

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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The forecast for weekend rain reduced numbers considerably. Once again, cows and young calves made up the bulk of the yarding, along with a reasonably good selection of well finished trade cattle. The feeder cattle were only fair and there were very few well finished grown steers and heifers.

Young cattle to the trade were 2c dearer, with vealers reaching 286c, while the prime yearlings sold from 220c to 259c/kg. Feeder steers were 3c to 7c cheaper, with quality a factor, while the feeder heifers were 2c to 6c/kg dearer. The feeder steers sold from 180c to 255c, while the feeder heifers made from 162c to 237c/kg. Young cattle to the restockers were 20c to 30c dearer, with the young steers receiving from 95c to 233c, while the young restocker heifers sold from 62c to 200c/kg.

Grown steers were considerably dearer on quality, with the prime medium weights reaching 247c/kg. Grown heifers were also considerably dearer, with the better types making from 208c to 239c/kg. Cows finished 1c to 6c dearer, with the 1 and 2 scores receiving from 40c to 125c, while the better 3 and 4 scores sold from 105c to 179c, with the prime heavy weights averaging 166c/kg. Bulls sold to 210c/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														
0-80	RS	D	2	49	50.0	- 115.0	91.1	N/Q	-	-	-	28	- 75	57
80+	RS	C	2	22	124.0	- 124.0	124.0	-19	-	-	-	136	- 136	136
				71	50.0	124.0			0	0		28	136	
Vealer Steer														
0-200	RS	C	2	271	95.0	- 230.0	166.1	2	-	-	-	110	- 396	239
200-280	RS	C	2	132	140.0	- 229.0	202.8	45	-	-	-	294	- 534	456
	FD	C	2	13	180.0	- 190.0	182.3	-41	-	-	-	441	- 466	447
280-330		C	3	2	272.0	- 272.0	272.0	N/Q	513	- 513	513	721	- 721	721
		C	2	1	253.0	- 253.0	253.0	N/Q	487	- 487	487	797	- 797	797
330+	FD	C	2	27	200.0	- 220.0	209.3	N/Q	-	-	-	599	- 627	617
		C	3	1	246.0	- 246.0	246.0	N/Q	464	- 464	464	800	- 800	800
		C	3	2	280.0	- 286.0	283.0	N/Q	528	- 540	534	966	- 1044	1005
				449	95.0	286.0			464	540		110	1044	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200		C	2	3	124.0	- 124.0	124.0	-26	248	- 248	248	205	- 205	205
		RS	C	2	224	62.0	- 200.0	158.2	31	-	-	90	- 400	266
		RS	D	2	7	84.0	- 84.0	84.0	N/Q	-	-	113	- 113	113
200-280	RS	C	2	103	120.0	- 188.0	163.5	22	-	-	-	252	- 461	357
		C	2	24	125.0	- 180.0	146.7	5	250	- 360	293	297	- 441	359
280-330	FD	C	2	7	162.0	- 162.0	162.0	-9	-	-	-	429	- 429	429
	FD	C	2	12	180.0	- 212.0	188.0	30	-	-	-	513	- 625	541
		C	2	3	160.0	- 215.0	196.7	N/Q	302	- 414	376	472	- 613	566
		C	3	4	187.0	- 250.0	231.5	N/Q	353	- 472	437	533	- 777	696
				387	62.0	250.0			248	472		90	777	
Yearling Steer														
0-200	RS	D	2	13	136.0	- 136.0	136.0	N/Q	-	-	-	265	- 265	265

