167.0	- 191.0	182.3	-11	321	- 367	351	852	- 974	928
		D	4	5	170.0	- 180.0	172.0	N/Q	327	- 346	331	765	- 845	829
520+		D	2	2	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	330	- 330	330	866	- 866	866
		D	3	75	160.0	- 205.0	182.5	-17	308	- 394	351	893	- 1574	1091

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
		D	4	39	168.0	- 195.0	184.8	-12	317	- 368	344	1016	- 1453	1219
		D	5	8	146.0	- 165.0	155.0	-27	270	- 311	288	895	- 1208	1012
				163	126.0	205.0			270	394		567	1574	
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	2	300.0	- 300.0	300.0	N/Q		-		495	- 495	495
	LE	C	2	4	320.0	- 355.0	337.5	N/Q	640	- 710	675	720	- 1243	981
	LE	C	3	30	260.0	- 340.0	304.3	33	482	- 654	583	908	- 1320	1064
450-600	LE	C	3	7	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	491	- 491	491	1245	- 1245	1245
		C	3	3	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	-12	364	- 370	366	1040	- 1190	1107
600+		C	3	18	180.0	- 201.0	194.3	-3	327	- 366	353	1245	- 2167	1763
				64	180.0	355.0			327	710		495	2167	

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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