

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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It was a reduced penning this week with young cattle well supplied. The quality of the offering overall was mixed. There were some very well finished cattle presented alongside a fair number of plainer condition cattle, not having had access to crops or supplementary feed. The usual buyers were in attendance.

There were varying trends through the young cattle with both breed and quality playing a role in price change. Light weight yearling steers to restockers experienced strong gains with breed a factor in the plainer condition lines. The heavier weight classes saw a firm to slightly dearer market trend with feedlotters selective in their purchases. There were price improvements of up to 6c/kg on the preferred cattle. Light weight yearling heifers to restockers also sold to dearer trends. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed sold to cheaper trends with significant decline in places. There was strong demand from processors for the well finished heifers. This resulted in medium and heavy 3 scores experiencing strong gains.

Well finished heavy grown steers were also well received by processors with the market trend firm to slightly dearer. Similar condition grown heifers attracted increased competition to post strong gains. There were mixed trends through the cow market with the plainer condition medium weight selling firm to slightly dearer. Well finished cows met weaker competition to sell to a cheaper trend of 10c/kg and more in some cases where the quality was not as good. The heavy bulls experienced little change.

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	1	11	282.0	282.0	282.0	N/Q	-	-	-	381	381	381	
				11	282.0	282.0			0	0		381	381		
Vealer Steer															
200-280	RS	C	2	29	240.0	292.0	266.4	-4	-	-	-	516	736	600	
				29	240.0	292.0			0	0		516	736		
Vealer Heifer															
0-200	PR	C	1	2	170.0	170.0	170.0	N/Q	327	327	327	255	255	255	
	RS	C	1	5	212.0	212.0	212.0	N/Q	-	-	-	265	265	265	
	RS	C	2	4	198.0	198.0	198.0	N/Q	-	-	-	386	386	386	
200-280	PR	C	2	16	225.0	240.0	230.3	4	433	462	443	495	600	537	
	PR	C	3	1	218.0	218.0	218.0	N/Q	419	419	419	600	600	600	
	RS	C	2	8	164.0	210.0	198.5	N/Q	-	-	-	336	452	423	
280-330	PR	C	2	2	230.0	230.0	230.0	N/Q	442	442	442	656	656	656	
				38	164.0	240.0			327	462		255	656		
Yearling Steer															
0-200	RS	D	1	27	228.0	236.0	231.6	38	-	-	-	399	472	431	
200-280	PR	D	2	1	200.0	200.0	200.0	N/Q	400	400	400	550	550	550	
	RS	C	2	70	216.0	298.0	268.6	9	-	-	-	562	820	701	
	RS	D	1	54	212.0	289.0	279.3	59	-	-	-	456	737	668	
	RS	D	2	22	156.0	230.0	196.5	-11	-	-	-	374	518	467	
280-330	FD	C	2	13	274.0	296.0	285.8	10	-	-	-	877	962	923	
	PR	C	2	24	212.0	224.0	213.0	-47	408	431	410	616	672	635	
	RS	C	2	80	251.0	302.0	282.1	-9	-	-	-	727	982	880	
	RS	D	2	9	220.0	260.0	251.1	N/Q	-	-	-	638	741	718	
330-400	FD	C	2	115	260.0	310.0	292.2	6	-	-	-	884	1178	1,032	

