

## Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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### Toowoomba

report date 29/04/2019

Yarding 1043  
 Change 259

comparison date 15/04/2019

Numbers increased by 259 head to 1,043, following the two week break in the selling program. Mixed quality young cattle were in the largest numbers, along with a small selection of heavy grown steers and bullocks and a fair sample of cows. Most of the usual buyers were in attendance and operating across all classes. Light weight yearling steers returning to the paddock experienced some improvement. Medium and heavy weight yearling steers to feed also sold to a dearer trend. Yearling heifers varied in price according to quality. Cows improved in price by 3c to 6c, and up to 12c/kg on plain condition lines, compared to the previous sale.

Mixed sex calves returned to the paddock at an average of 157c and made to 190c/kg. Light weight yearling steers sold to restockers at an average of 262c, with one pen reaching 312.2c/kg. A small number of medium weight B muscle yearling steers sold to the trade at 321.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed averaged 266c and made to 271.2c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed made to 285.2c to average 281c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers generally sold in the mid to high 180c range, with the occasional sale to 230.2c, and poor quality lines averaged 123c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 236c and made to 244.2c, and local trade lines mainly sold close to 240c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 250c with the occasional B muscle class to the trade reaching 293.2c/kg.

Bullocks averaged 289c, with the occasional outstanding pen reaching 313.2c/kg. Light weight poor condition cows sold to restockers at an average of 161c and made to 173.2c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows to processors averaged 173c and made to 190c/kg. A small number of good heavy cows averaged 220c and made to 235.2c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 221.2c/kg.

Please note no sale in Toowoomba next Monday 6/05/19 due to the public holiday.

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
<b>Calves</b>														
80+	RS	D	2	39	120.0	190.0	157.2	-3	-	-	-	210	361	285
				39	120.0	190.0			0	0		210	361	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	8	224.2	224.2	224.2	N/Q	-	-	-	617	617	617
280-330	FD	C	2	4	228.2	228.2	228.2	N/Q	-	-	-	685	685	685
	PR	C	3	1	249.2	249.2	249.2	49	461	461	461	748	748	748
				13	224.2	249.2			461	461		617	748	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
200-280	PR	D	2	2	184.2	189.2	186.7	16	335	344	339	488	520	504
	RS	C	2	94	226.2	312.2	262.4	34	-	-	-	534	734	662
	RS	D	2	8	166.2	174.2	168.2	-16	-	-	-	349	357	351
280-330	FD	C	2	24	254.2	282.2	270.8	22	-	-	-	763	903	803
	PR	D	2	2	203.2	203.2	203.2	N/Q	369	369	369	610	610	610
	RS	C	2	7	271.2	271.2	271.2	4	-	-	-	814	814	814
	RS	D	2	6	228.0	228.0	228.0	48	-	-	-	684	684	684
330-400	FD	C	2	34	253.2	271.2	265.8	18	-	-	-	924	1044	1,006
	FD	C	3	11	267.2	267.2	267.2	24	-	-	-	1002	1002	1,002
	FD	D	2	32	222.2	248.2	245.1	53	-	-	-	811	929	869
	PR	B	3	9	310.2	321.2	315.3	N/Q	542	564	547	1188	1241	1,228
	PR	C	3	4	240.0	277.2	249.3	-54	436	504	453	840	1040	890
	RS	D	2	11	241.2	246.2	243.5	23	-	-	-	808	948	872
400+	FD	C	2	26	263.2	285.2	281.1	9	-	-	-	1145	1322	1,251
	FD	C	3	8	284.2	285.2	285.0	15	-	-	-	1212	1407	1,261

