

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Dubbo

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As the seasonal conditions remain dry the numbers continue to roll in with another large yarding. There were some good runs of well finished trade cattle and grown steers which were mostly grain assisted. Once again there were large numbers of young cattle lacking finish and there were not as many cows as the previous sale. Not all the regular buyers were operating in a cheaper market.

Young cattle to kill were 10c to 15c cheaper and up to 20c/kg down to the restockers and feeders. Vealers to kill sold from 120c to 171c while prime steer yearlings sold from 137c to 190c with the C3 heavy weights averaging 165c/kg. Steer yearlings to the restockers and feeders sold from 100c to 175c while the heifer portion sold from 80c to 145c/kg.

Grown steers were 8c to 12c cheaper with the C3 and C4 medium and heavy weights selling from 132c to 175c/kg. Cows fell by 7c to 12c with D2 lightweights selling from 40c to 60c/kg. The better D3 and D4 medium and heavy weight cows sold from 80c to 108c while C muscle cows topped at 111c/kg. The best bull sold for 165c/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>Calves</b>														
0-80		D	2	1	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	240	- 240	240	94	- 94	94
80+		D	2	10	130.0	- 153.6	146.5	N/Q	250	- 295	282	154	- 163	156
				<b>11</b>	<b>125.0</b>	<b>153.6</b>	<b>144.5</b>		<b>240</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>151</b>
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
0-200	RS	C	2	80	130.2	- 179.6	146.4	11	-	-	239	- 350	257	
200-280	RS	C	2	32	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	1	-	-	353	- 353	353	
		C	2	15	120.0	- 142.0	127.3	-8	231	- 268	243	264	- 391	306
280-330	RS	C	2	11	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	-16	-	-	371	- 371	371	
		C	3	9	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	-56	296	- 296	296	520	- 520	520
330+		C	3	19	154.0	- 183.6	176.5	-35	285	- 338	324	562	- 780	673
	FD	C	3	9	153.0	- 153.0	153.0	N/Q	-	-	650	- 650	650	
				<b>175</b>	<b>120.0</b>	<b>183.6</b>	<b>148.7</b>		<b>231</b>	<b>338</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>780</b>	<b>365</b>
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
0-200		C	2	34	121.0	- 150.0	141.4	N/Q	233	- 289	272	212	- 271	263
	RS	C	2	97	110.0	- 146.6	121.6	N/Q	-	-	193	- 257	208	
	RS	D	2	31	129.2	- 129.2	129.2	N/Q	-	-	239	- 239	239	
200-280		C	2	65	129.6	- 145.2	136.2	N/Q	245	- 274	259	285	- 348	315
		C	3	2	135.0	- 141.2	138.1	N/Q	255	- 266	261	360	- 371	366
280-330		C	2	2	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	298	- 298	298	481	- 481	481
		C	3	51	134.2	- 170.6	141.4	N/Q	253	- 310	266	382	- 554	434
330+		C	2	5	140.0	- 170.2	158.1	N/Q	264	- 321	298	469	- 570	530
		C	3	21	166.6	- 170.2	169.3	-42	314	- 321	320	587	- 591	588
				<b>308</b>	<b>110.0</b>	<b>170.6</b>	<b>135.1</b>		<b>233</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>311</b>
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330	FD	C	2	107	124.2	- 175.2	146.6	N/C	-	-	397	- 569	447	
	RS	C	2	241	100.2	- 163.6	145.4	-2	-	-	226	- 487	418	
	RS	D	2	44	139.2	- 139.2	139.2	N/Q	-	-	320	- 320	320	

