

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Emerald

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Yarding 1390
 Change -240

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The yarding for Emerald Agents last sale for 2019 was down 240 head on last week with 1,390 penned. There was a wide range of quality and condition on offer including a large line of steers and heifers in plain condition from on the stock route near Springsure. There were also forced sales due to a lack of water in some paddocks. Competition on slaughter cattle was limited by the attendance of processors however values were improved. Most other values varied with the breeding and quality on offer.

A small offering of vealer steers made to 263c to average 229c, whilst the vealer heifers topped at 180c/kg. Light yearling steers averaged 207c with medium weights improving to average 275c and heavy yearling steers sold to 299c, to average 287c/kg. Most yearling heifers were very poorly bred and averaged from 135 to 167c/kg. The few well bred pens sold to 219c, to average 218c/kg.

Processors paid to a top of 291c and averaged 287c for their grown steers with those to feed making to 300c and averaging 290c/kg. A few well bred grown heifers made 235c and averaged 223c/kg. Cows improved with 2 score cows selling to 193c, returning a 170c/kg average. Heavy 4 score cows reached 215c and averaged an improved 212c/kg. A very mixed yarding of bulls sold to 221c/kg.

Category	Sale Weight	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	8	159.0	159.0	159.0	N/Q	-	-	-	294	294	294	
	RS	D	2	2	202.0	202.0	202.0	52	-	-	-	323	323	323	
				10	159.0	202.0			0	0		294	323		
Vealer Steer															
200-280	RS	C	2	21	155.0	263.0	229.9	N/C	-	-	-	312	631	511	
	RS	D	2	9	180.0	190.0	187.8	N/C	-	-	-	362	382	377	
				30	155.0	263.0			0	0		312	631		
Vealer Heifer															
200-280	PR	C	2	2	166.0	166.0	166.0	N/Q	319	319	319	374	374	374	
	PR	D	2	3	150.0	150.0	150.0	N/Q	288	288	288	315	315	315	
	RS	C	2	13	166.0	180.0	173.5	-6	-	-	-	374	396	386	
				18	150.0	180.0			288	319		315	396		
Yearling Steer															
200-280	FD	C	2	25	235.0	273.0	268.4	14	-	-	-	611	764	746	
	FD	D	2	5	200.0	234.0	220.4	17	-	-	-	500	585	551	
	PR	C	2	4	174.0	174.0	174.0	-37	335	335	335	452	452	452	
	PR	D	2	9	170.0	176.0	172.7	-27	327	338	332	422	468	448	
	RS	C	2	21	213.0	276.0	270.0	N/Q	-	-	-	533	745	725	
	RS	D	2	199	150.0	260.0	210.2	-33	-	-	-	328	676	527	
280-330	FD	C	2	210	255.0	293.0	274.8	16	-	-	-	778	947	847	
	FD	D	2	10	243.0	243.0	243.0	1	-	-	-	778	778	778	
	RS	C	2	38	263.0	280.0	274.6	29	-	-	-	763	882	844	
330-400	FD	C	2	43	280.0	299.0	287.1	N/Q	-	-	-	952	1032	981	
				564	150.0	299.0			327	338		328	1032		
Yearling Heifer															
200-280	FD	D	2	13	155.0	155.0	155.0	-6	-	-	-	434	434	434	
	PR	D	2	13	150.0	170.0	159.2	-33	288	327	306	390	476	430	

