

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Dubbo

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Yarding Change 4350  
1650

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It was a reasonably good quality yarding with large numbers of grown cattle coming off crops. There was a fair selection of trade cattle, along with good numbers of plainer types sourced from the far west.

Trade cattle to the processors were firm to 4c cheaper, while those to the feeders were 5c to 8c/kg cheaper. Prime yearling steers to slaughter sold from 168c to 210c, with the heavier weights averaging 195c/kg. Heifer yearlings to slaughter sold from 155c to 203c while young steers to the feeders sold from 162c to 209.2c/kg.

Grown steers were firm, with the C3 and C4 medium and heavy weights selling from 168c to 195c and the heavy weights averaging 190c/kg. Grown heifers were a little dearer, topping at 178c/kg. Cows were also fully firm, with 1 and 2 scores selling from 70c to 125c/kg. The better medium and heavy weight cows sold from 125c to 156.2c, with the 4 score heavy weights averaging 146c/kg. The best bull sold for 179.2c/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+		D	4	20	141.0	- 145.0	143.0	N/Q	277	- 284	280	797	- 848	822	
		C	2	16	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	377	- 377	377	330	- 330	330	
	RS	D	2	17	140.6	- 177.6	163.4	N/Q	-	-	-	190	- 277	250	
				<b>53</b>	<b>140.6</b>	<b>200.0</b>	<b>166.8</b>		<b>277</b>	<b>377</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>848</b>	<b>490</b>	
<b>Vealer Steer</b>															
0-200	RS	D	2	1	150.2	- 150.2	150.2	N/Q	-	-	-	278	- 278	278	
		RS	D	3	5	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	N/Q	-	-	-	280	- 280	280
200-280		C	2	5	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	274	- 274	274	370	- 370	370	
		FD	C	2	3	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	-	417	- 417	417
		C	3	8	160.0	- 176.6	172.7	N/Q	296	- 327	319	417	- 468	449	
280-330	RS	D	3	20	178.2	- 178.2	178.2	N/Q	-	-	-	365	- 365	365	
		C	3	4	170.0	- 180.0	172.5	-19	321	- 327	322	485	- 513	492	
330+		FD	C	3	6	159.2	- 182.2	171.6	N/Q	-	-	-	454	- 592	547
		FD	C	2	6	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	-	-	-	586	- 586	586
		D	3	5	132.0	- 132.0	132.0	N/Q	281	- 281	281	627	- 627	627	
				<b>63</b>	<b>132.0</b>	<b>182.2</b>	<b>166.7</b>		<b>274</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>301</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>627</b>	<b>438</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>															
0-200	RS	D	3	25	134.0	- 150.2	141.8	N/Q	-	-	-	261	- 263	262	
200-280		C	2	7	168.2	- 168.2	168.2	N/Q	306	- 306	306	454	- 454	454	
		C	3	7	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	15	343	- 349	346	379	- 379	379	
280-330		C	3	6	165.0	- 170.0	167.5	-18	300	- 315	307	470	- 485	477	
330+		C	3	4	173.6	- 177.2	174.5	-11	322	- 322	322	616	- 718	642	
				<b>49</b>	<b>134.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>	<b>157.6</b>		<b>300</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>718</b>	<b>364</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>															
0-330	FD	C	2	44	171.6	- 198.2	180.7	N/Q	-	-	-	558	- 644	587	
		RS	C	2	69	160.2	- 202.2	171.3	11	-	-	-	409	- 599	477
330-400	FD	C	2	30	192.2	- 192.2	192.2	6	-	-	-	663	- 663	663	
		RS	C	3	6	149.2	- 149.2	149.2	N/Q	-	-	-	515	- 515	515

