

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### NVLX Wodonga

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Yarding Change 815  
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Wet weather impacted on supplies, with numbers declining moderately. Grass finished cattle lacked finish, so domestic buyers were forced to compete strongly for a share of the vealers and supplementary fed yearlings. Most of the usual buyers were in attendance however, not all feed lot buyers were operating.

Prices for the better covered vealers were up to 11c/kg dearer due to the limited offering. European vealers and their crosses sold from 335c to 352c/kg. Medium weight trade heifer prices were assisted by the lack of numbers. Medium weight trade heifer sold from 296c to 318c while the lighter weight supplementary fed portion recorded a top price of 330c/kg. Trade steers sold to slightly weaker demand and the better finished steers sold at 320c to 340.2c/kg.

The bulk of the yearling steer offering was very mixed, with some steers in plain condition. Local feedlot competition was strong and there was increased competition from northern NSW. Medium weight steers sold from 292c to 335c/kg. There was less bidding for heifers to feed on, with light weight heifers selling from 296c to 318c/kg.

In the export market demand fluctuated from both domestic and export processors, due to the drop in quality. Grown steers and bullocks made from 286c to 334c/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>Vealer Steer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	3	337.2	- 337.2	337.2	20	-			944	- 944	944
280-330	RS	C	2	47	315.0	- 340.6	334.4	5	-			943	- 1107	1035
	FD	C	2	6	335.0	- 335.0	335.0	11	-			1089	- 1089	1089
330+		B	2	6	336.0	- 348.0	342.3	7	604	- 639	619	1197	- 1419	1301
		C	2	2	334.0	- 334.0	334.0	N/Q	630	- 630	630	1182	- 1182	1182
	FD	C	2	12	302.0	- 335.2	325.1	-8	-			1009	- 1320	1147
	RS	C	2	6	315.2	- 315.2	315.2	N/Q	-			1179	- 1179	1179
				<b>82</b>	<b>302.0</b>	<b>348.0</b>			<b>604</b>	<b>639</b>		<b>943</b>	<b>1419</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	6	305.0	- 310.0	309.2	10	576	- 585	583	854	- 868	866
	RS	C	2	20	285.0	- 312.2	306.5	N/Q	-			755	- 863	810
	FD	D	2	3	298.2	- 298.2	298.2	N/Q	-			775	- 775	775
	RS	D	2	1	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	-			728	- 728	728
280-330	FD	C	2	2	302.0	- 302.0	302.0	N/Q	-			906	- 906	906
		C	2	8	300.0	- 314.0	307.6	-13	556	- 604	584	942	- 979	955
330+		B	2	5	335.0	- 352.2	340.4	11	607	- 629	617	1210	- 1321	1237
		C	2	6	300.0	- 310.0	306.1	6	556	- 574	567	1035	- 1194	1138
	FD	C	2	5	302.0	- 304.2	303.3	N/Q	-			1012	- 1049	1034
		C	3	11	327.2	- 329.2	327.4	13	584	- 588	585	1129	- 1317	1146
				<b>67</b>	<b>260.0</b>	<b>352.2</b>			<b>556</b>	<b>629</b>		<b>728</b>	<b>1321</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	16	315.0	- 339.2	328.8	N/Q	-			772	- 891	825
280-330	RS	C	2	5	310.0	- 310.0	310.0	-30	-			884	- 884	884
	RS	D	2	2	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-			870	- 870	870
330-400		C	2	3	328.0	- 328.0	328.0	N/Q	607	- 607	607	1296	- 1296	1296

