

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Gunnedah

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Yarding Change ²¹⁹⁵/₆₇₅

comparison date 08/09/2015

It was a good quality yarding with a good selection of properly finished cattle in all sections.

Vealers and heifer yearlings to the trade were firm while the steer yearlings were 3c/kg dearer. Vealers sold to 332c while the prime steer yearlings sold from 293c to 334c/kg. Prime heifer yearlings sold from 290c to 322c/kg. Young feeder cattle were 7c to 10c dearer with the feeder steers selling from 280c to 336c while the feeder heifers sold from 280c to 316c/kg. Young steers to the restockers sold to 336c/kg.

Grown steers to slaughter were around firm while those to feed were considerably dearer. Medium and heavy weight steers sold from 285c to 313c to slaughter and 345c/kg to feed. Grown heifers were 4c dearer selling to 316c/kg. Cows were 4c to 9c dearer with the 2 and 3 scores selling from 150c to 254c/kg. The 4 score cows sold from 238c to 270c with the heavy weights averaging 259c/kg. Bulls were dearer selling to 317c/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	4	298.0	- 298.0	298.0	N/Q	573	- 573	573	253	- 253	253
	RS	C	2	16	316.0	- 316.0	316.0	N/Q	-	-	-	474	- 474	474
				20	298.0		316.0		573		573	253		474
Vealer Steer														
200-280	RS	C	2	1	328.0	- 328.0	328.0	N/Q	-	-	-	738	- 738	738
		C	3	1	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	N/Q	604	- 604	604	880	- 880	880
280-330	FD	C	3	2	325.0	- 325.0	325.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1056	- 1056	1056
	RS	C	3	4	325.0	- 328.0	326.5	N/Q	-	-	-	935	- 959	947
330+	RS	C	3	3	328.0	- 328.0	328.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1164	- 1164	1164
		C	3	3	332.0	- 332.0	332.0	N/C	626	- 626	626	1212	- 1212	1212
				14	320.0		332.0		604		626	738		1212
Vealer Heifer														
200-280	RS	C	2	6	308.0	- 308.0	308.0	18	-	-	-	724	- 724	724
280-330	RS	C	2	2	298.0	- 298.0	298.0	N/Q	-	-	-	849	- 849	849
		C	3	6	305.0	- 310.0	308.3	N/C	574	- 576	575	946	- 977	966
	RS	C	3	11	300.0	- 311.0	307.6	N/Q	-	-	-	884	- 975	909
330+		C	3	71	310.0	- 328.0	319.9	N/C	583	- 613	598	1052	- 1333	1170
	FD	C	3	12	310.0	- 311.0	310.3	N/Q	-	-	-	1042	- 1132	1109
				108	298.0		328.0		574		613	724		1333
Yearling Steer														
200-280	RS	C	2	35	290.0	- 332.0	327.1	-1	-	-	-	798	- 913	854
280-330	RS	C	2	43	294.0	- 336.0	311.6	-12	-	-	-	911	- 1042	941
	FD	C	2	38	319.0	- 325.0	320.0	22	-	-	-	989	- 1056	1031
	FD	C	3	3	326.0	- 326.0	326.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1060	- 1060	1060
330-400	FD	C	2	74	301.0	- 336.0	329.9	21	-	-	-	1099	- 1223	1165
	RS	C	2	39	323.0	- 325.0	324.2	7	-	-	-	1147	- 1186	1171
	FD	C	3	107	319.0	- 335.0	332.3	10	-	-	-	1149	- 1290	1242
		C	3	1	325.0	- 325.0	325.0	N/Q	613	- 613	613	1186	- 1186	1186

