

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Warwick

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Yarding Change 1417  
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The yarding was down only slightly for a total of 1,417 head, consisting of a good supply of yearlings and vealers, along with a fair penning of grown cattle. Quality was more mixed this week with breed quality and condition not up to last week's standard, although there were still some runs of well-bred cattle offered, and good conditioned consignments throughout the sale.

The market was cheaper for most cattle with restocker weaner steers selling 20c cheaper to top at 325c, and weaner heifers sold to 301c/kg. Medium weight feeder steers went against the market trend to sell firm to 8c dearer to average 293c, however heavy feeder steers were down by 10c to average 283c/kg. Feeder heifers were down by 18c to average 266c/kg. The few trade heifers sold to a top of 302c/kg.

The yarding of export cattle consisted of a few less bullocks and steers, heifers and cows were in fair numbers. Quality was mixed in a market that saw bullocks and steers sell 25c to 30c cheaper, topping at 278c and averaging 264c/kg for the steers. Heifers were less affected, topping at 277c/kg. The cow market eased 15c to 20c, with 3 score medium weights averaging 208c and heavy cows sold to a top of 232c/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	37	312.2	- 320.0	315.7	N/Q	-			411	- 562	463
				<b>37</b>	<b>312.2</b>	<b>320.0</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>411</b>	<b>562</b>	
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
200-280		C	2	1	317.2	- 317.2	317.2	N/Q	587	- 587	587	872	- 872	872
	RS	C	2	82	286.2	- 325.2	303.8	-27	-			658	- 888	746
	RS	D	2	15	241.2	- 241.2	241.2	N/Q	-			531	- 531	531
				<b>98</b>	<b>241.2</b>	<b>325.2</b>			<b>587</b>	<b>587</b>		<b>531</b>	<b>888</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	22	251.0	- 288.2	274.6	-12	474	- 534	512	602	- 749	696
	FD	C	2	6	296.2	- 296.2	296.2	N/Q	-			800	- 800	800
	RS	C	2	32	280.2	- 301.2	284.9	-8	-			644	- 692	661
				<b>60</b>	<b>251.0</b>	<b>301.2</b>			<b>474</b>	<b>534</b>		<b>602</b>	<b>800</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	2	302.0	- 302.0	302.0	N/Q	-			846	- 846	846
	RS	D	2	18	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	45	-			832	- 832	832
280-330	RS	C	2	27	290.0	- 315.2	304.6	6	-			930	- 1040	986
		C	2	2	301.2	- 301.2	301.2	N/Q	548	- 548	548	904	- 904	904
	FD	C	2	7	285.0	- 308.2	294.9	-10	-			855	- 1017	924
330-400	FD	C	2	221	280.0	- 300.2	293.4	9	-			1008	- 1201	1116
		C	2	5	264.0	- 306.0	288.8	N/Q	489	- 556	529	924	- 1224	1042
	RS	C	2	6	278.2	- 278.2	278.2	-28	-			1002	- 1002	1002
	FD	C	3	21	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-			1160	- 1160	1160
		C	3	9	298.0	- 309.2	302.2	2	542	- 562	549	1192	- 1237	1209
400+	FD	C	2	83	264.0	- 290.0	283.1	-12	-			1176	- 1218	1208
	FD	C	3	29	263.2	- 290.0	278.3	-16	-			1220	- 1383	1306
		C	3	5	300.0	- 300.2	300.1	8	546	- 546	546	1260	- 1501	1405

