

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Dubbo

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There were reasonable number of young cattle to suit processors and feeders, along with good numbers of cows. There were also a large percentage of cattle lacking quality and finish.

Vealers to processors were firm to 3c cheaper, while yearlings were 2c/kg dearer. Vealers sold to 250c, while prime steer yearlings sold from 216c to 245c/kg. Prime heifer yearlings sold from 182c to 223c/kg. Young cattle to the feeders were 5c/kg cheaper, with the plainer quality types suffering greater losses. The better quality feeder steers sold from 180c to 253c, while the feeder heifers sold from 169c to 217c/kg.

Grown steers were 4c cheaper, with the prime medium and heavy weights selling from 202c to 227c/kg. Cows were 4c to 7c cheaper, with the 2 scores selling from 80c to 148c/kg. The better 3 and 4 scores sold from 148c to 185c, with the 4 score heavy weights averaging 174c/kg. Bulls topped at 213c/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		C	2	8	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	-67	308	- 308	308	104	- 104	104
	RS	C	2	4	179.0	- 179.0	179.0	N/Q	-	-	-	116	- 116	116
	RS	D	2	20	120.0	- 238.0	232.1	N/Q	-	-	-	54	- 131	127
80+	RS	C	2	3	222.0	- 222.0	222.0	-6	-	-	-	322	- 322	322
		C	2	21	180.0	- 192.0	190.9	-19	346	- 369	367	153	- 211	206
	RS	D	2	37	160.0	- 246.0	185.6	N/Q	-	-	-	264	- 455	321
	RS	D	3	12	153.0	- 153.0	153.0	N/Q	-	-	-	237	- 237	237
				<b>105</b>	<b>120.0</b>	<b>246.0</b>			<b>308</b>	<b>369</b>		<b>54</b>	<b>455</b>	
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
200-280		C	2	18	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	415	- 415	415	605	- 605	605
	FD	C	2	12	218.0	- 218.0	218.0	4	-	-	-	534	- 534	534
	RS	C	2	53	195.0	- 236.0	224.5	27	-	-	-	458	- 587	559
		C	3	16	233.0	- 233.0	233.0	N/Q	432	- 432	432	641	- 641	641
	RS	D	3	5	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-	-	-	338	- 338	338
280-330	FD	C	2	13	207.0	- 207.0	207.0	13	-	-	-	673	- 673	673
	RS	C	2	26	197.0	- 238.0	227.0	47	-	-	-	561	- 678	647
	RS	C	3	1	231.0	- 231.0	231.0	N/Q	-	-	-	751	- 751	751
		C	3	11	215.0	- 243.0	227.7	N/Q	398	- 459	426	634	- 790	705
330+		C	3	21	230.0	- 250.0	237.1	-12	423	- 446	431	840	- 988	882
	RS	C	3	1	231.0	- 231.0	231.0	N/Q	-	-	-	843	- 843	843
	FD	C	3	8	220.0	- 240.0	235.0	5	-	-	-	847	- 876	869
				<b>185</b>	<b>150.0</b>	<b>250.0</b>			<b>398</b>	<b>459</b>		<b>338</b>	<b>988</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
0-200		C	2	2	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	385	- 385	385	350	- 350	350
		C	3	1	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	415	- 415	415	429	- 429	429
200-280		C	2	34	180.0	- 210.0	189.7	-22	340	- 396	359	441	- 494	472
		C	3	8	195.0	- 224.0	198.6	-17	375	- 431	382	478	- 571	489

