

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Dubbo

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Yarding Change <sup>2990</sup>  
1880

comparison date 07/01/2016

It was a mixed yarding with a fair selection of prime cattle in all sections, along with a good percentage of plainer cattle lacking finish in from the far west.

Trade cattle were 4c cheaper, with vealers selling to 335c for the steers and 325c/kg for the heifers. Prime steer yearlings sold from 280c-335c, while the prime heifer yearlings sold from 285c-321c/kg. Young feeder cattle were 7c cheaper, with the feeder steers selling from 298c-340c, while the feeder heifers sold from 284c-314c/kg. Young steers to the restockers sold to 359c/kg.

Grown steers were 5c dearer, with the prime medium and heavy weights to slaughter selling from 270c-298c/kg. Grown heifers sold to 280c/kg. Plain conditioned cows were 8c-12c cheaper, while the properly finished cows finished 4c/kg dearer. 2 and 3 score cows sold from 163c-227c, while the 4 score heavy weights sold from 220c-244c, to average 230c/kg. Bulls sold to 263c/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	1	342.0	- 342.0	342.0	N/Q	658	- 658	658	120	- 120	120
				<b>1</b>	<b>342.0</b>	<b>342.0</b>			<b>658</b>	<b>658</b>		<b>120</b>	<b>120</b>	
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
200-280	FD	C	2	1	327.0	- 327.0	327.0	N/Q	-	-	-	899	- 899	899
	RS	C	2	41	327.0	- 359.0	347.4	11	-	-	-	788	- 987	878
280-330	FD	C	2	6	336.0	- 336.0	336.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1042	- 1042	1042
	RS	C	3	8	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1105	- 1105	1105
		C	3	1	335.0	- 335.0	335.0	N/Q	620	- 620	620	1089	- 1089	1089
330+		C	3	15	323.0	- 330.0	329.5	-4	600	- 623	604	1082	- 1403	1355
				<b>72</b>	<b>323.0</b>	<b>359.0</b>			<b>600</b>	<b>623</b>		<b>788</b>	<b>1403</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	19	313.0	- 330.0	323.7	8	-	-	-	767	- 809	793
	RS	C	3	2	331.0	- 331.0	331.0	N/Q	-	-	-	910	- 910	910
280-330	FD	C	2	19	312.0	- 312.0	312.0	N/Q	-	-	-	967	- 967	967
	FD	C	3	2	300.0	- 308.0	304.0	N/Q	-	-	-	855	- 878	866
		C	3	16	306.0	- 317.0	311.7	-7	574	- 610	586	872	- 1024	928
330+		C	3	19	300.0	- 325.0	317.8	-1	566	- 604	590	1080	- 1414	1239
				<b>77</b>	<b>300.0</b>	<b>331.0</b>			<b>566</b>	<b>610</b>		<b>767</b>	<b>1414</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
280-330	RS	C	2	26	340.0	- 346.0	343.5	N/Q	-	-	-	969	- 1125	1059
	FD	C	2	62	315.0	- 336.0	325.3	-4	-	-	-	977	- 1050	1024
	FD	C	3	3	334.0	- 334.0	334.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1102	- 1102	1102
330-400	FD	C	2	98	324.0	- 340.0	333.1	12	-	-	-	1092	- 1307	1238
	FD	C	3	97	310.0	- 335.0	329.1	2	-	-	-	1104	- 1271	1193
		C	3	7	331.0	- 331.0	331.0	15	625	- 625	625	1109	- 1109	1109
400+	FD	C	2	12	318.0	- 324.0	321.5	6	-	-	-	1328	- 1479	1391
	FD	C	3	327	298.0	- 332.0	324.4	-6	-	-	-	1324	- 1663	1470
		C	3	15	280.0	- 335.0	300.7	-4	519	- 609	555	1330	- 1457	1400