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
					435	263.2	320.0		489	562		832	1501		
Yearling Heifer															
200-280	FD	C	2	9	288.0	- 288.0	288.0	-9	-			806	- 806	806	
	RS	C	2	28	268.2	- 283.2	272.8	-22	-			708	- 793	748	
	RS	D	2	11	150.0	- 253.0	236.5	-21	-			405	- 683	639	
280-330	RS	C	2	9	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	-34	-			735	- 735	735	
	FD	C	2	38	278.2	- 294.2	285.8	4	-			855	- 971	896	
		C	2	2	263.2	- 263.2	263.2	N/Q	497	- 497	497	790	- 790	790	
		C	3	3	275.0	- 295.0	288.3	N/Q	509	- 546	534	825	- 885	865	
330-400	RS	D	2	14	207.2	- 240.0	224.7	-24	-			663	- 792	702	
	FD	C	2	112	250.0	- 295.2	266.8	-18	-			900	- 1100	970	
	RS	C	2	27	268.0	- 280.0	274.7	N/Q	-			1072	- 1120	1099	
		C	2	7	253.2	- 275.2	272.1	-5	478	- 519	513	937	- 1018	1007	
		C	3	16	275.2	- 302.2	281.8	-9	519	- 560	530	1088	- 1201	1120	
	RS	D	2	2	225.0	- 225.0	225.0	N/Q	-			788	- 788	788	
400+	FD	C	2	6	255.0	- 280.0	270.8	N/Q	-			1097	- 1204	1165	
		C	3	28	258.0	- 302.0	278.6	-4	478	- 559	516	1114	- 1350	1193	
	FD	C	3	8	269.2	- 275.2	272.2	N/Q	-			1156	- 1184	1163	
						320	150.0	302.2		478	560		405	1350	
Grown Steer															
0-400		D	2	2	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	340	- 340	340	680	- 680	680	
400-500	FD	C	3	13	270.0	- 285.0	280.4	N/Q	-			1254	- 1350	1280	
		D	2	2	234.2	- 234.2	234.2	N/Q	468	- 468	468	1007	- 1007	1007	
500-600		C	3	11	278.2	- 278.2	278.2	2	506	- 506	506	1502	- 1530	1510	
		C	4	43	251.2	- 273.2	264.7	-29	465	- 497	484	1485	- 1608	1533	
	FD	C	4	3	277.2	- 277.2	277.2	N/Q	-			1441	- 1441	1441	
600-750		C	4	26	255.2	- 270.2	258.5	-34	464	- 491	470	1632	- 1756	1715	
					100	170.0	285.0		340	506		680	1756		
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	2	7	240.0	- 257.2	254.7	N/Q	462	- 485	482	1008	- 1106	1092	
	FD	C	2	1	232.0	- 232.0	232.0	N/Q	-			974	- 974	974	
	RS	C	2	2	225.2	- 225.2	225.2	N/Q	-			856	- 856	856	
	FD	C	3	14	250.0	- 263.0	256.4	N/Q	-			1050	- 1131	1096	
		C	3	44	235.2	- 280.0	259.2	-3	444	- 519	488	1011	- 1385	1184	
		C	4	1	236.2	- 236.2	236.2	N/Q	446	- 446	446	1181	- 1181	1181	
					69	225.2	280.0		444	519		856	1385		
Cows															
0-400	RS	D	2	7	150.0	- 190.0	165.0	-27	-			600	- 760	660	
		D	2	4	160.2	- 173.2	170.0	-13	356	- 377	371	641	- 693	680	
		E	1	10	120.0	- 152.2	128.5	N/Q	286	- 346	310	432	- 609	490	
400-520	RS	D	2	7	203.2	- 203.2	203.2	N/Q	-			894	- 894	894	
		D	2	35	165.0	- 210.0	183.8	-19	359	- 447	395	710	- 945	825	
		D	3	68	192.0	- 217.2	208.0	-26	409	- 448	434	902	- 1086	1018	
		D	4	20	211.2	- 224.2	219.0	-23	422	- 448	438	1098	- 1166	1137	
		E	1	8	140.0	- 157.2	152.9	-14	333	- 393	378	602	- 660	646	

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
520+		D	4	69	214.2	- 232.2	223.9	-19	428	- 450	440	1205	- 1577	1315
				<b>228</b>	<b>120.0</b>	<b>232.2</b>			<b>286</b>	<b>450</b>		<b>432</b>	<b>1577</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450		C	2	1	244.0	- 244.0	244.0	N/Q	452	- 452	452	976	- 976	976
	FD	C	2	1	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q		-		900	- 900	900
450-600		C	2	6	209.2	- 240.0	227.4	-23	387	- 444	421	1155	- 1440	1315
		D	1	2	170.0	- 210.0	190.0	N/Q	340	- 404	372	884	- 1050	967
	RS	D	1	5	162.0	- 163.0	162.8	N/Q		-		750	- 891	778
	RS	D	2	1	166.0	- 166.0	166.0	N/Q		-		913	- 913	913
600+		C	2	8	222.0	- 237.0	229.4	-28	411	- 431	420	1569	- 1974	1707
		D	1	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	346	- 346	346	1170	- 1170	1170
				<b>25</b>	<b>162.0</b>	<b>250.0</b>			<b>340</b>	<b>452</b>		<b>750</b>	<b>1974</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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