

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Dalby

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Yarding 7087
 Change 2159

comparison date 10/07/2019

The supply of stock increased by over 2000 head to 7087, and included in the yarding were 496 head from far Western Queensland and 170 head from NSW. The overall quality of the heavy grown steers bullocks and cows was generally good, while there was a large variation in the standard of the young cattle. Buyer representation was good with additional southern operators in the buying panel. Apart from very light weight young cattle experiencing limited support most other classes sold to a dearer trend. Medium and heavy weight yearling steers to feed averaged 2c to 7c/kg dearer. Light weight yearling heifers to restockers or background improve by 17c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed gained 6c to 10c, and heavy weights to feed averaged 16c/kg better. Heavy grown steers and bullocks to export slaughter lifted in price by 7c to 10c/kg pushed on by southern operators. However cows to export processors improved the most to average 9c to 19c/kg better, also pushed on by southern processors.

Steer calves returning to the paddock made to 254.2c to average 246c, and mixed sex calves averaged 181c/kg. The large supply of yearling steers sold to restockers at an average of 278c with some to 304.2c/kg. Yearling steers to feed for the domestic market made to 305c with most around 287c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed made to 312.2c to average 299c, and trade lines averaged 306c and made to 315.2c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers averaged 227c with sales to 246.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 253c, and the better lines made to 276.2c to average 262c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 267c and sold to 276.2c, with a few to the trade at 283.2c/kg.

Heavy grown steers to export slaughter made to 321.2c with a fair sample averaging 309c, and a fair supply of bullocks averaged 307c with sales to 319.2c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows average 191c and made to 207.2c/kg. The best of the medium weights made to 248.2c to average 232c/kg. A large selection of good heavy cows averaged 246c with occasional sales to 259.2c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 284.2c/kg.

Category	Sale Weight	Muscle 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+	PR	D	2	67	140.0	166.2	149.6	-8	264	314	282	168	259	233	
	RS	C	2	68	229.2	254.2	246.1	-27	-	-	-	391	470	446	
	RS	D	2	249	134.2	210.0	181.0	-13	-	-	-	183	370	279	
				384	134.2	254.2			264	314		168	470		
Yearling Steer															
0-200	RS	D	1	7	125.2	180.0	172.2	N/Q	-	-	-	207	297	284	
200-280	RS	C	2	714	242.2	304.2	278.1	-4	-	-	-	533	803	673	
	RS	D	2	34	168.2	234.2	204.7	N/C	-	-	-	349	644	501	
280-330	FD	C	2	64	274.2	305.0	291.0	16	-	-	-	781	979	893	
	RS	C	2	213	260.0	297.2	286.0	4	-	-	-	741	892	851	
330-400	FD	C	2	170	259.2	302.2	287.3	7	-	-	-	907	1133	1,034	
	PR	C	3	18	288.2	288.2	288.2	-13	524	524	524	1052	1052	1,052	
	RS	D	2	5	212.2	218.2	217.0	25	-	-	-	743	764	760	
400+	FD	C	2	313	280.0	312.2	298.6	2	-	-	-	1179	1480	1,302	
	FD	C	3	3	294.2	294.2	294.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1250	1250	1,250	
	FD	D	2	18	260.2	270.0	262.6	N/C	-	-	-	1054	1148	1,078	
	GF	C	3	12	296.2	316.2	314.5	N/Q	-	-	-	1259	1375	1,366	
	PR	C	3	61	297.2	315.2	306.6	5	540	573	558	1215	1529	1,382	
				1632	125.2	316.2			524	575		207	1529		
Yearling Heifer															
200-280	FD	C	2	13	235.2	235.2	235.2	N/Q	-	-	-	647	647	647	
	PR	C	2	92	180.0	233.2	215.2	34	333	432	398	405	618	500	
	PR	D	2	1	162.2	162.2	162.2	30	300	300	300	381	381	381	