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400+	RS	C	3	1	326.0	- 326.0	326.0	N/Q	-			1092	- 1092	1092
	FD	C	2	16	280.0	- 328.0	315.5	1	-			1190	- 1361	1307
	FD	C	3	207	310.0	- 335.0	328.1	11	-			1303	- 1712	1512
		C	3	27	293.0	- 334.0	319.0	3	543	- 619	597	1287	- 1628	1421
				591	280.0	336.0			543	619		798	1712	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	RS	C	2	41	279.0	- 290.0	286.5	N/Q	-			586	- 798	706
280-330	RS	C	2	21	266.0	- 285.0	270.6	-1	-			758	- 926	787
	FD	C	2	8	298.0	- 298.0	298.0	N/Q	-			939	- 939	939
	FD	C	3	24	313.0	- 313.0	313.0	18	-			1033	- 1033	1033
330-400	FD	C	2	4	280.0	- 290.0	287.5	10	-			938	- 972	963
	RS	C	2	15	263.0	- 300.0	282.1	-2	-			966	- 1095	1014
		C	2	2	297.0	- 297.0	297.0	N/Q	560	- 560	560	1084	- 1084	1084
		C	3	82	297.0	- 320.0	312.3	1	560	- 604	583	1055	- 1256	1120
	FD	C	3	108	297.0	- 316.0	311.3	-1	-			1042	- 1217	1141
	RS	C	3	17	308.0	- 311.0	310.6	N/Q	-			1032	- 1042	1041
400+	FD	C	2	2	283.0	- 283.0	283.0	N/Q	-			1203	- 1203	1203
		C	2	3	306.0	- 306.0	306.0	N/Q	577	- 577	577	1270	- 1270	1270
		C	3	196	290.0	- 322.0	310.4	-1	547	- 596	579	1243	- 1638	1430
	FD	C	3	114	290.0	- 315.0	311.6	7	-			1204	- 1596	1369
		D	4	2	272.0	- 272.0	272.0	N/Q	523	- 523	523	1482	- 1482	1482
				639	263.0	322.0			523	604		586	1638	
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	2	6	316.0	- 320.0	316.7	32	-			1438	- 1520	1452
	FD	C	3	23	328.0	- 328.0	328.0	N/Q	-			1525	- 1525	1525
		C	3	12	311.0	- 328.0	322.3	N/Q	576	- 607	597	1539	- 1591	1574
500-600		C	2	5	270.0	- 280.0	277.2	7	500	- 521	515	1442	- 1559	1466
	FD	C	3	81	318.0	- 345.0	338.2	47	-			1622	- 1777	1751
		C	3	13	285.0	- 295.0	292.1	-18	538	- 557	544	1519	- 1667	1629
600-750		C	3	9	299.0	- 313.0	302.6	-2	544	- 580	555	1869	- 1988	1894
		C	4	16	305.0	- 306.0	305.9	N/Q	556	- 565	557	1906	- 1913	1912
				165	270.0	345.0			500	607		1438	1988	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	2	8	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	20	-			1117	- 1117	1117
		C	2	1	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	519	- 519	519	1283	- 1283	1283
	FD	C	3	8	279.0	- 279.0	279.0	-18	-			1214	- 1214	1214
		C	3	89	270.0	- 316.0	284.1	3	509	- 587	535	1218	- 1627	1379
		D	3	39	224.0	- 257.0	243.1	-15	439	- 481	465	832	- 1267	1096
540+		C	3	37	270.0	- 304.0	290.4	5	509	- 574	546	1472	- 1886	1656
				182	224.0	316.0			439	587		832	1886	
Cows														
0-400		D	2	7	170.0	- 220.0	184.3	-30	386	- 500	419	655	- 847	710
		D	3	1	214.0	- 214.0	214.0	N/Q	455	- 455	455	824	- 824	824
400-520		D	2	6	150.0	- 220.0	183.5	-25	341	- 500	417	623	- 957	785
		D	3	41	217.0	- 254.0	240.6	5	462	- 540	514	1022	- 1178	1108

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520+		D	4	4	248.0	- 248.0	248.0	N/Q	506	- 506	506	1203	- 1203	1203
		D	3	54	222.0	- 252.0	235.8	9	472	- 536	503	1197	- 1323	1246
		D	4	153	238.0	- 270.0	259.4	4	467	- 519	501	1250	- 1989	1604
		D	5	6	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	-6	451	- 451	451	1346	- 1346	1346
				272	150.0	270.0		341	540		623	1989		
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	10	268.0	- 268.0	268.0	N/Q	515	- 515	515	978	- 978	978
		FD	C	2	19	278.0	- 278.0	278.0	N/Q	-	-	806	- 806	806
		RS	C	2	10	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	-	-	743	- 743	743
450-600		C	2	9	270.0	- 296.0	283.4	N/Q	500	- 548	525	1330	- 1732	1413
600+		B	2	34	285.0	- 317.0	298.9	3	514	- 567	539	1825	- 4590	3149
		C	2	11	271.0	- 305.0	289.2	13	519	- 552	536	1775	- 3660	2236
		C	3	1	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	546	- 546	546	2316	- 2316	2316
					94	268.0	317.0		500	567		743	4590	

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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