

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Dalby

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Numbers reduced by 23% and light rain started to fall as the sale commenced. Young cattle were well supplied and the vast majority sold to restockers or feeder operators with only a small selection to slaughter. Most of the bullocks penned were full mouth classes and good heavy lines dominated the cow section. A fair line up of exporters provided stronger demand for all exports slaughter descriptions. A full panel of feeder operators was present and very active, and the increased number of restocker buyers included some additional support from interstate. Light weight young cattle returning to the paddock lifted in price by 30c/kg and more in places. Medium and heavy weight yearling steers to feed averaged over 20c/kg dearer. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed experienced a similar trend. Cows improved in price by 5c to 10c/kg and were pushed up by some extra domestic competition.

A large number of calves were penned and restockers absorbed the increased supply, lifting prices to 304.2c, with most making close to 274c/kg. Vealer heifers averaged 7c to 17c dearer, with a fair supply averaging 233c and sales to 247.2c/kg. Light weight yearling steers sold to restockers at 300.2c, with most close to 272c/kg. Medium weights to feed and restockers sold in the 270c range, with some to 287.2c/kg. A small selection of heavy weights to feed averaged 283c and made to 298.2c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers experienced very strong competition from restockers and made to 262.2c, to average 236c/kg. Medium weights to feed averaged from 246c to 254c, with a few pens to 264.2c/kg. A few certified grainfed heavy weights made to 247.2c/kg.

Full mouth bullocks mostly sold around 227c, with sales to 235.2c and some returning \$2059/head. Medium weight plain condition cows returning to the paddock averaged 178c and made to 194.2c/kg. Medium weight 2 scores to processors averaged 172c and made to 184.2c/kg. Good heavy cows made to 222.2c to average 215c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 257.2c/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
<b>Calves</b>														
80+		C	2	42	206.2	- 234.2	220.6	20	389	- 442	416	265	- 407	345
	RS	C	2	305	224.2	- 304.2	274.1	46	-	-	-	262	- 593	472
				<b>347</b>	<b>206.2</b>	<b>304.2</b>			<b>389</b>	<b>442</b>		<b>262</b>	<b>593</b>	
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
200-280	FD	C	2	57	280.0	- 298.0	289.7	53	-	-	-	658	- 764	718
	RS	C	2	30	298.2	- 300.2	299.3	37	-	-	-	630	- 746	684
				<b>87</b>	<b>280.0</b>	<b>300.2</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>630</b>	<b>764</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	75	218.2	- 247.2	233.9	17	404	- 458	433	535	- 606	556
	FD	C	2	77	226.2	- 240.0	233.3	7	-	-	-	553	- 619	581
	RS	C	2	36	226.2	- 231.2	229.6	12	-	-	-	532	- 566	551
				<b>188</b>	<b>218.2</b>	<b>247.2</b>			<b>404</b>	<b>458</b>		<b>532</b>	<b>619</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
200-280	FD	C	2	53	272.2	- 286.2	284.7	52	-	-	-	570	- 787	763
	RS	C	2	280	230.0	- 300.2	271.9	21	-	-	-	528	- 725	649
	RS	D	2	22	190.0	- 235.2	224.0	25	-	-	-	447	- 623	580
	FD	D	2	5	208.2	- 208.2	208.2	8	-	-	-	521	- 521	521
280-330	FD	C	2	34	220.0	- 263.2	234.9	N/C	-	-	-	627	- 790	695
	RS	C	2	81	245.2	- 283.2	263.6	6	-	-	-	699	- 807	763
	FD	D	2	45	218.2	- 220.2	219.5	N/Q	-	-	-	622	- 628	626
330-400	RS	C	2	283	249.2	- 284.2	275.4	22	-	-	-	835	- 1094	998
	FD	C	2	416	232.2	- 287.2	267.8	19	-	-	-	778	- 1091	961

