

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Dalby

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Yarding 4193
 Change 686

comparison date 25/09/2019

The supply of stock increased by 686 head to 4,193 today. Overall quality was mixed, however some very good heavy cows were penned, along with a fair sample of heavy grown steers and a few bullocks and a large selection of young cattle. Export buyer attendance was not as good as the previous week, nevertheless prices improved across a number of classes. Light weight yearling steers returning to the paddock averaged over 20c/kg better. A lift in the standard along with stronger demand improved average prices for medium weight yearling steers to feed by 22c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed averaged 5c/kg dearer. Light weight yearling heifers to restockers or backrounders gained 16c/kg. Medium and heavy weight yearling heifers to feed and the trade increased in price by 5c to 11c/kg. The largest samples of cows improved in price by 2c to 6c/kg.

Steer calves returning to the paddock averaged 246c and made to 252.2c and heifer calves averaged 151c/kg. Light weight yearling steers sold to restockers at an average of 269c with the occasional pen to 304.2c and poor quality lines averaged 208c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed made to 300.2c with most around 291c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed made to 305c to average 296c/kg. A fair sample of light weight yearling heifers averaged close to 200c with sales to 240c and poor quality lines averaged 155c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed made to 270.c to average 248c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers to the trade averaged 280c and made to 283.2c/kg.

Heavy grown steers to export slaughter made to 316.2c to average 304c and a few bullocks made to 312.2c/kg. A fair selection of full mouth bullocks made to 285.2c to average 280c/kg. Medium weight poor condition cows sold to restockers at an average of 174c and some better lines made to 207.2c to average 197c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows to processors averaged 196c and made to 210c/kg. A fairly large sample of good heavy cows made to 260.2c in pen lots to average 247c/kg. Heavy bulls 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
Calves															
80+	RS	C	2	62	236.2	252.2	245.9	N/Q	-			393	467	446	
	RS	D	2	67	120.2	182.2	150.7	-18	-			180	337	259	
				129	120.2	252.2			0	0		180	467		
Yearling Steer															
200-280	RS	C	2	419	231.2	304.2	269.3	26	-			474	812	653	
	RS	D	2	69	190.2	218.2	207.7	6	-			447	513	488	
280-330	FD	C	2	76	268.2	296.2	289.4	21	-			764	874	853	
	RS	C	2	17	252.2	270.0	263.0	-11	-			757	810	789	
330-400	FD	C	2	123	264.0	300.2	291.4	22	-			964	1148	1,080	
	FD	D	2	3	234.2	234.2	234.2	N/Q	-			878	878	878	
	PR	C	3	5	283.2	283.2	283.2	13	515	515	515	1090	1090	1,090	
400+	FD	C	2	72	280.0	305.0	296.5	5	-			1190	1593	1,320	
	FD	D	2	5	242.2	242.2	242.2	-11	-			1029	1029	1,029	
	PR	C	4	5	310.2	310.2	310.2	N/Q	554	554	554	1442	1442	1,442	
				794	190.2	310.2			515	554		447	1593		
Yearling Heifer															
0-200	RS	D	2	63	120.2	140.0	136.9	N/Q	-			222	259	253	
200-280	PR	C	2	6	210.0	210.2	210.2	-2	389	389	389	557	557	557	
	RS	C	2	285	166.2	240.0	199.6	16	-			349	636	494	
	RS	D	1	1	114.2	114.2	114.2	N/Q	-			234	234	234	
	RS	D	2	57	130.0	160.0	155.3	3	-			306	424	356	
280-330	FD	C	2	22	250.0	255.0	253.4	23	-			713	763	733	
	RS	C	2	33	240.2	240.2	240.2	28	-			685	709	693	