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	PR	C	3	4	285.2	288.2	286.7	8	519	524	521	1426	1470	1,448
				282	166.2	321.2			335	564		349	1470	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	11	164.2	170.2	169.1	N/Q	-			400	411	402
	PR	C	2	30	177.2	210.0	186.1	12	328	389	345	431	567	465
	RS	C	2	26	158.2	230.2	188.4	-1	-			374	578	461
	RS	D	2	17	100.0	136.2	123.0	-11	-			261	341	275
280-330	FD	C	2	20	208.2	230.2	221.4	49	-			593	748	675
	PR	C	2	4	210.0	210.0	210.0	N/Q	389	389	389	609	609	609
	PR	C	3	1	229.2	229.2	229.2	N/Q	424	424	424	733	733	733
330-400	FD	C	2	25	220.0	244.2	235.7	26	-			775	940	875
	FD	C	3	8	241.2	241.2	241.2	10	-			844	844	844
	PR	B	3	4	291.2	291.2	291.2	-16	520	520	520	1136	1136	1,136
	PR	C	2	12	227.2	227.2	227.2	N/Q	421	421	421	761	761	761
	PR	C	3	19	231.2	280.0	240.1	N/Q	428	519	445	844	966	896
	PR	D	2	4	181.2	181.2	181.2	N/Q	336	336	336	661	661	661
400+	FD	C	2	3	219.2	219.2	219.2	N/Q	-			954	954	954
	FD	C	3	14	241.2	253.2	250.5	11	-			1025	1213	1,134
	GF	C	3	15	261.2	269.2	267.1	N/Q	-			1110	1252	1,214
	PR	B	3	3	293.2	293.2	293.2	-4	543	543	543	1182	1182	1,182
	PR	C	2	9	216.2	220.0	216.6	N/Q	400	407	401	919	935	921
	PR	C	3	12	247.2	272.2	264.5	2	458	504	490	1001	1538	1,366
				237	100.0	293.2			328	543		261	1538	
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	3	2	274.2	274.2	274.2	27	-			1330	1330	1,330
	FD	D	2	7	184.2	184.2	184.2	14	-			912	912	912
	PR	C	3	1	269.2	269.2	269.2	N/Q	489	489	489	1333	1333	1,333
	PR	C	4	1	288.2	288.2	288.2	N/Q	524	524	524	1427	1427	1,427
	PR	D	2	7	183.2	195.2	186.6	N/Q	333	355	339	797	878	820
	RS	D	2	5	220.0	220.0	220.0	N/Q	-			891	891	891
500-600	FD	D	2	2	216.2	216.2	216.2	N/Q	-			1126	1126	1,126
	PR	C	4	2	276.2	276.2	276.2	4	502	502	502	1505	1505	1,505
600-750	PR	B	3	8	313.2	313.2	313.2	N/Q	540	540	540	1958	1958	1,958
	PR	C	4	11	280.2	297.2	289.5	N/Q	500	531	517	1917	1961	1,937
	PR	D	2	1	217.2	217.2	217.2	N/Q	395	395	395	1434	1434	1,434
	PR	D	3	1	247.2	247.2	247.2	N/Q	449	449	449	1792	1792	1,792
				48	183.2	313.2			333	540		797	1961	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	DA	D	2	5	204.2	204.2	204.2	44	-			1021	1021	1,021
	DA	E	1	1	104.2	104.2	104.2	N/Q	-			380	380	380
	FD	D	1	1	140.0	140.0	140.0	N/Q	-			511	511	511
	FD	D	2	7	143.2	169.2	151.6	N/Q	-			551	719	606
	FD	D	3	1	220.0	220.0	220.0	19	-			1023	1023	1,023

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	PR	D	2	1	199.2	199.2	199.2	13	415	415	415	847	847	847
	PR	D	3	16	221.2	252.2	225.8	-4	417	476	426	807	1349	911
	RS	D	2	5	157.2	159.2	158.4	38	-	-	-	668	677	673
540+	PR	D	3	2	248.2	248.2	248.2	N/Q	468	468	468	1353	1353	1,353
				39	104.2	252.2			415	476		380	1353	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+	PR	C	3	1	239.2	239.2	239.2	15	435	435	435	1304	1304	1,304
				1	239.2	239.2			435	435		1304	1304	
Cows														
0-400	PR	D	1	11	105.2	128.2	119.9	N/Q	239	291	273	421	494	463
	PR	D	2	1	161.2	161.2	161.2	41	350	350	350	645	645	645
	PR	E	1	2	50.0	75.2	62.6	-22	114	171	142	183	297	240
	RS	D	1	87	137.2	173.2	161.2	N/Q	-	-	-	528	693	638
400-520	PR	D	1	30	121.2	171.2	144.4	12	275	389	328	515	847	647
	PR	D	2	17	165.2	190.2	173.4	-5	359	413	377	719	922	818
	PR	D	3	23	190.0	208.2	192.6	3	388	425	393	922	1010	934
	PR	D	4	8	205.2	212.2	210.6	5	402	416	413	959	1026	988
	PR	E	1	2	74.2	74.2	74.2	-1	169	169	169	367	367	367
	RS	D	1	5	164.2	164.2	164.2	N/Q	-	-	-	714	714	714
520+	DA	D	3	1	200.2	200.2	200.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1251	1251	1,251
	PR	C	3	2	216.2	216.2	216.2	N/Q	432	432	432	1157	1157	1,157
	PR	D	1	3	179.2	179.2	179.2	N/Q	407	407	407	944	944	944
	PR	D	2	7	166.2	204.2	178.9	-13	361	444	389	939	1113	988
	PR	D	3	18	194.2	207.2	200.7	1	396	435	411	1029	1233	1,114
	PR	D	4	8	210.0	235.2	219.9	6	412	461	431	1146	1752	1,450
				225	50.0	235.2			114	461		183	1752	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	2	250.2	250.2	250.2	2	-	-	-	1063	1063	1,063
	FD	C	3	7	243.2	253.2	244.6	N/Q	-	-	-	886	888	888
	FD	D	2	3	171.0	174.2	173.1	-5	-	-	-	727	740	736
	PR	D	2	2	167.2	167.2	167.2	N/Q	304	304	304	727	727	727
	RS	D	2	2	145.2	145.2	145.2	N/Q	-	-	-	508	508	508
450-600	FD	C	3	2	218.2	218.2	218.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1146	1146	1,146
	PR	C	3	3	215.2	290.2	247.2	-14	384	528	445	1259	1611	1,378
600+	PR	C	2	4	192.2	203.2	199.9	16	349	369	362	1270	1820	1,576
	PR	C	3	8	204.2	221.2	211.9	8	365	395	378	1308	1869	1,682
	PR	D	2	1	176.2	176.2	176.2	20	320	320	320	1498	1498	1,498
				34	145.2	290.2			304	528		508	1869	

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

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