

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Dalby

Yarding 5008
Change 2366

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comparison date 10/11/2021

The supply of stock at Dalby lifted to the highest level in the nation this week with agents penning 5,008 head, an increase of 2,366. Cattle were drawn from a wide area and included consignments from New South Wales and far Western Queensland, with one large run of 829 head from a single vendor. All the regular export processors and feeder operators were in attendance plus local and interstate restockers and all were operating in a generally dearer market. Light weight yearling steers and heifers returning to the paddock improved by up to 30c/kg. Medium and heavy weight yearling steers to feed averaged 35c to 45c/kg better. Yearling heifers to feed lifted in price by 7c to 36c/kg. A relatively small selection of heavy grown steers to export processors averaged 14c/kg dearer. A large number of cows were penned and the best of the medium weights averaged 6c/kg better, while good heavy weight cows remain close to the previous weeks improved prices.

Yearling steers under 200kg made to 816c to average 707c/kg. Yearling steers under 280kg made to 800c with a large number averaging 676c/kg. Yearling steers to feed for the domestic market averaged from 597c to 644c with a very occasional pen reaching 732c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed made to 630c with a large sample averaging 559c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers made to 722c with a fair sample averaging 627c/kg. Yearling heifers to feed averaged from 555c to 564c with sales to 628c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers to feed made to 550c to average 516c/kg.

Heavy grown steers to export processors made to 472c to average 469c, and the bullock portion made to a top of 452c/kg. The best of the medium weight cows to export processors made to 420c to average 412c/kg. A large selection of good heavy weight cows made to 422c to average 414c/kg. Heavy weight bulls made to 380c/kg. Cows and calves sold to a top of \$3,650/unit.

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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		111	646.0	- 816.0	707.0	N/Q	-	0	1131	- 1465	1,280	
200-280															
	RS	C	2		946	574.0	- 800.0	676.2	7	-	0	1292	- 1980	1,649	
	RS	D	1		7	436.0	- 490.0	451.4	N/Q	-	0	1068	- 1201	1,106	
	RS	D	2		36	512.0	- 568.0	537.9	-1	-	0	1269	- 1562	1,408	
280-330															
	FD	C	2		227	600.0	- 732.0	644.0	35	-	0	1710	- 2342	1,932	
	FD	D	2		2	480.0	- 480.0	480.0	N/Q	-	0	1440	- 1440	1,440	
	RS	C	2		94	560.0	- 660.0	608.8	27	-	0	1680	- 1929	1,813	
	RS	D	2		32	402.0	- 546.0	485.3	87	-	0	1206	- 1723	1,478	
330-400															
	FD	C	2		356	546.0	- 640.0	596.6	45	-	0	1967	- 2437	2,171	
	FD	D	2		74	480.0	- 536.0	513.9	N/Q	-	0	1675	- 2048	1,855	
	RS	C	2		8	560.0	- 560.0	560.0	N/Q	-	0	1876	- 1876	1,876	
	RS	D	2		2	468.0	- 468.0	468.0	N/Q	-	0	1568	- 1568	1,568	
400+															
	FD	C	2		659	498.0	- 630.0	559.5	43	-	0	2214	- 2729	2,389	
	PR	C	3		17	450.0	- 488.0	476.8	2	818	- 887	867	2183	- 2596	2,475
					2571	402.0	816.0			818	887	1068	2729		
Yearling Heifer															
0-200															
	RS	C	2		12	722.0	- 722.0	722.0	112	-	0	1336	- 1336	1,336	

