

Dalby Cattle Sale Market Report

Wednesday 7th May 2025

Cattle numbers at Dalby reduced by 2,541 head to 3,685. A good panel of buyers was present, covering all classes. Lightweight yearling steers and heifers returning to the paddock experienced strong support. However, prices for the remainder followed the nationwide cheaper trend. Medium and heavyweight yearling steers to feed averaged 7c to 12c/kg less; however, top-end quality lines remained close to the previous sale. Medium and heavyweight yearling heifers to feed followed a similar trend, averaging 14c to 20c/kg cheaper, with well-bred lines remaining firm. Cows to processors were cheaper by 10c to 14c/kg, with restockers providing a base for the plain-condition lines. Lightweight yearling steers returning to the paddock sold to an isolated 489c, averaging 416c, while secondary lines averaged 355c/kg. Yearling steers to feed for the domestic market sold to 430c, averaging between 381c and 393c/kg. Heavyweight yearling steers to feed reached an occasional 420c, with most sales at 373c/kg. Lightweight yearling heifers returning to the paddock averaged 332c, with one showing show-ring potential making 390c/kg. Medium-weight yearling heifers to feed averaged between 307c and 327c, selling to 368c/kg. Heavyweight yearling heifers to feed made to 364c, averaging 323c/kg. Heavy grown steers to export processors sold to 349c, with some to the local trade market reaching 391c/kg, returning up to \$2,305/head. A single manufacturing bullock made 250c/kg, returning \$2,375/head. Plain-condition cows to restockers averaged between 243c and 253c, selling to 278c/kg. Medium-weight 2-score cows to processors sold to 248c, averaging 243c/kg. Heavyweight 3-score cows averaged 262c, with the best of the heavyweight cows reaching 277c to average 273c/kg. Heavyweight bulls made to 316c/kg.

Ray White Livestock Sale Results

DESCRIPTION	WEIGHT	RANGE C/KG			AVG C/KG	Change
Bullocks		316	-	349	340	+11
Feeder Steers	400-500 kg	340	-	420	372	-8
Heavy Feeder Heifers	400-500kg	274	-	364	323	-23
Slaughter Heifer		289	-	310	290	-13
Heavy Cows	600kg+	264	-	277	273	-11
Medium Cows	500-600kg	256	-	266	262	-10
Light cows	<500kg	211	-	262	242	-14
Heavy Bulls	>600kg	270	-	316	302	-4
Light Bulls	<500kg	288	-	334	313	N/C
Yearling Feeder Steers	330-400 kg	346	-	430	381	-12
Yearling Feeder Heifers	330-400 kg	284	-	368	326	-14
Weaner Heifers		266	-	390	332	+5
Weaner Steers		306	-	489	416	-15

RAY WHITE LIVESTOCK DALBY SELLING - 2nd on the 14th May 2025

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