

## Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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### Emerald

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Yarding 1853  
 Change -1753

comparison date 21/11/2019

There was a large decrease in numbers this week at Emerald with a yarding of 1,853 down 1,753 head from last week. There were some lines of light conditioned cows in particular penned however prices held well for the heavy, 4 score cows compared to other markets. Cattle were drawn from local areas and the usual buyers were present, including a third export works.

Light weight heifers were harder to move again. A small offering of vealer steers sold to 280c, to average 252c for the best bred lines whilst the vealer heifers made to 210c, to average 175c/kg. Well bred medium to heavy weight yearling steers sold to 313c to record averages from 260 to 278c, with the light weight pens averaging from 240 to 261c/kg. Heavy yearling heifers averaged from 236c to 249c, with sales to 256c/kg. Light and medium weight yearling heifers sold to an occasional 226c, averaging from 184c to 191c/kg.

Well bred grown steers to feed reached a top of 312c, to average 301c for the best, whilst most averaged from 252c to 288c/kg. A few 4 score bullocks averaged 282c/kg to processors. Feeders paid to 278c for the best bred pens of grown heifers to average 254c, with those to processors making to 261c to average from 242c to 248c/kg for well bred 4 score grown heifers. Light conditioned, 2 score cows averaged 172c to feeders with heavy 4 score cows topping at 233c, to average just 5c less than last sale at 224c/kg. Heavy bulls averaged 240c/kg to processors.

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
<b>Calves</b>															
80+	RS	C	2	18	251.0	280.0	270.3	N/Q	-	-	-	477	532	514	
				18	251.0	280.0			0	0		477	532		
<b>Vealer Steer</b>															
200-280	RS	C	2	45	206.0	280.0	251.5	4	-	-	-	432	672	570	
	RS	D	2	18	190.0	210.0	200.0	-31	-	-	-	431	437	434	
				63	190.0	280.0			0	0		431	672		
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>															
200-280	FD	D	2	14	150.0	166.0	163.7	N/Q	-	-	-	302	365	350	
	PR	C	2	13	180.0	210.0	196.9	N/Q	346	404	379	378	452	426	
	PR	D	2	17	160.0	196.0	177.2	-46	308	377	341	348	451	408	
	RS	D	2	6	159.0	207.0	175.0	-14	-	-	-	366	435	389	
				50	150.0	210.0			308	404		302	452		
<b>Yearling Steer</b>															
200-280	FD	C	2	3	240.0	240.0	240.0	-31	-	-	-	624	648	632	
	FD	D	2	11	170.0	238.0	207.1	-30	-	-	-	391	655	535	
	RS	C	2	53	230.0	255.0	239.3	N/C	-	-	-	580	714	624	
	RS	D	2	35	180.0	240.0	207.6	-19	-	-	-	460	600	543	
280-330	FD	C	2	61	250.0	275.0	261.1	-12	-	-	-	751	866	798	
	RS	C	2	8	255.0	255.0	255.0	16	-	-	-	740	740	740	
	RS	D	2	30	212.0	231.0	225.3	N/Q	-	-	-	670	700	679	
330-400	FD	C	2	60	270.0	288.0	277.6	4	-	-	-	918	1094	983	
	FD	D	2	9	260.0	260.0	260.0	N/Q	-	-	-	988	988	988	
400+	FD	C	2	17	313.0	313.0	313.0	25	-	-	-	1315	1315	1,315	
	FD	C	3	7	264.0	264.0	264.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1148	1148	1,148	
				294	170.0	313.0			0	0		391	1315		

