

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Dubbo

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Yarding Change <sup>6060</sup>  
885

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It was a pretty good quality yarding, with a large portion of the penning coming off crops. There was also a fair percentage of far western cattle lacking finish.

Vealers to the trade were firm, selling to 344c/kg. Yearlings to the trade were 11c cheaper, with prime steer yearlings selling from 294c to 338, while the prime heifer yearlings sold from 279c to 325c/kg. Young feeder cattle finished fully firm, with feeder steers selling from 290c to 335c, while the feeder heifers sold from 270c to 314c/kg.

Medium weight bullocks were 7c cheaper while the heavier weights were up to 15c/kg easier. The prime medium and heavy weights sold from 305c to 350c/kg. Grown heifers were 5c cheaper, selling to 321c/kg. The plainer conditioned cows were 6c to 9c cheaper while the properly finished cows were 15c/kg cheaper. 2 score cows sold from 143c to 215c while the better 3 and 4 score cows sold from 218c to 273c, with the 4 score heavy weights averaging 254c/kg. Bulls sold to 285c/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	13	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	-4	548	- 548	548	470	- 470	470
	RS	C	2	18	286.0	- 286.0	286.0	17		-		386	- 386	386
				<b>31</b>	<b>285.0</b>	<b>286.0</b>			<b>548</b>	<b>548</b>		<b>386</b>	<b>470</b>	
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
0-200	RS	C	2	40	326.0	- 326.0	326.0	21		-		603	- 603	603
200-280	RS	C	2	152	285.0	- 322.0	315.0	N/Q		-		671	- 848	762
280-330	RS	C	2	3	302.0	- 302.0	302.0	-36		-		951	- 951	951
330+	FD	C	2	11	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	5		-		1104	- 1104	1104
		C	3	18	320.0	- 344.0	328.4	2	591	- 637	603	1152	- 1491	1299
	FD	C	3	38	290.0	- 338.0	329.6	20		-		1059	- 1457	1328
				<b>262</b>	<b>285.0</b>	<b>344.0</b>			<b>591</b>	<b>637</b>		<b>603</b>	<b>1491</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	9	280.0	- 282.0	280.4	-44	539	- 542	539	691	- 714	709
	RS	C	2	35	260.0	- 266.0	262.9	N/Q		-		599	- 637	618
280-330	FD	C	2	5	262.0	- 262.0	262.0	-19		-		747	- 747	747
	RS	C	3	6	275.0	- 275.0	275.0	N/Q		-		894	- 894	894
		C	3	16	300.0	- 315.0	302.8	-10	577	- 594	580	855	- 898	863
330+		C	2	24	288.0	- 288.0	288.0	N/Q	543	- 543	543	994	- 994	994
	FD	C	3	19	310.0	- 310.0	310.0	N/Q		-		1039	- 1039	1039
	RS	C	3	17	289.0	- 289.0	289.0	N/Q		-		997	- 997	997
		C	3	31	286.0	- 339.0	314.6	N/C	540	- 640	587	958	- 1193	1122
				<b>162</b>	<b>260.0</b>	<b>339.0</b>			<b>539</b>	<b>640</b>		<b>599</b>	<b>1193</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
200-280	FD	C	2	18	330.0	- 330.0	330.0	N/Q		-		908	- 908	908
	RS	C	2	79	262.0	- 332.0	315.7	4		-		642	- 880	814
280-330	RS	C	2	30	330.0	- 330.0	330.0	N/Q		-		1073	- 1073	1073
	FD	C	2	66	290.0	- 330.0	312.6	N/Q		-		898	- 1010	962
	FD	D	3	39	289.0	- 289.0	289.0	N/Q		-		939	- 939	939

