

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Pakenham

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Yarding Change ⁹⁷⁷/₈₃

comparison date 27/02/2017

There were approximately 550 export and 430 young cattle penned representing an increase of 80 head week-on-week. The usual buying group was present and operating, more selectively on the export grades, in a mixed but generally firm market. Quality declined with a plainer run of export cattle and a mixed selection of trade cattle containing some very good calves. Vealers eased 5c to 9c/kg off last week's highs. Yearling cattle to the trade sold mostly firm with the odd sale a little easier. Grown steers and bullocks sold from firm to 12c/kg cheaper with quality an issue. Heavy weight grown heifers eased 8c/kg. Heavy weight Friesian manufacturing steers slipped 8c and the crossbred portion 14c/kg.

Vealers to butchers sold from 332c to 366c/kg. Yearling trade steers made between 322c and 365c/kg. Yearling heifers to the trade sold between 290c and 357c/kg.

Grown steers made from 285c to 317c/kg. Bullocks sold from 292c to 315c/kg. Heavy weight grown heifers made between 260c and 290c/kg. Heavy weight Friesian manufacturing steers sold between 220c and 249c with the crossbred portion between 252c and 300c/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	FD	B	2	3	365.6	- 365.6	365.6	N/Q	-			1170	- 1170	1170
		B	3	2	355.0	- 360.0	357.5	N/Q	612	- 621	616	1136	- 1152	1144
	RS	C	2	1	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q	-			1088	- 1088	1088
		C	2	1	345.0	- 345.0	345.0	N/Q	-			1035	- 1035	1035
330+	FD	B	2	3	345.0	- 348.0	347.0	-9	-			1242	- 1253	1249
		B	2	4	347.2	- 356.6	350.7	-25	615	- 628	621	1215	- 1284	1245
		B	3	7	350.0	- 361.6	357.3	-4	614	- 643	632	1232	- 1446	1310
	FD	C	2	3	336.6	- 338.0	337.5	-10	-			1178	- 1183	1181
		C	3	18	335.0	- 355.0	348.3	-9	609	- 646	631	1207	- 1390	1286
		C	3	2	344.6	- 344.6	344.6	N/Q	-			1206	- 1206	1206
				44	335.0	365.6		609	646		1035	1446		
Vealer Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	10	317.6	- 330.0	326.8	-11	588	- 600	597	858	- 889	866
		C	2	3	322.0	- 322.0	322.0	N/Q	-			902	- 902	902
		RS	C	2	7	325.0	- 325.0	325.0	N/Q	-			910	- 910
	FD	C	3	2	345.0	- 346.0	345.5	N/Q	616	- 629	623	759	- 952	855
		D	2	1	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	-			767	- 767	767
280-330	FD	B	3	3	356.0	- 356.0	356.0	N/Q	625	- 625	625	1175	- 1175	1175
		C	2	8	315.6	- 332.0	323.9	-25	584	- 615	600	966	- 1096	1037
		C	3	7	335.0	- 345.0	340.0	N/Q	609	- 623	615	1005	- 1096	1040
	FD	D	3	9	314.0	- 332.0	323.8	N/Q	582	- 615	600	1005	- 1096	1058
		C	2	12	310.0	- 342.0	331.5	N/Q	-			992	- 1040	1021
330+	FD	B	2	5	350.0	- 350.0	350.0	N/Q	614	- 614	614	1190	- 1190	1190
		B	3	6	350.0	- 360.0	354.9	-4	614	- 643	626	1223	- 1296	1248
		C	3	31	332.0	- 358.6	342.8	-5	604	- 652	622	1129	- 1265	1199
	FD	D	3	1	326.6	- 326.6	326.6	N/Q	605	- 605	605	1110	- 1110	1110

