

## Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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### Dalby

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Yarding 2946

comparison date 26/08/2020

Change -812

The supply of stock reduced by 812 head down to 2,946 at Dalby. The overall quality was not up to the standard of the previous week. A full panel of export buyers was present with the return of one major export processor, plus the usual feed and trade buyers, and local and interstate restockers. Very light weight yearling steers and heifers to restockers continued to receive strong support. The remainder of the young cattle could not maintain the levels of the previous sale with losses of 20c/kg, however half of the reduction in price was quality related. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed for the domestic market went against this trend to average 6c/kg better. Cows returning to the paddock received very strong support from local and interstate restockers. However despite the return to a full panel of exporters cows to processors experienced very little change in price.

Yearling steers under 200kg returning to the paddock made to 566.2c to average 508c/kg. Light weight yearling steers under 280kg averaged 443c with sales to 514.2c/kg. Yearling steers to feed for the domestic market made to 438c to average from 409c to 421c/kg. A relatively small selection of heavy weight yearling steers to feed averaged 385c and made to 390c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers under 200kg made to 472c to average 444c/kg. Yearling heifers under 280kg averaged 424c and made to 460c/kg. Yearling heifers to feed made to 428c to average from 405c to 412c/kg.

The annual sale of a pen of certified grainfed steers, with half of the proceeds going to the Royal Flying Doctors Service made to 352.2c/kg to return \$2,005/head. Medium weight store condition cows returning to the paddock made to 274.2c to average 270c/kg. Good heavy weight cows to processors averaged 279c and made to 288c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 319c/kg.

Category	Sale Weight	Muscle Prefix	Fat Score *	Head Score*	Live Weight c/kg				Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg*			Estimated \$/Head		
					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
<b>Calves</b>														
<b>80+</b>														
	RS	C	2	21	516.0	- 516.0	516.0	N/Q	-	0	697	- 697	697	
	RS	D	2	26	460.0	- 460.0	460.0	N/Q	-	0	851	- 851	851	
				47	460.0	516.0			0	0	697	851		
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
<b>0-200</b>														
	RS	C	2	103	424.0	- 566.2	508.1	13	-	0	742	- 988	837	
	RS	D	2	1	420.0	- 420.0	420.0	N/Q	-	0	777	- 777	777	
<b>200-280</b>														
	RS	C	2	424	390.0	- 514.0	443.5	-24	-	0	914	- 1282	1,101	
	RS	D	2	7	370.0	- 374.0	370.6	-10	-	0	925	- 981	934	
	RS	E	1	5	146.0	- 146.0	146.0	N/Q	-	0	387	- 387	387	
<b>280-330</b>														
	FD	C	2	303	360.0	- 438.0	420.9	-23	-	0	1080	- 1376	1,264	
	FD	D	2	17	340.0	- 370.0	352.8	N/Q	-	0	1020	- 1184	1,067	
	RS	D	2	1	286.0	- 286.0	286.0	N/Q	-	0	858	- 858	858	
<b>330-400</b>														
	FD	C	2	198	380.0	- 428.0	408.8	-2	-	0	1293	- 1627	1,498	
	FD	D	2	12	350.0	- 380.0	353.6	-15	-	0	1278	- 1387	1,320	
	PR	C	3	5	388.0	- 388.0	388.0	N/Q	705	- 705	705	1455	- 1455	1,455
	PR	D	3	1	300.0	- 300.0	300.0	N/Q	545	- 545	545	1050	- 1050	1,050
<b>400+</b>														
	FD	C	2	56	280.0	- 390.0	385.5	-4	-	0	1218	- 1882	1,710	
	PR	C	3	7	385.0	- 385.0	385.0	25	700	- 700	700	1636	- 1636	1,636
				1140	146.0	566.2			545	705	387	1882		

