

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Dalby

report date 28 Jun 2017

Yarding Change 4402  
-1687

comparison date 21/06/2017

There was a yarding of 4,402 head at the Dalby Cattle Sale today, with the market similar to last week early in the sale, developing slightly cheaper in the second round. Calves under 200kg did not break the \$4 barrier topping at 398c/kg.

The quality of the weaners was mixed with the 200-280kg range yearling steers topping at 380c/kg. The majority of the weaners went via backgrounding in preparation for the feedlot with several restockers challenging prices. Heifers made to 348c to average 303c/kg across all yearling heifers.

Grown heifers to slaughter made to a top of 296c to average 264c/kg. Cows to slaughter made to a top of 240.2c/kg for an outstanding quality line from Millmerran. Bulls under 450kg made to a top of 298c and heavy bulls to slaughter made 250c/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         | 5           | 292.0            | - 292.0      | 292.0 | -26    | 562                           | - 562      | 562 | 581               | - 581       | 581  |
|                       | RS          | C            | 2         | 65          | 340.0            | - 398.0      | 368.1 | 15     | -                             | -          | -   | 646               | - 756       | 699  |
|                       |             |              |           | <b>70</b>   | <b>292.0</b>     | <b>398.0</b> |       |        | <b>562</b>                    | <b>562</b> |     | <b>581</b>        | <b>756</b>  |      |
| <b>Yearling Steer</b> |             |              |           |             |                  |              |       |        |                               |            |     |                   |             |      |
| 0-200                 | RS          | C            | 2         | 45          | 248.0            | - 374.0      | 338.7 | N/Q    | -                             | -          | -   | 496               | - 740       | 673  |
|                       | RS          | C            | 3         | 13          | 345.0            | - 350.0      | 347.7 | N/Q    | -                             | -          | -   | 690               | - 700       | 695  |
| 200-280               |             | C            | 2         | 33          | 270.0            | - 270.0      | 270.0 | N/Q    | 491                           | - 491      | 491 | 648               | - 648       | 648  |
|                       | RS          | C            | 2         | 92          | 292.0            | - 354.0      | 337.0 | -33    | -                             | -          | -   | 642               | - 845       | 768  |
|                       | FD          | C            | 3         | 7           | 314.0            | - 314.0      | 314.0 | N/Q    | -                             | -          | -   | 879               | - 879       | 879  |
|                       |             | C            | 3         | 19          | 280.0            | - 280.0      | 280.0 | N/Q    | 509                           | - 509      | 509 | 784               | - 784       | 784  |
|                       | RS          | C            | 3         | 476         | 302.0            | - 380.0      | 344.7 | N/Q    | -                             | -          | -   | 664               | - 1022      | 891  |
|                       | FD          | C            | 4         | 6           | 310.0            | - 310.0      | 310.0 | N/Q    | -                             | -          | -   | 868               | - 868       | 868  |
|                       | RS          | C            | 4         | 5           | 338.0            | - 338.0      | 338.0 | N/Q    | -                             | -          | -   | 946               | - 946       | 946  |
| 280-330               | RS          | C            | 3         | 112         | 274.0            | - 342.0      | 297.2 | N/Q    | -                             | -          | -   | 795               | - 1026      | 874  |
|                       |             | C            | 3         | 49          | 300.0            | - 300.0      | 300.0 | N/Q    | 546                           | - 546      | 546 | 960               | - 960       | 960  |
|                       | FD          | C            | 3         | 149         | 322.0            | - 342.0      | 341.7 | N/Q    | -                             | -          | -   | 1026              | - 1030      | 1026 |
|                       | FD          | C            | 4         | 20          | 292.0            | - 328.0      | 310.0 | N/Q    | -                             | -          | -   | 934               | - 984       | 959  |
|                       | RS          | C            | 4         | 2           | 326.0            | - 326.0      | 326.0 | N/Q    | -                             | -          | -   | 1043              | - 1043      | 1043 |
| 330-400               | RS          | C            | 3         | 8           | 270.0            | - 372.0      | 346.5 | N/Q    | -                             | -          | -   | 918               | - 1332      | 1228 |
|                       | FD          | C            | 3         | 28          | 290.0            | - 324.0      | 304.3 | -31    | -                             | -          | -   | 986               | - 1212      | 1075 |
|                       |             | C            | 3         | 9           | 320.0            | - 320.0      | 320.0 | N/Q    | 582                           | - 582      | 582 | 1216              | - 1216      | 1216 |
|                       | FD          | C            | 4         | 10          | 322.0            | - 322.0      | 322.0 | N/Q    | -                             | -          | -   | 1159              | - 1159      | 1159 |
| 400+                  | RS          | C            | 3         | 2           | 310.0            | - 310.0      | 310.0 | N/Q    | -                             | -          | -   | 1302              | - 1302      | 1302 |
|                       |             | C            | 3         | 25          | 274.0            | - 320.0      | 300.2 | N/Q    | 498                           | - 582      | 546 | 1260              | - 1344      | 1330 |
|                       | FD          | C            | 3         | 13          | 333.0            | - 333.0      | 333.0 | 6      | -                             | -          | -   | 1499              | - 1499      | 1499 |
|                       |             | C            | 4         | 9           | 280.0            | - 310.0      | 290.0 | N/Q    | 509                           | - 564      | 527 | 1176              | - 1488      | 1280 |
|                       | FD          | C            | 4         | 93          | 323.0            | - 333.0      | 328.3 | N/Q    | -                             | -          | -   | 1532              | - 1615      | 1568 |
|                       |             |              |           | <b>1225</b> | <b>248.0</b>     | <b>380.0</b> |       |        | <b>491</b>                    | <b>582</b> |     | <b>496</b>        | <b>1615</b> |      |

