

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Toowoomba

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Yarding 185
 Change -80

comparison date 14/09/2020

Numbers reduced by 80 head to 185 at the Toowoomba cattle sale. Young cattle dominated the yarding along with a small sample of cows and a handful of bulls. The usual panel of buyers was present and operating across all classes. Light weight yearling steers returning to the paddock sold to a dearer trend to average 11c/kg better. Yearling steers to feed for the domestic market experienced very little change in price. Yearling heifers sold to strong demand for the quality penned.

Light weight yearling steers sold to restockers at an average of 435c with some reaching 476.2c/kg. Yearling steers to feed averaged from 416c to 426c and sold to 428c/kg. A couple of heavy weight yearling steers sold to the trade at 382c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to restockers or background made to 426c to average 400c/kg. Yearling heifers to feed average from 385c to 387c with sales to 407c/kg. A handful yearling heifers to the trade made to 410c/kg.

The best of the heavy weight cows made to 276.2c to average 275c/kg. Bulls to feed made to 300c/kg.

Category	Sale Weight	Muscle 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															
200-280															
	PR	D	2	7	318.0	- 333.0	327.0	N/Q	578	- 605	595	747	- 859	796	
	RS	C	2	38	394.2	- 476.2	435.5	11	-	0	832	- 1242	974		
	RS	D	2	5	327.0	- 327.0	327.0	-30	-	0	867	- 867	867		
280-330															
	FD	C	2	18	406.0	- 428.0	416.2	N/C	-	0	1174	- 1357	1,272		
	FD	D	2	5	327.0	- 327.0	327.0	N/Q	-	0	981	- 981	981		
330-400															
	FD	C	2	7	420.0	- 429.2	425.8	28	-	0	1484	- 1575	1,545		
400+															
	FD	C	2	1	359.0	- 359.0	359.0	N/Q	-	0	1669	- 1669	1,669		
	FD	D	2	2	320.2	- 320.2	320.2	-33	-	0	1575	- 1575	1,575		
	FD	D	3	1	351.0	- 351.0	351.0	-26	-	0	1527	- 1527	1,527		
	PR	C	3	2	382.0	- 382.0	382.0	N/Q	695	- 695	695	1776	- 1776	1,776	
				86	318.0	476.2			578	695	747	1776			
Yearling Heifer															
200-280															
	FD	C	2	2	396.0	- 396.0	396.0	N/Q	-	0	1049	- 1049	1,049		
	PR	D	2	6	318.0	- 326.0	320.7	-30	589	- 604	594	747	- 864	810	
	RS	C	2	16	340.0	- 426.2	399.6	-37	-	0	857	- 1096	928		
	RS	D	2	2	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	-58	-	0	635	- 635	635		
280-330															
	FD	C	2	10	376.0	- 407.0	385.3	-7	-	0	1128	- 1160	1,138		
	PR	C	3	6	404.0	- 410.0	408.0	N/Q	748	- 759	756	1212	- 1292	1,265	
330-400															
	FD	C	3	2	374.2	- 400.0	387.1	N/Q	-	0	1400	- 1478	1,439		
	FD	D	2	7	306.0	- 320.0	318.0	26	-	0	1025	- 1072	1,065		
	PR	C	3	1	395.0	- 395.0	395.0	N/Q	731	- 731	731	1363	- 1363	1,363	
	RS	D	2	2	198.0	- 238.0	218.0	N/Q	-	0	663	- 821	742		

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
400+	FD	C	3	1	374.0	374.0	374.0	N/Q	-	0	1590	1590	1,590	
	PR	C	3	1	350.0	350.0	350.0	N/Q	648	648	648	1838	1,838	
				56	198.0	426.2			589	759		635	1838	
Grown Steer														
0-400	RS	D	2	1	249.0	249.0	249.0	-37	-	0	660	660	660	
				1	249.0	249.0			0	0		660	660	
Cows														
400-520	PR	D	3	1	243.0	243.0	243.0	N/Q	496	496	496	1094	1,094	
	PR	E	1	1	164.0	164.0	164.0	N/Q	373	373	373	738	738	
520+	PR	D	3	3	250.0	265.0	258.7	-5	510	541	528	1475	1,749	
	PR	D	4	7	270.0	276.2	275.3	N/Q	529	542	540	1715	1,815	
	RS	D	2	2	258.0	258.0	258.0	N/Q	-	-	0	1380	1,380	
				14	164.0	276.2			373	542		738	1815	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	4	286.0	336.0	308.3	50	-	0	815	1089	932	
	PR	C	2	1	261.0	261.0	261.0	N/Q	475	475	475	1005	1,005	
	RS	C	2	4	340.0	424.0	378.3	2	-	0	901	1167	1,036	
	RS	D	2	1	224.0	224.0	224.0	-110	-	0	526	526	526	
	RS	E	1	1	208.0	208.0	208.0	N/Q	-	0	801	801	801	
450-600	FD	C	2	1	271.2	271.2	271.2	-20	-	0	1627	1627	1,627	
	FD	C	3	1	300.0	300.0	300.0	N/Q	-	0	1665	1665	1,665	
	PR	D	2	1	221.0	221.0	221.0	N/Q	402	402	402	1204	1,204	
				14	208.0	424.0			402	475		526	1665	

DA - Dairy, FD - Feeder, GF - Grainfed, PR - Processor, LE - Live Export, PC - Pastoral Cattle, PT - PTIC, RS - Restocker

* Fields populated with N/A indicate the unavailability of animal assessment at the time of publishing

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