

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Gunnedah

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Yarding Change ²⁸¹⁰/₁₀₁₀

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The first sale for the new financial year was a larger yarding. It was a pretty good quality yarding with reasonable numbers of good quality young cattle to suit the feeders, along with a good selection of prime cattle in most sections.

Young cattle to the processors were 3c dearer, with vealers selling to 306c/kg. Prime yearling steers sold from 284c to 339c, with the heavier weights averaging 320c/kg. Prime heifer yearlings sold from 268c to 330c/kg. Light weight feeder steers struggled to hold their own while the heavier weights were 8c/kg dearer. Feeder steers sold from 269c to 329c/kg.

Limited numbers of grown steers were firm with the prime medium and heavy weights selling 266c to 290c/kg. Grown heifers were 8c dearer selling to 295c/kg. Plainer conditioned cows were firm while the properly finished cows were 15c/kg dearer. 2 score cows sold from 142c to 193c to the processors and 204c/kg to the restockers. The better 3 and 4 score cows sold from 170c to 260c, with the 4 score heavy weights averaging 241c/kg. Bulls sold to 286c/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+	RS	C	2	1	254.0	- 254.0	254.0	N/Q	-			254	- 254	254
				1	254.0	254.0			0	0		254	254	
Vealer Steer														
0-200	RS	C	2	33	252.0	- 284.0	271.6	-14	-			365	- 466	397
	FD	C	2	8	276.0	- 276.0	276.0	N/Q	-			455	- 455	455
200-280	FD	C	2	1	276.0	- 276.0	276.0	N/Q	-			704	- 704	704
	RS	C	2	44	242.0	- 290.0	273.4	-47	-			549	- 711	641
280-330	RS	C	2	14	326.0	- 326.0	326.0	N/Q	-			929	- 929	929
	FD	C	2	13	285.0	- 315.0	289.8	-18	-			878	- 992	933
		C	3	1	284.0	- 284.0	284.0	N/Q	536	- 536	536	923	- 923	923
	FD	C	3	1	300.0	- 300.0	300.0	N/Q	-			855	- 855	855
330+	FD	C	3	14	291.0	- 317.0	315.1	N/Q	-			1004	- 1094	1085
				129	242.0	326.0			536	536		365	1094	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	C	2	13	252.0	- 257.0	255.5	-1	-			340	- 424	398
200-280	RS	C	2	160	230.0	- 264.0	254.4	-10	-			518	- 715	611
		C	2	4	275.0	- 295.0	285.3	N/Q	521	- 567	546	701	- 752	727
	FD	C	2	2	269.0	- 269.0	269.0	N/Q	-			686	- 686	686
280-330	FD	C	2	18	266.0	- 284.0	274.0	-4	-			758	- 838	794
	RS	C	2	25	255.0	- 265.0	260.2	8	-			732	- 861	805
		C	3	10	284.0	- 306.0	297.5	3	536	- 577	561	880	- 921	913
330+		C	3	11	289.0	- 302.0	300.8	N/Q	535	- 559	557	997	- 1163	1148
	FD	C	3	12	299.0	- 299.0	299.0	N/Q	-			1032	- 1032	1032
				255	230.0	306.0			521	577		340	1163	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	RS	C	2	22	254.0	- 258.0	256.4	-39	-			619	- 699	652
280-330	RS	C	2	75	280.0	- 318.0	301.7	-11	-			821	- 960	887
	FD	C	2	101	275.0	- 317.0	299.8	-8	-			798	- 1030	936

