

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Pakenham

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Yarding Change <sup>396</sup>/<sub>266</sub>

comparison date 18/04/2017

There were approximately 40 bulls and 360 cows penned, representing an increase of 270 head from the sale of a fortnight ago. The usual buying group was present and operating in a generally softer market. Quality was fair with most cows lacking finish and only a scattering of well covered heavy weights on offer. A limited selection of lighter weight cows suited to turn out sold to solid demand. Cows sold from firm to 10c/kg easier with quality and numbers affecting averages, while the larger offering of heavy weight bulls held firm.

Most light and medium weight cows sold from 170c to 245c/kg. Heavy weight cows made mostly between 214c and 276c/kg. Restocking cows sold between 159c and 257c/kg. Heavy weight bulls made from 259c to 318c/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>Grown Heifer</b>															
0-540		C	2	1	262.6	- 262.6	262.6	N/C	505	- 505	505	1182	- 1182	1182	
		D	2	4	249.6	- 264.6	260.9	-3	499	- 529	522	1257	- 1298	1267	
		DA	D	2	1	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	479	- 479	479	966	- 966	966
		D	3	3	275.6	- 300.2	290.1	9	530	- 556	544	1385	- 1621	1484	
540+		B	3	1	301.6	- 301.6	301.6	N/Q	539	- 539	539	1810	- 1810	1810	
		C	2	4	273.6	- 273.6	273.6	N/Q	526	- 526	526	1532	- 1532	1532	
		C	3	1	309.6	- 309.6	309.6	N/Q	573	- 573	573	1796	- 1796	1796	
		DA	D	2	1	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	490	- 490	490	1344	- 1344	1344
		D	3	2	268.0	- 295.0	281.5	N/Q	515	- 546	531	1474	- 1696	1585	
		D	4	1	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	519	- 519	519	1539	- 1539	1539	
				<b>19</b>	<b>230.0</b>	<b>309.6</b>			<b>479</b>	<b>573</b>		<b>966</b>	<b>1810</b>		
<b>Cows</b>															
0-400		D	1	1	235.0	- 235.0	235.0	N/Q	522	- 522	522	940	- 940	940	
		RS	D	1	1	223.6	- 223.6	223.6	N/Q	-	-	-	805	- 805	805
		RS	E	1	16	158.6	- 196.6	189.9	-24	-	-	-	555	- 786	707
		DA	E	1	3	151.6	- 151.6	151.6	-14	379	- 379	379	606	- 606	606
400-520		RS	D	1	17	212.6	- 245.6	232.5	N/Q	-	-	-	904	- 1228	1075
		D	1	17	210.0	- 229.6	215.7	-6	467	- 499	482	910	- 1058	953	
		D	2	16	226.6	- 245.0	232.3	-15	482	- 521	492	967	- 1225	1101	
		RS	D	2	1	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1127	- 1127	1127
		E	1	5	182.0	- 212.6	196.2	-9	432	- 483	450	865	- 1000	919	
		DA	E	1	30	170.0	- 208.0	179.5	-21	424	- 475	438	748	- 978	817
		RS	E	1	2	192.6	- 225.6	209.1	N/Q	-	-	-	828	- 948	888
		DA	E	2	3	219.6	- 240.6	233.6	N/Q	477	- 523	508	1043	- 1107	1086
520+		E	2	3	215.6	- 227.6	219.6	1	459	- 484	467	1013	- 1047	1025	
		C	1	5	235.0	- 235.0	235.0	N/Q	470	- 470	470	1340	- 1340	1340	
		C	2	16	238.6	- 265.0	258.9	-1	477	- 510	499	1312	- 1831	1523	
		RS	C	2	1	256.6	- 256.6	256.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1386	- 1386	1386
		C	3	2	268.0	- 275.6	271.8	N/C	496	- 510	503	1675	- 1764	1719	

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	DA	D	1	7	213.6	- 213.6	213.6	-12	464	- 464	464	1335	- 1335	1335
		D	1	9	215.6	- 227.6	218.3	-5	459	- 495	467	1143	- 1252	1167
		D	2	17	226.6	- 254.6	236.8	-9	482	- 530	498	1224	- 1389	1283
	DA	D	2	3	219.6	- 225.0	221.7	-13	458	- 479	469	1235	- 1463	1317
		D	3	44	245.0	- 264.6	255.5	-5	500	- 521	510	1313	- 1629	1439
		D	4	32	250.6	- 269.6	259.3	-7	490	- 537	509	1428	- 1925	1619
		D	5	5	245.6	- 253.6	247.2	5	491	- 507	494	1719	- 1775	1730
		E	1	1	204.6	- 204.6	204.6	N/Q	465	- 465	465	1125	- 1125	1125
	DA	E	1	40	176.6	- 210.0	197.0	-17	442	- 477	454	936	- 1184	1089
		E	2	1	234.6	- 234.6	234.6	N/Q	499	- 499	499	1267	- 1267	1267
		E	3	1	257.6	- 257.6	257.6	N/Q	515	- 515	515	1468	- 1468	1468
				<b>299</b>	<b>151.6</b>	<b>275.6</b>			<b>379</b>	<b>537</b>		<b>555</b>	<b>1925</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450		C	2	2	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	N/Q	472	- 472	472	944	- 944	944
	RS	C	2	5	300.6	- 340.6	331.8	N/Q		-		1142	- 1362	1288
	DA	D	2	1	204.6	- 204.6	204.6	N/Q	426	- 426	426	870	- 870	870
450-600		C	1	1	266.6	- 266.6	266.6	N/Q	513	- 513	513	1600	- 1600	1600
		C	2	3	243.6	- 243.6	243.6	N/Q	443	- 443	443	1340	- 1340	1340
	DA	D	2	1	246.6	- 246.6	246.6	N/Q	465	- 465	465	1480	- 1480	1480
600+		B	2	6	285.6	- 317.6	305.9	2	492	- 529	517	1999	- 3017	2633
		C	2	12	258.6	- 296.6	280.2	-5	462	- 530	502	1681	- 2521	2178
		C	3	2	307.6	- 315.6	311.6	N/Q	530	- 544	537	3076	- 3472	3274
	DA	D	1	1	239.6	- 239.6	239.6	N/Q	461	- 461	461	1917	- 1917	1917
	DA	D	2	1	267.6	- 267.6	267.6	N/Q	496	- 496	496	2275	- 2275	2275
				<b>35</b>	<b>204.6</b>	<b>340.6</b>			<b>426</b>	<b>544</b>		<b>870</b>	<b>3472</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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