

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Toowoomba

report date 22/06/2020

Yarding 332
 Change 199

comparison date 15/06/2020

Numbers increased by close to 200 head to 332 at the Toowoomba cattle sale. The usual panel of export buyers was present, however not all were operating. The regular feed and trade buyers plus a good line up of restockers were very active in the market. A lift in the quality of the light weight yearling steers returning to the paddock improved in price by over 20c/kg. Yearling steers to feed for the domestic market also experienced some improvement in price. Light weight yearling heifers to restockers also sold to a dearer trend. A very small lineup of cows received very little change in price for the quality penned.

Light weight yearling steers sold to restockers at an average of 450c with a few pens reaching 495.2c/kg. Yearling steers to feed for the domestic market made to 430c to average 406c/kg. A couple of medium weight yearling steers to the trade made to 418.2c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to restockers made to 414c to average 381c/kg. Yearling heifers under 330kg to feed made to 386c to average 361c, and medium weights to feed averaged 354c and made to 359c/kg.

Medium weight poor condition cows to restockers averaged 220c, and medium weight 2 scores to processors averaged 238c/kg. A couple of heavy cows made 273.2c/kg.

| Category | Sale Weight | Muscle Prefix | Fat Score * | Head Score* | 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 | 379.0 | - 379.0 | 379.0 | N/Q | - | 0 | 625 | - 625 | 625 | |
| | | | | 6 | 379.0 | 379.0 | | | 0 | 0 | 625 | 625 | | |
| Vealer Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 200-280 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | PR | C | 3 | 1 | 420.0 | - 420.0 | 420.0 | N/Q | 778 | - 778 | 778 | 1113 | - 1113 | 1,113 |
| | | | | 1 | 420.0 | 420.0 | | | 778 | 778 | 1113 | 1113 | | |
| Yearling Steer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-200 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | RS | C | 2 | 5 | 466.2 | - 466.2 | 466.2 | 78 | - | 0 | 834 | - 834 | 835 | |
| 200-280 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | RS | C | 2 | 82 | 402.0 | - 495.2 | 450.2 | 27 | - | 0 | 911 | - 1312 | 1,137 | |
| | RS | D | 1 | 1 | 250.0 | - 250.0 | 250.0 | N/Q | - | 0 | 575 | - 575 | 575 | |
| | RS | D | 2 | 9 | 308.0 | - 400.0 | 360.6 | 3 | - | 0 | 775 | - 1000 | 895 | |
| 280-330 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | FD | C | 2 | 24 | 371.0 | - 430.0 | 405.7 | 1 | - | 0 | 1113 | - 1362 | 1,231 | |
| | FD | D | 2 | 7 | 304.0 | - 361.0 | 319.7 | -26 | - | 0 | 912 | - 1137 | 967 | |
| | RS | C | 3 | 5 | 422.2 | - 422.2 | 422.2 | N/Q | - | 0 | 1186 | - 1186 | 1,186 | |
| 330-400 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | FD | C | 2 | 9 | 380.0 | - 406.2 | 400.3 | 9 | - | 0 | 1273 | - 1360 | 1,337 | |
| | FD | D | 2 | 4 | 293.0 | - 330.2 | 302.3 | N/Q | - | 0 | 1040 | - 1271 | 1,098 | |
| | PR | C | 3 | 3 | 418.2 | - 418.2 | 418.2 | N/Q | 760 | - 760 | 760 | 1401 | - 1401 | 1,401 |
| 400+ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | FD | C | 2 | 1 | 374.2 | - 374.2 | 374.2 | 26 | - | 0 | 1852 | - 1852 | 1,852 | |
| | FD | D | 2 | 4 | 282.0 | - 282.0 | 282.0 | -58 | - | 0 | 1199 | - 1199 | 1,199 | |
| | PR | C | 3 | 2 | 388.2 | - 388.2 | 388.2 | N/Q | 706 | - 706 | 706 | 1755 | - 1755 | 1,755 |
| | | | | 156 | 250.0 | 495.2 | | | 706 | 760 | 575 | 1852 | | |

