

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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There was a small reduction in supply to 3,736 head and light rain fell as the sale progressed. A fair panel of buyers was present and most were operating across all classes. Prices responded to the rain with a number of categories experiencing some price improvements. Light weight yearling steers returning to the paddock averaged 4c/kg dearer. Medium weight yearling steers to feed gained 13c and heavy weights averaged 6c/kg dearer. The better end of the light weight yearling heifers received a small improvement however the lesser quality lines were cheaper. Heavy weight yearling heifers to feed and the local trade market averaged around 20c/kg dearer. Heavy grown steers and bullocks lifted in price by 18c to 20c/kg. Cows also sold to a dearer trend with average prices improving by 7c to 10c/kg.

Some heifer calves returning to the paddock made to 250.2c to average 236c/kg. Light weight yearling steers sold to restockers at an average of 262c with a few pens to 286.2c while poor quality lines averaged 223c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed made to 298.2c with most around 281c/kg. A large supply of heavy weight yearling steers over 400kg to feed averaged 275c and made to 289.2c and the better lines averaged 284c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers sold around 238c with sales to 251.2c and the lesser quality lines average 191c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 239c and the better condition lines made to 272.2c while some to restockers reached 293.2c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 267c and made to 276.2c/kg.

Heavy grown steers to export slaughter made to a top of 298.2c to average 287c and the bullock portion made to 300.2c to average close to 294c/kg. Medium weight plain condition cows to restockers averaged 160c with a few PTIC classes reaching 198.2c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows to processors averaged 176c and made to 181.2c/kg. Good heavy cows made to 227.2c a large sample averaging 216c/kg. Heavy bulls to slaughter made to 234.2c and one well-bred heavy bull returned to the paddock at 362.2c/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
Calves														
80+	RS	D	2	56	220.2	- 250.2	236.1	21	-			407	- 463	437
				56	220.2	250.2			0	0		407	463	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	RS	C	2	528	238.2	- 286.2	262.5	4	-			513	- 727	617
	RS	D	1	4	200.2	- 200.2	200.2	N/Q	-			410	- 410	410
	RS	D	2	77	204.2	- 235.0	223.3	-2	-			480	- 610	528
280-330	RS	C	2	24	252.2	- 264.2	260.0	N/Q	-			719	- 793	774
	FD	C	2	78	265.0	- 283.2	270.6	-3	-			755	- 920	802
330-400	FD	C	2	90	266.2	- 290.0	281.1	13	-			905	- 1108	992
	RS	C	2	8	278.2	- 278.2	278.2	N/Q	-			1015	- 1015	1015
	FD	C	3	7	276.2	- 298.2	295.1	N/Q	-			967	- 1103	1084
400+	FD	C	2	183	260.2	- 289.2	274.8	6	-			1106	- 1330	1223
	FD	C	3	112	271.2	- 289.2	284.7	6	-			1180	- 1359	1299
				1111	200.2	298.2			0	0		410	1359	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	30	230.0	- 246.2	240.8	-4	-			541	- 626	597
	RS	C	2	128	228.2	- 249.2	238.5	2	-			503	- 601	560
		C	2	99	220.0	- 246.2	232.8	11	407	- 456	431	511	- 677	546
	FD	C	3	11	251.2	- 251.2	251.2	N/Q	-			631	- 631	631
	RS	D	2	86	180.0	- 218.2	191.2	-14	-			391	- 513	438
		D	2	82	177.2	- 218.2	201.2	6	328	- 404	373	363	- 515	442

