

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle
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Yarding	2010	comparison date	08/04/2021
Change	-306		

It was a mixed yarding with some good lines of young cattle to suit the feeders and processors. There was fair numbers of well finished grown steers, heifers and weaners to suit the backgrounders and restockers. There was a fair selection of cows and there was a larger percentage of plainer quality cattle. Most of the regular buyers were operating along with the return of a major feedlot operator.

Young cattle to the trade were around firm, with prime vealers selling from 410c to 486c/kg. Prime yearlings sold from 370c to 484c/kg. Feeder steers and heifers finished 5c/kg dearer. Feeder steers sold from 370c to 484c while the feeder heifers sold from 396c to 475c/kg. Weaners to the restockers sold well with the young steers selling from 480c to 592c while the young heifers sold to 514c/kg.

Grown steers and heifers were 11c cheaper with the prime grown steers selling from 330c to 388c/kg. Prime grown heifers sold from 326c to 380c/kg. Cows were 5c cheaper with the 2 and 3 scores selling from 220c to 286c to the processors and 305c/kg to the restockers. The prime heavy weight cows sold from 290c to 320c to average 310c/kg. Heavy bulls sold to 320c/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	8	530.0	735.0	683.8	124	-	0	698	822	729		
				8	530.0	735.0			0	0	698	822			
Vealer Steer															
200-280															
	PR	C	3	1	479.0	479.0	479.0	N/Q	855	855	855	1269	1269	1,269	
	RS	C	2	8	556.0	592.0	569.5	14	-	0	1302	1529	1,444		
280-330															
	RS	C	2	135	480.0	561.0	542.5	-10	-	0	1500	1820	1,680		
330+															
	FD	C	2	1	375.0	375.0	375.0	N/Q	-	0	1294	1294	1,294		
	FD	C	3	1	433.0	433.0	433.0	N/Q	-	0	1494	1494	1,494		
	PR	C	3	7	445.0	482.0	455.3	N/Q	795	846	811	1535	2025	1,792	
	RS	C	2	50	480.0	546.0	516.4	N/Q	-	0	1656	1884	1,767		
	RS	C	3	17	496.0	496.0	496.0	N/Q	-	0	1860	1860	1,860		
				220	375.0	592.0			795	855	1269	2025			
Vealer Heifer															
200-280															
	FD	C	2	22	460.0	472.0	470.4	N/Q	-	0	1156	1265	1,171		
	RS	D	3	1	410.0	410.0	410.0	N/Q	-	0	1005	1005	1,005		
280-330															
	PR	C	3	2	474.0	474.0	474.0	N/Q	846	846	846	1351	1351	1,351	
	RS	C	2	67	488.0	514.0	502.8	N/Q	-	0	1470	1612	1,566		
330+															
	FD	C	3	3	452.0	452.0	452.0	20	-	0	1559	1559	1,559		
	PR	B	3	19	472.0	472.0	472.0	N/Q	761	761	761	2077	2077	2,077	
	PR	C	3	24	410.0	486.0	455.9	-17	719	866	801	1511	1867	1,725	
	RS	C	2	4	475.0	475.0	475.0	N/Q	-	0	1639	1639	1,639		
				142	410.0	514.0			719	866	1005	2077			

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
Yearling Steer														
280-330														
	RS	C	2	53	550.0	550.0	550.0	51	-	0	1815	1815	1,815	
330-400														
	FD	C	2	25	390.0	484.0	466.9	19	-	0	1346	1863	1,710	
	FD	C	3	27	404.0	470.0	466.0	-5	-	0	1573	1857	1,815	
	PR	C	3	4	438.0	445.0	443.3	-5	755	795	785	1686	1758	1,740
	RS	C	2	31	430.0	526.0	513.6	19	-	0	1570	1815	1,789	
	RS	D	3	8	400.0	400.0	400.0	-18	-	0	1500	1500	1,500	
400+														
	FD	C	2	27	428.0	432.0	429.6	-11	-	0	1819	1836	1,826	
	FD	C	3	216	370.0	478.0	454.7	6	-	0	1673	2338	2,082	
	PR	C	3	26	370.0	471.0	452.5	27	685	836	802	1866	2317	2,001
	RS	D	3	2	398.0	398.0	398.0	N/Q	-	0	1692	1692	1,692	
				419	370.0	550.0			685	836		1346	2338	
Yearling Heifer														
330-400														
	FD	C	2	20	418.0	475.0	457.9	34	-	0	1568	1686	1,645	
	FD	C	3	22	440.0	466.0	453.6	19	-	0	1694	1744	1,708	
	PR	C	3	11	444.0	484.0	460.6	34	776	880	826	1733	1896	1,781
	RS	C	2	84	465.0	482.0	473.7	N/Q	-	0	1604	1615	1,610	
400+														
	FD	C	2	5	460.0	460.0	460.0	27	-	0	1955	1955	1,955	
	FD	C	3	23	396.0	444.0	417.0	-14	-	0	1819	2086	1,963	
	PR	C	3	56	370.0	457.0	411.4	-33	661	845	747	1700	2226	2,019
	PR	C	4	1	360.0	360.0	360.0	N/Q	643	643	643	1890	1890	1,890
	PR	D	3	9	354.0	354.0	354.0	N/Q	738	738	738	1451	1451	1,451
	RS	C	3	2	460.0	460.0	460.0	N/Q	-	0	1955	1955	1,955	
				233	354.0	484.0			643	880		1451	2226	
Grown Steer														
0-400														
	FD	C	2	6	397.0	397.0	397.0	N/Q	-	0	1528	1528	1,528	
	PR	C	4	9	368.0	368.0	368.0	N/Q	669	669	669	1306	1306	1,306
400-500														
	FD	C	2	1	396.0	396.0	396.0	N/Q	-	0	1624	1624	1,624	
	FD	C	3	6	368.0	398.0	373.0	-59	-	0	1509	1930	1,579	
	PR	C	3	2	385.0	385.0	385.0	44	688	688	688	1790	1790	1,790
	PR	C	4	3	363.0	380.0	368.7	-12	679	685	683	1761	1843	1,788
	PR	D	3	5	260.0	260.0	260.0	N/Q	542	542	542	1066	1066	1,066
	RS	C	3	10	377.0	377.0	377.0	N/Q	-	0	1828	1828	1,829	
500-600														
	FD	C	3	2	340.0	340.0	340.0	-92	-	0	1751	1751	1,751	
	FD	C	4	1	352.0	352.0	352.0	-43	-	0	1848	1848	1,848	
	PR	C	3	9	383.0	383.0	383.0	N/Q	684	684	684	2011	2011	2,011
	PR	C	4	38	345.0	388.0	370.7	-11	627	693	659	1864	2223	2,108