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200-280	FD	C	2	6	226.0	- 226.0	226.0	31	-			622	- 622	622	
	RS	C	2	25	159.0	- 219.0	189.5	-1	-			400	- 580	505	
	RS	D	2	22	119.0	- 139.0	133.5	31	-			244	- 341	314	
	RS	D	3	2	136.0	- 136.0	136.0	N/Q	-			320	- 320	320	
280-330	RS	C	2	77	169.0	- 233.0	209.3	-5	-			482	- 728	619	
		C	2	22	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	N/Q	510	- 510	510	803	- 803	803	
	FD	C	2	32	200.0	- 254.0	213.8	-7	-			590	- 826	645	
	RS	D	2	1	101.0	- 101.0	101.0	N/Q	-			298	- 298	298	
330-400	FD	C	2	80	188.0	- 252.0	236.0	-3	-			724	- 963	870	
	FD	C	3	36	249.0	- 249.0	249.0	15	-			859	- 859	859	
		C	3	11	259.0	- 259.0	259.0	-6	489	- 489	489	945	- 945	945	
400+	FD	C	2	43	191.0	- 255.0	242.4	-11	-			869	- 1176	1056	
	FD	C	3	19	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	-3	-			1188	- 1188	1188	
		C	3	62	244.0	- 255.0	249.4	2	460	- 481	471	1054	- 1780	1178	
				451	101.0	259.0			460	510		244	1780		
Yearling Heifer															
0-200	RS	D	2	37	40.0	- 117.0	77.6	N/Q	-			78	- 193	132	
	RS	D	3	16	100.0	- 105.0	102.8	N/Q	-			165	- 173	170	
200-280	RS	C	2	91	120.0	- 177.0	140.4	9	-			258	- 487	357	
	RS	D	2	26	50.0	- 100.0	84.6	N/Q	-			103	- 275	219	
280-330	RS	C	2	38	140.0	- 192.0	166.1	19	-			399	- 595	519	
		C	2	19	190.0	- 234.0	231.7	N/Q	359	- 450	445	618	- 761	753	
	FD	C	2	19	226.0	- 226.0	226.0	46	-			735	- 735	735	
330-400	FD	C	2	41	175.0	- 223.0	207.6	2	-			674	- 859	791	
	RS	C	2	4	100.0	- 162.0	146.5	-4	-			385	- 559	515	
	FD	C	3	26	237.0	- 237.0	237.0	16	-			865	- 865	865	
		C	3	2	220.0	- 240.0	230.0	N/Q	415	- 453	434	828	- 847	838	
400+	FD	C	2	15	200.0	- 222.0	201.5	-21	-			910	- 1032	918	
	FD	C	3	5	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/C	-			1023	- 1023	1023	
		C	3	7	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	-8	415	- 415	415	1023	- 1023	1023	
				346	40.0	240.0			359	453		78	1032		
Grown Steer															
0-400	RS	D	2	2	169.0	- 169.0	169.0	N/Q	-			482	- 482	482	
400-500	FD	C	2	6	210.0	- 254.0	246.7	45	-			977	- 1181	1147	
500-600	FD	C	3	5	254.0	- 254.0	254.0	N/Q	-			1334	- 1334	1334	
		C	4	11	247.0	- 247.0	247.0	43	449	- 449	449	1396	- 1396	1396	
				24	169.0	254.0			449	449		482	1396		
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	2	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	314	- 314	314	728	- 728	728	
		RS	C	2	2	128.0	- 128.0	128.0	N/Q	-			493	- 493	493
		FD	C	3	6	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	-43	-			808	- 808	808
			C	3	29	208.0	- 230.0	221.7	10	393	- 434	418	1030	- 1047	1040
		RS	D	2	10	140.0	- 148.0	146.4	43	-			525	- 629	608
		RS	D	3	26	148.0	- 163.0	157.6	33	-			570	- 736	691
			D	3	3	145.0	- 170.0	161.7	42	290	- 362	338	689	- 808	768

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540+		C	4	8	208.0	- 239.0	225.0	55	407	- 443	428	1175	- 1303	1253
	FD	C	4	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q		-		1017	- 1017	1017
				86	128.0	239.0			290	443		493	1303	
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540	RS	D	2	4	76.0	- 76.0	76.0	N/Q		-		247	- 247	247
540+	FD	D	3	20	171.0	- 171.0	171.0	N/Q		-		1274	- 1274	1274
		D	4	7	196.0	- 196.0	196.0	39	392	- 392	392	1499	- 1499	1499
				31	76.0	196.0			392	392		247	1499	
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	1	3	38.0	- 72.0	49.3	15		-		143	- 270	185
		D	2	12	79.0	- 79.0	79.0	-22		-		225	- 225	225
400-520	RS	D	1	1	40.0	- 40.0	40.0	N/Q		-		166	- 166	166
		D	2	109	70.0	- 114.0	100.2	1	159	- 259	227	298	- 536	448
520+	RS	D	2	291	79.0	- 125.0	103.7	6		-		344	- 553	467
		D	3	100	110.0	- 138.0	121.6	-1	238	- 294	262	512	- 670	574
		D	3	141	110.0	- 157.0	136.3	7	234	- 334	290	578	- 1060	747
		D	4	149	149.0	- 179.0	165.8	1	298	- 358	332	830	- 1293	1056
				806	38.0	179.0			159	358		143	1293	
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	2	160.0	- 220.0	190.0	N/Q	302	- 440	371	712	- 759	736
		RS	C	2	10	143.0	- 170.0	159.2	73		-		408	- 485
450-600	RS	C	2	1	199.0	- 199.0	199.0	N/Q		-		945	- 945	945
		D	3	2	139.0	- 139.0	139.0	N/Q		-		646	- 646	646
600+		B	2	20	120.0	- 210.0	196.7	13	226	- 375	353	918	- 2430	1803
		C	2	6	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	-14	284	- 284	284	1095	- 1095	1095
				41	120.0	220.0			226	440		408	2430	

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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