

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Warwick

report date 28/04/2020

Yarding 647
 Change -75

comparison date 21/04/2020

There was a small reduction in supply to 647 head at Warwick. Buyer attendance was described as good with the return of an export processor back into the market. Young cattle experienced strong competition from restockers for the quality penned. Yearling steers and heifers to feed and the local trade market also received good demand. However cows to processors sold to a dearer trend of 10c to 13c/kg pushed on by the additional export buyer.

Vealer heifers to the local trade market made to 369c, while a fair sample sold to feeder interests in the mid 340c/kg range. Light weight yearling steers returning to the paddock made to a top of 457.2c to average 363c/kg. Yearling steers in the 280-330kg range also sold to restockers at a top of 446c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed averaged 331c and made to 362c/kg. A small selection of heavy weights to feed averaged 324c and made to 327c, with a few to the trade at 370c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers sold to restockers or background at an average of 327c with sales to 355c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 329c and made to 350c/kg.

A handful of bullocks sold to the wholesale meat trade at 337.2c/kg. Medium weight cows to processors averaged 236c and made to 268c/kg. Heavy cows made to 274.2c to average 257c/kg. Heavy bulls were dearer at 310c/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
Vealer Heifer															
200-280															
	FD	N/A	N/A		41	304.0	367.0	345.4	-4	N/A	N/A	N/A	756	969	881
	PR	N/A	N/A		7	369.0	369.0	369.0	N/Q	N/A	N/A	N/A	775	775	775
280-330															
	FD	N/A	N/A		16	327.0	348.0	344.5	N/Q	N/A	N/A	N/A	948	1027	1,004
	PR	N/A	N/A		1	341.0	341.0	341.0	-14	N/A	N/A	N/A	1125	1125	1,125
					65	304.0	369.0						756	1125	
Yearling Steer															
0-200															
	RS	N/A	N/A		8	268.0	340.0	307.4	16	N/A	N/A	N/A	368	609	517
200-280															
	FD	N/A	N/A		1	333.0	333.0	333.0	-38	N/A	N/A	N/A	916	916	916
	RS	N/A	N/A		78	256.0	457.2	363.4	16	N/A	N/A	N/A	538	1125	912
280-330															
	FD	N/A	N/A		52	287.0	397.0	342.0	-9	N/A	N/A	N/A	844	1219	1,037
	RS	N/A	N/A		16	291.0	446.0	372.1	-29	N/A	N/A	N/A	875	1267	1,097
330-400															
	FD	N/A	N/A		46	277.0	362.0	331.4	-25	N/A	N/A	N/A	961	1358	1,240
	PR	N/A	N/A		5	330.0	355.0	337.6	N/Q	N/A	N/A	N/A	1252	1367	1,286
400+															
	FD	N/A	N/A		17	320.0	327.0	324.1	14	N/A	N/A	N/A	1312	1514	1,439
	PR	N/A	N/A		19	337.0	370.0	347.3	3	N/A	N/A	N/A	1423	1920	1,753
					242	256.0	457.2						368	1920	
Yearling Heifer															
0-200															
	RS	N/A	N/A		5	298.0	340.0	325.6	72	N/A	N/A	N/A	512	566	552
200-280															

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280-330	RS	N/A	N/A	27	254.0	355.0	326.8	3	N/A	N/A	N/A	635	901	782
	FD	N/A	N/A	20	280.0	366.0	335.0	5	N/A	N/A	N/A	860	1104	1,035
330-400	RS	N/A	N/A	2	280.0	280.0	280.0	N/Q	N/A	N/A	N/A	812	812	812
	FD	N/A	N/A	36	291.0	350.0	329.1	-13	N/A	N/A	N/A	984	1316	1,175
400+	FD	N/A	N/A	2	330.0	340.0	335.0	N/Q	N/A	N/A	N/A	1428	1485	1,457
	PR	N/A	N/A	2	305.0	310.0	307.5	-34	N/A	N/A	N/A	1342	1457	1,400
				94	254.0	366.0						512	1485	
Grown Steer														
0-400														
400-500	FD	N/A	N/A	6	240.0	273.0	265.5	-7	N/A	N/A	N/A	852	983	922
	PR	N/A	N/A	1	290.0	290.0	290.0	N/Q	N/A	N/A	N/A	1378	1378	1,378
500-600														
600-750	PR	N/A	N/A	8	306.0	330.0	318.4	N/Q	N/A	N/A	N/A	1628	1903	1,733
	PR	N/A	N/A	9	285.0	337.2	327.8	N/Q	N/A	N/A	N/A	1781	2043	2,009
				24	240.0	337.2						852	2043	
Grown Heifer														
0-540														
540+	FD	N/A	N/A	6	210.0	270.0	245.8	N/Q	N/A	N/A	N/A	620	1092	925
	PR	N/A	N/A	11	199.0	290.0	265.5	36	N/A	N/A	N/A	766	1421	1,256
540+	RS	N/A	N/A	5	210.0	248.0	225.6	29	N/A	N/A	N/A	718	994	839
	PR	N/A	N/A	11	259.0	307.0	296.4	25	N/A	N/A	N/A	1412	1913	1,782
				33	199.0	307.0						620	1913	
Cows														
0-400														
400-520	PR	N/A	N/A	2	168.0	210.0	189.0	17	N/A	N/A	N/A	664	798	731
	RS	N/A	N/A	1	171.0	171.0	171.0	-58	N/A	N/A	N/A	581	581	581
520+	PR	N/A	N/A	46	170.0	268.0	235.7	27	N/A	N/A	N/A	714	1383	1,150
	RS	N/A	N/A	4	171.0	244.0	207.5	-19	N/A	N/A	N/A	693	1183	979
520+	PR	N/A	N/A	86	220.0	274.2	257.4	13	N/A	N/A	N/A	1155	2029	1,515
	RS	N/A	N/A	11	230.0	236.0	234.4	N/Q	N/A	N/A	N/A	1281	1405	1,315
				150	168.0	274.2						581	2029	
Bulls														
0-450														
450-600	FD	N/A	N/A	2	275.0	280.0	277.5	-17	N/A	N/A	N/A	935	1078	1,007
	FD	N/A	N/A	1	281.0	281.0	281.0	7	N/A	N/A	N/A	1321	1321	1,321
	PR	N/A	N/A	1	254.0	254.0	254.0	N/Q	N/A	N/A	N/A	1486	1486	1,486

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600+	RS	N/A	N/A	1	220.0	220.0	220.0	N/Q	N/A	N/A	N/A	1034	1034	1,034
	PR	N/A	N/A	10	275.0	310.0	293.9	34	N/A	N/A	N/A	1797	3131	2,142
				15	220.0	310.0						935	3131	

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

* Fields populated with N/A indicate the unavailability of animal assessment at the time of publishing

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