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
Yearling Heifer														
0-200														
	RS	C	2	225	360.0	472.0	444.5	12	-	0	630	850	750	
200-280														
	RS	C	2	240	380.0	460.0	424.0	-13	-	0	925	1140	1,036	
	RS	D	2	55	364.0	408.0	388.4	29	-	0	959	979	966	
280-330														
	FD	C	2	190	375.0	428.0	411.6	18	-	0	1083	1313	1,227	
	FD	D	2	40	300.0	324.0	313.0	-59	-	0	855	972	928	
330-400														
	FD	C	2	155	369.0	420.0	405.3	6	-	0	1340	1592	1,494	
	FD	D	2	25	231.0	356.0	304.4	-43	-	0	809	1246	1,092	
	PR	C	3	10	377.0	377.0	377.0	N/Q	698	698	698	1451	1451	1,452
	PR	D	3	1	330.0	330.0	330.0	N/Q	611	611	611	1271	1271	1,271
	RS	D	2	9	360.0	360.0	360.0	N/Q	-	0	1206	1206	1,206	
400+														
	FD	C	2	14	360.0	378.0	371.4	12	-	0	1530	1758	1,675	
	FD	C	3	1	340.0	340.0	340.0	-10	-	0	1479	1479	1,479	
	PR	C	3	20	340.0	375.0	364.5	N/Q	630	694	675	1445	1594	1,549
				985	231.0	472.0			611	698		630	1758	
Grown Steer														
0-400														
	FD	D	2	1	260.0	260.0	260.0	N/Q	-	0	949	949	949	
400-500														
	FD	C	2	19	320.0	358.0	333.1	-23	-	0	1361	1552	1,485	
	FD	C	3	11	362.0	380.0	376.7	40	-	0	1683	1843	1,814	
	FD	D	2	1	310.0	310.0	310.0	2	-	0	1504	1504	1,504	
500-600														
	GF	C	4	7	352.2	352.2	352.2	N/Q	629	629	0	2004	2004	2,004
				39	260.0	380.0			629	629		949	2004	
Grown Heifer														
0-540														
	FD	C	2	7	330.0	330.0	330.0	20	-	0	1535	1535	1,535	
	FD	C	3	26	314.0	332.0	322.1	-7	-	0	1335	1544	1,420	
	FD	D	2	6	280.0	280.0	280.0	N/Q	-	0	1190	1190	1,190	
	GF	C	4	7	340.0	340.0	340.0	N/Q	642	642	0	1703	1703	1,703
	PR	C	3	3	320.0	320.0	320.0	1	604	604	604	1360	1360	1,360
	PR	C	4	7	338.0	338.0	338.0	8	638	638	638	1731	1731	1,731
	RS	C	3	17	364.2	364.2	364.2	N/Q	-	0	1202	1202	1,202	
	RS	D	1	8	210.0	210.0	210.0	N/Q	-	0	630	630	630	
				81	210.0	364.2			604	642		630	1731	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+														
	PR	C	3	6	319.2	319.2	319.2	44	580	580	580	1915	1915	1,915
				6	319.2	319.2			580	580		1915	1915	

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
Cows														
0-400														
	PR	E	1	1	121.0	- 121.0	121.0	N/Q	275	- 275	275	393	- 393	393
	RS	D	1	13	253.0	- 253.0	253.0	-27	-	-	0	999	- 999	999
	RS	D	2	19	242.0	- 244.0	242.5	-19	-	-	0	891	- 932	921
400-520														
	PR	D	2	21	250.0	- 261.0	255.7	-1	543	- 567	556	1088	- 1262	1,211
	PR	D	3	81	260.0	- 275.0	267.5	2	531	- 561	546	1209	- 1346	1,280
	RS	D	1	16	239.0	- 260.0	246.9	-12	-	-	0	1040	- 1209	1,103
	RS	D	2	118	254.0	- 274.2	269.8	1	-	-	0	1105	- 1300	1,221
520+														
	PR	D	3	36	260.0	- 275.0	268.3	N/C	531	- 561	547	1431	- 1675	1,550
	PR	D	4	57	274.0	- 288.0	278.6	N/C	537	- 568	549	1548	- 1800	1,700
	PR	D	5	1	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	-25	490	- 490	490	1560	- 1560	1,560
	RS	D	2	21	242.0	- 266.0	262.1	14	-	-	0	1367	- 1506	1,482
				384	121.0	- 288.0			275	- 568		393	- 1800	
Bulls														
0-450														
	FD	C	3	2	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	-9	-	-	0	1445	- 1445	1,445
	RS	C	2	10	370.2	- 434.0	388.1	-27	-	-	0	803	- 1386	1,071
	RS	D	2	3	240.0	- 250.0	246.7	-131	-	-	0	663	- 684	670
450-600														
	PR	D	2	1	243.0	- 243.0	243.0	N/Q	442	- 442	442	1373	- 1373	1,373
600+														
	PR	C	2	4	244.0	- 275.0	263.5	3	444	- 500	479	1788	- 2318	1,963
	PR	C	3	12	275.0	- 300.0	285.2	N/C	491	- 536	509	1885	- 2406	2,195
	PR	D	2	2	221.0	- 240.0	230.5	N/Q	402	- 436	419	1547	- 1680	1,614
	RS	C	3	1	319.0	- 319.0	319.0	N/Q	-	-	0	2074	- 2074	2,074
				35	221.0	- 434.0			402	- 536		663	- 2406	

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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