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## **Detailed saleyard report - cattle**

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Numbers were back on last week's sale and the yarding of cattle was of fair to good quality, with all usual cattle buyers in attendance. Bullocks held firm on the previous weeks rates, while medium weight grown steers gained 4c/kg. There were mainly plainer sorts of grown heifers on offer and they sold to 2c/kg dearer. Cows were mixed in quality.

A few heavy weight yearling heifers sold to 153c and averaged 150c, down 15c/kg. Medium weight grown steers averaged around 173c, up 4c/kg. Good bullocks reached 177c and averaged 171c, unchanged on last weeks averages. Heavy weight grown heifers made to 164c and averaged 162c, up 2c/kg. A small sample of full mouth manufacturing gained 2c to average 168c/kg.

Medium weight 3 score cows earned to 143c and averaged 134c, down 3c, while medium weight 4 score cows hit 153c and averaged 146c, down 4c/kg. Heavy weight 4 score cows topped at 152c and averaged 149c, down 7c/kg. Heavy bulls averaged 152c/kg, unchanged on last weeks rates.

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
Yearling F	leifer														
0-330		С	2	2	168.2	- 168.2	168.2	N/Q	312	-	312	312	446 -	446	446
330-400		D	3	5	145.2	- 145.2	145.2	-10	269	-	269	269	545 -	545	545
400+		D	3	25	146.2	- 153.2	150.4	-15	271	-	284	279	658 -	743	709
				32	145.2	168.2	150.7		269		312	279	446	743	667
Grown Ste	eer														
400-500	FD	С	3	4	176.2	- 176.2	176.2	N/Q		-			881 -	881	881
		D	3	14	137.2	- 137.2	137.2	-8	250	-	250	250	686 -	686	686
		D	4	8	164.2	- 164.2	164.2	N/Q	299	-	299	299	821 -	821	821
500-600	FD	С	3	40	164.2	- 165.0	164.7	N/Q		-			842 -	862	849
		С	4	84	170.2	- 173.2	172.7	4	310	-	315	314	885 -	1022	957
		D	4	66	163.2	- 167.6	165.4	N/C	297	-	305	301	864 -	966	896
600-750		С	4	313	168.2	- 176.6	171.3	N/C	306	-	321	312	1043 -	1237	1094
		D	4	115	164.2	- 171.6	168.2	3	299	-	312	306	1024 -	1081	1071
				644	137.2	176.6	169.1		250		321	308	686	1237	1023
Grown He	ifer														
0-540		D	3	6	145.2	- 145.2	145.2	-7	269	-	269	269	704 -	704	704
		D	4	26	147.2	- 152.0	149.8	-11	273	-	282	277	736 -	790	765
540+		D	4	56	152.0	- 164.2	162.2	2	282	-	304	300	836 -	985	929
				88	145.2	164.2	157.4		269		304	291	704	985	865
Manufactu	ıring St	eer													
540+		С	4	25	167.2	- 169.2	168.0	2	304	-	308	306	1100 -	1204	1162
		D	4	30	150.0	- 167.2	155.3	N/C	273	-	304	282	1072 -	1095	1088
				55	150.0	169.2	161.1		273		308	293	1072	1204	1121
Cows															
400-520		D	2	7	90.0	- 112.2	96.3	-23		-	244	209	450 -	505	466
		D	3	140	125.0	- 143.2	134.4	-3		-	292	274	617 -	724	668
		D	4	210	135.2	- 153.2	146.0	-4	265	-	300	286	676 -	797	745

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
		D	5	5	133.2	- 133.2	133.2	1	261 -	261	261	693 -	693	693
520+		D	4	111	134.2	- 152.2	148.8	-7	263 -	298	292	793 -	1059	861
		D	5	15	144.2	- 144.2	144.2	31	283 -	283	283	937 -	937	937
				488	90.0	153.2	142.4		196	300	283	450	1059	751
Bulls														
450-600		С	3	21	145.2	- 166.2	152.3	-8	259 -	297	272	726 -	931	831
600+		С	3	12	136.2	- 173.2	151.8	N/C	243 -	309	272	885 -	1126	987
				33	136.2	173.2	152.1		243	309	272	726	1126	888

## 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 Disclaimer:

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