

## Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Quality was again extremely mixed as agents offered 300 live weight cattle and 120 open auction calves to the usual local trade and processor buyers, speciality butchers and restockers. One Victorian processor was absent this week. Competition was generally good with restockers again outbidding trade buyers on cattle to feed on or return to the paddock, while a small number of pastoral cattle sold strongly for type and condition.

Vealer steers sold generally firm from 290c to 396c with vealer heifers also firm and selling from 274c to 398c/kg. Light and medium weight yearling steers also sold firm making from 300c to a top of 400c with heavier weights easing 5c to 8c and making from 350c to 376c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers remained firm selling from 320c to 382c, while heavier weights eased 10c to sell from 280c to 356c/kg. Medium weight grown steers sold from 270c to 366c and mostly firm with heavier weights back 20c and selling from 320c to 332c/kg.

Grown heifers eased 20c with prices ranging from 258c to 330c/kg. Light cows sold mostly firm from 160c to 210c, medium weights gained 20c to sell from 186c to 210c, with heavy cows up by a similar amount and making from 265c to 272c/kg. Processors were active on light bulls from 200c to 260c with restockers active from 188c to 300c/kg. Heavy bulls sold from 240c to 266c/kg.

Category	Sale Weight	Muscle Prefix	Fat 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
<b>Vealer Steer</b>															
	200-280	RS	D	2	2	290.0	326.0	308.0	N/Q	-	0	798	897	847	
	280-330	RS	C	2	11	370.0	396.0	377.1	1	-	0	1103	1188	1,126	
					13	290.0	396.0			0	0	798	1188		
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>															
	0-200	RS	C	2	2	356.0	356.0	356.0	-52	-	0	641	641	641	
	200-280	PR	C	3	3	398.0	398.0	398.0	N/Q	829	829	1055	1055	1,055	
		RS	C	2	5	352.0	352.0	352.0	-86	-	0	968	968	968	
	280-330	PC	D	2	5	274.0	274.0	274.0	N/Q	-	0	817	817	817	
					15	274.0	398.0			829	829	641	1055		
<b>Yearling Steer</b>															
	200-280	RS	C	2	4	370.0	370.0	370.0	N/Q	-	0	1018	1018	1,018	
	280-330	PR	C	2	7	326.0	354.0	330.0	-60	652	738	664	994	1151	1,017
		PR	C	3	3	300.0	300.0	300.0	N/Q	600	600	600	975	975	975
		RS	C	2	17	390.0	400.0	396.9	-2	-	0	1176	1280	1,247	
	330-400	DA	D	2	1	151.0	151.0	151.0	N/Q	-	0	529	529	529	
		PR	C	2	2	350.0	366.0	358.0	-20	729	763	746	1208	1226	1,217
		PR	C	3	9	350.0	376.0	357.8	-6	700	752	716	1173	1504	1,285
		RS	C	3	3	352.0	352.0	352.0	-28	-	0	1295	1295	1,295	
	400+	PR	C	3	2	340.0	350.0	345.0	5	680	700	690	1377	1488	1,432

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
				48	151.0	400.0			600	763		529	1504	
Yearling Heifer														
280-330														
	PR	C	2	1	320.0	320.0	320.0	-2	667	667	667	1050	1050	1,050
	PR	C	3	4	340.0	360.0	350.0	6	680	720	700	1122	1188	1,155
	RS	C	2	11	360.0	382.0	378.0	N/Q	-	0	0	1116	1222	1,203
	RS	C	3	3	320.0	320.0	320.0	N/Q	-	0	0	1056	1056	1,056
	RS	D	2	3	308.0	308.0	308.0	N/Q	-	0	0	893	893	893
330-400														
	PR	C	2	1	284.0	284.0	284.0	-76	568	568	568	1105	1105	1,105
	PR	C	3	28	300.0	356.0	332.1	-10	600	712	664	1183	1360	1,255
	RS	C	2	7	280.0	280.0	280.0	-102	-	0	0	952	952	952
				58	280.0	382.0			568	720		893	1360	
Grown Steer														
0-400														
	PR	C	2	2	270.0	270.0	270.0	N/Q	540	540	540	986	1050	1,018
	PR	C	3	4	320.0	362.0	350.5	-10	640	724	701	1280	1408	1,372
	RS	C	2	1	320.0	320.0	320.0	N/Q	-	0	0	1245	1245	1,245
	RS	D	2	6	366.0	366.0	366.0	N/Q	-	0	0	1336	1336	1,336
400-500														
	PR	C	2	1	300.0	300.0	300.0	N/Q	600	600	600	1395	1395	1,395
	PR	C	3	10	320.0	322.0	321.0	-39	640	644	642	1320	1565	1,443
	RS	C	2	5	332.0	332.0	332.0	N/Q	-	0	0	1461	1461	1,461
				29	270.0	366.0			540	724		986	1565	
Grown Heifer														
0-540														
	PC	D	2	5	320.0	320.0	320.0	N/Q	-	0	0	960	960	960
	PR	C	2	3	220.0	288.0	250.0	-42	440	576	500	832	1109	957
	PR	C	3	16	258.0	328.0	309.9	-28	516	656	620	1122	1722	1,528
	RS	C	3	2	284.0	284.0	284.0	N/Q	-	0	0	1250	1250	1,250
540+														
	PR	C	3	2	330.0	330.0	330.0	N/Q	660	660	660	1815	1815	1,815
				28	220.0	330.0			440	660		832	1815	
Cows														
0-400														
	PC	D	1	12	160.0	160.0	160.0	N/Q	-	0	0	496	496	496
	PC	D	2	10	170.0	170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	0	0	672	672	672
	PR	C	2	1	210.0	210.0	210.0	N/Q	420	420	420	809	809	809
	PR	C	3	2	260.0	260.0	260.0	N/Q	520	520	520	1040	1040	1,040
	PR	D	2	2	186.0	206.0	196.0	18	372	412	392	684	824	754
	RS	D	2	1	166.0	166.0	166.0	-58	-	0	0	661	661	661
400-520														
	PR	C	2	15	240.0	272.0	260.3	48	480	544	521	1068	1319	1,233
	PR	C	3	18	216.0	290.0	257.1	17	432	580	514	1076	1508	1,282
	PR	C	4	1	236.0	236.0	236.0	N/Q	472	472	472	1154	1154	1,154

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520+	PR	D	2	1	220.0	220.0	220.0	N/Q	440	440	440	968	968	968	
	RS	D	2	1	166.0	166.0	166.0	N/Q	-	0	0	722	722	722	
	DA	D	2	1	216.0	216.0	216.0	N/Q	-	0	0	1339	1339	1,339	
	PR	C	3	2	270.0	270.0	270.0	31	540	540	540	1499	1499	1,499	
	PR	C	5	13	265.0	272.0	268.8	23	530	544	538	1855	1972	1,918	
Bulls 0-450				80	160.0	290.0			372	580		496	1972		
	PC	D	2	16	188.0	218.0	206.8	N/Q	-	0	0	573	643	617	
	PR	C	3	2	250.0	260.0	255.0	-56	500	520	510	1100	1157	1,129	
	PR	D	2	1	200.0	200.0	200.0	N/Q	426	426	426	796	796	796	
	RS	D	2	1	300.0	300.0	300.0	N/Q	-	0	0	975	975	975	
600+	PR	C	3	2	240.0	266.0	253.0	N/Q	511	532	521	1920	1995	1,958	
				22	188.0	300.0			426	532		573	1995		

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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