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400+	FD	C	3	1	285.0	285.0	285.0	N/C	-	-	-	1097	1097	1,097
	PR	C	2	1	290.0	290.0	290.0	N/Q	558	558	558	1059	1059	1,059
	PR	C	3	6	295.0	295.0	295.0	50	546	546	546	1136	1136	1,136
	RS	C	2	46	275.0	297.0	284.0	-11	-	-	-	935	1088	980
	FD	C	2	16	275.0	296.0	283.9	-10	-	-	-	1141	1273	1,190
	FD	C	3	8	270.0	285.0	283.1	-2	-	-	-	1134	1197	1,189
	PR	C	2	2	282.0	282.0	282.0	2	522	522	522	1340	1340	1,340
	PR	C	3	5	270.0	304.0	290.4	-5	500	563	538	1215	1338	1,289
				500	156.0	310.0			400	563		374	1340	
Yearling Heifer														
0-200	PR	C	2	1	180.0	180.0	180.0	N/Q	346	346	346	360	360	360
	RS	D	1	62	135.0	215.0	181.7	40	-	-	-	209	366	310
200-280	FD	C	2	33	230.0	232.0	231.5	N/Q	-	-	-	575	638	623
	PR	C	2	43	196.0	240.0	216.2	2	377	462	416	470	624	545
	PR	D	1	8	170.0	170.0	170.0	N/Q	340	340	340	357	357	357
	PR	D	2	2	150.0	150.0	150.0	N/Q	300	300	300	390	390	390
	RS	C	1	22	230.0	230.0	230.0	N/Q	-	-	-	518	518	518
	RS	C	2	122	200.0	251.0	230.3	7	-	-	-	490	690	593
	RS	D	1	40	144.0	214.0	186.7	N/Q	-	-	-	324	449	407
	RS	D	2	7	215.0	215.0	215.0	-7	-	-	-	591	591	591
280-330	FD	C	2	15	220.0	250.0	234.0	-38	-	-	-	682	825	749
	PR	C	2	49	210.0	245.0	228.3	-49	404	471	439	599	735	691
	PR	C	3	21	245.0	260.0	253.0	N/C	462	491	477	735	806	781
	PR	D	2	6	188.0	188.0	188.0	N/Q	376	376	376	592	592	592
	RS	C	2	17	242.0	245.0	242.9	N/Q	-	-	-	698	726	718
330-400	FD	C	2	8	240.0	242.0	240.3	-22	-	-	-	804	932	820
	FD	C	3	65	258.0	265.0	263.8	4	-	-	-	890	928	922
	PR	C	2	4	212.0	230.0	221.0	-14	408	442	425	710	840	763
	PR	C	3	54	251.0	281.0	262.3	12	474	530	495	841	1027	949
	RS	C	2	11	220.0	255.0	251.8	N/Q	-	-	-	759	893	880
400+	RS	C	3	38	257.0	270.0	265.8	N/Q	-	-	-	904	1040	991
	PR	C	3	33	280.0	307.0	295.8	18	538	579	560	1190	1392	1,336
				661	135.0	307.0			300	579		209	1392	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	C	2	14	268.0	275.0	270.5	11	-	-	-	911	1059	964
400-500	PR	C	2	2	260.0	260.0	260.0	N/Q	500	500	500	1066	1066	1,066
500-600	PR	C	3	16	286.0	331.0	311.7	9	530	602	565	1487	1821	1,688
750+	PR	C	4	1	290.0	290.0	290.0	N/Q	527	527	527	2320	2320	2,320
				33	260.0	331.0			500	602		911	2320	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	3	1	256.0	256.0	256.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1165	1165	1,165
	FD	D	2	5	186.0	200.0	191.6	-39	-	-	-	680	698	691
	PR	C	2	4	221.0	221.0	221.0	27	425	425	425	950	950	950

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		PR	C	3	40	240.0	288.0	263.5	18	462	543	502	1122	1521	1,273
		PR	D	2	6	176.0	228.0	210.7	26	338	456	417	546	650	615
		PR	D	3	2	200.0	200.0	200.0	-5	392	392	392	970	970	970
		RS	D	2	13	222.0	238.0	234.3	38	-	-	-	777	809	802
540+		PR	C	3	10	260.0	299.0	279.6	22	491	564	529	1417	1645	1,531
		PR	C	4	1	265.0	265.0	265.0	N/Q	500	500	500	1484	1484	1,484
					82	176.0	299.0			338	564		546	1645	
Cows															
0-400		RS	D	1	15	174.0	177.0	176.6	N/Q	-	-	-	653	681	678
		RS	D	2	14	182.0	182.0	182.0	N/Q	-	-	-	701	701	701
400-520		FD	D	2	22	198.0	203.0	201.4	N/Q	-	-	-	853	891	865
		PR	D	2	12	188.0	215.0	204.3	20	418	457	436	893	1097	1,011
		PR	D	3	24	205.0	220.0	216.3	-18	427	462	456	1034	1144	1,084
		RS	D	2	14	186.0	195.0	192.4	5	-	-	-	837	946	923
520+		PR	C	3	18	228.0	258.0	252.9	-9	456	496	489	1208	1715	1,549
		PR	D	2	2	212.0	212.0	212.0	12	451	451	451	1134	1134	1,134
		PR	D	3	52	196.0	247.0	229.4	-16	417	494	470	1049	1440	1,253
		PR	D	4	49	230.0	253.0	239.0	-9	460	506	478	1265	1708	1,428
		PR	D	5	5	186.0	240.0	198.0	-18	388	480	414	1042	1440	1,128
					227	174.0	258.0			388	506		653	1715	
Bulls															
0-450		PR	C	2	23	215.0	253.0	225.7	-15	413	469	432	591	1080	706
		PR	D	1	5	192.0	192.0	192.0	22	384	384	384	662	662	662
		PR	D	2	6	214.0	218.0	216.0	N/Q	428	436	432	685	872	778
450-600		PR	B	2	9	258.0	264.0	260.9	11	453	471	459	1187	1473	1,399
		PR	C	2	13	230.0	246.0	240.2	7	426	456	445	1279	1369	1,304
		PR	D	2	3	225.0	225.0	225.0	28	433	433	433	1305	1305	1,305
600+		PR	B	2	25	246.0	269.0	255.6	-7	427	480	451	1757	2610	2,064
		PR	C	2	7	228.0	258.0	250.1	14	422	478	463	1736	2268	1,993
		PR	D	2	4	223.0	238.0	231.3	43	429	458	445	1472	1868	1,698
					95	192.0	269.0			384	480		591	2610	

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