

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Dalby

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Yarding Change <sup>4008</sup>/<sub>90</sub>

comparison date 18/01/2017

Numbers experienced little change and remained close to last week's yarding. Quality has improved as vendors get the feel of 2017. The usual feeder and restocker buyers were in attendance and operating in a dearer market. A full panel of export processors were present but not all were operating. The recent rainfall appears to have built confidence in the restockers with prices up 10c/kg. Feeder operators lifted prices on steers by 5c while the supermarkets clinched the medium weight heifers to feed at a lift of 14c/kg. Cows highlighted the market with a rise of 7c to 10c/kg.

Larger runs of lighter yearling steers to the restockers reached 445.2c with an average of 395c/kg. Medium weight feeder steers topped 384.2c with an average of 367c/kg. The lead of the heavy feeder steers topped 355.2c and averaged 348c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to restockers topped 378.2c and averaged 351c/kg. Medium weight heifers to feed topped 345.2c and averaged 341c/kg. The heaviest heifers reached 323.2c to average 311c/kg.

Grown steers over 500kg reached 314.2c to average 305c with bullocks reaching 303.2c to average 298c/kg. Light weight cows were purchased by the works to average 229c and mid-range cows reached 260.2c with an average of 251c/kg. Heavier cows destined for the works reached 269.2c and averaged 255.7c/kg. Bulls over 600kg topped 285.2c/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+	RS	C	2	20	358.2	- 420.2	386.5	-22	-	-	-	627	- 777	702
	RS	D	2	8	350.0	- 364.2	360.7	N/Q	-	-	-	578	- 674	650
				<b>28</b>	<b>350.0</b>	<b>420.2</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>578</b>	<b>777</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
200-280	FD	C	2	19	385.2	- 388.2	386.8	4	-	-	-	912	- 944	927
	RS	C	2	425	376.2	- 445.2	395.9	10	-	-	-	828	- 988	912
	FD	C	3	10	406.2	- 406.2	406.2	N/Q	-	-	-	914	- 914	914
	FD	D	2	6	333.2	- 333.2	333.2	N/Q	-	-	-	883	- 883	883
	RS	D	2	16	352.2	- 356.2	354.6	34	-	-	-	757	- 891	807
280-330	FD	C	2	20	379.2	- 393.2	383.8	19	-	-	-	1138	- 1180	1151
330-400	FD	C	2	360	353.2	- 384.2	367.3	5	-	-	-	1232	- 1406	1353
	FD	C	3	46	348.2	- 367.2	360.2	15	-	-	-	1340	- 1387	1368
	FD	D	2	6	290.2	- 316.2	298.9	12	-	-	-	1016	- 1154	1062
400+	FD	C	3	196	253.2	- 355.2	348.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1139	- 1616	1544
				<b>1104</b>	<b>253.2</b>	<b>445.2</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>757</b>	<b>1616</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
200-280	FD	C	2	22	324.2	- 342.2	329.1	-18	-	-	-	859	- 907	872
	RS	C	2	406	322.2	- 378.2	351.5	11	-	-	-	747	- 912	821
		C	2	38	336.2	- 350.2	345.7	15	623	- 649	640	756	- 818	792
	RS	D	2	25	250.0	- 316.2	298.6	6	-	-	-	563	- 756	690
280-330	RS	D	2	98	300.0	- 315.2	314.7	27	-	-	-	855	- 946	943
	FD	D	2	15	316.2	- 316.2	316.2	N/Q	-	-	-	949	- 949	949
330-400	RS	C	2	12	327.2	- 327.2	327.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1129	- 1129	1129
	FD	C	2	100	332.2	- 345.2	341.3	14	-	-	-	1163	- 1317	1211
	FD	C	3	96	330.0	- 351.2	343.9	29	-	-	-	1174	- 1294	1240