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						Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High
280-330	RS	D	2	15	121.0	144.0	135.6	-51	-	-	-	254	396	346
	FD	C	2	35	191.0	218.0	204.9	N/Q	-	-	-	611	698	656
	FD	D	2	29	139.0	218.0	166.6	-25	-	-	-	445	719	541
330-400	RS	C	2	1	201.0	201.0	201.0	-16	-	-	-	663	663	663
	RS	D	2	61	115.0	184.0	167.0	-39	-	-	-	339	570	495
	FD	D	2	14	218.0	219.0	218.4	N/Q	-	-	-	734	752	746
	PR	D	2	1	140.0	140.0	140.0	-64	269	269	269	469	469	469
					182	115.0	219.0			269	327	254	752	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	C	2	9	250.0	290.0	278.3	N/Q	-	-	-	850	1102	1,031
	FD	D	2	22	200.0	246.0	212.5	-36	-	-	-	610	861	679
	RS	D	2	31	214.0	250.0	225.6	-18	-	-	-	589	1000	721
400-500	FD	C	2	18	275.0	300.0	290.3	N/Q	-	-	-	1210	1260	1,241
	FD	C	3	5	300.0	300.0	300.0	47	-	-	-	1395	1395	1,395
	FD	D	2	2	266.0	266.0	266.0	26	-	-	-	1170	1170	1,170
	FD	D	3	11	265.0	265.0	265.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1179	1179	1,179
	LE	D	2	1	230.0	230.0	230.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1001	1001	1,001
500-600	LE	D	3	8	220.0	220.0	220.0	N/Q	-	-	-	924	924	924
	PR	C	2	1	245.0	245.0	245.0	N/Q	471	471	471	1372	1372	1,372
	PR	C	3	1	291.0	291.0	291.0	39	549	549	549	1673	1673	1,673
	PR	C	4	7	287.0	287.0	287.0	N/Q	542	542	542	1579	1579	1,579
	PR	D	3	2	275.0	275.0	275.0	22	519	519	519	1389	1389	1,389
				118	200.0	300.0			471	549	589	1673		
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	2	2	228.0	228.0	228.0	-2	-	-	-	878	878	878
	FD	D	2	68	96.0	210.0	111.0	-85	-	-	-	259	725	331
	FD	D	3	4	210.0	235.0	228.8	N/Q	-	-	-	882	1046	1,005
	PR	D	2	13	140.0	180.0	168.5	-4	269	346	324	427	680	633
	PR	D	3	21	170.0	230.0	223.3	14	327	434	422	587	1104	1,029
	RS	D	2	103	130.0	140.0	134.8	N/Q	-	-	-	332	392	366
				211	96.0	235.0			269	434	259	1104		
Cows														
0-400	PR	D	1	26	126.0	138.0	132.5	83	300	329	315	466	504	486
	PR	D	2	11	130.0	130.0	130.0	-7	295	295	295	488	488	488
	RS	D	1	11	94.0	94.0	94.0	-36	-	-	-	376	376	376
400-520	PR	D	2	54	140.0	193.0	169.7	17	311	420	374	588	907	744
	PR	D	3	9	203.0	203.0	203.0	36	423	423	423	954	954	954
	PR	D	4	5	211.0	211.0	211.0	17	422	422	422	1066	1066	1,066
520+	PR	D	3	30	200.0	207.0	204.4	34	404	431	425	1060	1139	1,115
	PR	D	4	8	208.0	215.0	212.0	18	413	426	422	1123	1204	1,164
				154	94.0	215.0			295	431	376	1204		
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	3	1	195.0	195.0	195.0	N/Q	-	-	-	839	839	839

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
450-600	FD	D	2	1	140.0	140.0	140.0	-49	-	-	-	364	364	364
	LE	C	2	3	145.0	200.0	181.7	N/Q	-	-	-	790	1020	943
	PR	C	2	1	130.0	130.0	130.0	N/Q	245	245	245	741	741	741
600+	LE	C	2	1	120.0	120.0	120.0	N/Q	-	-	-	966	966	966
	LE	C	3	1	200.0	200.0	200.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1610	1610	1,610
	PR	C	2	1	180.0	180.0	180.0	-10	340	340	340	1179	1179	1,179
	RS	E	3	2	160.0	221.0	190.5	N/Q	-	-	-	1456	1635	1,546
				11	120.0	221.0			245	340		364	1635	

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

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