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280-330	RS	C	2	274	180.0	246.2	226.8	17	-	-	-	433	611	541
	RS	D	2	31	156.2	178.2	170.3	31	-	-	-	367	490	435
	FD	C	2	100	206.2	257.2	246.2	-6	-	-	-	619	769	732
	FD	D	2	13	184.2	184.2	184.2	N/Q	-	-	-	553	553	553
	PR	C	2	10	222.2	222.2	222.2	22	411	411	411	633	633	633
330-400	RS	C	2	89	220.0	256.2	252.6	70	-	-	-	660	769	758
	FD	C	2	229	240.0	265.2	253.4	6	-	-	-	804	948	863
	FD	C	3	171	240.2	276.2	262.1	10	-	-	-	925	1036	975
	FD	D	2	40	200.2	230.0	213.7	35	-	-	-	671	840	738
	PR	C	2	3	240.2	240.2	240.2	N/Q	445	445	445	841	841	841
400+	PR	C	3	97	230.0	273.2	258.0	-2	426	506	478	841	1052	947
	PR	D	2	19	190.0	221.2	210.4	N/C	352	410	390	665	809	787
	FD	C	2	113	240.0	276.2	266.9	16	-	-	-	997	1201	1,124
	FD	C	3	13	270.2	276.2	273.9	12	-	-	-	1148	1174	1,164
	PR	C	2	30	236.2	250.2	243.6	24	437	463	451	997	1063	1,032
	PR	C	3	20	265.2	283.2	274.0	2	491	524	507	1127	1388	1,215
				1358	156.2	283.2			300	524		367	1388	
Grown Steer														
0-400	RS	D	2	2	200.0	200.0	200.0	60	-	-	-	700	700	700
400-500	FD	C	2	27	258.2	273.2	266.4	23	-	-	-	1097	1325	1,211
	FD	D	2	6	164.2	244.2	177.5	-63	-	-	-	714	1038	768
	PR	C	2	8	244.2	244.2	244.2	N/Q	444	444	444	1062	1062	1,062
500-600	PR	C	3	13	277.2	277.2	277.2	15	504	504	504	1372	1372	1,372
	PR	D	2	3	230.0	230.0	230.0	N/Q	418	418	418	978	978	978
	PR	C	3	39	271.2	284.2	273.3	4	493	517	497	1383	1691	1,473
	PR	C	4	175	295.2	321.2	308.6	10	527	574	551	1579	1878	1,730
	PR	D	3	6	254.2	254.2	254.2	N/Q	462	462	462	1436	1436	1,436
600-750	PR	C	3	1	288.2	288.2	288.2	11	524	524	524	1801	1801	1,801
	PR	C	4	104	293.2	319.2	307.1	7	524	570	548	1906	2346	2,036
750+	PR	C	4	9	316.2	316.2	316.2	N/Q	565	565	565	2526	2526	2,526
				393	164.2	321.2			418	574		700	2526	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	3	6	253.2	253.2	253.2	-3	-	-	-	1076	1076	1,076
	FD	D	2	45	200.0	220.0	201.3	-21	-	-	-	850	935	856
	PR	C	4	42	260.2	288.2	275.2	-15	491	544	519	1171	1556	1,324
	PR	D	2	27	170.0	214.2	185.5	-24	354	446	392	723	996	792
	PR	D	3	85	210.0	256.2	243.2	-3	396	493	466	809	1236	1,130
540+	PR	C	4	2	283.2	283.2	283.2	9	534	534	534	1600	1600	1,600
	PR	D	3	1	256.2	256.2	256.2	N/Q	483	483	483	1448	1448	1,448
				208	170.0	288.2			354	544		723	1600	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+	PR	C	3	1	258.2	258.2	258.2	-5	469	469	469	1614	1614	1,614
	PR	C	4	4	208.2	280.0	262.0	-19	379	509	476	1468	1638	1,596

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	PR	D	3	1	229.2	229.2	229.2	N/Q	417	417	417	2086	2086	2,086
				6	208.2	280.0			379	509		1468	2086	
Cows														
0-400	DA	D	1	1	144.2	144.2	144.2	N/Q	-			577	577	577
	PR	D	1	58	126.2	171.2	156.3	17	287	389	355	461	685	606
	PR	D	2	14	151.2	151.2	151.2	N/Q	329	329	329	552	552	552
	PR	E	1	10	102.0	116.2	104.8	17	232	264	238	367	447	383
	RS	D	1	160	120.2	170.2	144.5	4	-			455	681	560
	RS	E	1	58	70.0	132.2	109.0	59	-			270	509	397
400-520	DA	D	1	5	142.2	142.2	142.2	N/Q	-			619	619	619
	DA	D	2	6	180.2	180.2	180.2	N/Q	-			874	874	874
	PR	D	1	74	140.0	175.2	165.3	9	318	398	376	630	836	740
	PR	D	2	266	170.0	207.2	190.6	9	370	450	414	685	1032	877
	PR	D	3	271	205.0	222.2	215.2	12	418	457	440	932	1111	1,032
	PR	D	4	113	221.2	248.2	232.4	16	434	487	456	980	1266	1,127
	RS	D	1	135	163.2	189.2	174.9	1	-			710	823	762
520+	PR	D	1	6	183.2	183.2	183.2	N/Q	416	416	416	980	980	980
	PR	D	2	29	200.0	223.2	211.7	19	435	485	460	1070	1194	1,133
	PR	D	3	426	211.2	239.2	228.7	19	431	488	467	1162	1464	1,295
	PR	D	4	489	235.0	259.2	245.6	14	461	508	481	1284	1646	1,469
				2121	70.0	259.2			232	508		270	1646	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	23	230.0	276.2	256.5	-23	-			827	1063	984
	FD	C	3	8	258.2	288.2	283.5	4	-			1094	1225	1,184
	FD	D	2	14	172.2	208.2	185.1	N/Q	-			603	729	648
	RS	C	2	48	208.2	288.2	251.3	-11	-			472	718	565
	RS	D	2	23	122.2	170.2	148.3	N/Q	-			428	596	505
	RS	E	1	1	28.2	28.2	28.2	N/Q	-			83	83	83
450-600	FD	C	3	2	246.2	246.2	246.2	-37	-			1194	1194	1,194
	PR	C	3	1	272.2	272.2	272.2	-9	486	486	486	1538	1538	1,538
600+	PR	C	3	40	235.2	284.2	265.1	8	420	508	473	1529	2365	1,897
				160	28.2	288.2			420	508		83	2365	

DA - Dairy, FD - Feeder, GF - Grainfed, PR - Processor, LE - Live Export, PC - Pastoral Cattle, PT - PTIC, RS - Restocker

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