

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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The trend of larger numbers continued, with supply increasing by 1,772 head to 7,615. A fair panel of buyers covering all classes was present and operating selectively in places. Light weight yearling steers were well supplied and average prices eased by 29c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed averaged 7c/kg less, however a small selection of very well bred lines improved in price. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed experienced very little change in price for the quality penned. Light weight yearling heifers averaged 20c to 30c/kg cheaper. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed sold 10c to 17c cheaper and up to 30c/kg on poor quality lines. A small selection of heavy grown steers and bullocks averaged 7c/kg better. A very large yarding of cows sold cheaper market, with the poor condition lines 18c less, while the better end of the cows eased 3c to 7c/kg and more in places.

The large selection of light weight yearling steers returning to the paddock averaged 259c and made to 290c in pen lots, with the occasional single sale to 310.2c/kg. The poor quality lines mainly sold close to 261c/kg. The largest sample of medium weight yearling steers to feed averaged 277c, with a few well bred classes reaching 322.2c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed mainly sold for 282c with occasional sales to 300.2c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers averaging from 189c to 204c, with the occasional sale to 242c, and poor quality lines averaged 143c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 237c, with the better lines averaging 258c, with sales to 268.2c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers to process improved in price to average 253c, with sales to 267.2c/kg.

Heavy grown steers to export process averaged 287c and bullocks averaged 290c and made to 294.2c/kg. Medium weight poor condition cows average 137c, and the better 2 scores average 167c and made to 179.2c/kg. A large number of good heavy cows averaged 218c, with the occasional sale to 233.2c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 270.2c/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	C	2	24	206.2	-	238.2	232.2	-53	-			381	-	441	422	
	RS	D	2	40	102.2	-	195.0	155.2	-61	-			162	-	304	251	
				64	102.2	-	238.2			0	0		162	-	441		
Yearling Steer																	
200-280	PR	D	2	14	150.0	-	150.0	150.0	-54	273	-	273	273	368	-	368	368
	RS	B	2	1	310.2	-	310.2	310.2	N/Q	-			729	-	729	729	
	RS	C	2	858	230.0	-	290.0	259.6	-29	-			501	-	787	627	
	RS	D	2	183	138.2	-	236.2	204.5	-25	-			314	-	573	481	
280-330	FD	C	2	146	254.2	-	322.2	283.9	7	-			763	-	967	841	
	FD	D	2	44	200.0	-	241.2	222.9	-17	-			600	-	724	669	
	PR	C	2	12	242.2	-	242.2	242.2	N/Q	440	-	440	440	727	-	727	727
	RS	C	2	224	242.0	-	282.2	261.2	-18	-			716	-	847	772	
	RS	D	1	1	100.0	-	100.0	100.0	N/Q	-			285	-	285	285	
330-400	RS	D	2	79	160.0	-	226.2	197.0	28	-			480	-	679	591	
	FD	C	2	590	245.0	-	300.2	277.3	-7	-			838	-	1177	1,005	
	FD	C	3	24	300.2	-	322.2	309.4	13	-			1120	-	1150	1,133	
	FD	D	1	18	150.2	-	150.2	150.2	N/Q	-			548	-	548	548	
	FD	D	2	47	180.0	-	241.2	224.2	-24	-			657	-	949	832	
	PR	D	2	2	182.2	-	182.2	182.2	2	331	-	331	331	701	-	701	702
	RS	C	2	45	248.2	-	273.2	266.4	N/Q	-			831	-	976	920	
	RS	D	2	52	160.0	-	238.2	226.0	-21	-			616	-	834	792	
400+	FD	C	2	134	250.0	-	292.2	282.1	-2	-			1013	-	1485	1,198	
	FD	C	3	98	282.2	-	300.2	294.0	8	-			1216	-	1398	1,271	

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	FD	D	2	30	218.2	242.2	239.8	-24	-			927	1054	1,039
	PR	C	3	22	278.2	285.2	282.0	N/Q	506	519	513	1303	1349	1,324
				2624	100.0	322.2			273	519		285	1485	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	12	180.2	180.2	180.2	-75	-			423	423	424
	PR	C	2	246	160.0	220.2	189.1	-28	296	408	350	368	568	450
	PR	D	2	103	115.0	156.2	142.4	-27	213	289	264	270	367	336
	RS	C	2	244	160.0	242.0	204.4	-21	-			376	596	497
	RS	D	1	40	158.2	188.2	171.7	6	-			403	499	446
	RS	D	2	96	100.0	159.2	143.3	-30	-			225	409	339
280-330	FD	C	2	83	164.2	230.0	210.1	-57	-			493	690	618
	FD	D	2	6	160.0	160.2	160.1	N/Q	-			480	481	480
	PR	C	2	44	180.0	210.0	203.2	-18	333	389	376	513	630	605
	PR	D	2	57	130.0	202.2	158.0	-22	241	374	293	390	576	466
	RS	C	2	148	170.2	231.2	205.9	-2	-			494	659	596
	RS	D	2	9	182.2	182.2	182.2	N/Q	-			547	547	547
330-400	FD	C	2	433	215.2	256.2	237.5	-17	-			737	893	818
	FD	C	3	169	246.2	268.2	257.9	-10	-			891	1033	926
	FD	D	2	94	160.0	218.2	192.8	-31	-			551	796	672
	PR	C	3	111	220.0	265.0	234.3	-16	407	491	434	792	967	850
	PR	D	2	21	160.0	206.2	198.1	-28	296	382	367	536	794	751
	PR	D	3	13	194.2	194.2	194.2	N/Q	360	360	360	748	748	748
	RS	D	2	14	172.0	210.0	188.3	18	-			576	767	658
400+	FD	C	2	7	220.0	220.0	220.0	-36	-			913	935	932
	FD	C	3	25	220.0	252.2	245.8	-6	-			935	1097	1,065
	FD	D	2	37	180.0	211.2	200.1	14	-			765	855	822
	PR	C	3	55	220.0	267.2	253.0	10	407	506	477	935	1224	1,133
	PR	D	2	6	176.2	176.2	176.2	-25	326	326	326	749	749	749
	PR	D	3	13	180.0	210.2	193.9	N/Q	333	404	366	765	893	824
				2086	100.0	268.2			213	506		225	1224	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	D	2	7	190.2	190.2	190.2	N/Q	-			694	751	735
400-500	FD	C	2	8	230.0	252.2	238.3	-16	-			978	1072	1,013
	FD	D	2	36	180.0	221.2	206.6	-20	-			756	913	854
	PR	C	4	10	288.2	288.2	288.2	N/Q	515	515	515	1401	1401	1,401
	PR	D	2	5	215.2	215.2	215.2	N/Q	391	391	391	904	904	904
500-600	PR	C	3	15	250.2	270.0	258.5	1	455	491	470	1314	1459	1,448
	PR	C	4	11	280.0	288.2	287.5	7	500	515	513	1455	1638	1,472
600-750	PR	C	3	1	255.0	255.0	255.0	-10	464	464	464	1594	1594	1,594
	PR	C	4	18	271.2	294.2	290.4	7	484	525	519	1786	1837	1,812
				111	180.0	294.2			391	525		694	1837	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	D	2	12	175.2	175.2	175.2	N/Q	-			639	639	640