| 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>Yearling Heifer</b> |             |              |           |             |                  |              |       |        |                               |            |     |                   |             |     |      |      |
| 0-200                  |             | C            | 2         | 12          | 302.0            | - 302.0      | 302.0 | N/Q    | 559                           | -          | 559 | 559               | 604         | -   | 604  | 604  |
|                        | RS          | C            | 2         | 157         | 262.0            | - 348.0      | 325.8 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 524         | -   | 696  | 652  |
|                        | RS          | C            | 3         | 33          | 276.0            | - 344.0      | 322.8 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 552         | -   | 688  | 646  |
| 200-280                | FD          | C            | 2         | 12          | 316.0            | - 316.0      | 316.0 | N/C    |                               | -          |     |                   | 695         | -   | 695  | 695  |
|                        | RS          | C            | 2         | 296         | 222.0            | - 340.0      | 301.6 | -30    |                               | -          |     |                   | 488         | -   | 838  | 703  |
|                        |             | C            | 2         | 8           | 310.0            | - 310.0      | 310.0 | -3     | 574                           | -          | 574 | 574               | 713         | -   | 713  | 713  |
|                        | FD          | C            | 3         | 93          | 220.0            | - 310.0      | 279.1 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 484         | -   | 868  | 769  |
|                        |             | C            | 3         | 85          | 280.0            | - 330.0      | 307.2 | N/Q    | 509                           | -          | 611 | 568               | 717         | -   | 868  | 821  |
|                        | RS          | C            | 3         | 185         | 248.0            | - 343.0      | 311.0 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 660         | -   | 935  | 793  |
|                        | FD          | C            | 4         | 5           | 316.0            | - 316.0      | 316.0 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 885         | -   | 885  | 885  |
| 280-330                | RS          | C            | 2         | 9           | 315.0            | - 315.0      | 315.0 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 945         | -   | 945  | 945  |
|                        | RS          | C            | 3         | 27          | 274.0            | - 310.0      | 304.0 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 877         | -   | 930  | 922  |
|                        | FD          | C            | 3         | 13          | 275.0            | - 314.0      | 286.1 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 880         | -   | 1005 | 915  |
|                        | FD          | C            | 4         | 38          | 269.0            | - 323.0      | 305.7 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 861         | -   | 1034 | 978  |
|                        | RS          | C            | 4         | 4           | 280.0            | - 280.0      | 280.0 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 896         | -   | 896  | 896  |
| 330-400                | FD          | C            | 3         | 12          | 284.0            | - 284.0      | 284.0 | -33    |                               | -          |     |                   | 1136        | -   | 1136 | 1136 |
| 400+                   |             | C            | 3         | 8           | 320.0            | - 320.0      | 320.0 | 28     | 593                           | -          | 593 | 593               | 1344        | -   | 1344 | 1344 |
|                        | RS          | C            | 3         | 10          | 288.0            | - 288.0      | 288.0 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 1210        | -   | 1210 | 1210 |
|                        | FD          | C            | 4         | 6           | 266.0            | - 288.0      | 273.3 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 1144        | -   | 1382 | 1223 |
|                        |             | C            | 4         | 13          | 294.0            | - 307.0      | 306.0 | N/Q    | 544                           | -          | 569 | 567               | 1529        | -   | 1781 | 1761 |
|                        |             |              |           | <b>1026</b> | <b>220.0</b>     | <b>348.0</b> |       |        | <b>509</b>                    | <b>611</b> |     | <b>484</b>        | <b>1781</b> |     |      |      |
| <b>Grown Steer</b>     |             |              |           |             |                  |              |       |        |                               |            |     |                   |             |     |      |      |
