

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Gunnedah

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Yarding Change ²³⁶⁵
960

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It was only a fair quality yarding with a good selection of well finished cows and only a very limited selection of prime conditioned young cattle throughout. There was a good selection of young cattle suitable for the restockers and feeders.

The few cattle suitable for the trade were 5c dearer with vealers selling to 340c and the prime heifer yearlings selling from 301c to 335c/kg. The feeder steers were firm to 5c/kg dearer, while the feeder heifers were around firm. The feeder steers sold from 315c to 364c, while the feeder heifers sold from 260c to 328c/kg. Young steers to the restockers were 15c dearer selling to 436c, while the restocker heifers sold to 416c/kg.

Grown steers were 5c dearer with the few prime medium weights selling from 272c to 293c/kg. Grown heifers were firm selling to 305c/kg. Cows were firm to 3c cheaper, with the 2 scores selling from 170c to 206c/kg. The better 3 and 4 scores sold from 200c to 254c, with the 4 score heavy weights averaging 238c/kg. Bulls sold to 283c/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	2	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	N/Q	-	-	-	352	- 352	352
				2	320.0	320.0			0	0		352	352	
Vealer Steer														
0-200	RS	C	2	16	436.0	- 436.0	436.0	15	-	-	-	807	- 807	807
200-280	RS	C	2	147	320.0	- 406.0	385.2	17	-	-	-	784	- 1117	930
280-330	RS	C	2	52	369.0	- 395.0	387.7	22	-	-	-	1052	- 1268	1202
330+	FD	C	2	3	350.0	- 350.0	350.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1208	- 1208	1208
	RS	C	3	1	368.0	- 368.0	368.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1343	- 1343	1343
				219	320.0	436.0			0	0		784	1343	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	C	2	14	340.0	- 416.0	394.3	-26	-	-	-	459	- 686	621
200-280	RS	C	2	22	320.0	- 346.0	336.1	-12	-	-	-	695	- 882	812
280-330		C	2	13	306.0	- 306.0	306.0	-39	589	- 589	589	872	- 872	872
330+		C	3	6	319.0	- 340.0	326.2	N/Q	614	- 642	625	1172	- 1196	1184
				55	306.0	416.0			589	642		459	1196	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	3	345.0	- 345.0	345.0	N/Q	-	-	-	949	- 949	949
	RS	C	2	40	393.0	- 393.0	393.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1041	- 1041	1041
280-330	RS	C	2	39	350.0	- 386.0	367.1	38	-	-	-	1092	- 1255	1139
	FD	C	2	5	364.0	- 364.0	364.0	24	-	-	-	1037	- 1037	1037
330-400	FD	C	2	178	315.0	- 357.0	343.9	-4	-	-	-	1126	- 1359	1284
	RS	C	2	39	260.0	- 373.0	361.2	40	-	-	-	975	- 1303	1262
	FD	C	3	10	338.0	- 345.0	341.8	-10	-	-	-	1132	- 1328	1265
	RS	D	3	18	254.0	- 254.0	254.0	N/Q	-	-	-	876	- 876	876
400+	FD	C	2	119	320.0	- 355.0	341.1	N/C	-	-	-	1328	- 1570	1441
	FD	C	3	296	321.0	- 353.0	341.1	5	-	-	-	1410	- 1703	1514
				747	254.0	393.0			0	0		876	1703	
Yearling Heifer														

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200-280	FD	C	2	10	327.0	- 327.0	327.0	N/Q	-			899	- 899	899	
	RS	C	2	12	305.0	- 310.0	307.1	N/Q	-			822	- 839	832	
280-330	RS	C	2	41	307.0	- 334.0	323.3	10	-			998	- 1060	1033	
	FD	C	2	13	306.0	- 320.0	318.9	-3	-			995	- 1040	1037	
		C	3	7	290.0	- 335.0	302.9	N/Q	569	- 632	587	943	- 1089	984	
330-400	FD	C	2	85	260.0	- 321.0	307.1	-23	-			975	- 1204	1088	
	RS	C	2	62	321.0	- 330.0	325.7	-3	-			1139	- 1251	1165	
	RS	C	3	28	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	-16	-			1232	- 1232	1232	
		C	3	38	306.0	- 328.0	317.5	5	577	- 619	599	1209	- 1296	1236	
	FD	C	3	50	310.0	- 323.0	321.1	-5	-			1163	- 1244	1225	
400+	RS	C	2	9	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-			1378	- 1378	1378	
	FD	C	2	44	307.0	- 328.0	318.3	N/C	-			1289	- 1428	1359	
	FD	C	3	88	302.0	- 319.0	307.2	N/Q	-			1256	- 1435	1349	
		C	3	42	301.0	- 315.0	304.1	10	579	- 594	582	1234	- 1473	1306	
				529	260.0	335.0			569	632		822	1473		
Grown Steer															
0-400	FD	C	2	15	310.0	- 326.0	319.6	N/Q	-			1194	- 1255	1230	
400-500	FD	C	2	43	264.0	- 334.0	291.2	-9	-			1121	- 1504	1298	
		C	3	15	272.0	- 272.0	272.0	N/Q	523	- 523	523	1346	- 1346	1346	
	FD	C	3	17	325.0	- 376.0	346.0	11	-			1576	- 1786	1663	
500-600	FD	C	3	34	295.0	- 335.0	318.4	N/Q	-			1549	- 1709	1643	
		C	3	16	285.0	- 293.0	292.3	5	538	- 564	555	1533	- 1568	1545	
600-750		C	4	2	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	509	- 509	509	1890	- 1890	1890	
				142	264.0	376.0			509	564		1121	1890		
Grown Heifer															
0-540	FD	C	2	53	270.0	- 305.0	284.9	-18	-			1094	- 1416	1280	
	RS	C	2	12	280.0	- 297.0	288.5	-32	-			1084	- 1274	1179	
	FD	C	3	38	268.0	- 301.0	291.2	N/Q	-			1219	- 1430	1349	
	RS	C	3	6	292.0	- 292.0	292.0	N/Q	-			1212	- 1212	1212	
		C	3	49	255.0	- 305.0	283.1	-1	490	- 587	541	1190	- 1549	1328	
540+		C	3	15	283.0	- 288.0	286.7	N/Q	534	- 554	549	1570	- 1684	1600	
				173	255.0	305.0			490	587		1084	1684		
Manufacturing Steer															
540+		D	2	3	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	375	- 375	375	1053	- 1053	1053	
				3	180.0	180.0			375	375		1053	1053		
Cows															
400-520		D	2	43	170.0	- 206.0	194.4	-13	386	- 468	440	697	- 975	892	
		D	3	38	205.0	- 234.0	221.7	2	436	- 498	472	994	- 1135	1093	
520+		D	3	49	200.0	- 228.0	217.8	-19	426	- 485	463	1050	- 1425	1159	
		D	4	190	220.0	- 254.0	238.3	-5	431	- 502	467	1208	- 1588	1369	
				320	170.0	254.0			386	502		697	1588		
Bulls															
450-600		B	2	1	252.0	- 252.0	252.0	N/Q	476	- 476	476	1323	- 1323	1323	
		RS	C	2	5	251.0	- 251.0	251.0	N/Q	-			1142	- 1142	1142
			C	2	8	210.0	- 266.0	247.0	18	404	- 512	468	1163	- 1229	1177

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600+	B	2	15	240.0	- 283.0	264.7	2	453	- 524	493	1594	- 3375	2251	
	C	2	7	220.0	- 262.0	243.1	-1	423	- 504	461	1507	- 2760	1983	
			36	210.0	283.0			404	524		1142	3375		

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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