

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Warwick

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Yarding Change 1140  
-225

comparison date 21/02/2017

The yarding was down slightly for a total of 1,140 head. The yarding consisted of a good supply of young cattle and a smaller penning of grown cattle. The yarding of young cattle consisted of a good supply of vealers and weaners, however there was a few less yearlings offered this week. Quality of the young cattle was mixed, with a large percentage going to feeders and restockers.

The market was easier again this week for most classes of cattle. Restocker vealer steers were down by 7c selling to a top of 403c, while restocker vealer heifers topped at 336c to be 14c/kg cheaper. Trade vealer heifers topped at 337c, with medium weight feeder steers holding firm, selling to a top of 340c to average 326c and restockers sold to a top of 347c/kg. Heavy feeder steers lost 10c selling to a top of 328c/kg. Feeder heifers held firm to average 299c, while trade heifers sold to a top of 328c to average 295c/kg.

The yarding of export cattle consisted of smaller numbers of steers and cows, however quality of the cows improved. Bullocks and steers were only slightly easier selling to a top of 303c to average 290c/kg. Heifers saw little change selling to a top of 274c/kg. The cow market was firm to 3c cheaper with 3 score medium weights (under 520kg) averaging 224c, while heavy cows sold to a top of 234c/kg.

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		
<b>Calves</b>																
80+	RS	C	1	6	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	-42	-	-	-	384	-	384	384	
				<b>6</b>	<b>320.0</b>	<b>320.0</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>384</b>	<b>384</b>			
<b>Vealer Steer</b>																
200-280		C	2	8	325.0	- 325.0	325.0	N/Q	613	-	613	613	894	-	894	894
	RS	C	2	204	309.2	- 403.2	350.0	-7	-	-	-	759	-	1048	922	
	RS	D	2	6	399.2	- 399.2	399.2	30	-	-	-	998	-	998	998	
280-330	RS	C	2	10	342.0	- 345.0	343.5	N/Q	-	-	-	1026	-	1035	1031	
				<b>228</b>	<b>309.2</b>	<b>403.2</b>			<b>613</b>	<b>613</b>		<b>759</b>	<b>1048</b>			
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>																
0-200	RS	C	2	10	295.2	- 295.2	295.2	N/Q	-	-	-	590	-	590	590	
200-280	RS	C	2	93	315.0	- 336.2	327.7	-14	-	-	-	707	-	924	851	
		C	2	93	280.0	- 337.2	318.7	-7	519	-	624	595	750	-	925	837
		C	3	2	325.2	- 325.2	325.2	N/Q	602	-	602	602	878	-	878	878
				<b>198</b>	<b>280.0</b>	<b>337.2</b>			<b>519</b>	<b>624</b>		<b>590</b>	<b>925</b>			
<b>Yearling Steer</b>																
200-280	RS	C	2	6	325.2	- 325.2	325.2	-15	-	-	-	911	-	911	911	
280-330	RS	C	2	40	293.2	- 347.2	330.6	-5	-	-	-	880	-	1146	1084	
	RS	D	2	2	305.2	- 305.2	305.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1007	-	1007	1007	
330-400	RS	C	2	42	293.2	- 347.2	334.4	12	-	-	-	1153	-	1250	1198	
	FD	C	2	81	310.0	- 340.0	326.6	6	-	-	-	1152	-	1309	1227	
	FD	C	3	6	311.2	- 311.2	311.2	-21	-	-	-	1183	-	1183	1183	
		C	3	1	319.2	- 319.2	319.2	N/Q	580	-	580	580	1277	-	1277	1277
400+	FD	C	2	23	290.0	- 328.2	314.1	-15	-	-	-	1218	-	1444	1354	
	FD	C	3	36	290.0	- 325.2	316.7	-11	-	-	-	1392	-	1593	1506	
		C	3	13	293.2	- 304.2	297.7	-17	533	-	553	541	1369	-	1481	1424

