

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Emerald

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Yarding Change 2579
443

comparison date 22/11/2018

An increased yarding of 2,579 head were presented at Emerald Sale, up 443 head on last week, with the major portion coming from the local area, supported by cattle from Nebo and Collinsville. It was a mixed yarding, with some very good quality cattle, along with other lines of light conditioned and poor quality stock. The regular buyers attended, with one extra export works operating, which helped keep the finished cattle up to recent prices. Plainer and light conditioned pens were easier.

Yearling steers to processors topped at 303c, as averages for the heavy yearling steers were from 285c to 295c, while light weights sold from 255c to 269c/kg. Yearling heifers sold to reduced prices, with the best to feed making 283c as the light plain types averaged from 219c to 232c/kg.

Processors paid to 307c for 4 score bullocks and averaged 297c/kg. A light yarding of grown heifers reached 263c, averaging 258c/kg. Prime heavy cows sold to 248c to average 242c/kg. Heavy bulls averaged 250c/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
Yearling Steer														
0-200	RS	C	2	20	299.0	- 299.0	299.0	N/Q	-			598	- 598	598
200-280	RS	C	2	404	237.0	- 300.0	268.7	N/Q	-			476	- 770	629
	FD	C	2	40	246.0	- 268.0	255.4	-1	-			581	- 737	649
	RS	D	1	10	232.0	- 232.0	232.0	N/Q	-			466	- 466	466
	RS	D	2	78	182.0	- 284.0	259.9	-3	-			442	- 675	609
	FD	D	2	45	258.0	- 268.0	259.5	15	-			658	- 737	672
280-330	FD	C	2	82	250.0	- 300.0	284.3	11	-			800	- 990	855
	RS	C	2	44	240.0	- 296.0	282.6	-3	-			722	- 918	846
	RS	D	2	21	208.0	- 256.0	242.0	N/Q	-			603	- 788	730
	FD	D	2	41	251.0	- 299.0	269.7	-5	-			803	- 957	863
330-400	FD	C	2	82	268.0	- 298.0	286.9	6	-			898	- 1095	997
	RS	C	2	14	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	-			1003	- 1003	1003
	FD	D	2	12	260.0	- 290.0	284.8	3	-			871	- 979	963
	FD	D	3	1	282.0	- 282.0	282.0	N/Q	-			1128	- 1128	1128
400+		C	2	6	300.0	- 300.0	300.0	5	566	- 566	566	1560	- 1560	1560
		C	3	1	300.0	- 300.0	300.0	N/Q	556	- 556	556	1605	- 1605	1605
		C	4	2	303.0	- 303.0	303.0	N/Q	551	- 551	551	1454	- 1454	1454
				903	182.0	303.0			551	566		442	1605	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	RS	C	2	49	206.0	- 230.0	217.8	-46	-			453	- 552	496
		C	2	120	200.0	- 240.0	225.6	N/Q	385	- 462	434	410	- 672	576
	FD	C	2	100	203.0	- 240.0	231.7	-21	-			408	- 648	600
	FD	D	2	125	180.0	- 246.0	219.0	-10	-			396	- 677	537
		D	2	88	180.0	- 235.0	201.7	-43	346	- 452	388	372	- 599	464
	RS	D	2	125	184.0	- 224.0	200.4	-41	-			376	- 504	420
280-330	RS	C	2	6	246.0	- 265.0	261.8	1	-			775	- 808	803
		C	2	80	242.0	- 246.0	244.7	N/Q	465	- 473	471	702	- 787	748