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
					105	295.0	360.0			582	652		759	1296	
Yearling Steer															
200-280	FD	B	2	2	325.0	- 343.6	334.3	N/Q	-				756	- 845	800
330-400	FD	B	2	12	335.0	- 351.6	349.4	N/Q	-				1206	- 1317	1296
		B	2	3	345.6	- 345.6	345.6	N/Q	617	- 617	617		1382	- 1382	1382
	FD	C	2	17	315.0	- 330.6	323.3	-1	-				1071	- 1254	1177
		C	2	2	307.6	- 307.6	307.6	N/Q	580	- 580	580		1230	- 1230	1230
	RS	C	2	5	315.0	- 324.6	321.1	N/Q	-				1103	- 1171	1136
		C	3	3	325.0	- 340.0	332.3	-15	591	- 607	601		1190	- 1300	1228
	FD	D	2	1	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	-				1120	- 1120	1120
400+		B	3	1	364.6	- 364.6	364.6	N/Q	618	- 618	618		1823	- 1823	1823
		C	2	2	305.0	- 322.0	313.5	N/Q	565	- 596	581		1373	- 1417	1395
	FD	C	2	15	310.0	- 334.6	327.4	8	-				1385	- 1473	1426
		C	3	24	322.0	- 346.6	335.0	15	586	- 619	608		1407	- 1546	1449
	FD	D	3	19	316.0	- 316.0	316.0	N/Q	-				1422	- 1422	1422
		D	3	1	310.0	- 310.0	310.0	N/Q	574	- 574	574		1302	- 1302	1302
					107	280.0	364.6			565	619		756	1823	
Yearling Heifer															
200-280		D	2	1	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	547	- 547	547		754	- 754	754
280-330	FD	C	2	1	311.6	- 311.6	311.6	N/Q	-				1028	- 1028	1028
	RS	D	2	6	290.6	- 308.6	299.7	N/Q	-				930	- 1018	969
		D	2	6	280.0	- 285.0	284.2	N/Q	528	- 538	536		884	- 896	886
	FD	D	2	2	285.6	- 289.2	287.4	N/Q	-				868	- 928	898
		D	3	4	310.0	- 310.0	310.0	10	574	- 574	574		992	- 992	992
330-400		B	2	1	334.6	- 334.6	334.6	N/Q	608	- 608	608		1138	- 1138	1138
	FD	B	2	4	351.6	- 351.6	351.6	N/Q	-				1301	- 1301	1301
	FD	C	2	2	313.6	- 333.6	323.6	N/Q	-				1192	- 1268	1230
		C	2	3	313.0	- 313.0	313.0	N/Q	591	- 591	591		1142	- 1142	1142
		C	3	9	332.0	- 356.6	336.2	-7	604	- 637	609		1197	- 1336	1258
		D	2	7	254.6	- 288.0	276.8	-19	490	- 554	532		896	- 1018	995
	FD	D	2	2	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	N/Q	-				969	- 1012	990
		D	3	25	312.0	- 330.6	320.1	N/C	578	- 612	593		1068	- 1272	1177
400+		B	3	1	345.0	- 345.0	345.0	N/Q	616	- 616	616		1466	- 1466	1466
	RS	C	1	2	276.6	- 276.6	276.6	N/Q	-				1176	- 1176	1176
		C	2	6	290.0	- 310.0	302.5	N/Q	547	- 565	558		1373	- 1426	1401
		C	3	1	310.0	- 310.0	310.0	N/Q	574	- 574	574		1473	- 1473	1473
		D	3	23	289.6	- 314.0	306.3	-9	546	- 582	569		1245	- 1413	1344
					106	254.6	356.6			490	637		754	1473	
Grown Steer															
400-500		C	2	4	280.0	- 295.0	285.7	6	519	- 546	532		1269	- 1355	1306
	FD	C	2	3	285.6	- 285.6	285.6	N/Q	-				1200	- 1200	1200
		D	3	2	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	N/Q	582	- 582	582		1600	- 1600	1600
500-600	FD	B	2	1	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	N/Q	-				1496	- 1496	1496
		B	3	8	307.6	- 332.6	313.9	N/Q	549	- 594	560		1769	- 1829	1784
		C	2	33	286.0	- 306.6	292.7	N/Q	530	- 558	541		1537	- 1738	1630

