

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Dalby

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Yarding 3953
 Change -568

comparison date 14/10/2020

The supply of stock reduced by 568 head to 3,953 at Dalby. A full panel of export processors was present and operating, along with a large line up of feed and trade buyers plus local and interstate restockers. Prices generally improved, with some new high levels recorded. Young light weight cattle returning to the paddock lifted in price by 32c to 49c/kg. Yearling steers to feed for the domestic market gained up to 30c, and heavy weight yearling steers to feed improved by 17c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to restockers or background averaged 28c/kg dearer. Yearling heifers to feed lifted in price by 33c to 35c/kg. A fair sample of heavy grown steers and bullocks to export processors averaged 2c to 3c/kg better. Most classes of cows sold to a dearer trend of 5c to 14c/kg.

Yearling steers under 200kg made to a new high 602.2c to average 566c/kg. Yearling steers under 280kg also made to 606.2c with a very large sample averaging 502c/kg. Yearling steers to feed for the domestic market averaged from 425c to 472c with sales to 486c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed made to 428c to average 423c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers under 200kg made to 556c to average 504c/kg. Yearling heifers 280kg average 498c with sales to 546c/kg. Yearling heifers to feed averaged from 431c to 461c, while lesser quality lines average 365c/kg. Heavy grown steers to export processors averaged 378c and made to 381c, while the bullock portion averaged 377c, with sales to 384.2c/kg. Grown heifers to export processors made to 364c, to average 346c/kg.

PTIC lines returned to the paddock at an average of 349c with sales to 350c/kg. Medium weight plain condition cows returning to the paddock averaged 283c, and some better conditions lines PTIC returned to the paddock selling for 333c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows to processors averaged 275c and 3 scores averaged 288c/kg. A large selection of good heavy weight cows averaged 315c with sales to 326.2c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 344c/kg.

Category	Sale Weight	Muscle Prefix	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	198	488.0	602.2	566.0	49	-	0	643	1180	1,044	
200-280														
	PR	D	2	3	370.0	370.0	370.0	N/Q	673	673	673	870	870	870
	RS	C	2	451	440.0	602.2	501.9	32	-	0	1040	1425	1,199	
	RS	D	2	33	350.0	426.0	402.5	-13	-	0	873	1050	1,022	
280-330														
	FD	C	2	76	444.0	486.0	472.1	30	-	0	1265	1458	1,376	
	FD	D	2	1	406.0	406.0	406.0	10	-	0	1218	1218	1,218	
	RS	C	2	12	486.0	486.0	486.0	N/Q	-	0	1458	1458	1,458	
	RS	D	2	14	366.0	382.0	380.9	N/Q	-	0	1043	1146	1,139	
330-400														
	FD	C	2	238	398.0	454.0	425.0	3	-	0	1353	1771	1,558	
	FD	D	2	79	368.0	392.0	382.2	N/C	-	0	1233	1509	1,392	
	RS	C	1	15	398.0	400.0	398.9	N/Q	-	0	1453	1580	1,512	
	RS	D	2	19	326.0	388.0	345.6	N/Q	-	0	1190	1339	1,227	
400+														
	FD	C	2	76	390.0	428.0	423.5	17	-	0	1620	1926	1,851	
	FD	D	2	12	370.0	372.0	370.3	-4	-	0	1507	1795	1,747	
				1227	326.0	602.2			673	673	643	1926		
Yearling Heifer														
0-200														
	RS	C	2	44	476.0	556.0	504.5	14	-	0	833	1029	885	
	RS	D	2	3	404.0	404.0	404.0	-22	-	0	707	707	707	
200-280														

