

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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After 10mm to 20mm of rain in most districts numbers halved. It was a fair quality yarding with good numbers of cows, along with a few pens of well finished grown steers. There was a reasonably good selection of young feeder cattle, along with good numbers of young cattle in store condition.

Young cattle to the trade were dearer, with the prime steer yearlings selling from 306c to 314c, while the prime heifer yearlings sold to 298c/kg. Feeder cattle were 15c to 20c dearer, with the feeder steers making from 244c to 330c, while the feeder heifers sold from 229c to 295c/kg. Following the rain, young restocker cattle were 30c/kg dearer and more in places. Restocker steers sold from 250c to 324c, while the restocker heifers sold from 148c to 276c/kg.

Grown steers were 3c cheaper, with the prime medium weights selling from 290c to 298c/kg. Grown heifers were 6c cheaper due to quality and sold from 232c to 270c/kg. Plain conditioned cows were 5c dearer, while the better finished cows were 2c to 7c/kg cheaper. 2 score cows sold from 112c to 201c, while the better 3 and 4 scores sold from 185c to 233c, with the prime heavy weights averaging 226c/kg. Bulls made to 245c/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														
0-200	RS	C	2	30	250.0	- 324.0	300.5	50	-	-	-	363	- 567	511
200-280	RS	C	2	12	258.0	- 269.0	264.4	-7	-	-	-	593	- 740	679
				42	250.0	324.0			0	0		363	740	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200		C	2	6	214.0	- 240.0	231.3	N/Q	428	- 480	463	310	- 372	351
	RS	C	2	32	240.0	- 266.0	261.1	45	-	-	-	439	- 444	440
	RS	D	2	7	208.0	- 208.0	208.0	29	-	-	-	229	- 229	229
	RS	D	3	2	148.0	- 148.0	148.0	N/Q	-	-	-	259	- 259	259
200-280		C	2	1	224.0	- 224.0	224.0	N/Q	448	- 448	448	504	- 504	504
	RS	C	2	32	234.0	- 246.0	241.5	56	-	-	-	550	- 603	583
				80	148.0	266.0			428	480		229	603	
Yearling Steer														
0-200	RS	C	2	20	270.0	- 283.0	277.8	52	-	-	-	446	- 552	509
200-280	RS	C	2	44	265.0	- 295.0	289.4	38	-	-	-	649	- 753	717
	FD	C	2	10	287.0	- 287.0	287.0	18	-	-	-	789	- 789	789
	RS	D	3	2	196.0	- 196.0	196.0	N/Q	-	-	-	519	- 519	519
280-330	RS	C	2	63	240.0	- 309.0	281.0	25	-	-	-	701	- 962	857
	FD	C	2	66	244.0	- 310.0	294.2	21	-	-	-	805	- 1008	954
330-400	FD	C	2	194	285.0	- 322.0	304.6	17	-	-	-	1028	- 1240	1108
400+	FD	C	2	68	295.0	- 325.0	311.1	6	-	-	-	1254	- 1451	1356
		C	3	3	306.0	- 314.0	311.3	23	593	- 612	599	1335	- 1392	1354
	FD	C	3	8	279.0	- 307.0	303.5	-6	-	-	-	1325	- 1428	1415
				478	196.0	325.0			593	612		446	1451	
Yearling Heifer														
0-200	RS	D	2	7	154.0	- 154.0	154.0	-21	-	-	-	223	- 223	223
200-280	RS	C	2	116	215.0	- 276.0	251.3	41	-	-	-	495	- 731	599

