

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

Market information provided by MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service

### Dubbo

report date 10 Oct 2013

Yarding Change <sup>5720</sup>  
130

comparison date 03/10/2013

It was another good quality yarding, with good numbers of prime conditioned cattle in all grades throughout the yarding. All the regular buyers were in attendance and operating.

Trade cattle were 4c to 6c cheaper, with the best of the vealers selling for 200c/kg. The C3 yearling steers to slaughter sold from 170c to 208c, with the heavier weights averaging 183c/kg. Prime conditioned heifer yearlings sold from 130c to 195c/kg. Feeder steers were 2c cheaper, with the better quality lines selling from 151c to 183c/kg.

Grown steers were 1c to 4c cheaper, with the C3 and C4s selling from 155c to 198.6c and the prime medium weights averaging 191c/kg. Grown heifers were firm with the best-selling for 175c/kg. Lightweight cows were firm, while the better conditioned medium and heavy weights were 4c to 8c/kg cheaper. The 2 score cows sold from 100c to 124c, while the better D3 and D4 medium and heavy weights sold from 122c to 150c, with the 4 score heavy weights averaging 142c/kg. Bulls were dearer selling to 180c/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+		C	2	18	130.0	- 186.0	167.3	-6	245	- 338	307	163	- 177	172
	RS	C	2	28	128.0	- 165.0	137.4	N/Q				162	- 222	212
				<b>46</b>	<b>128.0</b>	<b>186.0</b>	<b>149.1</b>		<b>245</b>	<b>338</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>196</b>
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	59	155.0	- 178.2	166.8	-7				369	- 400	386
	RS	D	3	35	137.2	- 137.2	137.2	9				309	- 309	309
280-330	RS	C	2	22	131.2	- 135.6	132.0	N/Q				374	- 441	386
		D	3	5	132.2	- 132.2	132.2	N/Q	249	- 249	249	377	- 377	377
330+		C	2	7	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	259	- 259	259	483	- 483	483
	FD	C	2	1	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q				644	- 644	644
	FD	C	3	2	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	N/Q				585	- 585	585
		C	3	63	164.2	- 200.0	180.2	-9	299	- 364	327	604	- 770	672
	RS	C	3	22	178.2	- 178.2	178.2	N/Q				615	- 615	615
				<b>216</b>	<b>131.2</b>	<b>200.0</b>	<b>161.8</b>		<b>249</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>770</b>	<b>486</b>
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
0-200		C	2	9	155.0	- 160.0	157.8	-2	293	- 296	295	287	- 304	296
200-280		C	2	38	143.2	- 158.2	149.1	-4	265	- 297	280	335	- 388	362
	RS	C	2	15	132.6	- 132.6	132.6	N/Q				325	- 325	325
	RS	D	2	16	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	29				364	- 364	364
	RS	D	3	4	128.0	- 130.0	129.0	7				293	- 339	316
		D	3	6	125.2	- 125.2	125.2	N/Q	241	- 241	241	282	- 282	282
280-330	FD	C	2	35	140.2	- 140.2	140.2	N/Q				414	- 414	414
		C	3	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	259	- 259	259	399	- 399	399
330+		C	2	35	140.2	- 160.0	154.6	N/Q	260	- 302	289	498	- 552	535
		C	3	39	160.0	- 200.0	168.8	-33	291	- 364	310	594	- 790	660
				<b>198</b>	<b>125.2</b>	<b>200.0</b>	<b>149.6</b>		<b>241</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>790</b>	<b>452</b>