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330-400	FD	C	2	57	236.2	270.2	248.2	11	-	-	-	791	986	878
	FD	C	3	12	250.0	250.0	250.0	-20	-	-	-	913	913	913
	FD	D	2	2	222.2	222.2	222.2	19	-	-	-	811	811	811
	PR	C	3	16	260.0	278.2	275.6	6	481	515	510	905	1002	980
	PR	D	2	14	194.2	194.2	194.2	N/Q	360	360	360	709	709	709
400+	FD	C	2	16	230.2	260.0	248.8	-13	-	-	-	978	1105	1,058
	FD	C	3	10	270.0	270.0	270.0	20	-	-	-	1148	1148	1,148
	PR	C	2	15	240.0	255.0	243.0	N/Q	444	472	450	1044	1084	1,052
	PR	C	3	65	274.0	283.2	279.6	5	507	524	518	1165	1392	1,214
				674	114.2	283.2			360	524		222	1392	
Grown Steer														
0-400	RS	D	2	3	160.0	160.0	160.0	N/Q	-	-	-	584	584	584
400-500	FD	C	2	13	278.2	294.2	291.7	N/Q	-	-	-	1182	1324	1,302
	FD	C	3	22	294.2	294.2	294.2	25	-	-	-	1456	1456	1,456
	FD	D	2	1	224.2	224.2	224.2	N/Q	-	-	-	975	975	975
500-600	PR	C	4	80	292.2	316.2	304.1	-11	522	569	544	1563	1803	1,683
	PR	D	2	4	235.2	235.2	235.2	N/Q	428	428	428	1258	1258	1,258
600-750	PR	C	3	9	282.2	285.2	284.2	N/Q	513	519	517	1736	1783	1,773
	PR	C	4	13	289.2	312.2	292.7	-25	516	558	523	1951	1996	1,981
				145	160.0	316.2			428	569		584	1996	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	D	2	23	180.0	229.2	214.7	-22	-	-	-	765	974	914
	PR	C	4	1	270.2	270.2	270.2	-2	510	510	510	1419	1419	1,419
	PR	D	2	13	190.0	217.2	203.0	-17	396	453	423	827	923	870
	PR	D	3	29	220.0	255.0	240.8	6	415	490	457	935	1323	1,113
	RS	D	2	12	162.2	162.2	162.2	N/Q	-	-	-	706	706	706
				78	162.2	270.2			396	510		706	1419	
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540	PR	C	2	8	260.2	260.2	260.2	N/Q	473	473	473	1392	1392	1,392
540+	PR	C	3	3	260.0	260.0	260.0	N/Q	473	473	473	1781	1781	1,781
	PR	C	4	91	263.2	285.2	280.8	30	479	519	511	1514	2012	1,851
	PR	D	2	2	205.2	205.2	205.2	N/Q	373	373	373	1502	1502	1,502
				104	205.2	285.2			373	519		1392	2012	
Cows														
0-400	PR	D	1	33	120.0	132.2	126.0	-10	273	300	286	438	529	468
	PR	E	1	19	62.0	110.0	85.8	-5	141	250	195	233	440	323
	RS	D	1	58	115.0	155.0	131.7	-9	-	-	-	460	620	523
	RS	E	1	2	106.2	106.2	106.2	N/Q	-	-	-	388	388	388
400-520	PR	D	1	8	115.0	170.0	156.3	-10	261	386	355	500	850	763
	PR	D	2	124	170.0	210.0	196.1	2	370	457	426	808	1031	913
	PR	D	3	64	207.2	219.2	213.5	N/C	423	447	436	921	1091	1,039
	PR	D	4	141	223.2	257.2	235.4	-2	438	504	462	1116	1309	1,171
	RS	D	1	146	140.0	193.2	174.0	6	-	-	-	609	856	763

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520+	RS	D	2	64	189.2	207.2	196.9	1	-	-	-	823	999	911
	PR	D	1	12	188.2	188.2	188.2	N/Q	428	428	428	1065	1065	1,065
	PR	D	2	28	198.2	202.2	199.8	-5	431	440	434	1060	1082	1,069
	PR	D	3	167	214.2	230.2	222.6	4	437	470	454	1199	1405	1,271
	PR	D	4	438	231.2	260.2	246.8	5	453	510	484	1318	1803	1,495
	PR	D	5	1	220.0	220.0	220.0	N/Q	449	449	449	1320	1320	1,320
	RS	D	1	5	190.2	190.2	190.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1075	1075	1,075
	RS	D	3	1	210.0	210.0	210.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1260	1260	1,260
				1311	62.0	260.2			141	510		233	1803	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	19	246.2	270.0	259.0	14	-	-	-	913	1108	951
	FD	C	3	24	272.2	290.2	281.5	-9	-	-	-	1165	1306	1,229
	FD	D	1	25	200.0	212.2	202.4	N/Q	-	-	-	600	743	629
	FD	D	2	12	226.2	226.2	226.2	16	-	-	-	826	826	826
	PR	C	3	5	286.2	286.2	286.2	N/Q	520	520	520	1216	1216	1,216
	RS	D	2	32	156.2	178.2	167.8	-24	-	-	-	409	440	426
450-600	FD	C	2	1	230.2	230.2	230.2	-26	-	-	-	1116	1116	1,117
	FD	C	3	19	250.2	290.2	283.0	12	-	-	-	1388	1419	1,400
	FD	D	2	14	232.2	240.2	235.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1117	1312	1,228
	PR	C	3	13	289.2	290.2	289.5	N/Q	526	528	526	1547	1640	1,576
600+	PR	C	2	4	196.2	230.0	218.1	-0	357	418	397	1373	1495	1,442
	PR	C	3	142	233.2	300.0	271.6	6	416	536	485	1458	3045	1,933
	RS	D	1	1	211.2	211.2	211.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1320	1320	1,320
				311	156.2	300.0			357	536		409	3045	

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