

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Warwick

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Yarding Change ¹⁷⁰⁰/₁₁₁

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There were a few more cattle yarded this week for a total of 1,700 head. The yarding of young cattle was made up mainly of yearlings, along with several pens of weaners and vealers, while grown cattle were well supplied. The yarding of young cattle was of fairly mixed quality with some good runs of yearling steers and heifers suitable for feeders and restockers, while there was only an odd sale to the trade.

The market was easier for most classes of cattle with restocker and feeder yearling steers selling 10c to 15c cheaper, vealers were also cheaper, with restocker vealer steers selling to a top of 408c/kg. Medium weight feeder steers under 400kg sold to a top of 351c to average 337c, and restockers topped at 375c/kg. The odd trade steer topped at 360c/kg. Feeder heifers were down by 10c selling to 355c, while trade heifers topped at 344c/kg.

The yarding of export cattle consisted of a good supply of cows and grown steers and a few pens of heifers. Quality of the cows was very mixed, however there was some good runs of well finished grown steers and heifers. Bullocks and steers held firm selling to a top of 320c to average 305c and heifers sold to a top of 296c/kg. The cow market was back by 10c, with 3 score medium weights averaging 232c and heavy cows sold to a top of 252c/kg. Heavy bulls sold to 276c/kg.

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
Calves														
80+	RS	D	1	9	365.2	- 365.2	365.2	N/Q	-	-	-	730	- 730	730
				9	365.2	365.2			0	0		730	730	
Vealer Steer														
200-280	RS	C	2	118	352.2	- 408.2	374.7	10	-	-	-	823	- 1039	937
	RS	D	1	97	320.0	- 372.2	357.0	N/Q	-	-	-	757	- 893	832
				215	320.0	408.2			0	0		757	1039	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280		C	2	54	324.2	- 352.2	337.6	-1	600	- 655	631	848	- 964	912
	RS	C	2	26	325.0	- 351.2	345.0	-3	-	-	-	748	- 905	871
				80	324.2	352.2			600	655		748	964	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	6	333.0	- 333.0	333.0	N/Q	-	-	-	866	- 866	866
	RS	C	2	22	356.0	- 357.2	356.4	N/Q	-	-	-	964	- 997	985
	RS	D	2	20	284.2	- 345.2	317.4	N/Q	-	-	-	767	- 932	863
280-330	RS	C	2	80	320.0	- 375.0	356.9	-10	-	-	-	1056	- 1218	1121
	RS	D	2	10	352.2	- 352.2	352.2	-17	-	-	-	1057	- 1057	1057
330-400	FD	C	2	169	315.2	- 351.2	337.8	-22	-	-	-	1135	- 1405	1264
	RS	C	2	19	338.0	- 360.0	342.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1149	- 1260	1173
		C	3	10	330.0	- 331.2	330.7	N/Q	600	- 602	601	1254	- 1325	1296
	FD	C	3	15	348.0	- 348.0	348.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1392	- 1392	1392
400+	FD	C	2	39	341.2	- 342.2	341.9	-6	-	-	-	1433	- 1471	1450
	FD	C	3	52	336.0	- 345.2	341.1	-4	-	-	-	1411	- 1726	1567
		C	3	3	326.2	- 360.0	337.5	-23	593	- 655	614	1370	- 1656	1465
				445	284.2	375.0			593	655		767	1726	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	FD	C	2	12	314.2	- 314.2	314.2	N/Q	-	-	-	880	- 880	880

