

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Dalby

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Yarding 4928

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The supply of stock reduced to 4,925 head and the trend of large numbers of cows being offered for sale continued. Buyer representation was good, with the return of interstate export processors and feeder operators. Steer calves lifted in price by 50c, and heifer calves gained 15c/kg pushed on by restockers from western districts. Light weight yearling steers returned to the paddock 10c/kg better. Medium weight yearling steers to feed averaged 6c/kg dearer. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed lifted in price by 11c and processor classes averaged 17c/kg better. Light weight yearling heifers to restockers or background sold to good demand for the quality penned. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 8c dearer and heavy weights improved 3c to 7c/kg. Heavy grown steers and bullocks gained 3c/kg. Medium and heavy weight cows lifted in price by 4c to 11c on top of the improvements experienced the previous week and cows returning to the paddock averaged 9c to 15c/kg dearer.

Steer calves returning to the paddock averaged 273c and made to 326.2c, and heifer calves made to 222.2c/kg. Light weight yearling steers to restockers made to 304.2c, with a large sample averaging 282c/kg. Yearling steers weighing 280-330kg to restockers made to 315.2c to average 282c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed averaged 281c, with sales to 298.2c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers made to 314.2c, with a large selection at 297c, while local trade lines averaged 302c and made to 311.2c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers averaged 209c and made to 238.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed sold to 275c, with majority making close to 248c/kg. The largest samples of heavy weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 262c and made to 279.2c, and processor classes made to 292.2c to average 272c/kg.

Heavy grown steers made to the occasional 316.2c to average 298c, as the bullock portion made to 309.2c to average 300c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows made to 198.2c to average 181c/kg. A large selection of good heavy cows averaged 231c, with sales to 243.2c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 273.2c/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+	PR	D	2	22	130.0	180.0	157.6	-5	245	340	297	228	315	282	
	RS	C	2	102	206.2	326.2	272.7	53	-	-	-	276	555	450	
	RS	D	1	15	140.0	170.0	158.0	N/Q	-	-	-	168	204	190	
	RS	D	2	81	152.2	222.2	193.7	15	-	-	-	195	368	311	
				220	130.0	326.2			245	340		168	555		
Yearling Steer															
200-280	PR	D	2	2	200.2	200.2	200.2	N/Q	364	364	364	501	501	501	
	RS	C	2	313	228.2	304.2	282.3	10	-	-	-	557	753	679	
	RS	D	2	27	178.2	220.2	205.5	10	-	-	-	419	517	489	
280-330	FD	C	2	25	256.2	287.2	274.6	-4	-	-	-	769	862	824	
	RS	C	2	31	238.2	315.2	282.4	38	-	-	-	715	946	841	
	RS	D	2	10	214.2	214.2	214.2	44	-	-	-	643	643	643	
330-400	FD	C	2	176	244.2	298.2	280.7	6	-	-	-	855	1148	1,030	
	FD	D	2	17	230.0	248.2	245.0	7	-	-	-	874	931	921	
	PR	C	3	41	290.0	305.2	300.9	11	527	555	547	1117	1171	1,140	
	RS	D	2	2	192.2	192.2	192.2	N/Q	-	-	-	644	644	644	
400+	FD	C	2	340	275.0	314.2	297.0	11	-	-	-	1169	1554	1,309	
	FD	D	2	7	256.2	265.0	263.0	7	-	-	-	1050	1285	1,220	
	PR	C	3	43	270.0	311.2	301.9	17	491	566	549	1148	1618	1,385	
	PR	D	2	6	258.2	258.2	258.2	N/Q	469	469	469	1097	1097	1,097	
				1040	178.2	315.2			364	566		419	1618		
Yearling Heifer															
200-280	PR	C	2	20	168.2	194.2	180.8	-22	311	360	335	362	441	420	

