

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Dalby

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Yarding Change <sup>5327</sup>/<sub>587</sub>

comparison date 08/11/2017

There was a yarding of 5,327 head an increase of 587. The yarding consisted of a good supply of yearlings, while grown cattle were well supplied. The yarding of young cattle consisted of a good penning of yearling steers and heifers that were mainly in 2 and 3 score condition and several runs of well bred cattle through the sale. There was also a fair number of light weight yearlings offered.

The market was generally firm that saw medium weight feeder steers sell 7c dearer topping at 330c to average 317c/kg. Heavy feeder steers struggled at times, although the well bred steers saw little change to average 305c/kg. Yearling feeder heifers sold firm to slightly easier topping at 302c to average 291c/kg. Light weight yearlings continued to meet keen restocker demand with light yearling steers ranging from 314c to 382c and restocker heifers sold from 302c to 338c/kg.

The yarding of export cattle consisted of a good supply of bullocks and steers and a larger penning of cows. Bullocks and steers sold firm to 5c dearer for odd sales of high yielding cattle topping at 303c to average 298c/kg. Grown feeder steers sold according to quality and weight ranging from 254c to 316c/kg. The cow market was 5c to 6c dearer with 3 score medium weights averaging 233c and heavy cows sold to a top of 254c to average 246c/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	D	2	7	312.0	- 312.0	312.0	-100	-	-	-	499	- 499	499
				<b>7</b>	<b>312.0</b>	<b>312.0</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>499</b>	<b>499</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	60	315.0	- 321.2	319.6	12	583	- 595	592	819	- 865	853
	RS	C	2	8	334.0	- 334.0	334.0	N/Q	-	-	-	835	- 835	835
				<b>68</b>	<b>315.0</b>	<b>334.0</b>			<b>583</b>	<b>595</b>		<b>819</b>	<b>865</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	298	314.2	- 378.2	356.8	-2	-	-	-	785	- 1037	937
	RS	D	2	20	312.0	- 336.2	328.9	-2	-	-	-	842	- 941	912
280-330	RS	C	2	267	320.2	- 382.2	350.1	19	-	-	-	968	- 1147	1081
	FD	C	2	57	322.2	- 322.2	322.2	N/Q	-	-	-	950	- 950	950
	RS	D	2	39	305.2	- 332.0	326.7	5	-	-	-	916	- 1096	1069
330-400	FD	C	2	366	304.2	- 330.2	318.1	7	-	-	-	1079	- 1313	1178
	RS	C	2	12	318.2	- 318.2	318.2	-4	-	-	-	1082	- 1082	1082
	RS	D	2	16	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	-36	-	-	-	850	- 850	850
400+	FD	C	2	144	299.2	- 310.0	303.7	-7	-	-	-	1257	- 1369	1309
		C	3	1	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	509	- 509	509	1400	- 1400	1400
	FD	C	3	22	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	-19	-	-	-	1197	- 1197	1197
				<b>1242</b>	<b>250.0</b>	<b>382.2</b>			<b>509</b>	<b>509</b>		<b>785</b>	<b>1400</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	256	302.0	- 338.2	325.2	22	-	-	-	709	- 936	861
		C	2	27	276.0	- 320.2	295.5	-17	521	- 593	551	773	- 897	818
	RS	D	2	48	256.2	- 309.2	281.0	-52	-	-	-	692	- 773	741
280-330		C	2	10	273.2	- 294.0	285.7	-33	506	- 544	529	820	- 882	857
	RS	C	2	241	279.2	- 334.2	318.0	29	-	-	-	921	- 1073	991
	RS	D	2	25	270.2	- 270.2	270.2	18	-	-	-	784	- 811	797

