

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Dubbo

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Yarding Change <sup>1660</sup>  
160

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It was a mixed quality yarding with limited numbers of prime trade cattle and grown steers however there were good numbers of young cattle lacking finish along with a pretty good supply of cows. Not all the regular export buyers were operating due to the lack of numbers of suitable grown steers.

Vealers and steer yearlings to the trade were firm while heifer yearlings were 3c/kg dearer. Vealers to the trade sold from 154c to 215.2c/kg. Steer yearlings to the trade sold from 160c to 208.2c while heifer yearlings sold from 140c to 198c with medium weights averaging 185c/kg. Young steers to the restockers and feeders were dearer and sold from 140c to 190c averaging 172c while the heifer portion ranged in price from 95c to 169c/kg.

Limited numbers of grown steers were firm to 2c cheaper with the C3 and C4 medium and heavy weights selling from 152c to 187.2c/kg. Grown heifers sold to 166c/kg. Cows to the processors were firm while those to the restockers were dearer with more activity from restockers on suitable lines. The 2 score cows sold from 50c to 95c to the processors and 109c/kg to the restockers. The D3 and D4 medium and heavy weights cows sold from 93c to 120c with 4 score heavy weights averaging 113c/kg. Bulls sold to 153.2c/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>														
80+	RS	C	2	1	171.2	- 171.2	171.2	N/Q	-	-	-	248	- 248	248
		D	2	3	200.0	- 216.2	205.4	N/Q	385	- 416	395	220	- 238	226
	RS	D	2	8	186.6	- 186.6	186.6	N/Q	-	-	-	289	- 289	289
				<b>12</b>	<b>171.2</b>	<b>216.2</b>	<b>190.0</b>		<b>385</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>395</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>270</b>
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
0-200	RS	C	2	1	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	N/Q	-	-	-	311	- 311	311
200-280	RS	C	2	11	150.2	- 174.0	167.7	15	-	-	-	367	- 457	399
	FD	C	2	1	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	-	-	-	395	- 395	395
280-330	RS	C	2	2	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	-	-	-	442	- 442	442
		C	3	1	204.2	- 204.2	204.2	N/Q	378	- 378	378	664	- 664	664
330+		C	2	1	154.6	- 154.6	154.6	N/Q	292	- 292	292	533	- 533	533
		C	3	10	181.6	- 215.2	211.8	47	336	- 384	380	627	- 850	828
				<b>27</b>	<b>150.2</b>	<b>215.2</b>	<b>183.5</b>		<b>292</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>372</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>850</b>	<b>573</b>
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
0-200		C	2	1	149.6	- 149.6	149.6	N/Q	282	- 282	282	262	- 262	262
200-280		C	2	8	140.0	- 155.0	145.6	6	264	- 293	275	385	- 411	395
	RS	C	2	7	137.2	- 148.2	145.1	N/Q	-	-	-	311	- 336	318
		C	3	2	155.0	- 164.2	159.6	N/Q	293	- 310	301	411	- 419	415
280-330		C	2	9	133.2	- 192.2	165.8	N/Q	251	- 363	313	393	- 625	493
		C	3	11	169.2	- 193.2	186.5	21	319	- 351	341	525	- 628	597
330+		C	3	10	207.2	- 207.2	207.2	N/Q	370	- 370	370	818	- 818	818
				<b>48</b>	<b>133.2</b>	<b>207.2</b>	<b>172.2</b>		<b>251</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>818</b>	<b>535</b>
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330	FD	C	2	18	155.0	- 166.2	161.2	-8	-	-	-	442	- 540	488
	RS	C	2	102	150.2	- 190.0	172.9	22	-	-	-	375	- 557	491
		C	3	14	201.2	- 201.2	201.2	4	380	- 380	380	664	- 664	664

