

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Dubbo

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Yarding Change ²⁴³⁰
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The similar size yarding produced a fair quality line up. There were good numbers of cows along with a few good lines of grown steers. Properly finished trade cattle were in limited supply and there were once again good numbers of plainer quality young cattle.

Trade cattle were 1c to 4c cheaper with well finished yearling steers to the trade selling from 176c to 209.6c, while the heifer yearlings sold from 145c to 198.6c/kg. Young steers to restockers and feeders sold from 119c to 191c with the better heavy weights averaging 187c/kg.

Well finished grown steers were up to 5c/kg dearer with some better lines available compared to the previous sale. The 3 and 4 score medium and heavy weights sold from 165c to 191.2c with the heavy weights averaging 183c/kg. Grown heifers were fully firm with the better types selling from 145c to 172c/kg. Cows were 4c dearer with the 1 and 2 score light and medium weights selling from 65c to 125c while the better 3 and 4 score medium and heavy weights sold from 115c to 148.2c with the 4 score heavy weights averaging 143c/kg. The best bull made 166.2c/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 |
| Calves | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 80+ | | C | 2 | 3 | 170.0 | - 170.0 | 170.0 | -41 | 327 | - 327 | 327 | 281 | - 281 | 281 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 6 | 192.0 | - 192.0 | 192.0 | 43 | | - | | 211 | - 211 | 211 |
| | | | | 9 | 170.0 | 192.0 | 184.7 | | 327 | 327 | 327 | 211 | 281 | 234 |
| Vealer Steer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 200-280 | FD | C | 2 | 2 | 165.2 | - 165.2 | 165.2 | N/Q | - | - | - | 421 | - 421 | 421 |
| | RS | C | 2 | 8 | 149.2 | - 175.0 | 155.7 | N/Q | - | - | - | 358 | - 394 | 367 |
| 280-330 | | C | 2 | 1 | 167.2 | - 167.2 | 167.2 | N/Q | 310 | - 310 | 310 | 493 | - 493 | 493 |
| | | C | 3 | 1 | 182.0 | - 182.0 | 182.0 | N/Q | 337 | - 337 | 337 | 519 | - 519 | 519 |
| | | | | 12 | 149.2 | 182.0 | 160.4 | | 310 | 337 | 324 | 358 | 519 | 399 |
| Vealer Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 200-280 | | C | 2 | 6 | 140.0 | - 140.0 | 140.0 | N/Q | 264 | - 264 | 264 | 385 | - 385 | 385 |
| | RS | C | 2 | 35 | 138.2 | - 144.2 | 141.1 | N/Q | - | - | - | 329 | - 380 | 365 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 11 | 127.2 | - 127.2 | 127.2 | N/Q | - | - | - | 331 | - 331 | 331 |
| 280-330 | | C | 2 | 5 | 144.2 | - 145.2 | 144.4 | N/Q | 277 | - 279 | 278 | 414 | - 425 | 423 |
| 330+ | | C | 3 | 9 | 160.0 | - 164.0 | 163.1 | -20 | 291 | - 298 | 297 | 552 | - 599 | 588 |
| | | | | 66 | 127.2 | 164.0 | 141.9 | | 264 | 298 | 282 | 329 | 599 | 396 |
| Yearling Steer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-330 | FD | C | 2 | 28 | 182.2 | - 189.2 | 185.2 | 13 | - | - | - | 601 | - 621 | 604 |
| | RS | C | 2 | 26 | 175.2 | - 189.2 | 180.6 | 19 | - | - | - | 477 | - 520 | 490 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 6 | 162.0 | - 162.0 | 162.0 | N/Q | - | - | - | 332 | - 332 | 332 |
| | RS | D | 3 | 4 | 119.2 | - 119.2 | 119.2 | -15 | - | - | - | 340 | - 340 | 340 |
| 330-400 | FD | C | 2 | 116 | 165.0 | - 193.4 | 185.1 | -1 | - | - | - | 625 | - 735 | 685 |
| | | C | 2 | 6 | 169.2 | - 172.0 | 171.1 | 3 | 313 | - 325 | 321 | 611 | - 651 | 624 |
| | FD | C | 3 | 23 | 182.0 | - 195.0 | 191.2 | -6 | - | - | - | 719 | - 751 | 740 |
| | | C | 3 | 22 | 186.2 | - 209.6 | 200.4 | 12 | 339 | - 374 | 363 | 698 | - 786 | 764 |
| | RS | D | 3 | 11 | 124.0 | - 127.6 | 126.6 | N/Q | - | - | - | 440 | - 466 | 459 |