### Yearling Steer

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		
0-330	FD	C	2	39	171.2	- 171.2	171.2	-1	-				556	- 556	556	
	RS	C	2	66	162.2	- 178.2	169.9	10	-				414	- 526	475	
330-400		C	3	3	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	309	- 309	309		553	- 553	553	
	RS	D	3	30	110.0	- 121.2	115.2	N/Q	-				297	- 314	306	
	FD	C	2	123	151.2	- 183.2	171.6	-2	-				522	- 668	624	
	RS	C	2	7	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	N/Q	-				553	- 553	553	
		C	2	10	145.2	- 159.6	151.0	11	269	- 296	280		559	- 614	581	
	FD	C	3	24	164.6	- 173.2	168.9	-10	-				634	- 667	650	
		C	3	78	175.0	- 207.6	185.2	-6	324	- 378	337		604	- 779	709	
	RS	C	3	39	176.2	- 176.2	176.2	-10	-				678	- 678	678	
400+		D	3	94	134.2	- 155.2	147.5	N/Q	253	- 287	275		463	- 535	513	
	FD	D	3	49	132.2	- 141.6	138.0	-12	-				483	- 545	521	
		C	2	3	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	278	- 278	278		683	- 683	683	
	FD	C	2	27	170.2	- 172.2	170.8	-11	-				723	- 732	726	
	FD	C	3	212	160.0	- 183.2	177.1	1	-				680	- 833	763	
		C	3	267	155.0	- 197.2	183.0	-2	287	- 352	332		672	- 948	816	
					<b>1071</b>	<b>110.0</b>	<b>207.6</b>	<b>170.9</b>		<b>253</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>319</b>		<b>297</b>	<b>948</b>	<b>675</b>
	<b>Yearling Heifer</b>															
0-330		C	2	33	140.0	- 157.2	153.0	21	264	- 299	290		399	- 504	459	
	FD	C	2	64	125.0	- 148.2	138.2	-9	-				344	- 455	407	
	RS	C	2	44	120.0	- 131.2	127.9	-2	-				335	- 342	337	
	RS	D	2	21	128.6	- 131.6	129.5	12	-				224	- 296	275	
	RS	D	3	36	109.2	- 119.2	113.9	-1	-				304	- 311	308	
330-400	FD	C	2	68	132.2	- 150.0	144.9	10	-				460	- 548	520	
		C	2	43	127.2	- 154.0	134.2	-19	240	- 285	253		439	- 578	494	
	FD	C	3	63	130.0	- 172.0	156.2	1	-				501	- 628	599	
		C	3	375	130.0	- 195.2	157.1	-6	241	- 355	289		475	- 751	599	
		D	2	8	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	226	- 226	226		426	- 426	426	
400+		D	3	25	133.2	- 133.2	133.2	N/Q	247	- 247	247		486	- 486	486	
		C	3	335	140.0	- 182.2	156.4	-10	255	- 325	287		567	- 851	702	
	FD	C	3	50	150.2	- 160.2	154.7	-3	-				623	- 693	653	
		D	3	31	117.2	- 146.2	137.9	N/Q	225	- 271	255		498	- 680	628	
				<b>1196</b>	<b>109.2</b>	<b>195.2</b>	<b>150.0</b>		<b>225</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>283</b>		<b>224</b>	<b>851</b>	<b>581</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>																
400-500	FD	C	2	38	133.0	- 165.2	161.0	-7	-				565	- 801	770	
		C	3	30	155.0	- 172.0	158.7	-15	287	- 319	294		736	- 834	757	
	FD	C	3	42	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	10	-				761	- 796	780	
		C	4	44	184.0	- 192.2	187.1	-3	336	- 356	346		782	- 932	871	
		D	3	15	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	3	278	- 278	278		728	- 728	728	
500-600		C	3	88	155.0	- 197.6	175.7	-4	282	- 359	320		845	- 1037	962	
		C	4	552	178.2	- 198.6	191.0	-1	318	- 361	347		945	- 1152	1055	
600-750		C	3	2	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	278	- 278	278		938	- 938	938	
		C	4	71	173.2	- 188.0	178.0	-15	315	- 336	322		1129	- 1288	1218	
750+		C	4	3	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	N/Q	306	- 306	306		1268	- 1268	1268	