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	FD	C	2	3	261.0	- 261.0	261.0	N/Q	-			718	- 718	718
	RS	D	2	18	152.0	- 182.0	161.2	-38	-			353	- 382	372
	RS	D	3	5	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	-21	-			468	- 468	468
280-330		C	2	10	230.0	- 235.0	233.0	N/Q	460	- 470	466	717	- 748	729
	FD	C	2	48	241.0	- 270.0	253.9	-11	-			687	- 878	765
	RS	C	2	30	218.0	- 256.0	241.9	1	-			684	- 832	747
		C	3	8	255.0	- 262.0	257.9	N/Q	485	- 510	501	829	- 852	838
330-400	FD	C	2	87	229.0	- 295.0	281.4	21	-			790	- 1136	989
	FD	C	3	11	267.0	- 268.0	267.9	12	-			975	- 978	978
		C	3	21	253.0	- 298.0	277.8	N/Q	477	- 562	524	945	- 1097	1004
	RS	D	3	6	221.0	- 221.0	221.0	25	-			851	- 851	851
400+	FD	C	2	36	277.0	- 294.0	287.4	27	-			1177	- 1308	1240
		C	3	7	280.0	- 285.0	282.9	18	528	- 538	534	1274	- 1297	1287
				413	152.0	298.0			460	562		223	1308	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	C	2	12	305.0	- 305.0	305.0	N/Q	-			1174	- 1174	1174
	RS	D	3	2	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	-			847	- 847	847
400-500	FD	C	2	58	266.0	- 330.0	314.0	6	-			1264	- 1535	1457
		C	2	1	225.0	- 225.0	225.0	N/Q	450	- 450	450	1114	- 1114	1114
	FD	C	3	7	288.0	- 288.0	288.0	-33	-			1310	- 1310	1310
		D	3	4	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	480	- 480	480	1164	- 1164	1164
500-600	FD	C	3	7	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	-13	-			1494	- 1494	1494
		C	4	24	290.0	- 298.0	295.5	-3	547	- 562	558	1639	- 1743	1702
				115	220.0	330.0			450	562		847	1743	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	2	39	257.0	- 269.0	261.8	19	-			904	- 1224	990
		C	2	4	232.0	- 232.0	232.0	13	464	- 464	464	1056	- 1056	1056
	FD	C	3	29	228.0	- 264.0	255.6	-24	-			1116	- 1329	1255
		C	3	10	220.0	- 270.0	255.3	20	423	- 528	493	1155	- 1310	1236
	RS	C	3	15	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	N/Q	-			1139	- 1139	1139
	RS	D	2	7	252.0	- 252.0	252.0	48	-			895	- 895	895
	RS	D	3	32	200.0	- 245.0	227.5	N/Q	-			750	- 1139	974
		D	3	13	228.0	- 230.0	229.1	26	475	- 479	477	610	- 1037	807
540+		C	4	7	232.0	- 268.0	252.0	-9	446	- 515	479	1450	- 1997	1532
				156	200.0	270.0			423	528		610	1997	
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540		D	2	4	80.0	- 80.0	80.0	N/Q	191	- 191	191	156	- 156	156
		D	3	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	354	- 354	354	587	- 587	587
				5	80.0	170.0			191	354		156	587	
Cows														
0-400		D	2	15	112.0	- 169.0	148.9	N/Q	255	- 384	338	364	- 651	548
400-520		D	2	67	150.0	- 201.0	183.0	6	341	- 457	416	659	- 935	813
		D	3	55	185.0	- 222.0	207.7	7	394	- 472	445	860	- 1132	1025
520+		C	4	10	223.0	- 223.0	223.0	N/Q	446	- 446	446	1394	- 1394	1394
		D	2	4	198.0	- 198.0	198.0	N/Q	440	- 440	440	1040	- 1040	1040

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		D	3	65	191.0	- 222.0	213.0	-2	400	- 470	450	1003	- 1370	1130
		D	4	76	215.0	- 233.0	225.9	-9	414	- 466	450	1215	- 1569	1379
				292	112.0	233.0			255	472		364	1569	
Bulls														
0-450		B	2	3	229.0	- 229.0	229.0	N/Q	432	- 432	432	973	- 973	973
	FD	C	2	46	208.0	- 242.0	233.8	N/Q		-		735	- 859	813
	RS	C	2	12	228.0	- 242.0	237.0	16		-		331	- 690	622
	RS	D	2	12	156.0	- 216.0	204.0	15		-		313	- 477	417
	RS	D	3	3	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	1		-		707	- 707	707
450-600		B	2	1	233.0	- 233.0	233.0	N/Q	440	- 440	440	1363	- 1363	1363
	FD	C	2	5	225.0	- 225.0	225.0	N/Q		-		1069	- 1069	1069
		D	3	4	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	388	- 388	388	865	- 865	865
600+		B	2	16	213.0	- 245.0	228.1	-9	386	- 449	417	1553	- 2622	1974
		C	2	2	213.0	- 214.0	213.5	N/Q	402	- 412	407	1438	- 2087	1762
				104	156.0	245.0			386	449		313	2622	

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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