

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Dalby

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Yarding 4464
 Change -522

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Numbers reduced by 522 head to 4464. The mixed quality line up of young cattle contained some very well bred yearling steers and heifers. A fair sample of heavy grown steers and bullocks came forward, while the number of cows penned almost halved the previous weeks level. The large panel of buyers in attendance included southern processors as well as feeder operators. A lift in the standard of the light weight yearling steers improved average prices by 26c/kg. A very mixed quality line up of medium weight yearling steers to feed allowed average prices to ease, however the better end sold to very strong demand. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed averaged 5c/kg better. Yearling heifers generally sold to strong demand for the quality penned. Cows gained a further 3c to 13c/kg with restocker classes improving the most.

Steer calves returning to the paddock made to 257.2c to average 239c, and heifer calves sold to 226.2c to average 197c/kg. Light weight yearling steers to restockers averaged 287c with one consignment of 100 head reaching 336.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed made to a top of 314.2c to average 279c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed averaged 297c and made to 305.2c, and local trade lines made to 314.2c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to restockers or background mostly sold around 214c, while a consignment of ex stud heifers made to 300c with the largest numbers in the 280c/kg range. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 240c and made to 262.2c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 243c, and local trade lines made to 295.2c to average 274c/kg.

Heavy grown steers and bullocks averaged 306c, with the bullock portion reaching 325.2c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows sold to restockers at an average of 202c with some to 205.2c/kg. Medium weight 2 scores to processors averaged 195c and made to 202.2c/kg. A large sample of good heavy cows averaged 241c with the isolated sale to 258.2c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 288.2c/kg.

Category	Sale Weight	Muscle Prefix	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+	PR	D	2	23	148.2	180.2	176.4	N/Q	280	340	333	245	308	296
	RS	C	2	51	200.2	257.2	239.1	-17	-	-	-	250	450	413
	RS	D	1	1	101.2	101.2	101.2	N/Q	-	-	-	182	182	182
	RS	D	2	97	140.0	226.2	197.5	-1	-	-	-	231	407	345
				172	101.2	257.2			280	340		182	450	
Vealer Heifer														
280-330	PR	C	3	1	268.2	268.2	268.2	N/Q	497	497	497	805	805	805
				1	268.2	268.2			497	497		805	805	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	RS	C	2	440	232.2	336.2	287.0	26	-	-	-	497	938	727
	RS	D	2	129	160.0	228.2	193.6	-14	-	-	-	349	562	486
280-330	FD	C	2	14	233.2	280.2	273.5	-2	-	-	-	700	799	784
	FD	D	2	34	219.2	225.0	221.4	N/Q	-	-	-	639	675	654
	RS	D	2	14	228.2	228.2	228.2	N/Q	-	-	-	650	650	650
330-400	FD	C	2	163	255.0	314.2	279.0	-16	-	-	-	854	1117	1,025
	FD	D	2	45	219.2	250.0	238.5	-13	-	-	-	767	963	845
400+	FD	C	2	254	273.2	305.2	296.7	5	-	-	-	1182	1486	1,345
	FD	D	2	25	260.0	272.2	266.1	1	-	-	-	1082	1256	1,139
	FD	D	3	6	281.2	281.2	281.2	37	-	-	-	1139	1139	1,139
	PR	C	2	12	294.0	294.0	294.0	N/Q	535	535	535	1250	1250	1,250
	PR	C	3	15	290.0	314.2	309.8	1	527	571	563	1284	1436	1,344
				1151	160.0	336.2			527	571		349	1486	
Yearling Heifer														
0-200	RS	D	1	4	132.2	132.2	132.2	-2	-	-	-	218	218	218