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| | | | | | Low | High | Avg | Change | Low | High | Avg | Low | High | Avg | |
| 400+ | RS | C | 2 | 2 | 158.2 | - 158.2 | 158.2 | N/Q | - | | | 720 | - 720 | 720 | |
| | FD | C | 2 | 21 | 186.2 | - 188.2 | 187.1 | 13 | - | | | 754 | - 856 | 798 | |
| | FD | C | 3 | 55 | 177.2 | - 191.2 | 187.4 | 1 | - | | | 789 | - 903 | 854 | |
| | | C | 3 | 64 | 176.0 | - 197.2 | 186.5 | N/C | 320 | - 359 | 337 | 783 | - 903 | 837 | |
| | | | | 384 | 119.2 | 209.6 | 183.6 | | 313 | 374 | 342 | 332 | 903 | 713 | |
| Yearling Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-330 | FD | C | 2 | 20 | 135.0 | - 153.2 | 135.9 | -39 | - | | | 432 | - 490 | 435 | |
| | | C | 3 | 12 | 153.2 | - 153.2 | 153.2 | -20 | 284 | - 284 | 284 | 498 | - 498 | 498 | |
| | RS | D | 2 | 1 | 108.0 | - 108.0 | 108.0 | N/Q | - | | | 275 | - 275 | 275 | |
| | RS | D | 3 | 59 | 121.2 | - 139.0 | 135.1 | 10 | - | | | 302 | - 313 | 306 | |
| | | D | 3 | 3 | 118.2 | - 118.2 | 118.2 | N/Q | 227 | - 227 | 227 | 384 | - 384 | 384 | |
| 330-400 | | C | 2 | 19 | 151.6 | - 160.0 | 152.6 | 9 | 292 | - 302 | 293 | 508 | - 584 | 519 | |
| | FD | C | 2 | 27 | 140.2 | - 166.2 | 152.6 | -3 | - | | | 526 | - 623 | 579 | |
| | RS | C | 2 | 43 | 146.2 | - 155.0 | 151.7 | 7 | - | | | 563 | - 597 | 584 | |
| | | C | 3 | 119 | 145.0 | - 198.6 | 168.2 | -6 | 269 | - 368 | 311 | 529 | - 731 | 614 | |
| | FD | D | 2 | 2 | 130.6 | - 130.6 | 130.6 | N/Q | - | | | 503 | - 503 | 503 | |
| | | D | 2 | 1 | 130.0 | - 130.0 | 130.0 | N/Q | 250 | - 250 | 250 | 501 | - 501 | 501 | |
| 400+ | FD | C | 2 | 2 | 160.2 | - 160.2 | 160.2 | N/Q | - | | | 681 | - 681 | 681 | |
| | FD | C | 3 | 15 | 155.0 | - 161.0 | 158.6 | -4 | - | | | 659 | - 668 | 664 | |
| | | C | 3 | 72 | 155.0 | - 185.0 | 167.8 | 1 | 287 | - 343 | 310 | 672 | - 849 | 725 | |
| | | D | 3 | 5 | 125.0 | - 125.0 | 125.0 | N/Q | 236 | - 236 | 236 | 531 | - 531 | 531 | |
| | FD | D | 3 | 16 | 126.0 | - 140.0 | 129.2 | N/Q | - | | | 536 | - 595 | 550 | |
| | | | | 416 | 108.0 | 198.6 | 154.8 | | 227 | 368 | 305 | 275 | 849 | 563 | |
| Grown Steer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-400 | RS | D | 3 | 12 | 136.0 | - 136.0 | 136.0 | N/Q | - | | | 524 | - 524 | 524 | |
| 400-500 | FD | C | 2 | 8 | 150.0 | - 183.2 | 174.5 | -4 | - | | | 668 | - 779 | 739 | |
| | | C | 2 | 13 | 156.2 | - 156.2 | 156.2 | N/Q | 300 | - 300 | 300 | 758 | - 758 | 758 | |
| | | C | 3 | 16 | 165.0 | - 178.0 | 172.6 | 5 | 306 | - 330 | 321 | 734 | - 796 | 774 | |
| | | C | 4 | 42 | 188.0 | - 191.2 | 189.9 | 5 | 340 | - 348 | 341 | 889 | - 943 | 923 | |
| | | FD | D | 3 | 6 | 135.0 | - 135.0 | 135.0 | N/Q | - | | | 547 | - 547 | 547 |
| | | RS | D | 3 | 24 | 129.0 | - 137.0 | 135.0 | 5 | - | | | 522 | - 596 | 578 |
| | | D | 3 | 56 | 136.6 | - 160.0 | 148.7 | 28 | 263 | - 302 | 283 | 581 | - 776 | 703 | |
| 500-600 | | C | 4 | 37 | 184.6 | - 188.6 | 187.4 | 1 | 330 | - 343 | 340 | 941 | - 1103 | 1009 | |
| | | D | 3 | 19 | 160.2 | - 160.2 | 160.2 | 11 | 308 | - 308 | 308 | 841 | - 841 | 841 | |
| 600-750 | | C | 4 | 41 | 160.0 | - 183.2 | 182.6 | 6 | 286 | - 327 | 326 | 1032 | - 1145 | 1142 | |
| 750+ | | C | 4 | 5 | 159.2 | - 159.2 | 159.2 | N/Q | 290 | - 290 | 290 | 1250 | - 1250 | 1250 | |
| | | | | 279 | 129.0 | 191.2 | 166.4 | | 263 | 348 | 317 | 522 | 1250 | 846 | |
| Grown Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-540 | | C | 3 | 107 | 145.0 | - 159.6 | 151.7 | -1 | 274 | - 305 | 289 | 567 | - 799 | 653 | |
| | | C | 4 | 41 | 154.2 | - 172.2 | 164.1 | N/C | 286 | - 313 | 303 | 736 | - 904 | 829 | |
| | | RS | D | 2 | 9 | 127.2 | - 127.2 | 127.2 | 45 | - | | | 496 | - 496 | 496 |
| | | RS | D | 3 | 8 | 130.2 | - 130.2 | 130.2 | N/Q | - | | | 501 | - 501 | 501 |
| | | | D | 3 | 40 | 122.2 | - 139.2 | 131.5 | -7 | 235 | - 263 | 252 | 434 | - 605 | 542 |
| 540+ | | C | 4 | 17 | 172.2 | - 172.2 | 172.2 | N/Q | 313 | - 313 | 313 | 1007 | - 1007 | 1007 | |