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330-400	RS	D	3	16	134.2	- 134.2	134.2	19	-			369	-	369	369	
	RS	C	2	17	135.0	- 152.2	145.1	N/C	-			520	-	571	550	
	FD	C	2	168	110.0	- 155.2	140.3	-15	-			385	-	589	519	
		C	2	3	137.2	- 137.2	137.2	-14	259	-	259	259	528	-	528	528
		C	3	16	155.0	- 161.0	159.6	-21	282	-	304	298	584	-	620	607
	FD	C	3	15	139.6	- 142.0	141.7	-9	-			490	-	551	498	
	RS	C	3	11	140.6	- 141.0	140.8	-9	-			515	-	541	529	
	RS	D	2	9	114.2	- 114.2	114.2	10	-			417	-	417	417	
400+	RS	D	3	18	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	-			408	-	408	408	
	RS	C	2	65	120.0	- 152.2	146.9	-3	-			522	-	757	637	
	FD	C	2	24	120.0	- 137.2	130.3	-15	-			546	-	699	610	
		C	2	8	123.2	- 127.6	124.3	-22	237	-	245	239	524	-	542	528
		C	3	133	139.6	- 190.2	167.9	-9	263	-	346	306	593	-	922	747
	FD	C	3	70	150.2	- 158.2	155.7	6	-			647	-	789	706	
	RS	C	3	3	143.6	- 143.6	143.6	-11	-			625	-	625	625	
		C	4	4	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	282	-	282	282	876	-	876	876
				<b>972</b>	<b>100.2</b>	<b>190.2</b>	<b>146.8</b>		<b>237</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>922</b>	<b>530</b>		
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>																
0-330		C	2	66	114.2	- 140.0	128.2	-2	220	-	264	246	325	-	413	366
	FD	C	2	10	112.2	- 112.2	112.2	N/Q	-			353	-	353	353	
	RS	C	2	185	103.0	- 118.2	111.2	-23	-			227	-	384	261	
		C	3	35	112.6	- 179.2	164.0	N/Q	213	-	352	301	366	-	573	515
	RS	D	2	76	80.6	- 107.2	94.9	-23	-			197	-	276	239	
	RS	D	3	9	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	3	-			358	-	358	358	
	FD	D	3	15	85.0	- 100.0	88.0	N/Q	-			225	-	275	242	
		D	3	5	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	-22	189	-	189	189	255	-	255	255
330-400		C	2	11	108.2	- 130.0	116.1	-28	208	-	245	222	362	-	501	413
	FD	C	2	13	117.2	- 125.0	120.2	-13	-			444	-	451	448	
	RS	C	2	62	109.6	- 122.0	112.7	-22	-			378	-	424	395	
	RS	C	3	22	114.6	- 114.6	114.6	N/Q	-			384	-	384	384	
	FD	C	3	23	135.2	- 145.2	138.2	N/Q	-			521	-	559	532	
		C	3	39	143.8	- 185.2	165.4	20	266	-	319	296	518	-	667	604
	400+	FD	C	2	20	110.0	- 110.2	110.0	N/Q	-			451	-	534	465
		FD	C	3	23	110.6	- 160.0	151.4	N/Q	-			481	-	680	645
	C	3	50	100.0	- 154.0	143.2	-20	185	-	280	265	425	-	668	610	
	RS	D	3	14	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	-10	-			425	-	425	425	
				<b>678</b>	<b>80.6</b>	<b>185.2</b>	<b>121.1</b>		<b>185</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>383</b>		
<b>Grown Steer</b>																
400-500		C	2	116	120.0	- 150.0	137.1	N/Q	245	-	289	268	498	-	653	597
	FD	C	2	28	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	-14	-			592	-	592	592	
	RS	C	2	10	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	-			519	-	519	519	
		C	3	33	110.0	- 154.0	133.2	-15	208	-	291	251	468	-	747	622
		C	4	26	120.0	- 174.6	157.2	-17	226	-	329	290	570	-	847	760
	RS	D	3	6	80.0	- 80.0	80.0	-42	-			324	-	324	324	
		D	3	11	100.0	- 115.0	104.1	N/Q	189	-	226	199	485	-	558	505

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500-600		C	3	8	132.0	- 132.0	132.0	-16	244	- 244	244	693	- 693	693
	FD	C	3	43	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	-			663	- 663	663
		C	4	129	135.0	- 170.2	166.8	-7	255	- 321	302	763	- 990	948
		D	3	14	104.0	- 104.0	104.0	N/Q	204	- 204	204	546	- 546	546
600-750		C	4	14	150.0	- 173.6	154.7	-16	278	- 322	285	938	- 1085	967
				<b>438</b>	<b>80.0</b>	<b>174.6</b>	<b>143.1</b>		<b>189</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>1085</b>	<b>722</b>
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	FD	C	2	15	118.2	- 118.2	118.2	N/Q	-			384	- 384	384
		C	3	4	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	-3	264	- 264	264	623	- 623	623
	RS	D	3	6	104.0	- 104.0	104.0	-3	-			473	- 473	473
		D	3	2	80.0	- 80.0	80.0	N/Q	167	- 167	167	332	- 332	332
540+		C	4	19	133.2	- 139.6	133.5	N/Q	247	- 263	248	779	- 817	781
				<b>46</b>	<b>80.0</b>	<b>140.0</b>	<b>122.9</b>		<b>167</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>817</b>	<b>578</b>
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
0-540		D	3	4	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	234	- 234	234	534	- 534	534
				<b>4</b>	<b>110.0</b>	<b>110.0</b>	<b>110.0</b>		<b>234</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>534</b>
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400	RS	D	1	6	20.0	- 20.0	20.0	-27	-			77	- 77	77
	RS	D	2	29	40.0	- 60.0	55.2	-5	-			154	- 231	212
		D	2	4	54.0	- 54.0	54.0	-13	123	- 123	123	213	- 213	213
		D	3	3	70.0	- 70.0	70.0	N/Q	159	- 159	159	270	- 270	270
400-520	FD	C	2	6	149.6	- 149.6	149.6	N/Q	-			636	- 636	636
	RS	D	2	34	38.2	- 79.2	60.4	-3	-			157	- 325	251
		D	2	91	40.0	- 90.0	75.5	-9	85	- 205	172	170	- 392	335
		D	3	222	80.0	- 99.2	90.8	-11	170	- 211	196	340	- 481	425
	RS	D	3	8	102.0	- 102.0	102.0	N/Q	-			464	- 464	464
		D	4	55	85.6	- 108.2	101.3	-10	178	- 221	208	389	- 552	507
520+		C	3	7	111.0	- 111.0	111.0	N/Q	218	- 218	218	649	- 649	649
		D	2	13	75.0	- 75.0	75.0	N/Q	171	- 171	171	424	- 424	424
		D	3	63	94.2	- 100.0	97.7	-7	200	- 208	205	495	- 525	513
		D	4	114	95.2	- 108.0	101.8	-11	196	- 216	206	516	- 663	562
				<b>655</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>149.6</b>	<b>88.6</b>		<b>85</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>663</b>	<b>433</b>
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450		C	2	173	100.0	- 120.0	106.8	-65	192	- 231	209	255	- 431	399
450-600		C	2	22	100.0	- 132.0	128.7	-3	192	- 259	252	585	- 732	617
600+		C	2	26	105.0	- 165.0	128.7	-9	214	- 311	245	758	- 1238	890
		C	3	1	157.2	- 157.2	157.2	N/Q	281	- 281	281	1548	- 1548	1548
				<b>222</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>165.0</b>	<b>111.8</b>		<b>192</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>1548</b>	<b>483</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

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