

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Yarding Change ⁶⁷²/₁₄₄

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Numbers increased by 144 head to 672 and there was a wide variation in quality across most classes. A fair panel of export and feeder buyers was present and operating, however, restocker buyers were selective in their purchases. Light weight yearling steers returning to the paddock could not maintain the levels of the previous sale and averaged over 40c/kg cheaper, although some of the decreases could be attributed to the quality penned. Yearling steers to feed for the domestic market experienced very little change in price. Light weight yearling heifers to restockers or background eased 14c to 16c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to the trade sold to strong demand. There were too few heavy grown steers and bullocks to quote. Cows generally sold close to firm following the decline experienced in the previous sale.

Light weight yearling steers returning to the paddock made to 300.2c to average 289c/kg. Yearling steers to feed for the domestic market sold to 310.2c to average 284c, while medium weight yearling steers to feed made to 313.2c to average 292c/kg. Most light weight yearling heifers sold for approximately 250c, with some reaching 274.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to the trade made to an isolated sale of 320.2c, with the largest numbers close to 283c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers to feed made to 270c to average 268c/kg.

Medium weight 2 score cows averaged 206c and the best of the medium weights averaged 240c/kg. Good heavy cows made to 255.2c, with a small selection averaging 250c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 274.2c/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
Calves														
80+	RS	D	2	6	247.2	- 247.2	247.2	41	-	-	-	457	- 457	457
				6	247.2	247.2			0	0		457	457	
Vealer Heifer														
280-330		C	3	1	294.2	- 294.2	294.2	N/Q	545	- 545	545	838	- 838	838
				1	294.2	294.2			545	545		838	838	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	6	266.2	- 290.0	274.1	-24	-	-	-	705	- 798	736
	RS	C	2	58	263.2	- 300.2	289.6	-43	-	-	-	605	- 795	707
	RS	D	2	22	200.0	- 266.2	246.1	-23	-	-	-	520	- 666	577
	FD	D	2	11	202.2	- 261.2	236.3	N/Q	-	-	-	536	- 653	612
280-330	FD	C	2	56	269.2	- 310.2	284.6	-3	-	-	-	767	- 931	838
	RS	C	2	3	272.2	- 272.2	272.2	N/Q	-	-	-	817	- 817	817
	FD	C	3	3	308.2	- 308.2	308.2	N/Q	-	-	-	925	- 925	925
	FD	D	2	6	255.0	- 271.2	268.5	-7	-	-	-	727	- 773	765
		D	2	2	210.2	- 210.2	210.2	N/Q	382	- 382	382	673	- 673	673
330-400	FD	C	2	41	276.2	- 313.2	292.5	2	-	-	-	935	- 1089	1011
		C	3	2	309.2	- 329.2	319.2	N/Q	562	- 599	580	1152	- 1221	1187
	FD	C	3	9	290.0	- 310.2	301.5	12	-	-	-	1065	- 1132	1095
	FD	D	2	1	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q	-	-	-	850	- 850	850
400+	FD	C	2	1	304.2	- 304.2	304.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1232	- 1232	1232
	FD	D	2	1	265.2	- 265.2	265.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1127	- 1127	1127
				222	200.0	329.2			382	599		520	1232	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280		C	2	51	241.2	- 257.2	249.9	-2	447	- 476	463	509	- 682	585

