

## Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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### Toowoomba

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Yarding 874  
 Change 39

comparison date 29/07/2019

Numbers remained close to the previous week at 874 head. A fair panel of buyers was present and operating, however buyers were very selective on the young light weight cattle. Light weight yearling steers returning to the paddock varied in price according to quality, with a fair sample 28c/kg less. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed and the trade sold to a much stronger market. Light weight yearling heifers averaged 14c/kg cheaper, while some well bred lines to restockers improved in price. A small selection of medium weight yearling heifers to the trade experienced stronger support, and heavy weight yearling heifers followed a similar trend. Heavy grown steers and bullocks sold to fair demand for the quality penned. Most classes of cows sold to a cheaper market with losses of 12c to 15c fairly common, and up to 20c/kg in places.

Light weight yearling steers sold to restockers at an average of 238c with the occasional pen reaching 290.2c/kg. Heavy weight B muscle yearling steers sold to the trade at an average of 320c with some to 327.2c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed made to 325.2c with a fair sample at 316c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 208c and made to 214.2c and some well bred lines to restockers made to 259.2c/kg. A handful of medium weight yearling heifers to the trade made to 309.2c to average 306c, and feeder classes averaged 236c and made to 260.2c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 262c and local trade lines made to 296.2c to average 274c/kg.

A small sample of heavy grown steers to export slaughter sold to and averaged 297.2c, and a handful of bullocks made to 290.2c/kg. Medium weight poor condition cows average 147c, and 2 scores averaged 173c/kg. Good heavy cows made to 229.2c to average 226c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 293.2c/kg.

Category Weight	Sale 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	13	194.2	255.0	229.0	-25	-	-	-	276	421	369
		D	2	5	129.2	129.2	129.2	-3	-	-	174	174	174	
					18	129.2	255.0			0	0	174	421	
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
280-330	PR	C	3	1	294.2	294.2	294.2	N/Q	535	535	535	883	883	883
				1	294.2	294.2		535	535	883	883			
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280	PR	C	2	1	214.2	214.2	214.2	N/Q	397	397	397	568	568	568
		C	3	1	262.2	262.2	262.2	N/Q	486	486	486	695	695	695
	280-330	PR	C	3	2	267.2	274.2	270.7	N/Q	495	508	501	781	788
4					214.2	274.2		397	508	568	788			
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-200	RS	C	2	2	210.0	210.0	210.0	N/Q	-	-	-	347	347	347
		D	2	8	160.0	160.0	160.0	35	-	-	-	296	296	296
200-280	FD	C	2	2	234.2	234.2	234.2	N/Q	-	-	-	644	644	644
		D	2	2	170.0	170.0	170.0	-42	309	309	309	451	451	451
	RS	C	2	65	210.2	290.2	238.4	-28	-	-	-	472	727	586
		D	1	8	126.2	126.2	126.2	N/Q	-	-	-	259	259	259
		D	2	29	150.0	203.2	169.7	17	-	-	-	368	538	413
280-330	FD	C	2	5	260.0	264.2	261.7	-18	-	-	-	741	793	762
		C	2	9	263.2	263.2	263.2	N/Q	-	-	-	790	790	790
	RS	D	2	1	188.2	188.2	188.2	20	-	-	-	565	565	565
330-400	FD	C	2	6	248.2	277.2	254.9	-32	-	-	-	838	1040	885
		D	2	1	248.2	248.2	248.2	22	-	-	-	956	956	956