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330-400	FD	C	2	223	292.0	- 335.0	316.4	7	-			1012	- 1290	1151
	FD	C	3	89	310.0	- 334.0	326.0	-9	-			1194	- 1319	1261
	RS	C	3	1	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	N/Q	-			1040	- 1040	1040
400+		C	3	74	294.0	- 335.0	314.6	-17	555	- 632	590	1087	- 1264	1189
		C	2	2	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	547	- 547	547	1204	- 1204	1204
	FD	C	2	66	290.0	- 327.0	310.1	2	-			1233	- 1378	1344
	FD	C	3	305	290.0	- 335.0	319.8	3	-			1233	- 1700	1431
		C	3	185	305.0	- 338.0	325.8	-10	565	- 624	603	1295	- 1678	1455
				<b>1177</b>	<b>262.0</b>	<b>338.0</b>			<b>547</b>	<b>632</b>		<b>642</b>	<b>1700</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	30	275.0	- 275.0	275.0	14	-			701	- 756	727
	FD	C	2	24	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-			740	- 740	740
	RS	D	2	14	269.0	- 269.0	269.0	N/Q	-			659	- 659	659
280-330	FD	C	2	130	277.0	- 290.0	286.0	N/Q	-			789	- 943	899
		C	2	10	295.0	- 300.0	296.5	N/Q	557	- 577	563	959	- 975	964
330-400		C	2	27	275.0	- 280.0	276.9	4	528	- 529	529	949	- 1022	976
	FD	C	2	114	270.0	- 314.0	293.6	10	-			986	- 1186	1109
	FD	C	3	8	287.0	- 308.0	305.4	N/Q	-			1105	- 1124	1122
		C	3	72	290.0	- 318.0	308.5	4	537	- 600	579	1059	- 1244	1200
		D	3	15	266.0	- 266.0	266.0	-6	512	- 512	512	944	- 944	944
400+		C	2	10	270.0	- 285.0	277.5	N/Q	519	- 538	529	1121	- 1240	1180
		C	3	215	279.0	- 325.0	306.8	-13	522	- 602	570	1158	- 1706	1421
	FD	C	3	23	300.0	- 305.0	301.1	-5	-			1275	- 1388	1313
				<b>692</b>	<b>266.0</b>	<b>325.0</b>			<b>512</b>	<b>602</b>		<b>659</b>	<b>1706</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
0-400	FD	C	2	73	305.0	- 320.0	313.9	N/Q	-			1101	- 1220	1187
	RS	D	3	7	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	N/Q	-			931	- 931	931
400-500	FD	C	2	138	285.0	- 328.0	302.5	-8	-			1183	- 1390	1307
		C	3	32	294.0	- 316.0	304.4	14	535	- 596	562	1311	- 1426	1393
	FD	C	3	127	290.0	- 323.0	308.7	-23	-			1262	- 1515	1421
		C	4	43	308.0	- 335.0	320.5	-19	578	- 620	591	1463	- 1625	1554
500-600	FD	C	3	8	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	-			1667	- 1667	1667
		C	3	14	275.0	- 275.0	275.0	-16	519	- 519	519	1554	- 1554	1554
		C	4	406	305.0	- 350.0	331.2	-7	565	- 641	609	1622	- 1971	1849
		D	3	9	259.0	- 259.0	259.0	-15	498	- 498	498	1386	- 1386	1386
600-750		C	3	20	301.0	- 301.0	301.0	N/Q	547	- 547	547	1851	- 1851	1851
		C	4	78	313.0	- 336.0	322.0	-23	573	- 611	586	1956	- 2153	2069
		D	4	32	264.0	- 264.0	264.0	N/Q	489	- 489	489	1808	- 1808	1808
750+		C	4	12	317.0	- 317.0	317.0	17	587	- 587	587	2488	- 2488	2488
				<b>999</b>	<b>255.0</b>	<b>350.0</b>			<b>489</b>	<b>641</b>		<b>931</b>	<b>2488</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	FD	C	2	35	283.0	- 310.0	302.3	7	-			1174	- 1256	1232
	RS	C	2	9	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	-			1134	- 1134	1134
		C	2	49	271.0	- 275.0	271.3	8	519	- 521	521	1059	- 1260	1244

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		C	3	135	267.0	- 305.0	289.8	-6	504	- 587	547	1174	- 1431	1353
	FD	C	3	77	277.0	- 302.0	287.4	-20	-	-	-	1235	- 1435	1334
		C	4	83	276.0	- 321.0	296.5	-9	521	- 594	556	1339	- 1605	1502
	RS	D	2	5	209.0	- 209.0	209.0	N/Q	-	-	-	575	- 575	575
	RS	D	3	40	239.0	- 252.0	245.2	15	-	-	-	643	- 920	788
	FD	D	3	12	265.0	- 265.0	265.0	-1	-	-	-	1126	- 1126	1126
		D	3	5	232.0	- 232.0	232.0	-34	446	- 446	446	1009	- 1009	1009
540+		C	3	34	272.0	- 272.0	272.0	N/Q	523	- 523	523	1482	- 1482	1482
		C	4	52	307.0	- 317.0	311.9	1	558	- 587	573	1684	- 1854	1788
				<b>536</b>	<b>209.0</b>	<b>321.0</b>			<b>446</b>	<b>594</b>		<b>575</b>	<b>1854</b>	
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
0-540		D	3	1	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q	490	- 490	490	1313	- 1313	1313
				<b>1</b>	<b>250.0</b>	<b>250.0</b>			<b>490</b>	<b>490</b>		<b>1313</b>	<b>1313</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400	RS	D	2	40	155.0	- 195.0	190.0	N/Q	-	-	-	566	- 751	728
400-520		D	2	54	143.0	- 210.0	174.5	-37	325	- 467	393	636	- 998	781
	RS	D	3	4	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1140	- 1140	1140
		D	3	263	218.0	- 238.0	231.8	-6	464	- 513	494	939	- 1210	1104
		D	4	23	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	-19	480	- 480	480	1262	- 1262	1262
520+	DA	D	2	13	215.0	- 215.0	215.0	N/Q	489	- 489	489	1258	- 1258	1258
		D	3	109	225.0	- 250.0	234.0	-9	479	- 532	495	1204	- 1313	1231
		D	4	728	240.0	- 273.0	254.1	-14	471	- 547	500	1265	- 1823	1486
		D	5	32	220.0	- 254.0	243.9	-3	440	- 498	479	1346	- 1740	1587
				<b>1266</b>	<b>143.0</b>	<b>273.0</b>			<b>325</b>	<b>547</b>		<b>566</b>	<b>1823</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450		C	2	4	258.0	- 258.0	258.0	-22	487	- 487	487	1122	- 1122	1122
	LE	C	2	29	274.0	- 280.0	276.5	N/Q	517	- 528	522	1000	- 1162	1067
600+		B	2	30	243.0	- 285.0	266.1	-11	467	- 528	488	1665	- 3264	2155
		C	2	10	230.0	- 266.0	251.5	-9	426	- 502	476	1665	- 2163	1778
				<b>73</b>	<b>230.0</b>	<b>285.0</b>			<b>426</b>	<b>528</b>		<b>1000</b>	<b>3264</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 DP: Dorper

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