

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Dalby

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Yarding 3257

comparison date 29/07/2020

Change 477

The supply of stock increased by 477 head to 3,257 at Dalby. Buyer attendance was generally good with all the usual export processors present and active. The regular feed and trade buyers were also in attendance, plus increased restocker support from interstate. Light weight yearling steers returning to the paddock averaged 4c to 14c/kg better. Yearling steers to feed for the domestic market also increased in price by 4c to 13c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed averaged 5c/kg dearer. Light weight yearling heifers returning to the paddock shared in the rising trend with improvements of 4c to 14c/kg. Yearling heifers to feed averaged 12c better and over 20c/kg in places. All classes of cows sold to stronger demand with improvements of 3c to 11c/kg.

Yearling steers under 200kg made to 476.2c to average 462c/kg. Yearling steers under 280kg averaged 446c with sales to 462c/kg. Yearling steers to feed for the domestic market averaged from 393c to 424c and sold to 446c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed made to 402.2c with a fair sample averaging 390c/kg. A couple of heavy weight yearling steers sold the trade at 396.2 and returned \$2,219/head. Yearling heifers under 200kg made to 450c with a large selection averaging 423c/kg. Yearling heifers under 280kg average 410c and made to 444c/kg. Yearling heifers to feed for the domestic market averaged from 384c to 402c with sales to 420c/kg.

A small selection of bullocks averaged 338c and made to 349c/kg. Plain condition cows returning to the paddock averaged 262c, and some better condition lines made to 294.2c/kg. Medium weight 2 scores to processors averaged 262c and made to 271c, and the 3 scores averaged 275c/kg. Good heavy weight cows averaged 300c, with the occasional sale to 310c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 343.2c/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
Yearling Steer															
0-200															
	RS	C	2	67	414.0	476.2	462.5	14	-	0	571	877	802		
	RS	D	2	2	256.0	256.0	256.0	-89	-	0	474	474	474		
200-280															
	RS	C	2	270	426.0	462.0	446.1	4	-	0	970	1208	1,093		
	RS	D	2	19	360.0	362.0	360.5	11	-	0	887	990	963		
280-330															
	FD	C	2	236	388.0	446.0	424.5	13	-	0	1143	1389	1,269		
	FD	D	2	6	340.0	344.0	341.3	-10	-	0	1020	1032	1,024		
330-400															
	FD	C	2	134	360.0	434.2	393.1	4	-	0	1260	1598	1,398		
	FD	D	2	9	350.0	350.0	350.0	2	-	0	1348	1348	1,348		
	PR	D	3	12	300.0	340.0	311.7	N/Q	545	618	567	1155	1309	1,200	
400+															
	FD	C	2	235	384.0	402.2	389.9	5	-	0	1574	1872	1,764		
	FD	D	2	10	340.0	340.0	340.0	30	-	0	1445	1445	1,445		
	PR	B	3	2	396.2	396.2	396.2	N/Q	660	660	660	2219	2219	2,219	
				1002	256.0	476.2			545	660		474	2219		
Yearling Heifer															
0-200															
	RS	C	2	155	382.0	450.0	422.9	14	-	0	458	814	673		
200-280															
	PR	C	2	15	360.0	360.0	360.0	N/Q	667	667	667	738	738	738	
	PR	D	2	7	338.0	338.0	338.0	-15	626	626	626	930	930	930	
	RS	C	2	290	374.0	444.0	409.8	4	-	0	779	1171	994		