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| | | | | | Low | High | Avg | Change | Low | High | Avg | Low | High | Avg |
| | | | | 222 | 122.2 | 172.2 | 150.2 | | 235 | 313 | 286 | 434 | 1007 | 681 |
| Cows | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-400 | | D | 1 | 17 | 65.0 | - 85.0 | 72.9 | -6 | 155 | - 202 | 175 | 185 | - 308 | 231 |
| | | D | 2 | 21 | 90.0 | - 100.0 | 97.1 | 7 | 205 | - 238 | 226 | 325 | - 385 | 345 |
| 400-520 | | D | 2 | 153 | 80.0 | - 125.0 | 115.8 | 4 | 182 | - 282 | 260 | 332 | - 513 | 479 |
| | | D | 3 | 179 | 115.0 | - 138.2 | 131.5 | 4 | 250 | - 294 | 279 | 466 | - 676 | 611 |
| | | D | 4 | 90 | 135.2 | - 145.6 | 140.3 | -1 | 265 | - 286 | 275 | 629 | - 729 | 701 |
| 520+ | DA | D | 3 | 10 | 125.2 | - 127.2 | 126.4 | N/Q | 272 | - 283 | 279 | 732 | - 833 | 793 |
| | | D | 4 | 69 | 128.0 | - 148.2 | 143.5 | 7 | 251 | - 291 | 282 | 698 | - 875 | 781 |
| | | | | 539 | 65.0 | 148.2 | 126.8 | | 155 | 294 | 268 | 185 | 875 | 591 |
| Bulls | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 450-600 | | C | 2 | 2 | 144.2 | - 151.2 | 147.7 | N/Q | 272 | - 285 | 279 | 844 | - 885 | 864 |
| 600+ | | C | 2 | 7 | 142.2 | - 166.2 | 158.3 | -2 | 279 | - 306 | 294 | 931 | - 1346 | 1191 |
| | | C | 3 | 7 | 162.2 | - 164.2 | 163.9 | -7 | 295 | - 299 | 298 | 1225 | - 1289 | 1280 |
| | | | | 16 | 142.2 | 166.2 | 159.4 | | 272 | 306 | 294 | 844 | 1346 | 1189 |

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

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