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280-330	FD	C	2	73	240.0	- 263.2	252.2	-16	-	-	-	564	- 697	611
	RS	C	2	22	240.2	- 274.2	247.5	-14	-	-	-	540	- 727	580
	FD	D	2	4	235.0	- 235.0	235.0	N/Q	-	-	-	552	- 552	552
		D	2	8	200.0	- 231.2	223.4	N/Q	370	- 428	414	450	- 486	477
	RS	D	2	9	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	24	-	-	-	517	- 517	517
	RS	C	2	13	277.2	- 277.2	277.2	N/Q	-	-	-	790	- 790	790
330-400	FD	C	2	6	245.2	- 245.2	245.2	-30	-	-	-	711	- 711	711
		C	3	12	264.2	- 294.2	271.9	3	489	- 545	504	793	- 883	816
		B	3	6	314.2	- 320.2	317.5	N/C	561	- 572	567	1068	- 1225	1138
		C	2	2	243.2	- 277.2	260.2	N/Q	450	- 513	482	888	- 929	908
	FD	C	2	8	268.0	- 268.0	268.0	-12	-	-	-	1061	- 1061	1061
		C	3	35	270.0	- 308.2	283.1	-3	500	- 571	524	925	- 1125	1008
400+	FD	C	3	2	261.2	- 261.2	261.2	N/Q	-	-	-	875	- 875	875
		D	2	3	193.2	- 193.2	193.2	N/Q	358	- 358	358	705	- 705	705
	FD	D	2	2	200.2	- 201.2	200.7	N/Q	-	-	-	731	- 734	733
	RS	E	2	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	-	570	- 570	570
	FD	C	2	10	260.0	- 270.0	268.7	N/Q	-	-	-	1082	- 1175	1158
		C	3	1	265.2	- 265.2	265.2	N/Q	491	- 491	491	1286	- 1286	1286
				268	170.0	320.2			358	572		450	1286	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	C	2	2	276.2	- 276.2	276.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1077	- 1077	1077
400-500	FD	C	2	8	258.2	- 285.0	278.1	-25	-	-	-	1136	- 1238	1207
	FD	D	1	3	226.2	- 226.2	226.2	N/Q	-	-	-	961	- 961	961
500-600		C	2	1	221.2	- 221.2	221.2	N/Q	402	- 402	402	1128	- 1128	1128
		C	4	2	297.2	- 297.2	297.2	N/Q	531	- 531	531	1739	- 1739	1739
		D	5	2	219.2	- 219.2	219.2	N/Q	399	- 399	399	1173	- 1173	1173
600-750		C	3	1	281.2	- 281.2	281.2	N/Q	511	- 511	511	1786	- 1786	1786
				19	219.2	297.2			399	531		961	1786	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	2	252.2	- 252.2	252.2	N/Q	476	- 476	476	1072	- 1072	1072
	FD	D	2	5	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	-62	-	-	-	553	- 553	553
		D	2	3	158.2	- 197.2	181.2	N/Q	330	- 411	378	554	- 838	740
		D	3	2	242.2	- 259.2	250.7	N/Q	457	- 489	473	1126	- 1205	1166
				12	158.2	259.2			330	489		553	1205	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	2	6	238.2	- 238.2	238.2	N/Q	433	- 433	433	1489	- 1489	1489
		C	3	5	255.2	- 255.2	255.2	N/Q	464	- 464	464	1480	- 1480	1480
					11	238.2	255.2			433	464		1480	1489
Cows														
0-400	DA	D	4	1	163.2	- 163.2	163.2	N/Q	371	- 371	371	628	- 628	628
400-520	DA	D	1	8	154.2	- 178.2	170.2	N/C	351	- 405	387	678	- 825	768
		D	1	6	170.0	- 187.0	178.5	-5	386	- 425	406	714	- 795	754
	RS	D	1	2	195.2	- 195.2	195.2	N/Q	-	-	-	859	- 859	859
		D	2	16	194.2	- 217.2	206.5	12	422	- 472	449	855	- 1086	968
		D	3	6	218.2	- 230.2	222.4	-16	445	- 470	454	1015	- 1116	1055

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520+		D	4	4	239.2	- 242.2	240.5	N/Q	469	- 475	472	1117	- 1201	1163
	DA	D	1	1	188.2	- 188.2	188.2	N/Q	428	- 428	428	1101	- 1101	1101
	DA	D	2	3	190.0	- 198.2	195.5	N/Q	413	- 431	425	1060	- 1169	1096
		D	2	1	212.2	- 212.2	212.2	N/Q	461	- 461	461	1125	- 1125	1125
	DA	D	3	1	222.2	- 222.2	222.2	N/Q	454	- 454	454	1444	- 1444	1444
		D	3	8	230.2	- 244.2	238.7	12	470	- 498	487	1220	- 1465	1297
		D	4	12	238.2	- 255.2	248.9	7	467	- 500	488	1344	- 1644	1465
				69	154.2	255.2			351	500		628	1644	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	4	264.2	- 273.2	268.0	2				964	- 1136	1058
	RS	C	2	8	247.2	- 247.2	247.2	-12				507	- 507	507
	RS	D	1	3	141.2	- 141.2	141.2	N/Q				325	- 325	325
	FD	D	1	4	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q				451	- 451	451
450-600		C	2	1	213.2	- 213.2	213.2	N/Q	388	- 388	388	1205	- 1205	1205
600+		C	2	1	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	382	- 382	382	1764	- 1764	1764
		C	3	6	229.2	- 274.2	250.0	5	409	- 490	447	1755	- 2576	2118
				27	141.2	274.2			382	490		325	2576	

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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