

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Rain across the local area reduced the supply of stock to close to 1/3 of the previous week. A fair panel of buyers was present and operating across all classes. Prices responded with improvements of 20c to 35c/kg fairly common across most of the young cattle. Lightweight yearling steers returning to the paddock averaged 29c dearer, and medium weight yearling steers to feed sold to a market 36c/kg better. Most of the yearling heifers experienced similar improvements. All classes of cows were dearer with gains of over 50c/kg in places.

Steer calves returned to the paddock at 237.2c to average 232c, and heifer calves averaged 175c/kg. Vealer heifers to feed averaged 172c, and a couple to the trade made to 261.2c/kg. Lightweight yearling steers returning to the paddock averaged 226c with sales to 240c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed averaged 248c and made to 260c, with some to the trade reaching 265c/kg. A handful of heavy weight yearling steers to feed averaged 264c and made to 268.2c, with the occasional sale to the trade at 270c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged close to 189c and made to 206.2c, while local trade lines averaged 225c and made to 255.2c/kg.

A handful of heavy grown steers to export slaughter made to 279.2c to average 276c/kg pushed on by the wholesale meat trade. Light weight poor condition cows returned to the paddock at an average of 124c, and the medium weights averaged 154c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows to processors averaged 154c and made to 186.2c/kg. Good heavy cows made to 231.2c with most around 229c/kg. Bulls made to 226.2c, with heavy bulls to 207.2c/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															
0-80	RS	C	2	6	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	-	-	-	80	-	80	80
	RS	D	2	9	123.2	- 180.2	170.3	54	-	-	-	55	-	81	73
80+	RS	C	2	20	189.2	- 237.2	232.2	N/Q	-	-	-	227	-	439	417
	RS	D	2	41	128.2	- 190.2	175.3	44	-	-	-	154	-	343	296
				76	123.2	237.2			0	0		55	439		
Vealer Steer															
200-280	RS	C	2	2	199.2	- 199.2	199.2	N/Q	-	-	-	468	-	468	468
	FD	C	2	1	177.2	- 177.2	177.2	N/Q	-	-	-	434	-	434	434
280-330	FD	C	2	1	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	-	-	-	590	-	590	590
	RS	C	2	10	197.2	- 199.2	198.2	N/Q	-	-	-	562	-	568	565
		C	3	1	259.2	- 259.2	259.2	N/C	471	- 471	471	765	-	765	765
				15	177.2	259.2			471	471		434	765		
Vealer Heifer															
200-280		C	2	1	171.2	- 171.2	171.2	N/Q	317	- 317	317	419	-	419	419
		FD	C	2	12	153.2	- 189.2	172.4	22	-	-	360	-	468	416
		RS	C	2	5	208.2	- 208.2	208.2	66	-	-	489	-	489	489
280-330		C	3	2	230.0	- 261.2	245.6	N/Q	426	- 484	455	633	-	653	643
		C	3	2	254.2	- 254.2	254.2	N/Q	471	- 471	471	763	-	763	763
				22	153.2	261.2			317	484		360	763		
Yearling Steer															
200-280	RS	C	2	82	194.2	- 240.0	226.2	29	-	-	-	429	-	564	494
	RS	D	2	3	140.2	- 165.2	156.9	19	-	-	-	322	-	339	333
280-330	FD	C	2	10	240.0	- 245.2	242.1	40	-	-	-	720	-	736	726
330-400	FD	C	2	27	230.0	- 260.0	248.4	36	-	-	-	805	-	994	908