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		C	2	6	330.2	- 330.2	330.2	10	623	- 623	623	925	- 925	925
	RS	C	2	40	333.2	- 352.2	343.6	N/Q	-			923	- 951	936
	RS	D	2	20	284.2	- 327.2	311.3	-44	-			796	- 888	845
280-330	RS	C	2	49	290.2	- 333.2	319.2	-10	-			958	- 1080	1004
		C	2	11	310.0	- 335.0	314.5	N/Q	574	- 632	585	930	- 1005	944
330-400		C	2	10	283.2	- 320.0	300.0	N/Q	534	- 604	566	991	- 1120	1076
	RS	C	2	9	286.2	- 295.0	289.1	N/Q	-			1002	- 1033	1012
	FD	C	2	48	302.2	- 335.0	321.6	-9	-			1088	- 1280	1180
		C	3	37	315.0	- 352.2	341.4	-3	583	- 640	622	1188	- 1409	1280
400+	FD	C	2	13	311.2	- 317.2	313.5	N/Q	-			1332	- 1338	1336
	FD	C	3	8	313.2	- 313.2	313.2	-2	-			1347	- 1347	1347
		C	3	19	317.2	- 344.2	325.4	-18	582	- 626	596	1301	- 1549	1404
				282	283.2	352.2			534	640		796	1549	
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	2	8	305.2	- 305.2	305.2	-31	-			1312	- 1312	1312
	FD	C	3	22	320.2	- 325.2	323.5	-25	-			1361	- 1626	1547
500-600	FD	C	3	12	343.0	- 343.0	343.0	N/Q	-			1784	- 1784	1784
		C	3	6	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	-31	500	- 500	500	1512	- 1512	1512
		C	4	104	289.2	- 320.2	305.9	N/Q	526	- 582	556	1658	- 1909	1764
600-750		C	4	19	298.0	- 319.2	305.3	-9	542	- 580	555	1937	- 1979	1950
				171	270.0	343.0			500	582		1312	1979	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	2	10	288.2	- 290.2	289.4	-21	-			1153	- 1219	1192
		C	3	38	264.2	- 296.2	279.6	4	489	- 549	522	1136	- 1481	1308
	RS	D	2	6	242.0	- 242.0	242.0	1	-			1041	- 1041	1041
540+		C	3	3	257.2	- 265.2	259.9	-22	485	- 500	490	1415	- 1459	1429
				57	242.0	296.2			485	549		1041	1481	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	3	3	257.2	- 257.2	257.2	-38	476	- 476	476	1672	- 1672	1672
				3	257.2	257.2			476	476		1672	1672	
Cows														
0-400		D	1	6	181.2	- 181.2	181.2	3	431	- 431	431	725	- 725	725
		D	2	1	226.2	- 226.2	226.2	N/Q	492	- 492	492	905	- 905	905
	RS	D	2	6	235.2	- 235.2	235.2	N/Q	-			941	- 941	941
	RS	E	1	4	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	-			620	- 620	620
		E	1	4	186.2	- 186.2	186.2	N/Q	433	- 433	433	745	- 745	745
400-520		D	2	106	201.0	- 234.2	215.4	-13	430	- 498	463	925	- 1116	988
		D	3	100	227.0	- 236.2	232.8	-5	479	- 503	489	1044	- 1223	1122
		D	4	22	242.2	- 246.2	243.1	N/Q	484	- 492	486	1259	- 1280	1264
520+		D	3	6	238.2	- 238.2	238.2	-11	496	- 496	496	1429	- 1429	1429
		D	4	85	237.2	- 252.2	243.0	-11	478	- 504	489	1292	- 1600	1387
				340	155.0	252.2			430	504		620	1600	
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	17	271.0	- 285.0	278.4	N/Q	-			1084	- 1140	1114
		C	2	3	272.2	- 272.2	272.2	-19	495	- 495	495	1225	- 1225	1225

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450-600	C	2	7	245.2	- 269.2	258.1	-12	454	- 499	474	1300	- 1603	1463	
	D	1	2	235.2	- 253.2	244.2	N/Q	452	- 487	470	1411	- 1519	1465	
600+	C	2	9	243.2	- 276.2	263.8	6	442	- 493	466	1698	- 3218	2204	
			38	235.2	285.0			442	499		1084	3218		

Abbreviations

CATTLE FD: Feeder RS: Restocker GF: Grainfed DA: Dairy PC: Pastoral Cattle SHEEP & LAMB RS: Restocker MR: Merino RM: Restocker Merino 1X: 1st Cross
FD: Feeder DP: Dorper

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