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
600-750	RS	C	4	4	375.0	375.0	375.0	N/Q	-	0	2231	2231	2,231	
	PR	C	4	29	330.0	377.0	366.7	N/Q	589	685	660	2228	2545	2,379
				125	260.0	398.0			542	693		1066	2545	
Grown Heifer														
0-540														
	FD	C	2	5	386.0	386.0	386.0	24	-	0	1525	1525	1,525	
	FD	C	3	13	344.0	393.0	366.6	-33	-	0	1462	1906	1,667	
	FD	D	3	2	347.0	347.0	347.0	-41	-	0	1336	1336	1,336	
	PR	C	2	3	324.0	324.0	324.0	N/Q	611	611	611	1571	1571	1,571
	PR	C	3	2	370.0	375.0	372.5	53	661	721	691	1444	1795	1,619
	PR	C	4	43	330.0	380.0	354.8	-9	604	679	634	1470	1995	1,723
	PR	D	3	2	326.0	346.0	336.0	26	694	721	707	1255	1419	1,337
540+														
	PR	C	4	16	326.0	360.0	347.6	-30	582	720	630	1777	2250	1,995
	PR	D	4	8	320.0	325.0	321.3	N/Q	625	640	636	1872	2226	1,961
				94	320.0	393.0			582	721		1255	2250	
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540														
	PR	D	3	7	292.0	292.0	292.0	N/Q	584	584	584	1533	1533	1,533
540+														
	PR	D	4	5	200.0	200.0	200.0	N/Q	385	385	385	1970	1970	1,970
				12	200.0	292.0			385	584		1533	1970	
Cows														
0-400														
	PR	D	3	2	277.0	277.0	277.0	N/Q	589	589	589	1039	1039	1,039
	RS	D	2	2	220.0	220.0	220.0	N/Q	-	0	825	825	825	
400-520														
	PR	D	2	1	256.0	256.0	256.0	N/Q	582	582	582	1165	1165	1,165
	PR	D	3	1	275.0	275.0	275.0	-11	585	585	585	1128	1128	1,128
	RS	D	3	23	280.0	305.0	300.7	N/Q	-	0	1330	1586	1,512	
520+														
	PR	D	3	16	280.0	286.0	284.1	N/Q	596	609	605	1470	1645	1,522
	PR	D	4	227	290.0	320.0	309.7	-5	580	655	620	1581	2269	1,881
	RS	D	3	10	282.0	300.0	298.2	N/Q	-	0	1481	1575	1,566	
				282	220.0	320.0			580	655		825	2269	
Bulls														
0-450														
	FD	C	2	3	456.0	456.0	456.0	N/Q	-	0	1345	1345	1,345	
	PR	B	3	1	425.0	425.0	425.0	N/Q	802	802	802	1041	1041	1,041
	PR	C	3	7	380.0	402.0	386.9	N/Q	686	758	724	1387	1632	1,445
	RS	B	3	1	302.0	302.0	302.0	N/Q	-	0	1133	1133	1,133	
	RS	C	2	3	396.0	396.0	396.0	-54	-	0	1168	1168	1,168	
450-600														
	PR	C	3	6	306.0	336.0	316.0	N/Q	546	600	564	1596	1760	1,705

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
600+	RS	C	3	3	362.0	- 362.0	362.0	N/Q	-	0	1683	- 1683	1,683	
	PR	B	3	7	280.0	- 320.0	306.1	5	500	- 542	514	2130	- 3760	2,620
	PR	C	3	2	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	-42	464	- 464	464	1989	- 1989	1,989
				33	260.0	456.0			464	802		1041	3760	

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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