

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle
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 Change -250

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Numbers reduced considerably this week as agents offered 150 live weight cattle and 65 open auction calves. Quality was again extremely mixed in a sale that remained generally firm to slightly dearer than the previous week. Competition was again fair to good from the usual trade buying group, speciality butchers, feeders and restockers.

Extremely light vealer steers sold from 500c to 538c, light weights ranged from 440c to 520c as medium weights made 500c to 564c with the few heavyweights returning 460c to 554c/kg. Vealer heifers of mostly heavier weights sold from 440c to 460c/kg. Heavier yearling steers sold from 420c to 460c with yearling heifers, also of heavier weights, selling from 388c to 460c/kg. Grown steers sold from 366c to 400c with grown heifers selling from 352c to 382c/kg.

Light and medium weight cows sold from 220c to 240c with heavier weights selling from 250c to 300c/k. Light bulls sold from 402c to 500c with heavy weights selling from 250c to a top of 402c/kg.
 Market Reporter, John Traeger.

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
Vealer Steer														
0-200														
	PR	C	3	4	500.0	538.0	509.5	N/Q	1,000	1,076	1,019	1000	1076	1,019
200-280														
	PR	C	2	4	502.0	502.0	502.0	N/Q	1,004	1,004	1,004	1406	1406	1,406
	PR	C	3	3	520.0	520.0	520.0	N/Q	1,040	1,040	1,040	1300	1300	1,300
	RS	C	2	2	440.0	440.0	440.0	N/Q	-	-	0	968	968	968
280-330														
	PR	C	2	3	500.0	500.0	500.0	70	1,000	1,000	1,000	1475	1475	1,475
	PR	C	3	4	564.0	564.0	564.0	N/Q	1,128	1,128	1,128	1681	1681	1,681
330+														
	PR	C	2	1	480.0	480.0	480.0	N/Q	960	960	960	1656	1656	1,656
	PR	C	3	14	460.0	512.0	485.9	6	920	1,024	972	1541	1792	1,668
	RS	C	3	5	554.0	554.0	554.0	74	-	-	0	2022	2022	2,022
				40	440.0	564.0			920	1,128		968	2022	
Vealer Heifer														
330+														
	PR	C	2	3	440.0	460.0	453.3	N/Q	880	920	907	1518	1647	1,584
				3	440.0	460.0			880	920		1518	1647	
Yearling Steer														
330-400														
	PR	C	3	13	420.0	460.0	442.2	7	840	920	884	1462	1832	1,678
400+														
	PR	C	3	6	420.0	440.0	430.7	-17	840	880	861	1764	1987	1,931
				19	420.0	460.0			840	920		1462	1987	
Yearling Heifer														
330-400														
	FD	C	3	1	400.0	400.0	400.0	N/Q	-	-	0	1340	1340	1,340
	PR	C	2	18	388.0	460.0	446.0	N/C	776	920	892	1416	1647	1,561

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
400+	PR	C	3	13	386.0	444.0	408.6	-8	772	888	817	1498	1694	1,573
	PR	C	3	5	424.0	424.0	424.0	7	848	848	848	2056	2056	2,056
				37	386.0	460.0			772	920		1340	2056	
Grown Steer														
400-500	PR	D	2	1	366.0	366.0	366.0	N/Q	732	732	732	1702	1702	1,702
500-600	PR	C	3	13	390.0	400.0	396.2	N/Q	780	800	792	2340	2380	2,365
600-750	PR	C	3	6	380.0	380.0	380.0	N/Q	760	760	760	2451	2451	2,451
				20	366.0	400.0			732	800		1702	2451	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	PR	C	2	3	352.0	382.0	365.3	20	704	764	731	1355	1611	1,473
				3	352.0	382.0			704	764		1355	1611	
Cows														
400-520	DA	D	2	1	220.0	220.0	220.0	N/Q	-	0		1096	1096	1,096
	PR	C	3	8	220.0	240.0	225.0	-30	440	480	450	1096	1164	1,113
520+	PR	C	3	10	250.0	300.0	272.0	N/Q	500	600	544	1500	2100	1,770
				4	280.0	280.0	280.0	N/C	560	560	560	2198	2198	2,198
				23	220.0	300.0			440	600		1096	2198	
Bulls														
0-450	PR	C	2	4	500.0	500.0	500.0	N/Q	1,000	1,000	1,000	1490	1490	1,490
	RS	C	3	1	402.0	402.0	402.0	N/Q	-	0		1327	1327	1,327
450-600	PR	C	3	2	340.0	340.0	340.0	N/Q	680	680	680	2033	2040	2,037
600+	PR	C	2	1	250.0	250.0	250.0	N/Q	500	500	500	1750	1750	1,750
				5	250.0	402.0	315.8	N/Q	500	804	632	1925	3240	2,700
				13	250.0	500.0			500	1,000		1327	3240	

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

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