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|-----------------|-------------|--------------|------------|------|------------------|-------|-------|--------|--------------------------------|------|------|-------------------|-------|-------|
| | | | | | Low | High | Avg | Change | Low | High | Avg | Low | High | Avg |
| Yearling Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-200 | RS | C | 2 | 12 | 406.2 | 414.0 | 411.4 | N/Q | - | 0 | 677 | 766 | 734 | |
| 200-280 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | RS | C | 2 | 23 | 326.0 | 400.0 | 381.4 | 17 | - | 0 | 795 | 1060 | 927 | |
| | RS | D | 2 | 15 | 280.0 | 292.0 | 291.0 | -17 | - | 0 | 742 | 774 | 771 | |
| 280-330 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | FD | C | 2 | 12 | 340.0 | 386.0 | 360.8 | 8 | - | 0 | 986 | 1158 | 1,062 | |
| | FD | D | 2 | 12 | 250.0 | 324.0 | 299.1 | 20 | - | 0 | 750 | 972 | 883 | |
| | PR | C | 3 | 3 | 390.0 | 400.0 | 396.7 | N/Q | 722 | 741 | 735 | 1170 | 1200 | 1,190 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 4 | 280.0 | 280.0 | 280.0 | N/Q | - | 0 | 798 | 798 | 798 | |
| 330-400 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | FD | C | 2 | 10 | 336.0 | 359.0 | 353.9 | N/Q | - | 0 | 1200 | 1355 | 1,326 | |
| | FD | C | 3 | 1 | 319.0 | 319.0 | 319.0 | N/Q | - | 0 | 1164 | 1164 | 1,164 | |
| | FD | D | 2 | 6 | 298.0 | 328.2 | 317.7 | 22 | - | 0 | 998 | 1247 | 1,185 | |
| | PR | C | 3 | 1 | 330.2 | 330.2 | 330.2 | -48 | 611 | 611 | 611 | 1238 | 1238 | 1,238 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 3 | 228.0 | 228.0 | 228.0 | N/Q | - | 0 | 832 | 832 | 832 | |
| 400+ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | FD | C | 2 | 5 | 336.0 | 336.0 | 336.0 | N/Q | - | 0 | 1428 | 1428 | 1,428 | |
| | RS | D | 2 | 2 | 264.0 | 264.0 | 264.0 | N/Q | - | 0 | 1122 | 1122 | 1,122 | |
| | | | | 109 | 228.0 | 414.0 | | | 611 | 741 | | 677 | 1428 | |
| Grown Steer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-400 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | FD | C | 2 | 2 | 322.2 | 322.2 | 322.2 | -15 | - | 0 | 1240 | 1240 | 1,241 | |
| | | | | 2 | 322.2 | 322.2 | | | 0 | 0 | 1240 | 1240 | | |
| Grown Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-540 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | FD | C | 3 | 3 | 310.0 | 310.0 | 310.0 | 21 | - | 0 | 1318 | 1318 | 1,318 | |
| | FD | D | 3 | 1 | 296.0 | 296.0 | 296.0 | N/Q | - | 0 | 1288 | 1288 | 1,288 | |
| | PR | D | 3 | 2 | 277.0 | 277.0 | 277.0 | N/Q | 523 | 523 | 523 | 1343 | 1343 | 1,343 |
| | | | | 6 | 277.0 | 310.0 | | | 523 | 523 | | 1288 | 1343 | |
| Cows | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-400 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | PR | D | 1 | 2 | 214.0 | 214.0 | 214.0 | 34 | 486 | 486 | 486 | 781 | 781 | 781 |
| | PR | E | 1 | 1 | 153.0 | 153.0 | 153.0 | N/Q | 348 | 348 | 348 | 558 | 558 | 559 |
| 400-520 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | PR | D | 1 | 1 | 218.0 | 218.0 | 218.0 | N/Q | 495 | 495 | 495 | 927 | 927 | 927 |
| | PR | D | 2 | 3 | 238.0 | 238.0 | 238.0 | 4 | 517 | 517 | 517 | 1107 | 1107 | 1,107 |
| | PR | D | 3 | 1 | 258.0 | 258.0 | 258.0 | -12 | 527 | 527 | 527 | 1097 | 1097 | 1,097 |
| | RS | D | 1 | 12 | 220.2 | 220.2 | 220.2 | N/Q | - | 0 | 1101 | 1101 | 1,101 | |
| 520+ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | PR | D | 2 | 1 | 255.2 | 255.2 | 255.2 | N/Q | 521 | 521 | 521 | 1467 | 1467 | 1,467 |
| | PR | D | 3 | 2 | 265.0 | 265.0 | 265.0 | N/Q | 541 | 541 | 541 | 1431 | 1431 | 1,431 |
| | PR | D | 4 | 2 | 273.2 | 273.2 | 273.2 | N/Q | 536 | 536 | 536 | 1631 | 1631 | 1,631 |
| | PR | D | 5 | 2 | 261.2 | 261.2 | 261.2 | N/Q | 533 | 533 | 533 | 1554 | 1554 | 1,554 |
| | | | | 27 | 153.0 | 273.2 | | | 348 | 541 | | 558 | 1631 | |

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| | | | | | Low | High | Avg | Change | Low | High | Avg | Low | High | Avg |
| Bulls 0-450 | FD | C | 3 | 2 | 321.2 | 342.0 | 331.6 | N/Q | - | 0 | 1237 | 1317 | 1,277 | |
| | FD | D | 2 | 1 | 207.0 | 207.0 | 207.0 | -13 | - | 0 | 725 | 725 | 725 | |
| | RS | C | 2 | 9 | 322.0 | 436.0 | 366.4 | -46 | - | 0 | 627 | 853 | 813 | |
| 600+ | RS | C | 3 | 1 | 286.2 | 286.2 | 286.2 | N/Q | - | 0 | 2075 | 2075 | 2,075 | |
| | | | | 13 | 207.0 | 436.0 | | | 0 | 0 | 627 | 2075 | | |

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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