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280-330		C	2	8	194.0	- 194.0	194.0	-12	373	- 373	373	553	- 553	553	
		C	3	54	190.0	- 227.0	202.2	-5	357	- 407	379	542	- 738	632	
330+		C	3	21	201.0	- 230.0	216.1	-6	372	- 426	398	693	- 886	802	
	FD	C	3	3	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	-	-	-	750	- 750	750	
				<b>131</b>	<b>180.0</b>	<b>230.0</b>			<b>340</b>	<b>431</b>		<b>350</b>	<b>886</b>		
<b>Yearling Steer</b>															
200-280	RS	C	2	72	173.0	- 192.0	184.9	-39	-	-	-	401	- 490	478	
	RS	D	2	4	187.0	- 187.0	187.0	N/Q	-	-	-	458	- 458	458	
	RS	D	3	33	182.0	- 182.0	182.0	N/Q	-	-	-	446	- 501	469	
280-330	FD	C	2	117	180.0	- 246.0	217.8	10	-	-	-	564	- 775	682	
	FD	C	3	1	221.0	- 221.0	221.0	N/Q	-	-	-	630	- 630	630	
	FD	D	3	6	183.0	- 183.0	183.0	N/Q	-	-	-	522	- 522	522	
330-400	FD	C	2	107	183.0	- 237.0	217.0	1	-	-	-	631	- 885	753	
	FD	C	3	226	202.0	- 253.0	227.2	-16	-	-	-	767	- 974	849	
		C	3	14	218.0	- 245.0	234.1	29	411	- 454	435	752	- 897	865	
		RS	D	3	19	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	-	-	-	604	- 604	604
400+		C	3	39	216.0	- 235.0	225.7	2	400	- 443	418	961	- 1096	1025	
	FD	C	3	365	200.0	- 248.0	231.9	-6	-	-	-	850	- 1153	1023	
				<b>1003</b>	<b>173.0</b>	<b>253.0</b>			<b>400</b>	<b>454</b>		<b>401</b>	<b>1153</b>		
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>															
200-280		C	2	25	192.0	- 192.0	192.0	N/Q	362	- 362	362	528	- 528	528	
		RS	C	2	4	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	-18	-	-	-	453	- 453	453
		RS	D	3	45	160.0	- 177.0	167.2	7	-	-	-	392	- 416	402
280-330	RS	C	2	40	150.0	- 169.0	158.6	N/C	-	-	-	428	- 482	452	
	FD	C	2	32	187.0	- 194.0	192.9	N/C	-	-	-	553	- 608	561	
	FD	D	3	14	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	-	485	- 485	485	
	RS	D	3	25	152.0	- 173.0	157.9	-20	-	-	-	433	- 493	450	
330-400	RS	C	2	6	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	-	-	-	569	- 569	569	
		C	2	17	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	-10	346	- 346	346	657	- 657	657	
		FD	C	2	20	169.0	- 216.0	201.9	5	-	-	-	600	- 832	762
		FD	C	3	167	190.0	- 219.0	204.1	-2	-	-	-	656	- 865	780
		C	3	83	170.0	- 221.0	205.1	-6	321	- 409	382	621	- 873	780	
		FD	D	3	3	169.0	- 169.0	169.0	-26	-	-	-	634	- 634	634
	RS	D	3	36	120.0	- 153.0	138.3	N/Q	-	-	-	462	- 528	499	
400+	FD	C	3	67	180.0	- 217.0	200.8	-4	-	-	-	765	- 917	847	
		C	3	62	182.0	- 223.0	213.4	2	350	- 409	396	792	- 1103	980	
		D	3	13	184.0	- 184.0	184.0	9	341	- 341	341	800	- 800	800	
				<b>659</b>	<b>120.0</b>	<b>223.0</b>			<b>321</b>	<b>409</b>		<b>392</b>	<b>1103</b>		
<b>Grown Steer</b>															
0-400	FD	C	3	18	206.0	- 206.0	206.0	-29	-	-	-	793	- 793	793	
	FD	D	3	19	194.0	- 194.0	194.0	N/Q	-	-	-	747	- 747	747	
		RS	D	3	18	174.0	- 174.0	174.0	N/Q	-	-	-	548	- 548	548
400-500	FD	C	2	39	170.0	- 222.0	198.0	N/Q	-	-	-	723	- 966	853	
	FD	C	3	141	189.0	- 245.0	218.3	3	-	-	-	865	- 1213	977	
		C	3	4	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	-13	380	- 380	380	974	- 974	974	