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280-330		C	2	16	231.2	- 231.2	231.2	N/Q	428	- 428	428	694	- 694	694
	RS	C	2	4	226.2	- 226.2	226.2	N/Q		-		679	- 679	679
330-400	RS	C	2	46	240.0	- 293.2	264.4	N/Q		-		804	- 1035	937
	FD	C	2	80	230.0	- 246.2	239.6	-5		-		794	- 862	829
	FD	C	3	29	240.0	- 272.2	261.1	10		-		816	- 990	903
		C	3	16	252.2	- 269.2	256.5	23	467	- 499	475	857	- 915	872
	FD	D	2	37	182.2	- 226.2	201.2	-13		-		633	- 758	681
400+	FD	C	2	23	240.0	- 274.2	266.8	19		-		972	- 1193	1145
	FD	C	3	69	249.2	- 276.2	267.4	22		-		1033	- 1238	1140
		C	3	25	254.2	- 275.2	261.8	22	471	- 510	485	1080	- 1170	1112
					781	177.2	293.2		328	510		363	1238	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	D	2	6	236.2	- 236.2	236.2	N/Q		-		862	- 862	862
	RS	D	2	3	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	30		-		840	- 840	840
400-500	FD	C	2	105	242.2	- 262.2	246.2	1		-		1054	- 1180	1087
	FD	C	3	7	246.2	- 248.2	246.8	-3		-		1108	- 1204	1135
		C	3	9	230.2	- 230.2	230.2	N/Q	419	- 419	419	1001	- 1001	1001
	FD	D	2	3	216.2	- 216.2	216.2	N/C		-		940	- 940	940
	LE	D	3	5	233.2	- 233.2	233.2	N/Q	424	- 424	424	1014	- 1014	1014
500-600	FD	C	3	6	265.0	- 265.0	265.0	N/Q		-		1418	- 1418	1418
		C	3	10	246.2	- 254.2	250.2	-4	448	- 462	455	1236	- 1436	1336
		C	4	59	280.0	- 298.2	287.2	18	500	- 533	513	1462	- 1747	1624
	FD	D	3	20	237.2	- 237.2	237.2	N/Q		-		1281	- 1281	1281
600-750		C	3	13	253.2	- 266.2	262.4	16	460	- 484	477	1646	- 1949	1818
		C	4	45	280.2	- 300.2	293.8	21	500	- 536	525	1821	- 2056	1910
750+		C	4	5	269.2	- 269.2	269.2	N/Q	481	- 481	481	2078	- 2078	2078
					296	216.2	300.2		419	536		840	2078	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	D	2	6	214.2	- 214.2	214.2	50		-		932	- 932	932
540+		C	4	25	238.2	- 264.2	249.5	N/Q	449	- 499	471	1298	- 1440	1366
		D	3	13	229.2	- 229.2	229.2	N/Q	441	- 441	441	1318	- 1318	1318
					44	214.2	264.2		441	499		932	1440	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	3	1	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	400	- 400	400	1793	- 1793	1793
					1	220.0	220.0		400	400		1793	1793	
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	1	53	125.2	- 200.2	150.3	-6		-		482	- 771	582
		D	1	29	116.2	- 155.0	140.8	37	264	- 352	320	465	- 620	546
		E	1	4	70.0	- 101.2	93.4	26	159	- 230	212	256	- 324	307
	RS	E	1	8	108.2	- 112.2	109.7	17		-		410	- 433	424
400-520	RS	D	1	88	146.2	- 198.2	159.6	8		-		607	- 872	695
		D	1	16	138.0	- 170.0	162.0	24	314	- 386	368	593	- 740	704
		D	2	52	168.2	- 181.2	176.0	7	366	- 394	383	732	- 838	796
		D	3	29	188.2	- 198.2	192.5	2	384	- 405	393	862	- 927	907
		D	4	35	194.2	- 208.2	199.8	N/Q	381	- 408	392	874	- 1010	928

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520+		D	2	2	175.2	- 175.2	175.2	N/Q	381	- 381	381	937	- 937	937
		D	3	120	190.0	- 200.2	194.8	3	388	- 409	398	1017	- 1233	1111
		D	4	219	203.2	- 227.2	216.3	10	398	- 446	424	1097	- 1642	1256
		D	5	1	195.2	- 195.2	195.2	N/Q	398	- 398	398	1103	- 1103	1103
					656	70.0	227.2		159	446		256	1642	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	3	242.2	- 242.2	242.2	23		-		884	- 884	884
	RS	C	2	53	236.2	- 254.2	244.1	16		-		555	- 739	596
	FD	C	3	1	144.2	- 144.2	144.2	N/Q		-		613	- 613	613
	FD	D	2	4	228.2	- 228.2	228.2	N/Q		-		924	- 924	924
	RS	D	2	106	156.2	- 234.2	212.2	N/Q		-		367	- 515	470
450-600	FD	C	3	6	246.2	- 252.2	250.2	15		-		1173	- 1194	1180
600+		C	3	7	220.0	- 234.2	227.7	9	393	- 418	407	1375	- 1665	1538
	RS	C	3	1	362.2	- 362.2	362.2	N/Q		-		2970	- 2970	2970
					181	144.2	362.2		393	418		367	2970	

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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