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280-330	RS	D	2	14	320.0	322.2	321.9	-7	-	0	784	886	872		
	FD	C	2	67	370.0	420.0	401.6	29	-	0	1055	1294	1,189		
	FD	D	2	2	330.0	330.0	330.0	-9	-	0	941	941	941		
330-400	RS	D	2	12	338.0	338.0	338.0	N/Q	-	0	963	963	963		
	FD	C	2	73	355.0	396.0	384.3	12	-	0	1226	1426	1,371		
	FD	C	3	14	376.0	376.0	376.0	-6	-	0	1448	1448	1,448		
	FD	D	2	64	270.0	383.0	327.8	-18	-	0	945	1283	1,125		
	FD	D	3	3	331.0	331.0	331.0	N/Q	-	0	1208	1208	1,208		
	GF	D	3	9	304.0	304.0	304.0	N/Q	563	563	0	1064	1064	1,064	
400+	PR	C	3	20	360.0	389.0	371.9	-11	667	720	689	1242	1498	1,374	
	FD	C	2	10	333.0	346.0	338.2	-41	-	0	1505	1548	1,531		
	FD	D	3	10	332.0	332.0	332.0	N/Q	-	0	1411	1411	1,411		
	GF	C	3	5	355.2	370.0	358.2	N/Q	658	685	0	1563	1906	1,631	
	GF	D	3	16	322.2	340.0	333.3	N/Q	597	630	0	1298	1404	1,365	
	PR	C	3	23	353.0	357.0	355.1	20	654	661	658	1517	1641	1,577	
	PR	D	3	1	316.0	316.0	316.0	N/Q	585	585	585	1343	1343	1,343	
					810	270.0	450.0			563	720		458	1906	
	Grown Steer														
	0-400														
	FD	D	2	3	271.0	271.0	271.0	-16	-	0	949	949	949		
400-500															
	FD	C	2	17	325.0	360.0	344.9	-9	-	0	1414	1649	1,544		
	FD	C	3	12	372.0	372.0	372.0	N/Q	-	0	1804	1804	1,804		
	FD	D	2	1	296.0	296.0	296.0	-16	-	0	1288	1288	1,288		
500-600															
	FD	C	3	6	335.2	335.2	335.2	N/Q	-	0	1793	1793	1,793		
	PR	C	3	1	320.0	320.0	320.0	N/Q	582	582	582	1712	1712	1,712	
	PR	C	4	16	339.0	348.0	344.1	20	605	621	615	1780	1862	1,835	
600-750															
	PR	C	4	11	334.2	349.0	338.2	5	597	623	604	2062	2303	2,128	
				67	271.0	372.0			582	623		949	2303		
Grown Heifer															
0-540															
	FD	C	2	26	332.0	336.0	334.2	N/Q	-	0	1345	1361	1,353		
	FD	C	3	15	330.0	340.0	339.3	N/Q	-	0	1309	1601	1,328		
	FD	D	2	12	290.0	290.0	290.0	-10	-	0	1262	1262	1,262		
	PR	C	3	14	299.0	311.0	307.6	-5	566	598	591	1301	1455	1,349	
	PR	C	4	1	338.0	338.0	338.0	7	638	638	638	1808	1808	1,808	
	PR	D	2	7	262.0	271.0	268.4	-17	546	565	559	1114	1179	1,160	
	RS	D	2	14	284.0	284.0	284.0	N/Q	-	0	809	809	809		
				89	262.0	340.0			546	638		809	1808		

Cows

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
0-400														
	PR	D	1	1	200.0	200.0	200.0	-17	455	455	455	760	760	760
	PR	D	2	6	255.0	255.0	255.0	14	554	554	554	982	982	982
	PR	E	1	2	100.0	100.0	100.0	N/Q	227	227	227	365	365	365
400-520														
	DA	D	1	1	231.0	231.0	231.0	N/Q	-	0	0	1120	1120	1,120
	PR	D	1	8	220.0	245.0	241.3	12	500	557	548	935	1041	1,025
	PR	D	2	81	246.0	271.0	262.1	8	535	589	570	1125	1247	1,181
	PR	D	3	117	268.0	278.0	274.6	2	547	567	560	1196	1343	1,278
	PR	D	4	44	280.0	298.0	285.9	5	549	584	561	1269	1520	1,407
	RS	D	1	6	260.0	260.0	260.0	3	-	0	0	1209	1209	1,209
	RS	D	2	99	250.0	269.0	262.2	3	-	0	0	1101	1330	1,199
	RS	D	3	19	294.2	294.2	294.2	N/Q	-	0	0	1515	1515	1,515
520+														
	PR	C	3	6	310.0	310.0	310.0	N/Q	585	585	585	2142	2142	2,142
	PR	D	3	35	272.0	280.0	276.7	4	555	571	565	1442	1807	1,554
	PR	D	4	224	282.0	309.0	300.0	11	553	606	588	1525	1946	1,747
				649	100.0	310.0			227	606		365	2142	
Bulls														
0-450														
	FD	C	3	19	330.0	348.0	342.2	29	-	0	0	1471	1521	1,490
	FD	D	2	3	266.0	276.0	269.3	N/Q	-	0	0	1117	1201	1,145
	PR	C	3	3	322.0	322.0	322.0	-16	585	585	585	1449	1449	1,449
	PR	D	2	2	270.0	270.0	270.0	-20	491	491	491	1215	1215	1,215
	RS	C	2	27	322.0	422.0	392.4	39	-	0	0	660	971	889
450-600														
	FD	C	3	1	320.0	320.0	320.0	N/Q	-	0	0	1552	1552	1,552
	PR	C	3	4	319.0	319.0	319.0	21	570	570	570	1707	1707	1,707
600+														
	PR	B	3	1	343.0	343.0	343.0	N/Q	572	572	572	3584	3584	3,584
	PR	C	2	4	269.0	277.0	271.0	N/C	489	504	493	2078	2152	2,133
	PR	C	3	53	278.0	336.2	300.1	10	496	600	536	1800	3127	2,470
				117	266.0	422.0			489	600		660	3584	

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

* Fields populated with N/A indicate the unavailability of animal assessment at the time of publishing

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