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200-280	RS	E	2	1	240.0	240.0	240.0	N/Q	-	0	396	396	396	
	PR	D	2	3	480.0	480.0	480.0	-9	889	889	1200	1200	1,200	
	RS	C	2	275	576.0	702.0	627.5	33	-	0	1350	1797	1,581	
280-330	RS	D	2	6	474.0	512.0	493.0	16	-	0	1114	1203	1,159	
	FD	C	2	268	498.0	628.0	564.4	-1	-	0	1494	1884	1,665	
	FD	D	2	5	400.0	400.0	400.0	-40	-	0	1140	1140	1,140	
330-400	RS	C	2	14	610.0	626.0	619.6	-31	-	0	1778	1878	1,825	
	FD	C	3	84	466.0	570.0	555.5	7	-	0	1794	2179	1,982	
	FD	C	3	110	466.0	550.0	516.2	36	-	0	2023	2402	2,226	
400+	PR	C	3	10	430.0	492.0	479.6	6	796	911	888	1828	2091	2,038
	RS	C	3	11	540.0	540.0	540.0	-50	-	0	2295	2295	2,295	
				799	240.0	722.0			796	911	396	2402		
Grown Steer														
400-500														
	FD	C	2	34	450.0	461.0	453.9	N/Q	-	0	1868	1913	1,884	
	FD	C	3	17	437.0	449.0	440.0	N/C	-	0	1826	2088	1,889	
	FD	D	2	17	454.0	455.0	454.7	N/Q	-	0	1884	1888	1,887	
500-600														
	FD	C	3	25	433.0	452.0	441.3	-4	-	0	2278	2594	2,412	
	PR	C	4	34	464.0	470.0	469.3	14	829	839	838	2422	2632	2,607
600-750														
	PR	C	4	24	448.0	452.0	448.5	-14	800	822	803	2755	3051	2,856
				151	433.0	470.0			800	839	1826	3051		
Grown Heifer														
0-540														
	PR	C	4	6	431.0	440.0	432.5	-6	813	830	816	2306	2354	2,314
540+														
	PR	C	4	35	425.0	426.0	425.7	9	802	804	803	2535	2876	2,699
				41	425.0	440.0			802	830	2306	2876		
Manufacturing Steer														
540+														
	PR	C	4	1	415.0	415.0	415.0	N/Q	755	755	755	3486	3486	3,486
				1	415.0	415.0			755	755	3486	3486		
Cows														
0-400														
	PR	D	2	1	344.0	344.0	344.0	N/Q	748	748	748	1376	1376	1,376
	PR	D	3	10	364.0	364.0	364.0	N/Q	791	791	791	1456	1456	1,456
	PR	E	1	1	266.0	266.0	266.0	-2	605	605	605	1024	1024	1,024
	RS	D	2	3	356.0	356.0	356.0	N/Q	-	-	0	1299	1299	1,299
400-520														

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
	PR	C	4	8	411.0	420.0	417.8	N/Q	775	792	788	2055	2100	2,089
	PR	D	1	12	296.0	300.0	299.3	-19	673	682	680	1350	1376	1,354
	PR	D	2	19	318.0	377.0	353.9	-8	691	820	767	1352	1753	1,594
	PR	D	3	109	373.0	397.0	386.4	6	761	810	789	1653	1925	1,732
	PR	D	4	136	400.0	420.0	411.9	6	784	824	808	1860	2142	1,969
	RS	D	1	1	330.0	330.0	330.0	10	-	-	0	1436	1436	1,436
	RS	D	2	20	343.0	362.0	357.8	-27	-	-	0	1550	1674	1,568
520+														
	PR	D	2	6	370.0	370.0	370.0	N/Q	804	804	804	2091	2091	2,091
	PR	D	3	23	389.0	404.0	395.2	12	794	824	807	2092	2535	2,223
	PR	D	4	195	405.0	422.0	413.9	-2	794	827	812	2167	2912	2,428
	PR	D	5	4	393.0	393.0	393.0	N/Q	802	802	802	2103	2103	2,103
				548	266.0	422.0			605	827		1024	2912	
Bulls														
0-450														
	FD	C	3	31	404.0	496.0	477.4	7	-	-	0	1636	2057	2,009
	PR	C	3	19	438.0	438.0	438.0	N/Q	796	796	796	1971	1971	1,971
	RS	C	2	63	500.0	634.0	596.2	15	-	-	0	1311	1925	1,413
	RS	C	3	6	490.0	536.0	507.3	19	-	-	0	1789	1876	1,825
450-600														
	PR	C	3	5	353.0	363.0	361.0	-17	630	648	645	1889	2051	2,019
600+														
	PR	C	3	63	320.0	380.0	354.6	-24	571	691	634	2081	3086	2,576
	PR	D	2	21	282.0	364.0	346.3	N/Q	513	662	630	1763	2275	2,165
				208	282.0	634.0			513	796		1311	3086	

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

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