

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle
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Dalby		report date	30/06/2021
Yarding	2638	comparison date	23/06/2021
Change	-319		

Numbers reduced at Dalby by 319 head down to 2,638 for the last sale for the financial year. Cattle were drawn from the local supply area as well as far western districts. Buyer attendance was good, however one major export processor remains absent from the buying panel. The regular feed and trade buyers, plus a large number of restockers were present and active in the market. Light weight yearling steers returning to the paddock averaged 14c/kg better. A lift in the standard, plus a stronger demand, improved average prices for yearling steers to feed for the domestic market by up to 26c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed experienced only quality related price changes. Light weight yearling heifers returning to the paddock or background averaged 7c to 16c/kg better. Yearling heifers to feed improved in price by 7c to 18c/kg. A fair sample of bullocks to export processors sold to a dearer trend. A lift in the quality penned, plus improved competition increased average prices for good heavy weight cows by 7c/kg.

Yearling steers under 200kg returning to the paddock made to a top of 698c to average 586c/kg. Yearling steers under 280kg made to 653c with a large sample averaging 568c/kg. Yearling steers to feed for the domestic market made to the occasional 558c, with a large consignment from the far west making to 530c, with the largest numbers averaging 498c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed also made to 530c to average 459c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers returning to the paddock made to 582 to average 493c/kg. Yearling heifers to feed made to 498c to average from 461c to 472c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers to feed and the trade made to 420c/kg.

A small selection of heavy grown steers to export processors made to 398c to average 383c/kg. The occasional bullock made to 380c, with a fair sample averaging 367c/kg. Plain conditioned medium weight PTIC cows made to 396c, however the remainder of the cows returning to the paddock averaged 301c/kg. Good heavy weight cows to export processors made to 318c with a large sample averaging 305c/kg. Heavy weight bulls made to a top of 318c/kg.

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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
Yearling Steer														
0-200														
	RS	C	2	32	548.0	698.2	586.0	-26	-	0	959	1169	1,050	
	RS	D	2	7	344.0	513.0	464.7	-41	-	0	464	949	811	
200-280														
	RS	C	2	369	460.0	653.0	568.3	14	-	0	1150	1633	1,402	
	RS	D	2	2	370.0	370.0	370.0	N/C	-	0	925	925	925	
280-330														
	FD	C	2	203	480.0	558.0	525.5	3	-	0	1436	1674	1,562	
	RS	C	2	69	426.0	548.0	492.7	-9	-	0	1278	1644	1,486	
330-400														
	FD	C	2	319	432.0	530.2	497.9	26	-	0	1550	2015	1,848	
	FD	D	2	23	370.0	402.0	400.6	N/Q	-	0	1425	1548	1,524	
	RS	C	2	8	426.0	426.0	426.0	-69	-	0	1427	1427	1,427	
400+														
	FD	C	2	137	413.0	530.2	459.1	-3	-	0	1760	2319	2,000	
	FD	D	2	10	398.0	409.0	403.5	5	-	0	1692	1841	1,766	
	PR	C	2	9	355.0	355.0	355.0	N/Q	645	645	645	1704	1704	1,704
				1188	344.0	698.2			645	645	464	2319		
Yearling Heifer														
0-200														
	RS	C	2	75	482.0	578.0	565.8	7	-	0	892	1069	1,020	
	RS	D	2	2	428.0	428.0	428.0	N/Q	-	0	792	792	792	

