

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Emerald

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Yarding Change 2136
-304

comparison date 15/11/2018

Vendors penned 2,136 head at Emerald - a smaller yarding by 304 head than last week with some scattered showers in the region keeping some stock away and helping to improve prices for others. Cattle were drawn from the local areas along with a plain conditioned draft of well bred spayed heifers and light conditioned cows from the Jericho district. The usual buying panel was present and competition was strong for the better bred lines on offer. Most of the variation in prices from last week's sale were quality related.

Light vealer steers sold to restockers to top at 294c and averaged 278c/kg. Vealer heifers reached 260c, averaging from 236c to 253c/kg. The best of the heavy yearling steers sold to 307c, averaging from 290c to 301c, with the light descriptions easier, averaging from 273c to 286c/kg. The run of light conditioned yearling heifers averaged 264c whilst heavier, better conditioned runs returned averages from 260c for restockers, to 274c/kg for the best of those to processors.

The few 4 score bullocks on offer topped at 303c, averaging 301c/kg. Grain assisted, 4 score grown heifers made to 295c, with those to feed averaging 262c/kg. Heavy 4 score cows averaged 242c, with the best selling to 250c/kg. Heavy bulls averaged 266c to live export and 241c/kg to processors. One pen of large framed cows with 80% calves at foot and the balance close to calving made \$1,160/head.

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	C	2	6	299.0	- 299.0	299.0	50	-			523	- 523	523
				6	299.0	299.0			0	0		523	523	
Vealer Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	33	243.0	- 285.0	275.2	12	-			559	- 798	743
	RS	C	2	171	252.0	- 294.0	278.2	8	-			554	- 775	680
	FD	D	2	32	220.0	- 271.0	253.8	6	-			517	- 732	602
	RS	D	2	32	230.0	- 285.0	273.5	11	-			483	- 751	660
280-330	FD	C	2	2	293.0	- 293.0	293.0	N/Q	-			882	- 882	882
330+	FD	C	2	8	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	N/C	-			998	- 998	998
				278	220.0	294.0			0	0		483	998	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	36	230.0	- 250.0	236.2	N/C	442	- 481	454	541	- 619	579
	FD	C	2	12	248.0	- 260.0	253.0	18	-			682	- 728	701
	RS	C	2	45	209.0	- 258.0	236.4	N/Q	-			440	- 710	563
	RS	D	2	8	208.0	- 208.0	208.0	-30	-			458	- 458	458
	FD	D	2	8	200.0	- 226.0	203.3	-24	-			402	- 576	453
280-330	FD	C	2	7	249.0	- 249.0	249.0	1	-			749	- 749	749
				116	200.0	260.0			442	481		402	749	
Yearling Steer														
200-280		C	2	2	244.0	- 244.0	244.0	N/Q	469	- 469	469	634	- 634	634
	FD	C	2	22	235.0	- 260.0	255.9	-5	-			635	- 712	693
	RS	D	2	16	250.0	- 270.0	263.1	N/Q	-			588	- 715	675
	FD	D	2	7	235.0	- 255.0	244.6	N/Q	-			646	- 678	665
280-330	RS	C	2	8	286.0	- 286.0	286.0	26	-			829	- 829	829
	FD	C	2	33	240.0	- 282.0	273.0	-17	-			732	- 902	846