| 0-400                  |             | C            | 3         | 2           | 250.0            | - 250.0      | 250.0 | N/Q    | 455                           | -          | 455 | 455               | 725         | -   | 725  | 725  |
|                        | RS          | C            | 3         | 2           | 296.0            | - 296.0      | 296.0 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 858         | -   | 858  | 858  |
| 400-500                |             | C            | 3         | 23          | 286.0            | - 295.0      | 290.6 | N/Q    | 520                           | -          | 536 | 528               | 1201        | -   | 1239 | 1220 |
|                        |             | C            | 4         | 4           | 290.0            | - 290.0      | 290.0 | N/Q    | 527                           | -          | 527 | 527               | 1392        | -   | 1392 | 1392 |
| 500-600                |             | C            | 4         | 65          | 274.0            | - 307.0      | 290.0 | N/C    | 498                           | -          | 558 | 527               | 1425        | -   | 1781 | 1600 |
|                        | FD          | C            | 4         | 1           | 274.0            | - 274.0      | 274.0 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 1644        | -   | 1644 | 1644 |
| 600-750                |             | C            | 4         | 80          | 234.0            | - 298.0      | 272.0 | -18    | 426                           | -          | 542 | 495               | 1521        | -   | 2130 | 1761 |
|                        |             |              |           | <b>177</b>  | <b>234.0</b>     | <b>307.0</b> |       |        | <b>426</b>                    | <b>558</b> |     | <b>725</b>        | <b>2130</b> |     |      |      |
| <b>Grown Heifer</b>    |             |              |           |             |                  |              |       |        |                               |            |     |                   |             |     |      |      |
| 0-540                  | RS          | C            | 2         | 1           | 260.0            | - 260.0      | 260.0 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 650         | -   | 650  | 650  |
|                        | FD          | C            | 3         | 26          | 239.0            | - 290.0      | 269.7 | 4      |                               | -          |     |                   | 765         | -   | 1392 | 1178 |
|                        |             | C            | 3         | 23          | 248.0            | - 296.0      | 275.5 | N/Q    | 459                           | -          | 548 | 510               | 868         | -   | 1450 | 1239 |
|                        | FD          | C            | 4         | 17          | 264.0            | - 280.0      | 271.8 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 1140        | -   | 1373 | 1265 |
|                        |             | C            | 4         | 3           | 244.0            | - 244.0      | 244.0 | -22    | 452                           | -          | 452 | 452               | 1098        | -   | 1098 | 1098 |
| 540+                   |             | C            | 3         | 16          | 260.0            | - 265.0      | 262.5 | 11     | 482                           | -          | 491 | 486               | 1508        | -   | 1537 | 1523 |
|                        |             |              |           | <b>86</b>   | <b>239.0</b>     | <b>296.0</b> |       |        | <b>452</b>                    | <b>548</b> |     | <b>650</b>        | <b>1537</b> |     |      |      |
| <b>Cows</b>            |             |              |           |             |                  |              |       |        |                               |            |     |                   |             |     |      |      |
| 0-400                  | RS          | C            | 2         | 9           | 184.0            | - 184.0      | 184.0 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 718         | -   | 718  | 718  |
| 400-520                |             | C            | 2         | 21          | 148.0            | - 196.0      | 183.9 | N/Q    | 302                           | -          | 400 | 375               | 666         | -   | 823  | 776  |
|                        |             | C            | 3         | 71          | 200.0            | - 229.0      | 218.3 | N/Q    | 408                           | -          | 467 | 442               | 936         | -   | 1117 | 1004 |
|                        | RS          | C            | 3         | 27          | 168.0            | - 232.0      | 211.3 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 706         | -   | 1044 | 935  |
|                        | RS          | D            | 3         | 35          | 196.0            | - 227.0      | 212.3 | N/Q    |                               | -          |     |                   | 882         | -   | 1090 | 1004 |