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<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
200-280	FD	C	2	4	180.0	180.0	180.0	-42	-	-	-	432	432	432
	FD	D	2	64	164.0	220.0	196.1	17	-	-	-	394	616	529
	PR	C	2	7	195.0	213.0	206.0	-4	375	410	396	480	546	519
	PR	D	2	42	140.0	206.0	190.7	-25	269	396	367	315	556	489
	RS	C	2	8	207.0	207.0	207.0	-38	-	-	-	486	486	487
280-330	FD	C	2	33	213.0	229.0	226.6	-10	-	-	-	607	653	646
	FD	D	2	48	190.0	220.0	214.2	4	-	-	-	542	693	659
	PR	C	2	2	220.0	220.0	220.0	-19	423	423	423	693	693	693
330-400	FD	C	2	13	212.0	248.0	245.2	-12	-	-	-	774	930	918
	FD	D	2	42	226.0	240.0	235.9	-13	-	-	-	757	840	811
	PR	C	3	1	214.0	214.0	214.0	N/Q	404	404	404	803	803	803
	RS	D	2	41	239.0	256.0	249.4	N/Q	-	-	-	813	909	871
				305	140.0	256.0			269	423		315	930	
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
0-400	FD	C	2	35	250.0	296.0	288.4	-10	-	-	-	937	1060	984
	FD	D	2	30	180.0	279.0	251.9	-18	-	-	-	720	893	874
	PR	C	3	1	266.0	266.0	266.0	N/Q	502	502	502	612	612	612
	PR	D	2	21	160.0	164.0	162.3	N/Q	308	315	312	504	517	511
400-500	FD	C	2	49	248.0	312.0	300.7	-8	-	-	-	1153	1498	1,348
	FD	C	3	37	247.0	292.0	274.2	12	-	-	-	1161	1343	1,266
	FD	D	2	6	240.0	253.0	242.2	-46	-	-	-	972	1075	989
	RS	C	2	3	219.0	219.0	219.0	N/Q	-	-	-	975	975	975
500-600	FD	C	3	7	279.0	287.0	281.3	N/Q	-	-	-	1449	1465	1,460
	PR	C	3	1	250.0	250.0	250.0	-50	472	472	472	1313	1313	1,313
	PR	C	4	8	281.0	282.0	281.4	-22	520	522	521	1607	1616	1,613
600-750	PR	C	4	4	282.0	282.0	282.0	-25	522	522	522	1706	1706	1,706
				202	160.0	312.0			308	522		504	1706	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	FD	C	2	66	221.0	278.0	254.2	1	-	-	-	762	1154	1,002
	FD	C	3	72	227.0	258.0	239.7	-14	-	-	-	829	1104	930
	FD	D	2	87	190.0	271.0	236.9	4	-	-	-	599	1084	869
	FD	D	3	5	213.0	250.0	225.2	-35	-	-	-	756	1063	844
	PR	C	3	37	217.0	240.0	232.0	N/Q	409	453	438	824	1058	932
	PR	C	4	30	223.0	261.0	248.8	2	413	483	462	914	1336	1,225
	PR	D	2	4	170.0	170.0	170.0	-92	327	327	327	604	604	604
	PR	D	3	20	170.0	230.0	203.2	-33	321	434	386	621	1129	877
	PR	D	4	19	206.0	254.0	241.9	-13	396	470	449	824	1286	1,098
	RS	C	3	6	253.0	253.0	253.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1037	1037	1,037
	RS	D	2	28	239.0	256.0	248.1	82	-	-	-	920	1024	976
540+	PR	C	4	1	210.0	210.0	210.0	N/Q	389	389	389	1145	1145	1,145
				375	170.0	278.0			321	483		599	1336	
<b>Cows</b>														

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0-400	FD	D	2	33	161.0	181.0	172.4	N/Q	-	-	-	596	724	665
	PR	D	2	39	151.0	156.0	152.9	-22	343	355	348	551	577	561
	RS	D	1	12	106.0	133.0	130.8	N/Q	-	-	-	387	472	465
	RS	D	2	2	100.0	100.0	100.0	N/Q	-	-	-	390	390	390
400-520	FD	D	2	23	150.0	180.0	172.3	-29	-	-	-	668	801	751
	PR	D	2	59	130.0	190.0	169.8	-28	295	413	374	553	846	726
	PR	D	3	37	184.0	212.0	199.4	-8	400	442	422	865	1028	946
	PR	D	4	16	205.0	224.0	212.2	-14	410	442	423	953	1149	1,038
520+	DA	D	4	1	226.0	226.0	226.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1243	1243	1,243
	PR	D	3	41	190.0	229.0	205.4	-10	380	477	423	1026	1248	1,101
	PR	D	4	126	211.0	233.0	223.9	-5	406	456	437	1150	1446	1,255
				389	100.0	233.0			295	477		387	1446	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450	FD	C	2	11	220.0	237.0	230.5	N/Q	-	-	-	968	1055	997
	FD	D	2	6	160.0	240.0	186.7	N/Q	-	-	-	603	828	641
	PR	D	2	3	186.0	200.0	190.7	N/Q	358	385	367	381	500	421
	RS	C	2	1	210.0	210.0	210.0	N/Q	-	-	-	588	588	588
450-600	FD	C	2	3	231.0	231.0	231.0	-28	-	-	-	1167	1167	1,167
	FD	C	3	21	220.0	270.0	262.5	N/Q	-	-	-	1287	1485	1,469
	FD	D	2	1	210.0	210.0	210.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1103	1103	1,103
	PR	C	3	1	239.0	239.0	239.0	-5	435	435	435	1398	1398	1,398
600+	FD	C	2	4	170.0	231.0	215.8	N/Q	-	-	-	1258	1582	1,501
	FD	C	3	3	238.0	247.0	243.7	N/Q	-	-	-	1791	1868	1,822
	LE	C	3	4	239.0	239.0	239.0	-47	-	-	-	1876	1876	1,876
	PR	C	2	2	140.0	190.0	165.0	N/Q	264	358	311	931	1416	1,173
	PR	C	3	19	220.0	251.0	239.9	-38	400	456	436	1383	2096	1,819
	PR	E	3	1	224.0	224.0	224.0	44	423	423	423	1758	1758	1,758
				80	140.0	270.0			264	456		381	2096	

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

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