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200-280	PR	C	2	96	160.2	232.2	207.3	-14	297	430	384	353	617	493
	PR	D	2	37	136.2	155.0	141.4	-9	252	287	262	320	344	327
	RS	C	2	231	170.0	232.2	214.5	-5	-	-	-	400	633	497
	RS	C	3	94	255.0	292.2	280.0	N/Q	-	-	-	644	804	761
	RS	D	1	7	188.2	188.2	188.2	N/Q	-	-	-	386	386	386
	RS	D	2	11	150.0	155.0	151.4	-0	-	-	-	315	364	335
280-330	FD	C	2	185	214.2	238.2	228.5	-6	-	-	-	643	724	677
	FD	D	2	10	190.0	190.0	190.0	N/Q	-	-	-	570	570	570
	PR	C	2	13	200.2	236.2	233.4	N/Q	371	437	432	601	709	700
	RS	C	3	26	278.2	300.2	291.4	N/Q	-	-	-	793	856	830
330-400	FD	C	2	254	218.2	257.2	240.7	-7	-	-	-	764	938	843
	FD	C	3	55	241.2	262.2	251.3	-5	-	-	-	820	1001	864
	FD	D	2	25	185.0	232.2	224.2	3	-	-	-	675	871	835
	PR	C	3	12	239.2	260.0	248.9	-7	443	481	461	875	1001	914
	PR	D	2	6	184.2	184.2	184.2	N/Q	341	341	341	691	691	691
	PR	D	3	4	210.0	210.0	210.0	N/Q	389	389	389	735	735	735
400+	FD	C	2	92	221.2	275.0	243.0	-18	-	-	-	940	1180	1,026
	FD	C	3	12	262.2	262.2	262.2	-7	-	-	-	1114	1141	1,117
	FD	D	2	15	197.2	227.2	223.6	-2	-	-	-	838	977	955
	PR	C	2	21	230.0	267.2	236.2	8	426	495	437	983	1162	1,019
	PR	C	3	99	260.2	295.2	274.4	-1	482	547	508	1106	1476	1,215
	PR	D	2	15	210.0	229.2	225.4	-3	389	424	417	893	928	921
					1324	132.2	300.2					252	547	218
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	2	4	263.2	263.2	263.2	-17	-	-	-	1224	1224	1,224
	FD	D	2	15	213.2	240.0	230.9	N/Q	-	-	-	863	972	957
500-600	FD	C	3	1	273.2	273.2	273.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1462	1462	1,462
	PR	C	3	3	284.2	284.2	284.2	30	517	517	517	1444	1444	1,444
	PR	C	4	19	295.2	316.2	306.4	-18	527	565	547	1712	1834	1,760
600-750	PR	C	3	23	284.2	288.0	285.7	N/Q	517	524	519	1745	1872	1,795
	PR	C	4	96	294.2	325.2	306.7	-9	525	581	548	1839	2114	1,947
				161	213.2	325.2					517	581	863	2114
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	D	2	93	110.2	211.2	192.9	-6	-	-	-	496	898	806
	PR	C	4	69	253.2	292.2	269.1	N/C	478	551	508	1101	1552	1,271
	PR	D	2	18	178.2	202.2	186.7	37	371	421	389	757	859	799
	PR	D	3	33	227.2	251.2	241.5	12	432	483	462	997	1218	1,076
	RS	D	1	4	150.0	150.0	150.0	N/Q	-	-	-	638	638	638
540+	PR	C	4	22	260.2	296.2	283.2	-10	491	559	534	1498	1777	1,676
				239	110.2	296.2						371	559	496
Manufacturing Steer														
540+	PR	C	3	11	243.2	261.2	252.5	N/Q	442	475	459	1558	2213	1,979
				11	243.2	261.2						442	475	1558

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Cows														
0-400	FD	E	1	11	100.0	100.0	100.0	N/Q	-			360	360	360
	PR	D	1	27	116.2	155.0	135.2	7	264	352	307	425	566	501
	PR	D	2	6	184.2	184.2	184.2	N/Q	400	400	400	718	718	718
	RS	D	1	26	110.0	110.0	110.0	-29	-			424	424	424
400-520	DA	D	2	9	168.2	168.2	168.2	N/Q	-			841	841	841
	PR	D	1	16	150.0	171.2	164.1	12	341	389	373	653	759	734
	PR	D	2	46	175.0	202.2	194.8	5	380	440	423	788	1011	930
	PR	D	3	33	201.2	212.2	206.2	-4	411	433	421	936	1061	1,009
	PR	D	4	79	215.0	248.2	227.5	3	422	487	446	1000	1186	1,096
	RS	D	1	39	162.2	176.2	170.4	-12	-			706	766	741
520+	RS	D	2	51	200.2	205.2	202.3	13	-			939	995	962
	DA	D	1	1	173.2	173.2	173.2	N/Q	-			1039	1039	1,039
	DA	D	3	1	210.2	210.2	210.2	N/Q	-			1366	1366	1,366
	PR	D	2	49	200.2	210.2	205.9	0	435	457	448	1076	1261	1,156
	PR	D	3	56	210.0	226.2	218.5	1	429	462	446	1125	1414	1,260
	PR	D	4	230	224.2	258.2	241.1	7	440	506	473	1210	1626	1,449
				680	100.0	258.2			264	506		360	1626	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	23	236.2	288.2	263.1	-1	-			827	1225	1,101
	FD	C	3	46	256.2	290.2	269.1	5	-			897	1252	1,123
	FD	D	2	1	220.0	220.0	220.0	28	-			891	891	891
	PR	C	2	3	228.2	228.2	228.2	-96	415	415	415	650	650	650
	RS	D	2	1	140.0	140.0	140.0	-62	-			469	469	469
450-600	FD	C	3	2	257.2	257.2	257.2	N/Q	-			1196	1196	1,196
	FD	D	2	1	224.2	224.2	224.2	N/Q	-			1043	1043	1,043
	PR	C	2	1	226.2	226.2	226.2	16	411	411	411	1188	1188	1,188
600+	PR	C	2	7	213.2	220.2	219.2	8	388	400	399	1333	1376	1,370
	PR	C	3	15	241.2	288.2	262.3	-9	431	515	468	1568	2618	2,156
	PR	D	1	9	187.2	187.2	187.2	N/Q	340	340	340	1170	1170	1,170
	PR	D	2	1	192.2	192.2	192.2	N/Q	349	349	349	1249	1249	1,249
				110	140.0	290.2			340	515		469	2618	

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

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