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>885</b>	<b>133.0</b>	<b>198.6</b>	<b>184.2</b>		<b>278</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>338</b>	<b>565</b>	<b>1288</b>	<b>1009</b>
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540		C	3	124	129.2	- 160.0	148.0	-6	244	- 296	275	549	- 813	724
	FD	C	3	15	144.2	- 144.2	144.2	N/Q		-		699	- 699	699
		C	4	81	160.0	- 174.2	168.0	1	291	- 320	309	743	- 906	806
	RS	D	2	3	108.2	- 108.2	108.2	N/Q		-		406	- 406	406
		D	3	24	135.2	- 145.0	142.7	1	255	- 274	271	575	- 690	644
	FD	D	3	20	134.2	- 134.2	134.2	-12		-		517	- 517	517
540+		C	4	92	158.0	- 175.0	169.5	5	287	- 323	308	889	- 989	949
		D	4	1	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	289	- 289	289	870	- 870	870
				<b>360</b>	<b>108.2</b>	<b>175.0</b>	<b>156.4</b>		<b>244</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>989</b>	<b>780</b>
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
0-540		D	3	27	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	-12	278	- 278	278	715	- 715	715
540+		D	3	30	143.2	- 145.0	143.9	-1	279	- 281	280	809	- 1051	906
				<b>57</b>	<b>136.2</b>	<b>145.0</b>	<b>140.2</b>		<b>278</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>1051</b>	<b>816</b>
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	2	10	112.0	- 117.2	115.1	5	255	- 266	262	442	- 451	448
400-520		D	2	50	100.0	- 124.2	117.1	-2	227	- 282	266	425	- 540	509
	RS	D	2	54	105.0	- 124.2	111.5	-4		-		453	- 528	477
	DA	D	2	1	112.2	- 112.2	112.2	N/Q	255	- 255	255	477	- 477	477
		D	3	352	122.0	- 142.2	133.0	-2	260	- 303	285	531	- 706	631
		D	4	42	135.0	- 142.0	140.2	-8	270	- 278	276	655	- 731	711
520+		C	3	2	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	N/Q	280	- 280	280	882	- 882	882
		D	3	37	125.6	- 135.0	130.7	-8	267	- 285	276	659	- 784	699
		D	4	482	137.2	- 150.0	142.4	-4	273	- 296	282	720	- 926	794
		D	5	18	125.2	- 140.0	127.4	-2	246	- 275	250	732	- 875	755
				<b>1048</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>150.0</b>	<b>135.4</b>		<b>227</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>926</b>	<b>698</b>
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450		C	2	15	135.2	- 135.2	135.2	-12	255	- 255	255	493	- 493	493
	RS	D	2	9	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	1		-		397	- 397	397
450-600		C	2	16	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	-24	257	- 257	257	749	- 749	749
		C	3	1	157.2	- 157.2	157.2	N/Q	286	- 286	286	920	- 920	920
600+		B	3	8	165.6	- 180.0	172.8	10	301	- 321	309	1413	- 1667	1567
		C	2	2	154.2	- 162.2	158.2	N/Q	286	- 295	290	1164	- 1273	1219
		C	3	50	150.0	- 179.2	162.9	9	278	- 322	295	983	- 1762	1269
				<b>101</b>	<b>115.0</b>	<b>180.0</b>	<b>150.9</b>		<b>255</b>	<b>322</b>	<b>283</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>1762</b>	<b>1013</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

#### Disclaimer:

© MLA 2013. No part of this publication may be reproduced in any form or by any means without prior written permission of MLA. MLA makes no representations and to the extent permitted by law excludes all warranties in relation to the information contained in this publication. MLA is not liable to you or to any third party for any losses, costs or expenses, including any direct, indirect, incidental, consequential, special or exemplary damages or lost profit, resulting from any use or misuse of the information contained in this publication. Information contained in this publication has been obtained from a variety of third party sources which have not been verified by MLA.