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400+	RS	D	1	21	150.2	- 176.2	167.5	16	-			526	- 661	616
	RS	D	2	9	208.2	- 220.2	216.2	4	-			718	- 848	805
	FD	D	2	51	190.0	- 220.0	211.3	16	-			694	- 770	742
	FD	C	2	19	235.2	- 270.0	251.6	-3	-			1023	- 1148	1079
	RS	C	2	3	251.2	- 251.2	251.2	N/Q	-			1068	- 1068	1068
	RS	C	3	6	278.2	- 278.2	278.2	13	-			1210	- 1210	1210
		C	3	5	243.2	- 243.2	243.2	N/Q	442	- 442	442	1180	- 1180	1180
	FD	C	3	37	268.2	- 298.2	276.1	18	-			1140	- 1354	1243
	FD	D	2	8	218.2	- 218.2	218.2	9	-			927	- 927	927
				<b>1378</b>	<b>150.2</b>	<b>300.2</b>			<b>442</b>	<b>442</b>		<b>447</b>	<b>1354</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
200-280	FD	C	2	32	217.2	- 229.2	221.7	15	-			539	- 576	562
	RS	C	2	154	204.2	- 262.2	236.0	28	-			478	- 616	554
		C	2	28	207.2	- 217.2	215.3	9	384	- 402	399	492	- 510	508
	FD	D	2	22	206.2	- 210.2	208.4	18	-			546	- 557	552
		D	2	4	169.2	- 169.2	169.2	-24	313	- 313	313	381	- 381	381
280-330	RS	D	2	95	178.2	- 220.2	195.3	23	-			405	- 495	455
	RS	C	2	9	229.2	- 229.2	229.2	5	-			653	- 653	653
	FD	C	2	15	249.2	- 249.2	249.2	29	-			748	- 748	748
		C	2	22	208.2	- 208.2	208.2	N/Q	386	- 386	386	593	- 593	593
	FD	D	2	34	206.2	- 208.2	207.1	-3	-			588	- 593	590
330-400		D	2	12	201.2	- 201.2	201.2	N/Q	373	- 373	373	573	- 573	573
	RS	D	2	46	166.2	- 204.2	183.6	N/Q	-			474	- 582	523
	FD	C	2	241	223.2	- 264.2	250.8	32	-			748	- 939	883
	FD	C	3	26	246.2	- 254.2	249.9	33	-			862	- 979	916
		C	3	39	227.2	- 266.2	257.4	39	421	- 493	477	764	- 1025	983
400+	FD	D	2	28	199.2	- 219.2	210.1	31	-			697	- 809	737
		D	2	35	186.2	- 215.2	204.0	N/Q	345	- 399	378	624	- 753	705
	RS	D	2	28	206.2	- 225.2	214.3	26	-			691	- 754	718
		D	3	3	196.2	- 196.2	196.2	-5	363	- 363	363	736	- 736	736
	FD	C	2	12	211.2	- 211.2	211.2	N/Q	-			898	- 898	898
400+	FD	C	3	19	242.2	- 251.2	246.1	20	-			1054	- 1093	1061
		C	3	21	232.2	- 246.2	238.2	15	430	- 456	441	987	- 1046	1012
	FD	D	3	8	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	-			808	- 808	808
					<b>933</b>	<b>166.2</b>	<b>266.2</b>			<b>313</b>	<b>493</b>		<b>381</b>	<b>1093</b>
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
0-400	FD	D	2	2	195.2	- 195.2	195.2	N/Q	-			752	- 752	752
400-500	FD	C	2	33	215.2	- 241.2	223.9	-1	-			949	- 1067	1014
	RS	C	2	6	215.2	- 215.2	215.2	N/Q	-			936	- 936	936
		C	2	2	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	346	- 346	346	827	- 827	827
500-600	FD	C	3	47	229.2	- 250.0	235.5	12	-			974	- 1213	1084
		C	3	20	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	-31	346	- 346	346	808	- 827	817
		C	3	17	204.2	- 233.2	219.4	4	371	- 424	399	1092	- 1261	1209
600-750		C	4	3	238.2	- 238.2	238.2	1	425	- 425	425	1274	- 1274	1274
600-750		C	3	11	233.2	- 233.2	233.2	10	424	- 424	424	1516	- 1516	1516