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200-280	RS	C	2	139	440.0	580.0	493.5	-30	-	0	988	1350	1,223	
	RS	D	2	20	395.0	440.0	413.5	16	-	0	928	1080	1,017	
280-330	FD	C	2	81	440.0	498.0	471.8	18	-	0	1300	1494	1,375	
	FD	D	2	43	382.0	382.0	382.0	2	-	0	1154	1165	1,162	
330-400	FD	C	2	16	376.0	408.0	399.8	-33	-	0	1316	1550	1,518	
	FD	C	3	74	416.0	470.0	461.0	7	-	0	1575	1794	1,725	
	FD	D	2	18	260.0	352.0	320.0	-30	-	0	910	1232	1,142	
	FD	D	3	28	342.0	376.0	363.9	N/Q	-	0	1317	1410	1,377	
400+	FD	C	2	14	378.0	390.0	388.3	N/Q	-	0	1607	1658	1,650	
	FD	C	3	39	392.0	420.0	411.7	-8	-	0	1660	1953	1,767	
	FD	D	3	12	378.0	378.0	378.0	N/Q	-	0	1588	1588	1,588	
	PR	C	3	8	418.0	420.0	418.5	-2	774	778	775	1818	1827	1,821
				569	260.0	580.0			774	778		792	1953	
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	2	25	360.0	388.0	367.8	N/C	-	0	1620	1862	1,722	
	FD	C	3	23	360.0	398.0	374.9	19	-	0	1620	1742	1,728	
500-600	PR	C	3	7	358.0	358.0	358.0	N/Q	651	651	651	1915	1915	1,915
	PR	C	4	20	367.0	398.0	382.9	N/Q	655	711	684	2074	2177	2,128
600-750	PR	C	3	14	339.0	358.0	348.5	N/Q	616	651	634	2204	2234	2,219
	PR	C	4	75	363.2	372.0	367.3	20	649	664	656	2294	2564	2,429
750+	PR	C	4	1	380.2	380.2	380.2	N/Q	679	679	679	2909	2909	2,909
				165	339.0	398.0			616	711		1620	2909	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	3	5	330.0	330.0	330.0	-19	-	0	1403	1403	1,403	
	PR	C	3	14	324.0	350.0	331.4	26	611	660	632	1409	1535	1,456
				19	324.0	350.0			611	660		1403	1535	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+	PR	C	4	14	310.0	347.0	343.3	28	564	631	624	2170	2603	2,564
	PR	D	3	1	301.0	301.0	301.0	N/Q	538	538	538	2107	2107	2,107
				15	301.0	347.0			538	631		2107	2603	
Cows														
0-400	PR	D	2	6	276.0	276.0	276.0	N/C	600	600	600	938	938	938
	RS	D	1	9	262.0	262.0	262.0	N/Q	-	0	891	891	891	

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400-520	PR	D	1	2	246.0	246.0	246.0	-9	559	559	559	1070	1070	1,070
	PR	D	2	4	275.0	280.0	276.8	4	598	609	602	1218	1242	1,235
	PR	D	3	5	285.0	285.0	285.0	4	582	582	582	1283	1283	1,283
	PR	D	4	11	294.0	303.0	302.2	1	576	594	593	1250	1533	1,507
	PR	D	7	3	307.0	307.0	307.0	N/Q	602	602	602	1428	1428	1,428
	RS	D	1	3	269.0	269.0	269.0	1	-	0	0	1170	1170	1,170
	RS	D	2	73	266.0	396.0	301.1	-29	-	0	0	1157	1782	1,388
520+	PR	D	3	32	285.0	299.0	291.7	7	582	598	588	1576	1794	1,717
	PR	D	4	175	295.0	318.0	305.0	7	578	624	598	1647	2062	1,817
	PR	D	6	1	190.0	190.0	190.0	N/Q	396	396	396	1140	1140	1,140
	RS	D	2	10	300.0	300.0	300.0	-48	-	0	0	1620	1620	1,620
				334	190.0	396.0			396	624		891	2062	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	3	330.0	412.0	357.3	N/Q	-	0	0	1442	1485	1,471
	FD	C	3	23	382.0	418.0	408.5	8	-	0	0	1665	1818	1,747
	FD	D	2	1	352.0	352.0	352.0	1	-	0	0	1056	1056	1,056
	RS	C	2	5	246.0	438.0	361.2	-90	-	0	0	861	1314	1,133
	RS	C	3	4	414.0	418.0	415.0	2	-	0	0	1526	1801	1,732
450-600	FD	C	2	1	264.0	264.0	264.0	-65	-	0	0	1531	1531	1,531
	FD	C	3	8	332.0	414.0	373.5	-25	-	0	0	1776	2012	1,943
	FD	D	2	7	311.0	311.0	311.0	N/Q	-	0	0	1446	1446	1,446
600+	PR	C	2	3	266.0	274.0	270.0	-9	484	498	491	1729	2336	2,086
	PR	C	3	13	280.0	318.0	294.5	-4	500	568	526	1750	2114	1,946
	PR	D	2	1	232.0	232.0	232.0	N/Q	422	422	422	1508	1508	1,508
				69	232.0	438.0			422	568		861	2336	

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

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