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330-400	FD	C	2	203	240.0	- 283.0	259.9	-2	-			732	- 863	781
	FD	C	3	3	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	N/Q	-			842	- 842	842
	FD	D	2	60	220.0	- 257.0	233.1	-12	-			627	- 822	704
		D	2	19	192.0	- 220.0	216.0	N/Q	369	- 423	415	547	- 638	626
		D	3	1	224.0	- 224.0	224.0	N/Q	431	- 431	431	728	- 728	728
	RS	C	2	37	283.0	- 283.0	283.0	N/Q	-			962	- 962	962
	FD	C	2	32	244.0	- 263.0	249.0	-17	-			824	- 894	840
	FD	C	3	4	259.0	- 259.0	259.0	-14	-			932	- 932	932
		C	3	5	237.0	- 264.0	258.6	N/Q	439	- 498	486	853	- 964	942
	FD	D	2	25	235.0	- 253.0	249.7	-7	-			799	- 911	891
	FD	D	3	10	259.0	- 259.0	259.0	-2	-			984	- 984	984
				1092	180.0	283.0			346	498		372	984	
Grown Steer														
400-500	RS	C	2	1	244.0	- 244.0	244.0	N/Q	-			1049	- 1049	1049
500-600		C	3	27	298.0	- 303.0	300.4	-1	552	- 561	556	1609	- 1712	1658
	LE	C	3	1	291.0	- 291.0	291.0	N/Q	549	- 549	549	1513	- 1513	1513
	LE	C	4	1	291.0	- 291.0	291.0	N/Q	520	- 520	520	1571	- 1571	1571
		C	4	32	295.0	- 306.0	297.8	-5	534	- 546	542	1593	- 1760	1661
	LE	D	2	4	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	-26	491	- 491	491	1365	- 1365	1365
		D	3	6	288.0	- 288.0	288.0	-1	543	- 543	543	1498	- 1498	1498
600-750		C	4	52	280.0	- 307.0	297.4	1	500	- 548	537	1820	- 2030	1915
		D	4	2	277.0	- 285.0	281.0	N/Q	513	- 528	520	1724	- 1967	1845
				126	244.0	307.0			491	561		1049	2030	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	2	12	258.0	- 258.0	258.0	-12	-			1097	- 1097	1097
		C	4	3	243.0	- 243.0	243.0	-52	459	- 459	459	1033	- 1033	1033
		D	3	5	227.0	- 235.0	228.6	-4	428	- 452	433	897	- 1034	924
		D	4	4	262.0	- 263.0	262.3	4	487	- 504	500	1153	- 1157	1154
				24	227.0	263.0			428	504		897	1157	
Cows														
0-400		D	1	2	148.0	- 201.0	174.5	N/Q	336	- 457	397	503	- 734	618
		D	2	28	160.0	- 202.0	192.5	-3	348	- 439	419	600	- 732	680
		D	3	40	205.0	- 229.0	218.1	-5	427	- 477	454	769	- 882	798
400-520		D	2	9	190.0	- 199.0	193.0	-14	413	- 433	422	846	- 903	878
		D	3	66	205.0	- 234.0	222.0	-11	427	- 488	463	883	- 1112	986
		D	4	49	237.0	- 243.0	240.3	1	473	- 486	479	1056	- 1253	1144
520+		D	3	3	234.0	- 234.0	234.0	6	450	- 450	450	1264	- 1264	1264
		D	4	21	235.0	- 248.0	242.5	N/C	452	- 488	471	1246	- 1376	1310
				218	148.0	248.0			336	488		503	1376	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	5	251.0	- 251.0	251.0	21	-			628	- 628	628
	FD	D	2	14	220.0	- 257.0	232.7	14	-			517	- 861	717
	LE	D	2	36	223.0	- 260.0	254.1	N/Q	429	- 500	488	725	- 1056	855
450-600	LE	C	2	2	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	509	- 509	509	1445	- 1445	1445
	LE	C	3	2	260.0	- 267.0	263.5	N/Q	473	- 486	479	1469	- 1538	1503

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600+	LE	D	2	8	238.0	- 240.0	238.8	N/Q	449	- 453	451	1166	- 1356	1237
		D	2	3	166.0	- 229.0	200.3	N/Q	313	- 432	378	863	- 1214	1087
		E	2	1	212.0	- 212.0	212.0	N/Q	386	- 386	386	1240	- 1240	1240
		C	3	3	208.0	- 220.0	212.0	-29	378	- 400	386	1452	- 1643	1579
	LE	C	3	11	230.0	- 260.0	249.5	-16	418	- 473	454	1550	- 1900	1719
	LE	D	2	2	240.0	- 260.0	250.0	N/Q	453	- 491	472	1500	- 1638	1569
		E	2	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/C	340	- 340	340	1179	- 1179	1179
		E	3	3	160.0	- 282.0	234.7	N/Q	291	- 513	427	1128	- 2096	1733
					91	160.0	282.0		291	513		517	2096	

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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