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
500-600		C	4	31	205.0	- 215.0	209.2	-16	380	- 398	387	1015	- 1043	1026
		D	3	62	170.0	- 178.0	172.7	N/Q	327	- 342	332	757	- 825	801
	FD	D	3	23	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	-	-	-	819	- 819	819
		C	3	67	185.0	- 200.0	192.6	3	342	- 370	357	971	- 1130	1060
	FD	C	3	23	180.0	- 221.0	195.4	15	-	-	-	945	- 1204	1033
	FD	C	4	19	225.0	- 225.0	225.0	-12	-	-	-	1316	- 1316	1316
600-750		C	4	68	202.0	- 227.0	217.2	-6	374	- 413	402	1101	- 1237	1159
		C	4	49	180.0	- 222.0	212.2	-11	327	- 404	386	1143	- 1460	1378
				<b>581</b>	<b>170.0</b>	<b>245.0</b>			<b>327</b>	<b>413</b>		<b>548</b>	<b>1460</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	FD	C	2	37	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	18	-	-	-	786	- 786	786
	FD	C	3	20	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	-11	-	-	-	714	- 714	714
		C	3	8	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	-2	349	- 349	349	897	- 897	897
		C	4	28	185.0	- 186.0	185.8	-5	344	- 349	345	953	- 977	971
	FD	C	4	45	195.0	- 195.0	195.0	-16	-	-	-	887	- 887	887
	FD	C	5	9	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	-	-	-	971	- 971	971
	RS	D	2	7	118.0	- 118.0	118.0	N/Q	-	-	-	384	- 384	384
	RS	D	3	18	167.0	- 167.0	167.0	N/Q	-	-	-	710	- 710	710
	FD	D	3	7	159.0	- 159.0	159.0	N/Q	-	-	-	517	- 517	517
540+		D	3	27	161.0	- 163.0	162.6	-7	314	- 329	316	693	- 845	721
		C	3	16	180.0	- 187.0	182.2	N/Q	340	- 353	344	981	- 1019	993
	FD	C	3	37	189.0	- 189.0	189.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1030	- 1030	1030
		C	4	22	182.0	- 202.0	197.5	-3	343	- 367	362	1028	- 1182	1147
				<b>281</b>	<b>118.0</b>	<b>202.0</b>			<b>314</b>	<b>367</b>		<b>384</b>	<b>1182</b>	
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
540+		C	4	16	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	336	- 336	336	1822	- 1822	1822
		D	3	17	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	327	- 327	327	1284	- 1284	1284
				<b>33</b>	<b>170.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>			<b>327</b>	<b>336</b>		<b>1284</b>	<b>1822</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	2	37	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/C	291	- 291	291	481	- 481	481
400-520		D	2	84	110.0	- 148.0	126.5	-7	250	- 336	287	468	- 718	559
	RS	D	2	12	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	-	-	-	553	- 553	553
520+		D	3	72	155.0	- 173.0	159.5	-1	330	- 361	339	736	- 839	769
		D	2	23	80.0	- 129.0	118.3	N/Q	186	- 293	270	436	- 819	736
		D	3	243	148.0	- 172.0	160.1	-4	315	- 366	341	777	- 983	858
		D	4	453	165.0	- 185.0	173.6	-7	327	- 363	343	882	- 1421	1023
		D	5	5	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	-7	324	- 324	324	1427	- 1427	1427
				<b>929</b>	<b>80.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>			<b>186</b>	<b>366</b>		<b>436</b>	<b>1427</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
450-600		C	2	16	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	349	- 349	349	842	- 842	842
600+		B	2	49	160.0	- 213.0	197.3	-3	302	- 380	353	1224	- 2100	1754
		C	2	8	142.0	- 190.0	169.0	-21	263	- 352	313	1086	- 1492	1196
		C	3	1	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	321	- 321	321	2520	- 2520	2520
				<b>74</b>	<b>142.0</b>	<b>213.0</b>			<b>263</b>	<b>380</b>		<b>842</b>	<b>2520</b>	

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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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