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400+		C	3	41	178.0	- 205.0	188.6	-7	330	- 373	348	685	- 789	726	
	FD	C	3	62	170.2	- 196.2	183.1	-11	-	-	-	657	- 732	682	
	RS	D	3	3	154.0	- 154.0	154.0	N/Q	-	-	-	593	- 593	593	
	FD	C	2	18	176.6	- 176.6	176.6	-13	-	-	-	804	- 804	804	
	FD	C	3	123	162.2	- 209.2	184.9	-4	-	-	-	683	- 973	800	
		C	3	147	167.6	- 210.2	194.7	2	305	- 389	359	717	- 911	860	
		C	4	5	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	N/Q	355	- 355	355	887	- 887	887	
	FD	D	3	5	142.2	- 142.2	142.2	N/Q	-	-	-	604	- 604	604	
		D	3	18	150.0	- 156.0	155.0	N/Q	283	- 294	293	647	- 653	648	
				<b>571</b>	<b>142.2</b>	<b>210.2</b>	<b>183.9</b>		<b>283</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>973</b>	<b>725</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>															
0-330		C	2	9	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	3	308	- 308	308	456	- 456	456	
	FD	C	2	28	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	-5	-	-	-	482	- 482	482	
	RS	C	2	45	131.2	- 135.0	133.4	-13	-	-	-	374	- 439	411	
		C	3	18	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	293	- 293	293	504	- 504	504	
	RS	D	2	71	108.2	- 131.2	121.9	17	-	-	-	265	- 361	309	
	RS	D	3	81	120.0	- 138.2	128.9	3	-	-	-	318	- 442	377	
	FD	D	3	5	130.2	- 130.2	130.2	-20	-	-	-	371	- 371	371	
	330-400		C	2	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	302	- 302	302	568	- 568	568
		FD	C	2	31	145.0	- 164.2	156.1	-5	-	-	-	558	- 616	592
RS		C	2	12	150.0	- 154.6	153.5	N/Q	-	-	-	533	- 578	544	
FD		C	3	12	155.0	- 175.0	160.0	N/Q	-	-	-	566	- 691	597	
		C	3	46	165.0	- 203.2	176.9	-7	311	- 376	329	619	- 782	690	
FD		D	2	4	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	-	-	-	462	- 462	462	
RS		D	3	41	126.0	- 129.2	128.0	6	-	-	-	435	- 452	445	
		D	3	8	129.6	- 145.0	141.2	1	245	- 279	270	473	- 573	548	
400+			C	2	2	149.6	- 149.6	149.6	N/Q	282	- 282	282	621	- 621	621
	FD	C	3	6	176.2	- 176.2	176.2	1	-	-	-	749	- 749	749	
	RS	C	3	6	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-	-	-	680	- 680	680	
		C	3	97	160.0	- 196.2	172.0	-11	296	- 363	319	689	- 894	757	
		D	3	12	135.2	- 160.0	147.6	N/Q	265	- 296	281	575	- 680	627	
					<b>535</b>	<b>108.2</b>	<b>203.2</b>	<b>147.0</b>		<b>245</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>894</b>	<b>522</b>
	<b>Grown Steer</b>														
	0-400	RS	C	2	8	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	-	-	-	635	- 635	635
		RS	D	2	19	139.2	- 139.2	139.2	6	-	-	-	452	- 452	452
400-500		C	3	25	153.2	- 186.0	175.9	-1	284	- 341	326	697	- 902	783	
	FD	C	3	43	176.0	- 204.2	189.3	14	-	-	-	765	- 888	831	
		C	4	26	176.0	- 194.2	183.0	-5	320	- 360	335	836	- 961	884	
	FD	D	3	23	153.2	- 153.2	153.2	N/Q	-	-	-	682	- 682	682	
500-600		D	3	15	134.0	- 136.0	134.7	-13	253	- 257	254	571	- 583	579	
	FD	C	3	15	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-	-	-	971	- 971	971	
		C	3	42	168.0	- 172.0	168.9	-4	306	- 317	312	920	- 983	969	
		C	4	193	179.2	- 194.8	189.5	N/C	329	- 360	346	925	- 1140	1019	
		D	4	24	135.0	- 135.0	135.0	N/Q	265	- 265	265	709	- 709	709	

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600-750		C	4	54	183.0	- 189.6	185.7	N/Q	327	- 345	334	1144	- 1187	1168
				<b>487</b>	<b>134.0</b>	<b>204.2</b>	<b>177.6</b>		<b>253</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>1187</b>	<b>921</b>
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	FD	C	3	17	138.2	- 165.2	155.7	N/Q	-			636	- 670	648
		C	3	16	155.0	- 170.0	158.4	7	298	- 315	302	700	- 736	731
		C	4	69	160.0	- 178.2	170.9	9	296	- 330	316	797	- 919	861
		D	3	48	110.0	- 150.0	132.6	-6	208	- 279	250	358	- 761	581
540+		C	4	11	150.0	- 168.2	159.9	-14	283	- 317	300	818	- 984	896
				<b>161</b>	<b>110.0</b>	<b>178.2</b>	<b>155.9</b>		<b>208</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>984</b>	<b>744</b>
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
0-540		D	3	32	127.2	- 145.0	133.6	-14	249	- 279	259	579	- 761	629
540+		D	3	1	154.2	- 154.2	154.2	N/Q	302	- 302	302	1056	- 1056	1056
				<b>33</b>	<b>127.2</b>	<b>154.2</b>	<b>134.2</b>		<b>249</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>579</b>	<b>1056</b>	<b>642</b>
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	1	5	70.0	- 70.0	70.0	-10	175	- 175	175	270	- 270	270
		D	2	13	105.2	- 105.2	105.2	N/Q	239	- 239	239	405	- 405	405
400-520		D	2	69	97.6	- 125.0	122.3	1	227	- 284	278	405	- 567	526
	RS	D	2	22	116.2	- 116.2	116.2	N/Q	-			505	- 505	505
	DA	D	2	3	118.2	- 118.2	118.2	N/Q	269	- 269	269	573	- 573	573
		D	3	286	125.0	- 138.2	134.0	1	266	- 296	285	531	- 693	651
		D	4	144	138.6	- 151.6	141.8	-3	278	- 303	287	660	- 781	703
520+		D	3	26	138.0	- 150.0	146.8	14	288	- 294	292	725	- 848	814
	DA	D	3	11	138.2	- 138.2	138.2	N/Q	294	- 294	294	726	- 726	726
		D	4	366	139.2	- 156.2	145.9	N/C	273	- 306	287	731	- 976	806
				<b>945</b>	<b>70.0</b>	<b>156.2</b>	<b>138.1</b>		<b>175</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>976</b>	<b>706</b>
<b>Bulls</b>														
600+		C	2	5	144.6	- 168.2	159.3	5	278	- 317	300	947	- 1219	1109
		C	3	11	163.2	- 179.2	171.8	-1	300	- 322	316	1183	- 1722	1448
				<b>16</b>	<b>144.6</b>	<b>179.2</b>	<b>167.9</b>		<b>278</b>	<b>322</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>947</b>	<b>1722</b>	<b>1342</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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