

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Warwick

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Yarding 1220
 Change 673

comparison date 11/02/2020

Numbers rebounded this week with 1220 head yarded, as cattle producers looked to capitalize on the recent improvement in the market. All the regular buyers were present and active, with additional restocker buyers operating on the light weight cattle. Yearling steers were particularly strong to both restock and feed buyers. Yearling heifers were mixed with the market pulling back some of the recent gains in places. However the light weights to restock were the significant exception to experience large gains.

Light weight yearling steers under 200kg sold to restockers at 500c to average 440c/kg. Medium weights to feed made to 406c to average 398c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to restockers made to 422c to average 401c/kg. Medium weights to feed made to 357c to average 345c, to gain 29c/kg.

Grown steers to feed were mostly firm on the day with light weights making to 413c, and medium weights to 385c, while heavy weights to processors sold to 361c/kg. Grown Heifers under 540kg came under some pressure with feeders averaging 274c, to ease by 27c, while 3 scores to processors averaged 322c, to decline by 14c/kg. Heavy weight grown heifers over 540kg to processors were firm. Cows were mixed in price for the day with light weights to restock dearer to average 223c to gain 23c/kg. The heavy cows to processors were cheaper averaging 294c, to eased by 21c/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+															
	RS	C	2	23	384.0	398.0	387.0	N/Q	-			438	499	486	
				23	384.0	398.0			0	0		438	499		
Yearling Steer															
0-200															
	RS	C	1	2	360.0	360.0	360.0	N/Q	-			648	648	648	
	RS	C	2	37	420.0	500.0	439.9	N/Q	-			746	920	783	
200-280															
	RS	C	1	7	396.0	396.0	396.0	N/Q	-			871	871	871	
	RS	C	2	25	357.0	474.0	399.7	3	-			796	1043	912	
280-330															
	FD	C	2	31	340.0	407.0	375.2	12	-			1088	1304	1,191	
	FD	C	3	8	355.0	391.0	374.8	7	-			1172	1254	1,193	
	PR	C	3	11	348.0	380.0	360.4	-29	657	691	675	1062	1216	1,144	
	RS	C	2	10	360.0	398.0	383.9	N/Q	-			1113	1274	1,221	
330-400															
	FD	C	2	20	340.0	406.0	397.6	N/Q	-			1156	1458	1,398	
	FD	C	3	89	374.0	406.0	397.1	12	-			1350	1576	1,512	
	PR	C	3	17	393.0	400.0	396.7	36	727	737	731	1393	1572	1,451	
	RS	C	2	15	378.0	500.0	387.1	N/Q	-			1406	1800	1,447	
	RS	C	3	10	369.0	369.0	369.0	N/Q	-			1255	1255	1,255	
400+															
	FD	C	3	10	388.0	397.0	392.4	N/Q	-			1630	1667	1,648	
	PR	C	3	39	367.0	374.0	373.0	N/Q	636	668	664	1646	2132	2,067	
				331	340.0	500.0			636	737		648	2132		

Yearling Heifer

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
0-200	RS	C	2	63	378.0	422.0	400.9	40	-	-	-	582	772	637
200-280	FD	C	3	8	361.0	361.0	361.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1011	1011	1,011
	PR	C	2	1	339.0	339.0	339.0	24	678	678	678	915	915	915
	PR	C	3	3	340.0	340.0	340.0	-8	642	642	642	952	952	952
	RS	C	1	4	263.0	263.0	263.0	N/Q	-	-	-	658	658	658
	RS	C	2	23	308.0	350.0	343.2	-15	-	-	-	722	945	852
	RS	C	3	3	349.0	349.0	349.0	N/Q	-	-	-	960	960	960
280-330	FD	C	2	27	320.0	358.0	346.2	N/Q	-	-	-	960	1142	1,100
	FD	C	3	9	347.0	360.0	352.2	-4	-	-	-	1076	1152	1,135
	PR	C	3	10	318.0	354.0	335.4	-11	612	668	639	954	1133	1,020
	RS	C	2	32	279.0	352.0	325.5	-4	-	-	-	837	1088	1,019
	RS	C	3	2	350.0	369.0	359.5	N/Q	-	-	-	1103	1181	1,142
330-400	FD	C	2	12	310.0	357.0	345.3	29	-	-	-	1054	1214	1,174
	FD	C	3	13	336.0	358.0	349.5	-6	-	-	-	1176	1343	1,279
	PR	C	3	30	331.0	364.0	351.6	1	637	687	664	1208	1432	1,354
400+	FD	C	3	47	341.0	359.0	358.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1432	1705	1,694
	GF	C	3	6	363.0	363.0	363.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1742	1742	1,742
				293	263.0	422.0			612	698		582	1742	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	C	2	12	392.0	413.0	402.5	N/Q	-	-	-	1363	1372	1,368
	FD	C	3	1	380.0	380.0	380.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1368	1368	1,368
400-500	FD	C	3	10	350.0	385.0	378.7	N/Q	-	-	-	1470	1925	1,836
	PR	C	2	5	310.0	340.0	316.0	N/Q	620	680	632	1473	1700	1,518
	PR	C	3	3	326.0	326.0	326.0	-30	615	615	615	1565	1565	1,565
500-600	PR	C	3	10	340.0	361.0	358.9	4	630	645	643	1972	2166	2,147
				41	310.0	413.0			615	680		1363	2166	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	2	7	265.0	285.0	273.6	-27	-	-	-	756	912	814
	FD	C	3	6	318.0	318.0	318.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1272	1272	1,272
	PR	C	2	12	265.0	330.0	287.6	-36	536	623	572	848	1485	1,170
	PR	C	3	14	316.0	336.0	322.8	-14	613	646	625	1264	1771	1,483
	RS	C	2	7	230.0	260.0	251.4	N/Q	-	-	-	863	975	943
540+	PR	C	3	17	329.0	351.0	345.8	N/Q	621	650	636	1892	2036	1,963
				63	230.0	351.0			536	650		756	2036	
Cows														

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
0-400														
	PR	D	2	4	225.0	247.0	236.0	16	489	515	502	900	963	932
	RS	D	1	18	180.0	243.0	229.0	23	-	-	-	720	972	916
400-520														
	PR	D	2	39	247.0	270.0	261.8	-1	515	576	552	1071	1404	1,212
	PR	D	3	16	270.0	289.0	284.6	-32	540	578	561	1215	1503	1,417
	RS	D	1	12	238.0	239.0	238.4	5	-	-	-	1004	1047	1,029
	RS	D	2	20	245.0	262.0	255.1	N/C	-	-	-	1050	1258	1,177
520+														
	PR	C	2	3	308.0	308.0	308.0	N/Q	581	581	581	1756	1756	1,756
	PR	D	2	19	265.0	272.0	267.7	6	552	567	558	1405	1605	1,459
	PR	D	3	99	250.0	323.0	294.7	-21	510	621	579	1375	1938	1,675
	PR	D	4	1	294.0	294.0	294.0	-22	565	565	565	1764	1764	1,764
				231	180.0	323.0			489	621		720	1938	
Bulls														
450-600														
	PR	C	2	2	298.0	298.0	298.0	8	573	573	573	1788	1788	1,788
	PR	C	3	2	320.0	332.0	326.0	N/Q	593	604	598	1568	1726	1,647
600+														
	PR	C	2	4	277.0	302.0	295.3	2	533	581	565	1884	2039	1,959
	PR	C	3	4	306.0	325.0	313.3	N/Q	567	591	577	2066	3055	2,524
				12	277.0	332.0			533	604		1568	3055	

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

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