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330-400		C	2	7	160.0	- 171.2	166.4	N/Q	308	- 317	313	568	- 659	620
	RS	C	2	16	162.6	- 173.2	168.0	12	-	-	-	568	- 667	616
	FD	C	2	32	142.6	- 169.2	147.9	-16	-	-	-	506	- 635	523
400+		C	3	19	173.2	- 208.6	193.8	2	327	- 401	367	632	- 782	704
		C	2	3	156.0	- 162.0	158.0	-2	300	- 300	300	679	- 680	679
	FD	C	2	72	140.0	- 176.2	154.5	-6	-	-	-	574	- 758	648
	RS	C	2	7	164.2	- 164.2	164.2	N/Q	-	-	-	665	- 665	665
	RS	C	3	9	161.2	- 161.2	161.2	12	-	-	-	701	- 701	701
	FD	C	3	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	-	774	- 774	774
		C	3	48	150.0	- 188.2	181.3	-7	273	- 336	329	653	- 908	820
	LE	C	3	9	188.2	- 188.2	188.2	N/Q	336	- 336	336	819	- 819	819
		D	3	3	135.0	- 152.0	145.7	-19	250	- 283	272	567	- 722	642
				<b>360</b>	<b>135.0</b>	<b>208.6</b>	<b>169.0</b>		<b>250</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>375</b>	<b>908</b>	<b>615</b>
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-330	RS	C	2	53	140.0	- 159.2	153.1	9	-	-	-	343	- 455	429
		C	2	7	140.6	- 140.6	140.6	2	270	- 270	270	401	- 401	401
	FD	C	2	52	149.2	- 169.6	168.0	38	-	-	-	485	- 560	552
		C	3	2	174.2	- 174.2	174.2	N/Q	329	- 329	329	496	- 496	496
	RS	D	2	18	95.2	- 120.0	103.7	15	-	-	-	248	- 281	272
	RS	D	3	24	106.2	- 142.2	126.7	22	-	-	-	317	- 449	378
		D	3	2	139.2	- 139.2	139.2	N/Q	268	- 268	268	355	- 355	355
330-400	FD	C	2	35	145.0	- 163.2	158.4	12	-	-	-	500	- 628	578
		C	3	37	155.0	- 198.2	185.1	7	293	- 360	340	535	- 713	678
	FD	C	3	28	169.2	- 169.2	169.2	N/Q	-	-	-	651	- 651	651
	RS	D	3	19	101.2	- 132.0	102.8	-12	-	-	-	349	- 508	358
		D	3	1	142.2	- 142.2	142.2	N/Q	274	- 274	274	547	- 547	547
400+	FD	C	2	8	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	12	-	-	-	587	- 587	587
		C	3	8	140.0	- 167.2	161.1	-13	264	- 316	304	609	- 686	674
	RS	C	3	11	148.0	- 148.0	148.0	N/Q	-	-	-	614	- 614	614
	RS	D	3	15	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	18	-	-	-	531	- 531	531
				<b>320</b>	<b>95.2</b>	<b>198.2</b>	<b>151.7</b>		<b>264</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>713</b>	<b>518</b>
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
400-500	FD	C	2	78	145.0	- 185.2	166.8	8	-	-	-	674	- 787	746
		C	3	10	152.0	- 163.2	157.1	7	282	- 302	292	646	- 808	718
	FD	C	3	4	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	16	-	-	-	800	- 800	800
		C	4	6	163.2	- 185.2	174.5	-11	302	- 337	319	759	- 880	829
500-600		C	3	30	155.0	- 165.0	161.6	15	282	- 300	295	814	- 872	852
		C	4	22	170.0	- 187.2	174.9	-2	309	- 340	318	876	- 964	908
	FD	C	4	2	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	N/Q	-	-	-	900	- 900	900
	D	3	6	141.2	- 141.2	141.2	N/Q	262	- 262	262	741	- 741	741	
				<b>158</b>	<b>141.2</b>	<b>187.2</b>	<b>165.6</b>		<b>262</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>301</b>	<b>646</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>793</b>
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	FD	C	2	16	133.2	- 133.2	133.2	-19	-	-	-	559	- 559	559
	FD	C	3	9	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	-8	-	-	-	616	- 616	616

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		C	4	17	151.2	- 166.2	159.8	N/Q	285	- 308	299	789	- 814	795
	RS	D	2	9	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	-			425	- 425	425
	FD	D	3	2	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	-			424	- 424	424
		D	3	3	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	250	- 250	250	566	- 566	566
	RS	D	3	14	104.6	- 140.0	129.3	N/Q	-			403	- 569	492
				<b>70</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>166.2</b>	<b>135.3</b>		<b>250</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>814</b>	<b>590</b>
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400	RS	D	2	21	96.2	- 109.2	101.8	17	-			370	- 377	373
		D	2	3	70.0	- 80.0	73.3	N/Q	159	- 182	167	270	- 320	286
	RS	D	3	5	90.2	- 90.2	90.2	N/Q	-			352	- 352	352
400-520		C	2	3	114.2	- 114.2	114.2	N/Q	243	- 243	243	588	- 588	588
		D	2	47	50.0	- 94.6	85.8	14	111	- 215	193	205	- 402	361
	RS	D	2	16	85.2	- 89.6	85.7	N/Q	-			362	- 378	363
	RS	D	3	5	99.2	- 99.2	99.2	N/Q	-			481	- 481	481
		D	3	92	93.2	- 105.0	98.4	N/C	198	- 228	213	396	- 525	453
		D	4	97	106.0	- 119.2	115.5	5	212	- 238	232	445	- 608	573
520+		D	3	22	100.2	- 105.0	102.3	1	213	- 217	214	526	- 551	537
	RS	D	3	1	100.2	- 100.2	100.2	N/Q	-			526	- 526	526
		D	4	73	108.0	- 120.0	113.5	-1	216	- 240	227	567	- 678	602
		D	5	2	109.6	- 109.6	109.6	N/Q	224	- 224	224	751	- 751	751
				<b>387</b>	<b>50.0</b>	<b>120.0</b>	<b>103.8</b>		<b>111</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>751</b>	<b>497</b>
<b>Bulls</b>														
450-600		D	2	1	105.0	- 105.0	105.0	N/Q	202	- 202	202	478	- 478	478
600+		C	2	7	125.2	- 153.2	135.9	-2	241	- 279	259	852	- 1264	1106
				<b>8</b>	<b>105.0</b>	<b>153.2</b>	<b>132.0</b>		<b>202</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>478</b>	<b>1264</b>	<b>1028</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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