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	PR	D	2	3	132.2	132.2	132.2	-41	245	245	245	311	311	311
	RS	C	2	389	168.2	238.2	209.5	-3	-	-	-	395	605	474
	RS	D	2	7	138.2	140.2	139.3	N/Q	-	-	-	297	372	340
280-330	FD	C	2	24	240.0	260.2	251.8	18	-	-	-	684	742	718
	PR	C	2	3	200.0	200.0	200.0	-17	370	370	370	570	570	570
	PR	D	2	4	171.2	171.2	171.2	-15	317	317	317	514	514	514
	RS	C	2	11	182.2	182.2	182.2	-52	-	-	-	519	519	519
	RS	D	1	3	138.2	138.2	138.2	N/Q	-	-	-	415	415	415
	RS	D	2	7	160.2	180.2	168.8	5	-	-	-	481	541	506
330-400	FD	C	2	166	220.0	275.0	247.7	8	-	-	-	748	949	871
	FD	C	3	53	240.2	270.2	251.9	N/C	-	-	-	841	1027	904
	FD	D	2	4	176.2	180.0	179.0	-14	-	-	-	643	657	654
	PR	C	3	37	230.0	275.0	260.3	11	426	509	482	804	1052	950
	PR	D	2	6	210.0	210.2	210.1	-6	389	389	389	704	735	714
	PR	D	3	7	234.2	234.2	234.2	8	434	434	434	785	785	785
	RS	C	2	4	244.2	244.2	244.2	N/Q	-	-	-	855	855	855
	RS	D	2	6	168.2	168.2	168.2	-45	-	-	-	614	614	614
400+	FD	C	2	79	229.2	276.2	250.9	7	-	-	-	974	1174	1,080
	FD	C	3	144	245.2	279.2	262.4	3	-	-	-	1005	1354	1,113
	FD	D	2	2	210.0	210.0	210.0	-11	-	-	-	893	893	893
	PR	C	2	2	220.0	220.0	220.0	N/Q	407	407	407	935	935	935
	PR	C	3	134	241.2	292.2	272.0	5	447	541	504	1038	1379	1,198
				1115	132.2	292.2			245	541		297	1379	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	D	2	13	151.2	161.2	153.5	-16	-	-	-	454	613	490
	RS	D	2	6	140.0	140.0	140.0	-61	-	-	-	469	469	469
400-500	FD	C	2	23	185.2	260.0	243.7	-8	-	-	-	833	1287	1,181
	FD	D	2	17	234.2	242.2	240.8	1	-	-	-	995	1090	1,052
	PR	C	3	39	260.0	268.2	262.5	14	473	488	477	1105	1254	1,192
500-600	PR	C	3	6	269.2	269.2	269.2	3	489	489	489	1440	1440	1,440
	PR	C	4	63	201.2	316.2	298.4	3	359	565	536	1137	1785	1,638
600-750	PR	C	3	9	273.2	283.2	277.6	N/Q	497	515	505	1776	1841	1,805
	PR	C	4	35	290.2	309.2	300.3	3	518	552	536	1863	2118	1,949
				211	140.0	316.2			359	565		454	2118	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	3	6	256.2	256.2	256.2	16	-	-	-	1191	1191	1,191
	FD	D	2	10	210.0	230.0	222.0	33	-	-	-	893	978	944
	PR	C	4	23	278.2	293.2	290.6	14	525	553	548	1474	1498	1,494
	PR	D	2	11	193.2	216.2	209.9	5	403	450	437	898	919	913
	PR	D	3	57	226.2	259.2	246.6	11	427	491	467	1004	1283	1,147
	RS	D	2	8	110.2	198.2	132.2	-55	-	-	-	380	922	516
540+	PR	C	4	21	269.2	284.2	273.8	-2	508	536	517	1505	1750	1,670
				136	110.2	293.2			403	553		380	1750	

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Manufacturing Steer														
540+	PR	C	3	2	263.2	- 263.2	263.2	20	479	- 479	479	1711	- 1711	1,711
	PR	C	4	4	281.2	- 281.2	281.2	8	502	- 502	502	1828	- 1828	1,828
	PR	D	2	4	221.2	- 225.2	224.2	N/Q	402	- 409	408	1548	- 1576	1,569
				10	221.2	281.2			402	502		1548	1828	
Cows														
0-400	PR	D	1	43	120.0	- 155.2	139.5	48	273	- 353	317	480	- 598	548
	PR	E	1	10	80.0	- 90.2	88.2	21	182	- 205	200	308	- 361	350
	RS	D	1	14	138.2	- 142.2	140.5	-16	-	-	-	518	- 562	543
	RS	E	1	7	50.2	- 50.2	50.2	-56	-	-	-	161	- 161	161
400-520	PR	D	1	41	140.0	- 163.2	156.4	5	318	- 371	356	609	- 767	699
	PR	D	2	204	154.2	- 198.2	181.5	4	335	- 431	394	671	- 942	820
	PR	D	3	103	195.2	- 215.2	202.8	8	398	- 422	413	888	- 1076	933
	PR	D	4	77	209.2	- 225.2	216.0	5	410	- 442	424	1019	- 1126	1,073
	PT	D	2	28	185.2	- 195.2	189.1	N/Q	-	-	-	819	- 908	873
	PT	D	3	10	206.2	- 206.2	206.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1000	- 1000	1,000
	RS	D	1	67	158.2	- 180.0	174.2	15	-	-	-	688	- 873	791
	RS	D	2	66	182.2	- 192.2	187.2	9	-	-	-	783	- 941	852
520+	DA	D	1	3	161.2	- 161.2	161.2	N/Q	-	-	-	911	- 911	911
	PR	D	2	55	186.2	- 198.2	192.4	9	405	- 431	418	996	- 1159	1,065
	PR	D	3	206	196.2	- 220.2	210.2	10	400	- 449	429	1071	- 1339	1,216
	PR	D	4	618	209.2	- 243.2	231.3	11	410	- 477	454	1119	- 1619	1,383
	RS	D	2	6	186.2	- 186.2	186.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1015	- 1015	1,015
				1558	50.2	243.2			182	477		161	1619	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	63	260.2	- 286.2	280.0	N/Q	-	-	-	925	- 1216	1,117
	FD	C	3	3	274.2	- 282.2	279.5	32	-	-	-	1228	- 1234	1,230
	RS	C	2	11	262.2	- 262.2	262.2	30	-	-	-	656	- 656	656
	RS	D	1	28	150.0	- 190.0	182.9	N/Q	-	-	-	352	- 428	365
450-600	FD	C	2	2	262.2	- 262.2	262.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1219	- 1219	1,219
	FD	C	3	6	280.2	- 284.2	282.9	16	-	-	-	1303	- 1378	1,353
	PR	C	3	2	280.2	- 281.2	280.7	N/Q	502	- 509	506	1504	- 1681	1,593
600+	PR	C	3	21	228.2	- 273.2	257.2	-1	408	- 488	459	1426	- 2732	2,013
				136	150.0	286.2			408	509		352	2732	

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

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