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540+	PR	C	4	67	244.2	- 269.2	259.2	N/Q	461	- 508	489	1136	- 1440	1,332
	PR	D	1	6	133.2	- 133.2	133.2	N/Q	290	- 290	290	533	- 533	533
	PR	D	2	25	100.0	- 200.0	173.8	-35	208	- 415	348	385	- 930	764
	PR	D	3	49	213.2	- 237.2	228.2	N/C	410	- 448	432	944	- 1181	1,086
	PR	D	4	8	240.2	- 240.2	240.2	N/Q	453	- 453	453	1117	- 1117	1,117
	RS	D	1	9	134.2	- 134.2	134.2	-44	-	-	-	570	- 570	570
	PR	C	4	11	265.0	- 268.2	266.7	28	500	- 506	503	1515	- 1590	1,549
				187	100.0	269.2		208	508		385	1590		
Manufacturing Steer														
540+	PR	D	2	2	170.0	- 178.2	174.1	N/Q	309	- 324	317	961	- 1007	984
				2	170.0	178.2		309	324		961	1007		
Cows														
0-400	PR	D	1	76	100.0	- 126.2	117.8	-11	227	- 287	268	395	- 480	448
	PR	E	1	35	52.2	- 94.2	75.6	-11	119	- 214	172	191	- 372	291
400-520	RS	D	1	14	114.0	- 155.0	149.1	7	-	-	-	456	- 612	590
	PR	D	1	185	118.2	- 156.2	137.5	-18	269	- 355	312	514	- 664	600
	PR	D	2	131	134.2	- 179.2	167.8	-7	292	- 390	365	584	- 864	760
	PR	D	3	149	173.0	- 195.0	185.8	-6	353	- 398	381	779	- 951	877
	PR	D	4	95	176.2	- 211.2	197.0	-17	345	- 414	386	766	- 1031	965
	RS	D	1	53	120.0	- 148.2	141.3	-27	-	-	-	510	- 630	601
	RS	D	2	10	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	-9	-	-	-	718	- 718	718
520+	PR	D	2	14	171.2	- 188.2	181.9	6	372	- 409	395	1002	- 1101	1,062
	PR	D	3	252	179.2	- 210.0	193.5	-7	366	- 429	395	1012	- 1239	1,110
	PR	D	4	303	200.0	- 233.2	218.0	-3	392	- 457	427	1070	- 1458	1,291
	PR	D	5	4	206.2	- 206.2	206.2	27	421	- 421	421	1340	- 1340	1,340
					1321	52.2	233.2		119	457		191	1458	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	33	236.2	- 270.2	262.0	-2	-	-	-	862	- 1131	1,030
	FD	C	3	6	252.2	- 272.2	260.2	-1	-	-	-	1072	- 1157	1,106
450-600	FD	D	2	2	138.2	- 138.2	138.2	N/Q	-	-	-	532	- 532	532
	PR	C	2	2	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	418	- 418	418	690	- 690	690
	PR	C	3	6	258.2	- 258.2	258.2	N/Q	469	- 469	469	1046	- 1162	1,143
	PR	D	1	3	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	200	- 200	200	440	- 440	440
	RS	C	2	61	200.0	- 255.2	228.8	N/Q	-	-	-	410	- 766	606
	RS	D	2	4	160.0	- 200.0	170.0	-18	-	-	-	616	- 730	645
	FD	C	3	5	252.2	- 270.2	263.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1223	- 1310	1,276
600+	PR	C	3	1	208.2	- 208.2	208.2	N/Q	379	- 379	379	1114	- 1114	1,114
	PR	C	2	8	200.0	- 205.2	204.3	-4	364	- 373	371	1250	- 1334	1,309
	PR	C	3	93	208.2	- 270.2	245.3	9	379	- 483	438	1353	- 3229	1,847
	PR	D	1	2	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	-22	218	- 218	218	750	- 750	750
	RS	D	1	1	174.2	- 174.2	174.2	14	-	-	-	1089	- 1089	1,089
				227	110.0	272.2		200	483		410	3229		

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