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						Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
		PR	C	2	14	424.0	- 424.0	424.0	N/Q	785	- 785	785	996	- 996	996
		PR	D	2	2	360.0	- 360.0	360.0	-47	655	- 655	655	900	- 900	900
		RS	C	2	486	435.0	- 546.0	497.9	28	-	-	0	964	- 1441	1,238
		RS	C	3	32	470.0	- 520.0	508.4	N/Q	-	-	0	1246	- 1378	1,347
		RS	D	2	90	356.0	- 428.0	397.8	8	-	-	0	855	- 1134	972
280-330		FD	C	2	89	419.0	- 486.0	460.8	33	-	-	0	1226	- 1580	1,450
		PR	D	3	18	360.0	- 360.0	360.0	40	667	- 667	667	1080	- 1080	1,080
		RS	D	2	10	339.0	- 339.0	339.0	N/Q	-	-	0	1085	- 1085	1,085
330-400		FD	C	2	56	384.0	- 426.0	408.2	N/C	-	-	0	1424	- 1555	1,506
		FD	C	3	70	398.0	- 450.0	431.0	35	-	-	0	1407	- 1688	1,606
		FD	D	2	62	302.0	- 386.0	365.2	29	-	-	0	1102	- 1394	1,314
		PR	C	3	4	377.0	- 418.0	407.8	24	698	- 774	755	1395	- 1400	1,399
		PR	D	2	10	330.0	- 330.0	330.0	N/Q	611	- 611	611	1155	- 1155	1,155
		PR	D	3	21	318.0	- 345.0	336.0	N/Q	589	- 639	622	1161	- 1328	1,272
		RS	D	2	2	326.0	- 326.0	326.0	N/Q	-	-	0	1190	- 1190	1,190
400+		FD	C	2	13	350.0	- 368.0	363.8	-3	-	-	0	1523	- 1601	1,583
		FD	C	3	13	360.0	- 363.0	362.3	-1	-	-	0	1458	- 1579	1,551
		FD	D	2	8	342.0	- 342.0	342.0	4	-	-	0	1454	- 1454	1,454
		PR	C	3	8	368.0	- 378.0	374.3	2	681	- 700	693	1601	- 1644	1,628
		PR	D	3	19	301.0	- 323.0	313.7	N/Q	557	- 598	581	1309	- 1373	1,346
					1074	301.0	556.0			557	785		707	1688	
Grown Steer															
0-400		FD	D	2	6	338.0	- 338.0	338.0	N/Q	-	-	0	1234	- 1234	1,234
400-500		FD	C	2	14	422.0	- 422.0	422.0	82	-	-	0	1794	- 1794	1,794
		FD	C	3	18	360.0	- 378.0	372.0	28	-	-	0	1530	- 1701	1,644
		PR	C	4	3	375.0	- 375.0	375.0	N/Q	670	- 670	670	1819	- 1819	1,819
		PR	D	2	2	327.0	- 327.0	327.0	N/Q	595	- 595	595	1390	- 1390	1,390
500-600		FD	C	3	10	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q	-	-	0	1921	- 1921	1,921
		PR	C	3	11	379.2	- 379.2	379.2	27	689	- 689	689	2051	- 2051	2,052
		PR	C	4	65	372.0	- 381.0	378.0	2	664	- 680	675	2022	- 2229	2,171
600-750		PR	C	4	48	373.0	- 384.2	377.5	3	666	- 686	674	2381	- 2562	2,476
					177	327.0	422.0			595	689		1234	2562	
Grown Heifer															
0-540		FD	C	3	8	320.0	- 355.0	333.1	-13	-	-	0	1360	- 1544	1,429
		FD	D	2	1	308.0	- 308.0	308.0	19	-	-	0	1432	- 1432	1,432
		PR	C	3	27	310.0	- 324.0	317.1	3	585	- 615	605	1395	- 1440	1,422
		PR	C	4	59	330.0	- 364.0	346.1	14	638	- 687	656	1436	- 1820	1,602

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
	PR	D	3	1	343.0	343.0	343.0	43	647	647	647	1835	1835	1,835
	RS	C	3	19	336.0	350.0	349.3	N/Q	-	0	0	1488	1562	1,491
	RS	D	2	15	252.0	288.0	256.8	-17	-	0	0	920	1253	964
	RS	E	2	7	202.0	256.0	248.3	N/Q	-	0	0	798	934	915
540+														
	PR	C	4	34	350.0	372.0	364.5	22	660	702	688	2034	2398	2,072
				171	202.0	372.0			585	702		798	2398	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+														
	PR	C	4	2	351.0	351.0	351.0	2	627	627	627	2317	2317	2,317
				2	351.0	351.0			627	627		2317	2317	
Cows														
0-400														
	PR	D	1	9	206.0	240.0	236.2	N/Q	468	545	537	824	960	945
	PR	E	1	1	160.0	160.0	160.0	N/Q	364	364	364	584	584	584
400-520														
	PR	D	1	9	240.0	265.0	254.0	9	545	602	577	1024	1153	1,102
	PR	D	2	33	267.0	285.0	275.5	9	580	620	599	1175	1288	1,231
	PR	D	3	91	270.0	295.0	288.3	5	551	602	588	1175	1431	1,290
	PR	D	4	54	291.0	309.0	300.3	-5	571	606	589	1266	1524	1,460
	RS	D	1	7	260.0	274.0	269.4	2	-	0	0	1105	1360	1,219
	RS	D	2	111	270.0	287.0	283.3	-11	-	0	0	1205	1292	1,267
	RS	D	3	73	333.2	333.2	333.2	46	-	0	0	1599	1599	1,599
520+														
	PR	D	2	14	285.0	285.0	285.0	10	620	620	620	1539	1539	1,539
	PR	D	3	18	289.0	294.0	293.2	7	590	600	598	1573	1905	1,779
	PR	D	4	228	291.0	326.0	314.6	14	571	639	617	1610	2070	1,874
	PR	D	5	9	283.0	290.0	289.2	15	578	592	590	1639	1698	1,645
				657	160.0	333.2			364	639		584	2070	
Bulls														
0-450														
	FD	C	2	2	378.0	378.0	378.0	-4	-	0	0	1607	1607	1,607
	FD	C	3	25	372.0	386.0	379.3	3	-	0	0	1432	1637	1,539
	RS	C	2	98	404.0	526.0	451.3	37	-	0	0	731	1212	1,110
	RS	D	2	2	200.0	200.0	200.0	-228	-	0	0	370	370	370
450-600														
	FD	C	2	19	330.0	342.0	334.4	N/Q	-	0	0	1535	1659	1,598
	FD	C	3	5	388.0	388.0	388.0	25	-	0	0	1804	1804	1,804
	PR	C	3	5	334.0	334.0	334.0	14	596	596	596	1887	1887	1,887
600+														
	PR	C	2	1	280.0	280.0	280.0	1	509	509	509	2100	2100	2,100
	PR	C	3	46	315.0	344.0	330.1	-2	563	614	590	2063	3156	2,467
	PR	E	3	1	310.0	310.0	310.0	N/Q	554	554	554	1938	1938	1,938
				204	200.0	526.0			509	614		370	3156	

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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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