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400+	FD	C	2	26	300.0	- 335.0	326.1	2	-				1005	- 1307	1220	
		C	3	11	340.2	- 346.2	344.6	5	630	- 641	638		1310	- 1374	1357	
	RS	D	2	3	288.2	- 288.2	288.2	8	-				1081	- 1081	1081	
	FD	C	2	61	292.0	- 332.2	319.9	1	-				1295	- 1523	1409	
		C	2	14	292.0	- 312.0	305.6	3	541	- 578	566		1495	- 1553	1510	
		C	3	43	320.0	- 340.2	329.3	-2	593	- 630	610		1324	- 1640	1531	
	RS	D	1	8	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	-				1198	- 1198	1198	
	FD	D	2	2	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-				1192	- 1192	1192	
		D	2	9	287.2	- 287.2	287.2	5	552	- 552	552		1407	- 1407	1407	
				<b>203</b>	<b>240.0</b>	<b>346.2</b>						<b>541</b>	<b>641</b>		<b>772</b>	<b>1640</b>
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>																
200-280	FD	D	2	9	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	-				716	- 716	716	
330-400	FD	C	2	15	290.0	- 310.2	302.9	1	-				1117	- 1238	1199	
		C	3	32	300.0	- 330.2	312.6	2	556	- 612	588		1035	- 1271	1179	
	FD	D	2	4	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	N/Q	-				980	- 980	980	
	RS	D	2	2	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	N/Q	-				877	- 877	877	
	FD	D	3	3	274.2	- 274.2	274.2	-1	-				1080	- 1080	1080	
400+	FD	C	2	11	296.0	- 303.2	300.7	2	-				1216	- 1470	1320	
		C	3	53	296.0	- 318.0	309.9	-2	548	- 589	574		1276	- 1535	1455	
		C	4	1	304.2	- 304.2	304.2	N/Q	563	- 563	563		1491	- 1491	1491	
				<b>130</b>	<b>255.0</b>	<b>330.2</b>						<b>548</b>	<b>612</b>		<b>716</b>	<b>1535</b>
<b>Grown Steer</b>																
400-500		C	2	8	330.0	- 330.0	330.0	N/Q	611	- 611	611		1650	- 1650	1650	
		FD	C	2	8	280.2	- 280.2	280.2	N/Q	-				1387	- 1387	1387
		FD	D	2	2	284.0	- 284.0	284.0	N/Q	-				1349	- 1349	1349
		RS	D	2	2	248.0	- 248.0	248.0	N/Q	-				1004	- 1004	1004
500-600	FD	C	2	9	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	-				1380	- 1380	1380	
		C	2	8	275.0	- 275.0	275.0	N/Q	509	- 509	509		1389	- 1389	1389	
		C	3	100	288.0	- 334.0	312.9	-12	533	- 619	579		1525	- 1897	1771	
		FD	C	3	4	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	-				1628	- 1628	1628
		C	4	10	315.0	- 315.0	315.0	N/Q	583	- 583	583		1859	- 1859	1859	
600-750		RS	D	2	2	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	-				1409	- 1409	1409
		D	3	13	255.0	- 315.0	282.7	N/Q	481	- 583	528		1359	- 1644	1491	
		C	4	50	288.2	- 315.0	302.9	-10	534	- 583	561		1791	- 2105	1948	
					<b>216</b>	<b>248.0</b>	<b>334.0</b>						<b>481</b>	<b>619</b>		<b>1004</b>
<b>Grown Heifer</b>																
0-540	FD	C	2	11	284.0	- 284.0	284.0	N/Q	-				1377	- 1377	1377	
		C	3	18	270.0	- 316.0	299.6	N/Q	500	- 585	557		1345	- 1615	1492	
		C	4	5	306.0	- 315.0	311.4	35	567	- 583	577		1564	- 1610	1591	
540+		C	4	23	280.6	- 306.0	295.9	N/Q	520	- 567	548		1698	- 2391	1924	
		D	4	1	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	N/Q	454	- 454	454		1387	- 1387	1387	
		D	5	9	239.2	- 239.2	239.2	N/Q	451	- 451	451		1701	- 1701	1701	
				<b>67</b>	<b>239.2</b>	<b>316.0</b>						<b>451</b>	<b>585</b>		<b>1345</b>	<b>2391</b>
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>																
0-540	RS	D	1	2	204.2	- 204.2	204.2	N/Q	-				592	- 592	592	

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RS	D	2	2	2	242.0	- 242.0	242.0	N/Q	-			1094	- 1094	1094
DA	D	2	5	5	249.2	- 249.2	249.2	9	479	- 479	479	1244	- 1244	1244
	D	2	5	5	232.0	- 322.0	268.0	19	446	- 644	525	893	- 1256	1038
	D	3	5	5	257.2	- 257.2	257.2	N/Q	495	- 495	495	1260	- 1260	1260
DA	E	1	10	10	113.2	- 113.2	113.2	N/Q	236	- 236	236	340	- 340	340
DA	E	2	10	10	164.2	- 164.2	164.2	N/Q	342	- 342	342	493	- 493	493
				<b>39</b>	<b>113.2</b>	<b>322.0</b>			<b>236</b>	<b>644</b>		<b>340</b>	<b>1260</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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