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	FD	D	2	47	290.0	- 300.0	295.6	13	-			972	- 1065	1026
	FD	D	3	8	270.2	- 270.2	270.2	N/Q	-			905	- 905	905
		D	3	3	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	519	- 519	519	938	- 938	938
400+	FD	C	2	24	300.0	- 324.2	311.4	N/Q	-			1256	- 1410	1314
	FD	C	3	103	300.0	- 323.2	311.7	1	-			1275	- 1568	1373
		C	3	3	304.2	- 304.2	304.2	-11	563	- 563	563	1323	- 1323	1323
	FD	D	2	6	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	-			1148	- 1148	1148
		D	3	10	285.2	- 285.2	285.2	N/Q	528	- 528	528	1212	- 1212	1212
				<b>1016</b>	<b>250.0</b>	<b>378.2</b>			<b>519</b>	<b>649</b>		<b>563</b>	<b>1568</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
400-500	FD	C	2	3	288.2	- 288.2	288.2	-1	-			1225	- 1225	1225
	FD	C	3	5	300.2	- 320.0	316.0	24	-			1440	- 1486	1449
		C	3	6	288.2	- 288.2	288.2	N/Q	524	- 524	524	1297	- 1297	1297
500-600		C	3	19	287.2	- 323.2	306.4	18	522	- 588	557	1623	- 1681	1655
		C	4	32	290.0	- 314.2	305.8	-4	518	- 561	546	1551	- 1838	1765
600-750		C	4	30	294.2	- 303.2	298.6	N/C	525	- 541	533	1895	- 2066	1959
				<b>95</b>	<b>287.2</b>	<b>323.2</b>			<b>518</b>	<b>588</b>		<b>1225</b>	<b>2066</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540		C	3	13	263.2	- 288.2	272.8	N/Q	497	- 544	515	1224	- 1542	1346
	FD	C	3	32	278.2	- 310.2	294.4	14	-			1204	- 1504	1401
		C	4	7	281.2	- 303.2	296.9	21	531	- 572	560	1504	- 1622	1588
		D	3	8	250.2	- 250.2	250.2	N/Q	472	- 472	472	1213	- 1213	1213
540+	FD	C	3	10	292.2	- 292.2	292.2	N/Q	-			1709	- 1709	1709
		C	4	44	275.2	- 309.2	296.9	17	519	- 583	560	1651	- 1809	1724
				<b>114</b>	<b>250.2</b>	<b>310.2</b>			<b>472</b>	<b>583</b>		<b>1204</b>	<b>1809</b>	
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
540+		C	4	4	274.2	- 274.2	274.2	-4	499	- 499	499	1919	- 1919	1919
				<b>4</b>	<b>274.2</b>	<b>274.2</b>			<b>499</b>	<b>499</b>		<b>1919</b>	<b>1919</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	1	15	185.2	- 222.2	198.5	N/Q	421	- 505	451	740	- 811	764
	RS	D	1	9	214.2	- 232.2	220.2	20	-			782	- 848	804
400-520	RS	D	1	6	245.2	- 245.2	245.2	26	-			1067	- 1067	1067
	RS	D	2	2	228.2	- 228.2	228.2	N/Q	-			1027	- 1027	1027
		D	2	33	222.2	- 236.2	228.8	N/C	483	- 514	498	967	- 1066	1021
		D	3	73	230.0	- 240.2	234.9	-2	469	- 490	479	1010	- 1165	1078
		D	4	175	240.2	- 260.2	251.2	7	471	- 520	493	1045	- 1238	1167
520+		D	3	42	235.2	- 249.2	243.3	8	480	- 509	491	1258	- 1408	1333
		D	4	264	245.0	- 269.2	255.7	10	480	- 528	502	1311	- 1849	1504
		D	5	27	239.2	- 247.2	246.9	N/Q	488	- 505	504	1483	- 1674	1490
				<b>646</b>	<b>185.2</b>	<b>269.2</b>			<b>421</b>	<b>528</b>		<b>740</b>	<b>1849</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450	FD	C	2	17	293.2	- 320.0	302.8	-17	-			1026	- 1262	1142
	RS	C	2	18	296.2	- 332.2	320.2	-14	-			785	- 1142	972
	FD	C	3	7	310.2	- 328.2	317.9	-6	-			1194	- 1395	1280
		C	3	2	292.0	- 292.0	292.0	N/Q	531	- 531	531	1314	- 1314	1314

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	FD	D	2	82	253.2	- 304.2	263.2	10	-			886	- 1065	922
450-600	FD	C	3	12	279.2	- 300.0	282.7	-16	-			1354	- 1455	1371
600+		C	2	4	229.2	- 236.2	231.0	N/Q	417	- 430	420	1433	- 1476	1443
		C	3	55	245.2	- 285.2	261.9	N/C	438	- 509	468	1594	- 3105	2015
		D	2	9	208.2	- 230.2	218.0	N/Q	379	- 419	396	1301	- 1439	1362
				<b>206</b>	<b>208.2</b>	<b>332.2</b>			<b>379</b>	<b>531</b>		<b>785</b>	<b>3105</b>	

#### 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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