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	FD	D	2	26	260.2	- 260.2	260.2	N/Q	-			833	- 833	833
330-400	FD	C	2	191	195.2	- 316.2	295.5	-4	-			703	- 1147	1060
		C	2	16	265.0	- 280.0	275.4	-7	500	- 528	520	1008	- 1092	1032
	RS	C	2	12	298.0	- 298.0	298.0	21	-			1013	- 1013	1013
400+		C	3	18	280.0	- 293.2	285.9	N/Q	519	- 543	529	1231	- 1232	1232
				<b>870</b>	<b>195.2</b>	<b>338.2</b>			<b>500</b>	<b>593</b>		<b>692</b>	<b>1232</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
0-400	FD	C	3	53	314.2	- 314.2	314.2	N/Q	-			1257	- 1257	1257
	FD	D	2	23	314.2	- 314.2	314.2	39	-			1257	- 1257	1257
	RS	D	2	15	256.2	- 256.2	256.2	N/Q	-			922	- 922	922
400-500	FD	C	2	196	254.2	- 316.2	282.0	-8	-			1131	- 1431	1288
	FD	C	3	132	272.0	- 312.2	297.4	-7	-			1251	- 1451	1347
		C	3	8	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	-16	509	- 509	509	1400	- 1400	1400
	FD	D	2	31	298.2	- 298.2	298.2	N/Q	-			1252	- 1252	1252
500-600		C	2	27	268.2	- 268.2	268.2	2	488	- 488	488	1448	- 1448	1448
	FD	C	3	6	285.6	- 285.6	285.6	N/Q	-			1485	- 1485	1485
		C	3	109	256.2	- 275.2	263.7	-20	466	- 506	480	1437	- 1549	1501
		C	4	169	278.2	- 303.0	298.1	2	506	- 551	542	1502	- 1757	1646
600-750		C	3	85	257.0	- 261.0	259.4	N/Q	467	- 475	472	1593	- 1644	1622
		C	4	57	280.0	- 297.2	294.4	-4	509	- 540	535	1736	- 2073	1919
				<b>911</b>	<b>254.2</b>	<b>316.2</b>			<b>466</b>	<b>551</b>		<b>922</b>	<b>2073</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	FD	C	2	57	247.2	- 276.2	266.0	-1	-			994	- 1152	1085
		C	2	3	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	30	500	- 500	500	1000	- 1000	1000
		C	3	130	258.2	- 287.2	277.3	9	487	- 532	516	1113	- 1405	1272
		D	3	3	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	479	- 479	479	1104	- 1104	1104
540+		C	2	2	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	473	- 473	473	2080	- 2080	2080
				<b>195</b>	<b>230.0</b>	<b>287.2</b>			<b>473</b>	<b>532</b>		<b>994</b>	<b>2080</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400	RS	D	2	83	188.2	- 230.0	198.4	N/Q	-			714	- 920	763
		D	2	22	170.0	- 215.2	198.8	N/Q	378	- 468	435	680	- 861	795
400-520		D	2	83	172.2	- 225.0	206.0	-5	374	- 479	442	792	- 1043	943
	RS	D	2	172	205.0	- 249.2	230.5	46	-			861	- 1121	1032
	RS	D	3	49	238.2	- 238.2	238.2	N/Q	-			1143	- 1143	1143
		D	3	247	221.2	- 242.0	232.4	4	461	- 504	482	1062	- 1239	1146
		D	4	69	235.0	- 248.2	242.6	2	470	- 504	488	1176	- 1291	1240
520+		D	3	21	232.0	- 233.0	232.5	5	474	- 485	480	1258	- 1299	1278
		D	4	110	236.0	- 254.2	248.2	7	472	- 496	489	1321	- 1652	1403
				<b>856</b>	<b>170.0</b>	<b>254.2</b>			<b>374</b>	<b>504</b>		<b>680</b>	<b>1652</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450	FD	C	2	29	241.2	- 286.2	273.7	N/Q	-			1027	- 1269	1156
450-600		C	2	5	236.2	- 271.2	252.8	N/Q	437	- 493	463	1201	- 1627	1469
		D	1	3	162.2	- 225.0	183.1	N/Q	338	- 450	375	973	- 1238	1061
600+		C	2	85	232.2	- 280.0	259.6	3	422	- 497	465	1667	- 3005	2135
		C	3	1	267.2	- 267.2	267.2	N/Q	486	- 486	486	1870	- 1870	1870

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
				<b>123</b>	<b>162.2</b>	<b>286.2</b>			<b>338</b>	<b>497</b>		<b>973</b>	<b>3005</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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