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|-----------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|------------|------------------|--------------|-------|--------|-------------------------------|------------|-----|-------------------|-------------|------|
|                 |             |              |           |            | Low              | High         | Avg   | Change | Low                           | High       | Avg | Low               | High        | Avg  |
|                 |             | D            | 3         | 321        | 188.0            | - 240.0      | 218.4 | 2      | 384                           | - 490      | 444 | 846               | - 1248      | 1039 |
|                 |             | D            | 4         | 167        | 220.0            | - 240.2      | 225.8 | N/C    | 431                           | - 471      | 457 | 1013              | - 1249      | 1069 |
| 520+            |             | D            | 3         | 29         | 208.0            | - 232.0      | 225.1 | 6      | 425                           | - 455      | 444 | 1144              | - 1276      | 1238 |
|                 |             | D            | 4         | 126        | 210.0            | - 238.0      | 228.6 | N/C    | 412                           | - 467      | 448 | 1249              | - 1547      | 1435 |
|                 |             |              |           | <b>806</b> | <b>148.0</b>     | <b>240.2</b> |       |        | <b>302</b>                    | <b>490</b> |     | <b>666</b>        | <b>1547</b> |      |
| <b>Bulls</b>    |             |              |           |            |                  |              |       |        |                               |            |     |                   |             |      |
| 0-450           |             | C            | 3         | 3          | 250.0            | - 296.0      | 265.3 | N/Q    | 446                           | - 529      | 474 | 725               | - 829       | 760  |
|                 | RS          | C            | 3         | 11         | 330.0            | - 330.0      | 330.0 | N/Q    | -                             | -          | -   | 825               | - 825       | 825  |
|                 | FD          | C            | 3         | 57         | 242.0            | - 298.0      | 278.6 | -8     | -                             | -          | -   | 702               | - 954       | 829  |
| 450-600         | FD          | C            | 3         | 8          | 244.0            | - 268.0      | 256.0 | N/Q    | -                             | -          | -   | 1196              | - 1394      | 1295 |
|                 |             | C            | 3         | 11         | 239.0            | - 250.0      | 243.8 | -1     | 427                           | - 446      | 435 | 1171              | - 1500      | 1233 |
|                 |             | C            | 4         | 6          | 289.0            | - 289.0      | 289.0 | N/Q    | 516                           | - 516      | 516 | 1503              | - 1503      | 1503 |
| 600+            |             | C            | 3         | 18         | 230.0            | - 260.0      | 246.8 | 2      | 411                           | - 464      | 441 | 1495              | - 2054      | 1745 |
|                 |             |              |           | <b>114</b> | <b>230.0</b>     | <b>330.0</b> |       |        | <b>411</b>                    | <b>529</b> |     | <b>702</b>        | <b>2054</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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