

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Toowoomba

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Yarding 304
Change 112

comparison date 29/06/2020

Numbers increased by 112 head to 304 at the Toowoomba cattle sale. Young cattle were in the largest numbers, along with a handful of heavy grown steers and a small selection of cows. The usual feed and trade buyers was present and operating, plus a large lineup of restockers and onlookers. Restockers provided strong competition on young light weight cattle. Medium weight yearling steers and heifers experienced strong support from feeder operators as well as restockers. Heavy grown steers and cows were too small in numbers to reliably quote.

Yearling steers under 200kg returned to the paddock at an average of 448c and sold to 460.2c/kg. Yearling steers under 280kg sold to restockers at an average of 414c with sales to 444.2c/kg. Yearling steers to feed under 330kg averaged 408c and made to 415.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed sold to 413.2c to average 382c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers sold to restockers at an average of 383c and made to 406c/kg. Yearling heifers to feed under 330kg made to 413.2c to average 391c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 386c and made to 390c/kg.

Heavy grown steers to export processors sold to and averaged 352.2c, and a couple of grown heifers made to 340.2c/kg. Medium weight poor condition cows averaged 200c, and heavy weight cows made to 263c/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	7	416.0	460.2	447.6	N/Q	-	0	736	770	746		
	RS	D	2	2	354.0	354.0	354.0	N/Q	-	0	655	655	655		
200-280															
	RS	C	2	55	388.0	444.2	414.1	-20	-	0	921	1211	1,083		
280-330															
	FD	C	2	24	372.0	415.2	408.5	8	-	0	1106	1308	1,233		
	RS	D	2	2	318.0	318.0	318.0	N/Q	-	0	906	906	906		
330-400															
	FD	C	2	11	369.0	413.2	382.4	-19	-	0	1246	1446	1,313		
	FD	D	2	5	321.0	322.2	322.0	N/Q	-	0	1124	1260	1,233		
	RS	C	2	3	376.2	376.2	376.2	-47	-	0	1260	1260	1,260		
	RS	D	2	3	268.0	268.0	268.0	N/Q	-	0	898	898	898		
400+															
	FD	C	2	4	339.0	390.2	366.4	9	-	0	1441	1580	1,538		
	FD	D	2	3	289.0	323.2	300.4	-21	-	0	1228	1584	1,347		
				119	268.0	460.2			0	0	655	1584			
Yearling Heifer															
0-200															
	RS	C	2	2	386.2	386.2	386.2	-8	-	0	703	703	703		
200-280															
	RS	C	2	36	338.0	406.0	383.4	-13	-	0	794	1076	990		
	RS	D	2	14	282.0	318.0	300.0	-34	-	0	677	795	746		
280-330															
	FD	C	2	26	336.0	413.2	390.6	7	-	0	1008	1198	1,149		
	FD	D	2	1	300.0	300.0	300.0	N/Q	-	0	855	855	855		
	PR	C	3	1	346.2	346.2	346.2	N/Q	641	641	641	987	987	987	
	RS	D	2	1	307.0	307.0	307.0	N/Q	-	0	921	921	921		

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330-400															
	FD	C	2	9	382.0	390.0	386.4	36	-	0	1280	1337	1,314		
	FD	D	2	1	270.0	270.0	270.0	N/Q	-	0	1040	1040	1,040		
	PR	C	3	6	350.0	380.0	360.0	N/Q	648	704	667	1190	1357	1,246	
	PR	D	2	1	243.2	243.2	243.2	N/Q	450	450	450	948	948	949	
	RS	D	1	1	200.0	200.0	200.0	N/Q	-	0	700	700	700		
400+															
	PR	C	2	1	332.0	332.0	332.0	N/Q	615	615	615	1411	1411	1,411	
	PR	C	3	1	380.0	380.0	380.0	N/Q	704	704	704	1615	1615	1,615	
				101	200.0	413.2			450	704		677	1615		
Grown Steer															
400-500															
	FD	C	2	4	321.0	321.0	321.0	N/Q	-	0	1493	1493	1,493		
	FD	C	3	2	323.2	323.2	323.2	N/Q	-	0	1603	1603	1,603		
500-600															
	PR	C	4	10	352.2	352.2	352.2	-16	629	629	629	1955	1955	1,955	
				16	321.0	352.2			629	629		1493	1955		
Grown Heifer															
0-540															
	PR	C	4	4	320.2	340.2	330.2	N/Q	604	642	623	1623	1697	1,660	
	PR	D	2	2	202.0	258.0	230.0	N/Q	421	538	479	798	1097	947	
540+															
	PR	D	3	1	274.0	274.0	274.0	N/Q	537	537	537	1576	1576	1,576	
				7	202.0	340.2			421	642		798	1697		
Manufacturing Steer															
540+															
	PR	C	3	6	261.0	263.2	261.7	N/Q	475	479	476	1827	2132	1,929	
	PR	D	2	3	155.2	248.0	186.1	N/Q	282	451	338	1547	1612	1,569	
				9	155.2	263.2			282	479		1547	2132		
Cows															
0-400															
	DA	E	1	1	157.0	157.0	157.0	N/Q	-	0	628	628	628		
400-520															
	PR	D	1	5	176.2	208.0	199.8	-32	400	473	454	905	953	936	
	PR	D	2	1	254.0	254.0	254.0	-5	552	552	552	1181	1181	1,181	
	PR	D	3	1	251.0	251.0	251.0	-17	512	512	512	1217	1217	1,217	
520+															
	PR	D	2	4	221.2	245.2	238.7	N/Q	481	533	519	1300	1438	1,365	
	PR	D	3	4	263.0	263.0	263.0	-12	537	537	537	1670	1670	1,670	
	PR	D	4	1	262.0	262.0	262.0	-27	514	514	514	1716	1716	1,716	
	PR	D	5	1	241.2	241.2	241.2	N/Q	492	492	492	1797	1797	1,797	
				18	157.0	263.0			400	552		628	1797		
Bulls															
0-450															
	RS	C	2	4	276.0	302.0	295.5	N/Q	-	0	649	906	842		

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg			
600+	PR	C	3	1	284.2	-	284.2	284.2	N/Q	508	-	508	508	2814	-	2814	2,814
				5	276.0		302.0				508		508		649		2814

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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