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		C	4	1	237.2	- 237.2	237.2	N/Q	424	- 424	424	1542	- 1542	1542
				<b>142</b>	<b>190.0</b>	<b>250.0</b>			<b>346</b>	<b>425</b>		<b>752</b>	<b>1542</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540		C	3	14	206.2	- 211.2	208.6	6	389	- 399	394	876	- 1031	973
	FD	C	3	30	210.2	- 225.0	222.2	N/Q		-		1019	- 1091	1078
		C	4	20	220.0	- 222.2	221.1	N/Q	416	- 423	420	957	- 1189	1090
		D	1	12	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	28	313	- 313	313	578	- 578	578
		D	3	2	196.2	- 196.2	196.2	N/Q	370	- 370	370	853	- 853	853
540+		C	4	13	224.2	- 224.2	224.2	N/Q	423	- 423	423	1345	- 1345	1345
				<b>91</b>	<b>150.0</b>	<b>225.0</b>			<b>313</b>	<b>423</b>		<b>578</b>	<b>1345</b>	
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
540+		C	3	2	218.2	- 218.2	218.2	N/Q	397	- 397	397	1386	- 1386	1386
		C	4	50	215.2	- 235.2	227.5	1	384	- 428	407	1727	- 2059	1844
		C	5	1	190.2	- 190.2	190.2	N/Q	346	- 346	346	1427	- 1427	1427
				<b>53</b>	<b>190.2</b>	<b>235.2</b>			<b>346</b>	<b>428</b>		<b>1386</b>	<b>2059</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	1	38	120.0	- 158.2	138.1	2	273	- 360	314	402	- 633	531
	RS	D	1	16	131.0	- 143.2	137.1	-3		-		524	- 573	548
		D	2	8	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	8	361	- 361	361	665	- 665	665
		E	1	15	102.0	- 110.0	103.4	23	232	- 250	235	377	- 403	396
400-520	RS	D	1	24	157.2	- 181.2	170.0	N/Q		-		693	- 788	745
		D	1	36	146.2	- 164.2	154.9	20	332	- 373	352	636	- 714	674
		D	2	126	160.0	- 185.0	173.6	8	348	- 403	380	696	- 874	768
	RS	D	2	91	169.2	- 185.2	174.5	6		-		719	- 833	768
		D	3	123	183.2	- 195.2	188.4	6	374	- 398	384	805	- 946	882
		D	4	166	150.0	- 213.2	206.6	12	341	- 418	407	653	- 1050	972
520+	RS	D	2	12	186.2	- 186.2	186.2	N/Q		-		996	- 996	996
		D	3	63	195.0	- 202.2	197.6	8	398	- 413	403	1043	- 1135	1073
		D	4	359	199.2	- 222.2	215.0	7	402	- 436	423	1066	- 1475	1235
		D	5	23	198.2	- 203.2	199.9	N/Q	405	- 415	408	1087	- 1189	1164
				<b>1100</b>	<b>102.0</b>	<b>222.2</b>			<b>232</b>	<b>436</b>		<b>377</b>	<b>1475</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450		C	2	1	191.2	- 191.2	191.2	N/Q	348	- 348	348	545	- 545	545
	FD	C	2	6	220.2	- 220.2	220.2	-3		-		804	- 804	804
	FD	C	3	5	206.2	- 206.2	206.2	-8		-		722	- 722	722
		C	3	2	190.2	- 190.2	190.2	N/Q	346	- 346	346	827	- 827	827
		D	2	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	309	- 309	309	456	- 456	456
450-600		C	2	4	180.0	- 195.2	191.4	N/Q	327	- 355	348	1053	- 1064	1061
		C	3	18	200.0	- 220.2	217.5	1	357	- 393	388	1120	- 1276	1238
	FD	C	3	16	224.2	- 230.0	226.4	27		-		1087	- 1116	1098
		D	2	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	273	- 273	273	788	- 788	788
600+		C	2	3	211.2	- 211.2	211.2	20	384	- 384	384	1795	- 1795	1795
		C	3	62	211.2	- 257.2	227.9	11	377	- 459	407	1320	- 1786	1590
				<b>119</b>	<b>150.0</b>	<b>257.2</b>			<b>273</b>	<b>459</b>		<b>456</b>	<b>1795</b>	

Abbreviations

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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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