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
					<b>250</b>	<b>290.0</b>	<b>347.2</b>			<b>533</b>	<b>580</b>		<b>880</b>	<b>1593</b>
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	6	289.2	- 289.2	289.2	-13	546	- 546	546	810	- 810	810
	RS	C	2	9	270.0	- 303.2	288.4	N/Q	-			756	- 849	808
280-330	RS	C	2	37	290.2	- 304.2	299.9	-14	-			892	- 990	929
		C	2	4	260.0	- 270.2	265.1	-44	491	- 510	500	858	- 892	875
330-400		C	2	9	280.0	- 285.2	282.9	-5	528	- 538	534	980	- 1141	1038
	RS	C	2	4	293.2	- 308.0	304.3	19	-			1026	- 1078	1065
	FD	C	2	35	287.2	- 314.0	299.1	1	-			1063	- 1172	1114
		C	3	8	300.0	- 328.2	314.0	10	566	- 619	588	1149	- 1236	1194
400+		C	2	7	286.2	- 286.2	286.2	-21	540	- 540	540	1202	- 1202	1202
	FD	C	3	3	289.0	- 289.0	289.0	N/Q	-			1301	- 1301	1301
		C	3	19	283.2	- 304.0	291.8	-3	534	- 574	551	1189	- 1441	1290
					<b>141</b>	<b>260.0</b>	<b>328.2</b>		<b>491</b>	<b>619</b>		<b>756</b>	<b>1441</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
400-500	FD	C	2	5	270.2	- 277.2	274.4	-46	-			1135	- 1247	1202
	RS	C	2	15	264.2	- 274.2	267.8	N/Q	-			1117	- 1316	1190
	FD	C	3	1	288.0	- 288.0	288.0	N/Q	-			1325	- 1325	1325
500-600		C	3	1	275.2	- 275.2	275.2	N/Q	510	- 510	510	1486	- 1486	1486
		C	4	25	265.0	- 303.2	290.5	-2	482	- 551	531	1457	- 1813	1636
600-750		C	4	15	260.0	- 274.2	269.2	N/Q	473	- 499	490	1638	- 1782	1732
					<b>62</b>	<b>260.0</b>	<b>303.2</b>		<b>473</b>	<b>551</b>		<b>1117</b>	<b>1813</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540		C	2	2	228.2	- 228.2	228.2	N/Q	439	- 439	439	1073	- 1073	1073
	FD	C	2	14	270.0	- 278.2	276.7	-7	-			1134	- 1168	1162
		C	3	22	251.0	- 274.2	269.2	-8	481	- 517	508	1152	- 1426	1221
540+		C	4	1	265.0	- 265.0	265.0	N/Q	500	- 500	500	1590	- 1590	1590
					<b>39</b>	<b>228.2</b>	<b>278.2</b>		<b>439</b>	<b>517</b>		<b>1073</b>	<b>1590</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	2	4	170.0	- 200.0	191.6	N/Q	378	- 440	423	680	- 800	766
		E	1	5	170.0	- 180.0	172.0	-3	405	- 429	410	612	- 720	634
	RS	E	1	10	160.0	- 177.2	165.2	-8	-			576	- 709	616
400-520	RS	D	2	20	185.0	- 210.2	198.6	-11	-			833	- 946	900
		D	2	35	180.0	- 217.2	200.7	-12	391	- 472	435	756	- 1043	914
		D	3	60	215.0	- 230.0	224.5	1	448	- 489	468	946	- 1141	1082
		D	4	26	226.0	- 234.2	230.5	-1	452	- 460	458	1104	- 1218	1186
520+		D	4	21	230.0	- 234.2	231.6	-3	451	- 460	456	1243	- 1502	1400
					<b>181</b>	<b>160.0</b>	<b>234.2</b>		<b>378</b>	<b>489</b>		<b>576</b>	<b>1502</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450		C	2	1	279.2	- 279.2	279.2	N/Q	508	- 508	508	1256	- 1256	1256
450-600		C	2	5	245.0	- 264.2	250.5	7	446	- 472	454	1321	- 1500	1450
600+		C	2	7	235.2	- 257.2	250.7	5	428	- 459	450	1646	- 2304	1864
					<b>13</b>	<b>235.2</b>	<b>279.2</b>		<b>428</b>	<b>508</b>		<b>1256</b>	<b>2304</b>	

**Abbreviations**

CATTLE FD: Feeder RS: Restocker GF: Grainfed DA: Dairy PC: Pastoral CATTLE SHEEP & LAMB RS: Restocker MR: Merino RM: Restocker Merino 1X: 1st Cross  
FD: Feeder DP: Dorper

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