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
600-750		C	3	14	306.0	- 315.6	310.1	-12	556	- 574	562	1657	- 1811	1711	
		D	3	92	295.0	- 316.6	308.6	-1	546	- 586	569	1576	- 1848	1730	
	RS	D	3	14	293.6	- 293.6	293.6	-10	-	-	-	1585	- 1585	1585	
		C	2	8	291.6	- 292.0	291.9	N/Q	540	- 541	541	1895	- 1898	1897	
		C	3	9	304.6	- 304.6	304.6	N/Q	544	- 544	544	1858	- 1858	1858	
		C	4	22	305.6	- 315.0	309.9	-5	546	- 573	558	1969	- 2063	2020	
750+		D	3	33	299.6	- 308.6	305.5	2	545	- 568	560	1916	- 2160	2020	
		C	4	6	298.0	- 298.0	298.0	10	532	- 532	532	2295	- 2295	2295	
				249	280.0	332.6		519	594		1200	2295			
Grown Heifer															
0-540		D	2	5	243.6	- 262.6	254.2	N/Q	508	- 525	513	1169	- 1313	1200	
	RS	D	2	3	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	-10	-	-	-	1100	- 1100	1100	
	DA	D	2	5	232.0	- 245.0	234.6	-7	483	- 490	485	1127	- 1230	1209	
		D	3	8	280.0	- 296.6	290.9	15	519	- 570	554	1254	- 1400	1316	
		D	4	6	246.6	- 265.0	249.7	N/Q	474	- 500	479	1332	- 1391	1342	
540+		D	3	17	262.6	- 290.0	283.3	-8	505	- 537	527	1523	- 1725	1580	
		D	4	4	259.6	- 259.6	259.6	N/Q	499	- 499	499	1454	- 1454	1454	
		E	4	1	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	460	- 460	460	1265	- 1265	1265	
				49	230.0	296.6		460	570		1100	1725			
Manufacturing Steer															
0-540	RS	D	1	16	231.6	- 235.0	232.5	8	-	-	-	1058	- 1204	1168	
	DA	D	1	3	218.6	- 218.6	218.6	-1	455	- 455	455	984	- 984	984	
		D	1	2	242.6	- 242.6	242.6	N/Q	476	- 476	476	1213	- 1213	1213	
		D	2	3	262.0	- 262.0	262.0	9	494	- 494	494	1231	- 1231	1231	
	RS	D	2	4	244.6	- 295.0	264.6	-22	-	-	-	1092	- 1423	1248	
	DA	D	2	4	240.0	- 245.0	243.5	N/Q	462	- 478	471	1200	- 1286	1263	
		D	3	9	271.6	- 288.0	277.6	-13	506	- 533	518	1309	- 1512	1424	
		FD	D	3	4	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1392	- 1450	1407
	540+	FD	B	2	2	288.6	- 288.6	288.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1732	- 1732	1732
		DA	D	1	2	220.0	- 232.0	226.0	N/Q	440	- 464	452	1320	- 1392	1356
		RS	D	2	10	263.6	- 263.6	263.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1476	- 1476	1476
		DA	D	2	14	237.2	- 248.6	242.1	-8	456	- 469	462	1613	- 1865	1721
			D	2	1	258.6	- 258.6	258.6	N/Q	497	- 497	497	1422	- 1422	1422
			D	3	56	252.0	- 300.0	281.9	-14	476	- 556	523	1539	- 2156	1723
			D	4	2	276.6	- 276.6	276.6	N/Q	512	- 512	512	2213	- 2213	2213
		D	5	4	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q	463	- 463	463	2250	- 2250	2250	
				136	218.6	300.0		440	556		984	2250			
Cows															
520+		D	4	7	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	N/Q	490	- 490	490	1403	- 1403	1403	
				7	255.0	255.0		490	490		1403	1403			
Bulls															
0-450		C	2	3	246.0	- 252.0	248.0	N/Q	456	- 467	459	882	- 984	950	
450-600		B	2	1	263.6	- 263.6	263.6	N/Q	455	- 455	455	1450	- 1450	1450	
				4	246.0	263.6		455	467		882	1450			

Abbreviations

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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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