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400+		C	3	9	248.2	- 265.0	263.0	N/Q	451	- 482	478	956	- 1020	1012
		FD	D	1	14	170.0	- 210.0	198.6	N/Q	-	-	570	- 788	725
		FD	D	2	15	170.0	- 220.2	209.2	49	-	-	637	- 738	709
		FD	C	2	7	251.2	- 267.2	259.3	15	-	-	1084	- 1296	1162
		FD	C	3	12	255.2	- 268.2	264.2	N/Q	-	-	1263	- 1303	1299
		C	3	1	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	491	- 491	491	1310	- 1310	1310
				180	140.2	270.0			451	491		322	1310	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	RS	C	2	9	171.2	- 171.2	171.2	43	-	-	411	- 411	411	
	FD	C	2	6	158.2	- 184.2	179.9	31	-	-	388	- 405	402	
280-330	FD	C	2	21	139.2	- 190.0	169.0	28	-	-	418	- 570	507	
	RS	C	2	5	158.2	- 158.2	158.2	N/Q	-	-	475	- 475	475	
	FD	C	3	3	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	-	-	600	- 600	600	
	RS	D	2	3	130.2	- 130.2	130.2	55	-	-	391	- 391	391	
330-400	FD	C	2	19	157.2	- 206.2	188.9	26	-	-	550	- 722	687	
		C	3	16	190.2	- 255.2	224.9	6	352	- 473	417	732	- 963	850
	FD	D	2	1	87.2	- 87.2	87.2	N/Q	-	-	292	- 292	292	
400+	FD	C	2	1	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	-	-	945	- 945	945	
		C	3	4	249.2	- 249.2	249.2	30	462	- 462	462	1059	- 1059	1059
	FD	C	3	4	203.2	- 203.2	203.2	32	-	-	864	- 864	864	
		D	2	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	278	- 278	278	675	- 675	675
				93	87.2	255.2			278	473		292	1059	
Grown Steer														
500-600		C	3	3	257.2	- 260.0	258.1	41	468	- 473	469	1376	- 1391	1381
		C	4	9	262.2	- 279.2	275.6	6	468	- 499	492	1395	- 1485	1470
				12	257.2	279.2			468	499		1376	1485	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	4	4	253.0	- 255.2	254.7	36	477	- 482	481	1227	- 1365	1331
	RS	C	4	7	253.0	- 253.0	253.0	N/Q	-	-	1227	- 1227	1227	
	RS	D	1	2	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	-	-	440	- 440	440	
		D	1	4	104.2	- 110.2	105.7	-15	227	- 240	230	412	- 468	426
		D	2	4	122.2	- 122.2	122.2	13	255	- 255	255	428	- 428	428
		D	3	3	230.0	- 241.2	236.1	N/Q	442	- 464	451	1067	- 1231	1168
540+		C	4	4	266.2	- 266.2	266.2	N/Q	502	- 502	502	1557	- 1557	1557
		D	2	1	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	396	- 396	396	1178	- 1178	1178
				29	104.2	266.2			227	502		412	1557	
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540		C	2	1	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	364	- 364	364	1000	- 1000	1000
				1	200.0	200.0			364	364		1000	1000	
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	1	34	112.2	- 140.2	124.7	50	-	-	410	- 561	481	
		D	1	15	100.0	- 120.2	105.1	17	227	- 273	239	400	- 480	420
		D	2	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	283	- 283	283	520	- 520	520
		E	1	12	30.0	- 104.2	85.0	22	68	- 237	193	90	- 400	324
	RS	E	1	6	80.0	- 89.2	87.7	34	-	-	292	- 326	320	

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400-520	DA	E	1	3	30.0	- 100.0	63.3	23	68	- 227	144	110	- 400	250
	DA	D	1	3	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	261	- 261	261	575	- 575	575
	RS	D	1	61	130.0	- 177.2	154.5	46	-	-	-	566	- 886	680
		D	1	15	120.0	- 155.0	138.1	28	273	- 352	314	551	- 700	641
	RS	D	2	9	187.2	- 187.2	187.2	51	-	-	-	870	- 870	870
		D	2	27	143.2	- 186.2	164.5	38	311	- 405	358	623	- 866	728
520+		D	3	14	197.2	- 200.2	197.6	51	402	- 409	403	986	- 1001	988
		D	1	4	184.2	- 184.2	184.2	N/Q	419	- 419	419	985	- 985	985
	DA	D	1	6	137.2	- 159.2	144.5	N/Q	312	- 362	329	734	- 995	821
		D	2	6	180.0	- 183.2	181.6	43	391	- 398	395	963	- 980	972
		D	3	21	190.0	- 209.2	200.9	43	388	- 427	410	1023	- 1225	1150
		D	4	21	217.2	- 231.2	229.0	58	426	- 453	449	1227	- 1506	1410
				258	30.0	231.2		68	453		90	1506		
Bulls														
0-450		D	1	1	101.2	- 101.2	101.2	N/Q	184	- 184	184	354	- 354	354
		D	2	1	189.2	- 189.2	189.2	N/Q	344	- 344	344	747	- 747	747
	FD	D	2	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-	-	-	567	- 567	567
	RS	D	2	8	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	-32	-	-	-	264	- 282	271
450-600		C	3	2	189.2	- 226.2	207.7	N/Q	344	- 404	374	1069	- 1312	1190
600+		C	2	2	167.2	- 175.2	171.2	N/Q	304	- 319	311	1087	- 1139	1113
		C	3	3	199.2	- 207.2	204.2	20	356	- 370	365	1693	- 1761	1736
					18	101.2	226.2		184	404		264	1761	

Abbreviations

CATTLE FD: Feeder RS: Restocker GF: Grainfed DA: Dairy PC: Pastoral SHEEP & LAMB RS: Restocker MR: Merino RM: Restocker Merino 1X: 1st Cross
FD: Feeder DP: Dorper

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