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		C	4	3	293.0	- 293.0	293.0	N/Q	533	- 533	533	1509	- 1509	1509
				<b>650</b>	<b>280.0</b>	<b>346.0</b>			<b>519</b>	<b>625</b>		<b>969</b>	<b>1663</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-200	RS	C	2	6	302.0	- 302.0	302.0	N/Q	-			559	- 559	559
200-280	FD	C	2	9	308.0	- 308.0	308.0	18	-			847	- 847	847
	RS	D	2	3	258.0	- 258.0	258.0	N/Q	-			606	- 606	606
280-330	FD	C	2	120	298.0	- 310.0	304.7	-6	-			849	- 991	900
	RS	C	3	19	312.0	- 312.0	312.0	N/Q	-			889	- 889	889
		C	3	1	310.0	- 310.0	310.0	N/Q	596	- 596	596	1008	- 1008	1008
330-400	FD	C	2	102	290.0	- 314.0	308.0	-7	-			1052	- 1209	1150
		C	3	43	285.0	- 321.0	305.7	-10	528	- 596	569	1018	- 1268	1144
	FD	C	3	40	309.0	- 314.0	311.2	7	-			1101	- 1209	1168
400+	FD	C	3	128	283.0	- 313.0	302.6	N/Q	-			1218	- 1460	1332
		C	3	62	290.0	- 308.0	302.1	4	537	- 574	564	1233	- 1523	1327
				<b>533</b>	<b>258.0</b>	<b>321.0</b>			<b>528</b>	<b>596</b>		<b>559</b>	<b>1523</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
400-500		C	2	2	265.0	- 265.0	265.0	N/Q	510	- 510	510	1259	- 1259	1259
	FD	C	2	32	323.0	- 329.0	326.6	24	-			1324	- 1349	1339
	FD	C	3	58	278.0	- 328.0	304.6	-15	-			1265	- 1492	1415
		C	3	34	255.0	- 298.0	275.0	N/Q	481	- 562	516	1211	- 1392	1297
	FD	C	4	21	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-			1378	- 1407	1400
		C	4	3	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	N/Q	528	- 528	528	1411	- 1411	1411
500-600		C	3	11	255.0	- 270.0	262.7	N/Q	481	- 500	492	1339	- 1377	1365
		C	4	85	270.0	- 298.0	287.8	5	500	- 546	530	1418	- 1732	1588
	FD	C	4	39	289.0	- 300.0	295.9	N/Q	-			1546	- 1605	1578
600-750		C	3	1	277.0	- 277.0	277.0	N/Q	513	- 513	513	1897	- 1897	1897
		C	4	53	285.0	- 295.0	289.1	5	518	- 546	529	1781	- 2095	1812
750+		C	4	8	281.0	- 281.0	281.0	N/Q	502	- 502	502	2150	- 2150	2150
				<b>347</b>	<b>255.0</b>	<b>329.0</b>			<b>481</b>	<b>562</b>		<b>1211</b>	<b>2150</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	FD	C	3	56	259.0	- 311.0	293.4	N/Q	-			1230	- 1450	1305
		C	3	2	259.0	- 259.0	259.0	N/Q	498	- 498	498	1256	- 1256	1256
		C	4	61	253.0	- 280.0	266.2	5	477	- 528	497	1232	- 1470	1327
	FD	C	4	24	300.0	- 305.0	303.1	N/Q	-			1275	- 1632	1498
		D	3	12	228.0	- 228.0	228.0	-45	439	- 439	439	901	- 901	901
540+		C	4	37	274.0	- 277.0	275.4	N/Q	500	- 507	503	1548	- 1870	1755
				<b>192</b>	<b>228.0</b>	<b>311.0</b>			<b>439</b>	<b>528</b>		<b>901</b>	<b>1870</b>	
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
0-540	RS	D	2	17	221.0	- 221.0	221.0	-34	-			829	- 829	829
	RS	D	3	14	216.0	- 216.0	216.0	N/Q	-			1026	- 1026	1026
				<b>31</b>	<b>216.0</b>	<b>221.0</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>829</b>	<b>1026</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	1	4	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	330	- 330	330	413	- 413	413
		D	2	18	163.0	- 200.0	193.8	-16	371	- 455	441	530	- 770	730
	RS	D	2	3	208.0	- 208.0	208.0	N/Q	-			801	- 801	801

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400-520	RS	D	2	8	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	-			935	- 935	935
		D	2	3	200.0	- 202.0	201.3	-3	430	- 455	438	870	- 919	903
		D	3	107	209.0	- 220.0	216.1	-8	445	- 468	460	909	- 1133	1025
		D	4	4	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	451	- 451	451	1139	- 1139	1139
520+		D	2	12	203.0	- 203.0	203.0	-22	451	- 451	451	1269	- 1269	1269
		D	3	84	210.0	- 227.0	219.9	-12	447	- 483	468	1103	- 1649	1166
		D	4	180	220.0	- 244.0	229.6	4	423	- 469	443	1181	- 1867	1438
		D	5	20	190.0	- 224.0	212.7	30	380	- 432	421	1220	- 1817	1332
				<b>443</b>	<b>145.0</b>	<b>244.0</b>		<b>330</b>	<b>483</b>		<b>413</b>	<b>1867</b>		
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450	RS	C	2	23	233.0	- 245.0	236.1	-52	-			850	- 1017	894
450-600		C	2	20	242.0	- 263.0	247.7	23	448	- 487	467	1125	- 1249	1177
600+		B	2	25	220.0	- 260.0	255.8	9	407	- 473	451	2206	- 3000	2420
		C	2	49	220.0	- 243.0	235.5	12	407	- 467	446	1375	- 2167	1736
				<b>117</b>	<b>220.0</b>	<b>263.0</b>		<b>407</b>	<b>487</b>		<b>850</b>	<b>3000</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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