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330-400	FD	D	2	12	266.0	- 284.0	275.0	45	-			811	- 937	874
	FD	E	2	2	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q	-			800	- 800	800
	FD	C	2	37	276.0	- 285.0	280.9	-19	-			938	- 998	966
	FD	D	2	11	248.0	- 299.0	282.0	N/Q	-			843	- 1047	978
400+		C	2	11	266.0	- 298.0	295.1	N/Q	512	- 573	568	1144	- 1579	1540
	FD	C	2	85	280.0	- 307.0	301.1	-2	-			1190	- 1485	1347
	FD	C	3	12	290.0	- 300.0	293.3	N/Q	-			1291	- 1425	1335
	LE	C	3	3	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	547	- 547	547	1218	- 1218	1218
	FD	D	2	1	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-			1163	- 1163	1163
		D	3	1	283.0	- 283.0	283.0	N/Q	534	- 534	534	1274	- 1274	1274
					263	235.0	307.0		469	573		588	1579	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	RS	C	2	207	260.0	- 269.0	263.5	N/Q	-			650	- 753	699
	FD	C	2	7	224.0	- 258.0	253.1	20	-			594	- 671	660
		D	2	4	240.0	- 249.0	244.5	N/Q	462	- 479	470	672	- 697	685
	FD	D	2	41	220.0	- 238.0	228.6	4	-			584	- 650	604
280-330	RS	D	2	11	240.0	- 247.0	241.3	21	-			600	- 692	617
	FD	C	2	37	253.0	- 263.0	261.7	7	-			780	- 842	833
	RS	C	2	21	248.0	- 263.0	260.9	N/Q	-			750	- 818	759
	RS	D	2	72	259.0	- 267.0	265.9	33	-			744	- 854	831
330-400	FD	D	2	67	234.0	- 257.0	244.9	N/Q	-			667	- 822	731
	FD	C	2	36	252.0	- 270.0	266.2	6	-			844	- 909	893
	FD	C	3	70	262.0	- 275.0	272.6	N/Q	-			904	- 949	932
	FD	D	2	25	247.0	- 260.0	256.5	N/Q	-			852	- 897	884
400+	RS	D	2	19	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	22	-			962	- 962	962
	FD	D	3	6	261.0	- 261.0	261.0	N/Q	-			927	- 927	927
	FD	C	3	1	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q	-			1063	- 1063	1063
		C	3	1	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	509	- 509	509	1161	- 1161	1161
									506	- 507	507	1137	- 1201	1167
									-			1089	- 1089	1089
					661	220.0	275.0		462	509		584	1201	
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	D	2	3	292.0	- 292.0	292.0	N/Q	-			1372	- 1372	1372
500-600	FD	C	2	1	267.0	- 267.0	267.0	N/Q	-			1402	- 1402	1402
		C	3	3	301.0	- 301.0	301.0	-1	557	- 557	557	1671	- 1671	1671
		C	4	29	302.0	- 306.0	302.7	N/Q	546	- 559	557	1683	- 1752	1734
	LE	D	2	6	286.0	- 286.0	286.0	N/Q	550	- 550	550	1573	- 1573	1573
600-750	FD	D	2	6	250.0	- 271.0	253.5	N/Q	-			1375	- 1423	1383
		D	3	12	289.0	- 291.0	289.2	N/Q	535	- 539	536	1676	- 1702	1678
		C	4	3	296.0	- 296.0	296.0	N/Q	529	- 529	529	1909	- 1909	1909
					63	250.0	306.0		529	559		1372	1909	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	2	1	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	423	- 423	423	825	- 825	825
	FD	C	2	30	258.0	- 274.0	270.4	8	-			1032	- 1174	1077
		C	3	5	241.0	- 267.0	251.6	12	448	- 504	473	1041	- 1188	1112

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	FD	C	3	19	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	-			1118	- 1118	1118
		C	4	21	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	536	- 536	536	1298	- 1505	1416
	FD	D	2	46	220.0	- 267.0	262.6	N/Q	-			781	- 1001	939
		D	2	1	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	385	- 385	385	700	- 700	700
	LE	D	2	1	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	423	- 423	423	792	- 792	792
		D	3	1	233.0	- 233.0	233.0	N/Q	440	- 440	440	850	- 850	850
	FD	D	3	8	261.0	- 263.0	261.3	N/Q	-			1070	- 1105	1074
		D	4	3	254.0	- 268.0	258.7	N/Q	470	- 496	479	1118	- 1380	1205
				136	200.0	295.0			385	536		700	1505	
Cows														
0-400	FD	D	1	17	169.0	- 169.0	169.0	N/Q	-			558	- 558	558
	RS	D	1	73	178.0	- 195.0	185.9	N/Q	-			601	- 692	634
		D	1	1	143.0	- 143.0	143.0	N/Q	325	- 325	325	493	- 493	493
		D	2	2	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	N/Q	424	- 424	424	751	- 751	751
		D	3	8	223.0	- 223.0	223.0	N/Q	465	- 465	465	859	- 859	859
400-520		D	1	3	187.0	- 187.0	187.0	N/Q	425	- 425	425	823	- 823	823
		D	2	55	160.0	- 220.0	206.6	4	348	- 478	450	728	- 1045	940
		D	3	55	219.0	- 247.0	233.1	2	456	- 515	486	1019	- 1173	1076
		D	4	49	233.0	- 250.0	239.5	N/Q	466	- 484	474	1055	- 1288	1143
520+		D	3	6	228.0	- 228.0	228.0	N/Q	475	- 475	475	1220	- 1220	1220
		D	4	95	234.0	- 249.0	242.4	N/Q	450	- 488	472	1250	- 1369	1309
				364	143.0	250.0			325	515		493	1369	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	1	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/C	-			725	- 725	725
	FD	D	2	5	200.0	- 230.0	219.0	-6	-			430	- 621	538
450-600	LE	C	3	5	240.0	- 275.0	264.0	4	436	- 500	480	1356	- 1609	1535
	RS	E	3	1	176.0	- 176.0	176.0	N/Q	-			1012	- 1012	1012
600+	LE	C	1	1	222.0	- 222.0	222.0	N/Q	419	- 419	419	1476	- 1476	1476
		C	1	7	198.0	- 223.0	218.4	N/Q	374	- 421	412	1346	- 1588	1415
		C	3	15	227.0	- 256.0	241.3	11	413	- 466	439	1666	- 2317	1898
	LE	C	3	35	231.0	- 277.0	265.8	-9	420	- 504	483	1655	- 2088	1771
		E	2	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	327	- 327	327	1224	- 1224	1224
				71	176.0	277.0			327	504		430	2317	

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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