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400+	PR	C	3	3	283.2	291.2	288.5	N/Q	515	529	525	949	1121	1,064
	FD	C	2	56	280.0	325.2	315.6	22	-	-	-	1190	1602	1,507
	FD	D	2	1	273.2	273.2	273.2	-7	-	-	-	1161	1161	1,161
	PR	B	3	19	315.2	327.2	320.3	N/Q	563	564	563	1328	1444	1,395
	PR	C	3	7	289.2	297.2	292.3	-11	526	540	532	1255	1337	1,280
				224	126.2	327.2			309	564		259	1602	
Yearling Heifer														
0-200	RS	D	1	5	86.2	86.2	86.2	N/Q	-	-	-	142	142	142
200-280	FD	C	2	26	190.2	214.2	208.4	-14	-	-	-	447	557	503
	PR	C	2	12	170.0	197.2	189.8	18	315	365	351	463	515	472
	RS	C	2	49	187.2	259.2	203.6	5	-	-	-	440	609	501
	RS	D	2	9	88.2	131.2	114.2	-21	-	-	-	207	276	241
	RS	E	1	9	110.0	110.0	110.0	N/Q	-	-	-	226	226	226
280-330	FD	C	2	17	200.0	219.2	203.9	-29	-	-	-	600	634	610
	FD	D	2	2	210.0	210.0	210.0	32	-	-	-	620	620	620
	PR	C	2	5	190.0	210.0	200.2	N/Q	352	389	371	542	630	589
	RS	C	2	2	197.2	197.2	197.2	N/Q	-	-	-	592	592	592
330-400	FD	C	2	17	220.0	260.2	236.4	-17	-	-	-	803	886	838
	FD	D	2	10	170.0	174.2	173.4	-15	-	-	-	595	610	607
	PR	B	3	9	300.2	309.2	305.9	N/Q	536	552	546	1064	1179	1,112
	PR	C	2	1	228.2	228.2	228.2	-7	423	423	423	799	799	799
	PR	C	3	11	265.2	288.2	270.3	9	491	534	500	894	1081	977
400+	FD	C	2	11	250.0	275.2	262.1	32	-	-	-	1063	1170	1,114
	FD	C	3	7	257.2	261.2	259.5	15	-	-	-	1058	1110	1,095
	PR	C	3	13	240.2	296.2	274.7	-1	445	549	509	1081	1585	1,263
				215	86.2	309.2			315	552		142	1585	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	D	2	2	200.0	200.0	200.0	N/Q	-	-	-	800	800	800
500-600	FD	D	2	1	238.2	238.2	238.2	24	-	-	-	1346	1346	1,346
	PR	C	3	2	272.2	301.2	286.7	N/Q	495	538	516	1538	1792	1,665
	PR	C	4	16	297.2	297.2	297.2	-20	531	531	531	1709	1756	1,730
600-750	PR	C	4	4	290.2	290.2	290.2	-28	518	518	518	1814	1814	1,814
				25	200.0	301.2			495	538		800	1814	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	PR	C	4	2	274.2	274.2	274.2	2	517	517	517	1357	1357	1,357
	PR	D	1	1	140.0	140.0	140.0	N/Q	304	304	304	560	560	560
	PR	D	2	2	186.2	191.2	188.7	12	388	398	393	922	927	925
540+	PR	C	4	5	264.2	277.2	272.0	N/Q	498	523	513	1511	1678	1,578
				10	140.0	277.2			304	523		560	1678	
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540	PR	C	3	2	237.2	237.2	237.2	N/Q	431	431	431	1008	1008	1,008
540+	PR	C	3	13	231.2	231.2	231.2	N/Q	420	420	420	1445	1445	1,445
				15	231.2	237.2			420	431		1008	1445	

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Cows														
0-400	PR	D	1	39	118.2	137.2	129.9	-18	269	312	295	473	549	519
	PR	E	1	6	60.0	100.0	86.7	-12	136	227	197	240	347	311
400-520	DA	D	1	4	159.2	159.2	159.2	-18	-	-	-	796	796	796
	DA	E	1	2	80.0	80.0	80.0	N/Q	-	-	-	340	340	340
	DA	E	3	2	148.2	148.2	148.2	N/Q	-	-	-	630	630	630
	PR	C	1	9	194.2	194.2	194.2	N/Q	405	405	405	903	903	903
	PR	C	2	6	215.2	215.2	215.2	N/Q	439	439	439	1076	1076	1,076
	PR	D	1	25	134.2	161.2	146.8	-16	305	366	334	570	751	662
	PR	D	2	27	167.2	190.2	173.4	-23	363	413	377	711	884	793
	PR	D	3	16	188.2	204.2	198.6	-16	384	417	405	880	1021	978
	PR	D	4	2	203.2	203.2	203.2	-21	398	398	398	1016	1016	1,016
	PR	E	1	2	70.0	100.0	85.0	N/Q	159	227	193	329	480	405
520+	DA	D	1	4	176.2	176.2	176.2	4	-	-	-	1101	1101	1,101
	PR	C	2	8	219.2	219.2	219.2	N/Q	447	447	447	1173	1173	1,173
	PR	C	3	2	229.2	229.2	229.2	N/Q	441	441	441	1586	1586	1,586
	PR	D	2	17	177.2	200.2	182.8	-15	385	435	397	948	1071	1,019
	PR	D	3	11	205.2	211.2	205.9	-15	419	431	420	1113	1267	1,190
	PR	D	4	20	212.2	229.2	225.8	-12	416	449	443	1135	1824	1,673
					202	60.0	229.2						240	1824
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	4	227.2	237.2	232.2	-13	-	-	-	712	829	770
	FD	C	3	15	220.0	284.2	246.6	N/Q	-	-	-	803	1208	902
	FD	D	2	2	176.2	208.2	192.2	N/Q	-	-	-	590	802	696
	PR	C	2	8	207.2	207.2	207.2	6	377	377	377	622	622	622
	PR	C	3	4	249.2	294.2	267.0	N/Q	453	535	485	1059	1250	1,107
	RS	C	2	1	206.2	206.2	206.2	-28	-	-	-	619	619	619
	RS	D	2	8	148.2	190.2	163.1	2	-	-	-	348	504	398
450-600	FD	C	3	4	268.2	280.2	271.2	-4	-	-	-	1247	1387	1,289
600+	PR	C	3	8	227.2	293.2	253.5	-10	406	524	453	1451	3123	2,235
				54	148.2	294.2			377	535		348	3123	

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

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