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
	FD	C	3	18	310.0	- 310.0	310.0	N/Q	-			1008	- 1008	1008
330-400	FD	C	2	113	260.0	- 323.0	312.0	1	-			923	- 1209	1116
	FD	C	3	10	311.0	- 315.0	313.0	-3	-			1135	- 1205	1167
		C	3	10	314.0	- 337.0	334.7	67	582	- 624	620	1209	- 1297	1289
400+	FD	C	2	137	250.0	- 319.0	294.9	-17	-			1271	- 1457	1349
		C	3	80	284.0	- 339.0	320.5	N/Q	526	- 628	595	1262	- 1780	1588
	FD	C	3	152	269.0	- 329.0	321.6	13	-			1170	- 1664	1413
	FD	D	3	6	246.0	- 246.0	246.0	N/Q	-			1119	- 1119	1119
	RS	D	3	2	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	-			850	- 850	850
				726	200.0	339.0			526	628		619	1780	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	RS	D	2	4	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-			392	- 392	392
280-330	RS	C	2	32	259.0	- 259.0	259.0	9	-			764	- 764	764
		C	2	6	275.0	- 275.0	275.0	N/Q	529	- 529	529	853	- 853	853
	FD	C	2	77	249.0	- 290.0	271.9	4	-			710	- 943	827
		C	3	3	302.0	- 302.0	302.0	N/Q	570	- 570	570	891	- 891	891
330-400	RS	C	2	19	286.0	- 292.0	288.2	38	-			958	- 978	966
	FD	C	2	142	256.0	- 294.0	280.5	-10	-			883	- 1132	1060
		C	2	7	264.0	- 264.0	264.0	N/Q	498	- 498	498	964	- 964	964
	FD	C	3	10	269.0	- 282.0	276.8	-17	-			928	- 1086	1023
		C	3	92	273.0	- 313.0	292.8	4	515	- 580	547	973	- 1205	1103
400+	FD	C	2	16	246.0	- 267.0	265.7	-4	-			1009	- 1108	1102
	FD	C	3	2	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	N/Q	-			1169	- 1169	1169
		C	3	88	268.0	- 330.0	296.0	-4	506	- 607	550	1166	- 1568	1284
	RS	D	3	7	184.0	- 184.0	184.0	N/Q	-			754	- 754	754
				505	160.0	330.0			498	607		392	1568	
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	2	12	230.0	- 269.0	244.0	-55	-			984	- 1224	1076
		C	3	3	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	39	547	- 547	547	1378	- 1378	1378
	FD	C	3	6	279.0	- 279.0	279.0	29	-			1186	- 1186	1186
500-600	FD	C	3	42	240.0	- 280.0	279.0	N/C	-			1260	- 1470	1465
		C	3	45	239.0	- 289.0	269.7	32	443	- 526	497	1279	- 1691	1547
600-750		C	4	1	266.0	- 266.0	266.0	N/Q	493	- 493	493	1663	- 1663	1663
				109	230.0	290.0			443	547		984	1691	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	2	4	264.0	- 264.0	264.0	41	-			1016	- 1016	1016
		C	3	28	225.0	- 295.0	261.9	8	425	- 546	490	1041	- 1505	1280
		C	4	13	251.0	- 265.0	252.1	N/Q	474	- 500	476	1318	- 1418	1325
	RS	D	3	21	184.0	- 195.0	189.3	N/Q	-			728	- 829	779
		D	3	11	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	-9	385	- 385	385	850	- 850	850
540+		C	3	1	273.0	- 273.0	273.0	N/Q	506	- 506	506	1542	- 1542	1542
		C	4	6	252.0	- 275.0	262.2	5	467	- 509	487	1424	- 1695	1531
				84	184.0	295.0			385	546		728	1695	
Cows														
0-400		D	2	23	142.0	- 160.0	143.6	-43	338	- 364	340	547	- 600	551

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
400-520	RS	D	2	10	178.0	- 178.0	178.0	N/Q	-			685	- 685	685
	RS	D	2	17	197.0	- 204.0	200.3	-9	-			837	- 867	851
520+		D	2	24	152.0	- 193.0	178.4	-2	346	- 439	406	701	- 820	766
		D	3	136	170.0	- 217.0	202.8	1	362	- 455	435	723	- 1118	988
		D	4	3	220.0	- 232.0	228.0	2	449	- 464	459	1133	- 1183	1166
		C	3	5	254.0	- 254.0	254.0	N/Q	479	- 479	479	1435	- 1435	1435
		D	2	1	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	N/Q	433	- 433	433	1024	- 1024	1024
		D	3	71	195.0	- 220.0	205.3	-3	415	- 449	434	1024	- 1177	1089
		D	4	124	210.0	- 260.0	241.2	15	404	- 512	473	1155	- 2041	1436
				414	142.0	260.0		338	512		547	2041		
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	18	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	21	-			662	- 662	662
450-600		B	2	25	220.0	- 256.0	239.0	-27	407	- 474	443	1001	- 1498	1224
		C	2	6	212.0	- 213.0	212.2	-19	402	- 408	407	965	- 1033	976
600+		D	3	5	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	340	- 340	340	819	- 819	819
		B	2	25	232.0	- 286.0	261.0	-3	420	- 511	470	1644	- 3113	2341
		C	2	1	198.0	- 198.0	198.0	N/Q	367	- 367	367	1554	- 1554	1554
				80	180.0	286.0		340	511		662	3113		

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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