

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Dubbo

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Following the excellent rains numbers were back considerably. It was a top quality yarding with some excellent trade cattle in most runs along with very well finished bullocks and cows. As expected the market was solid.

Trade cattle were 7c to 12c dearer, with vealers selling to 342c for the steers and 338c/kg for the heifers. The prime conditioned steer yearlings sold from 290c to 344c, while the prime heifer yearlings sold to 325c/kg. Feeder steers went against the trend finishing 3c to 6c cheaper, while the heifer feeders were 7c to 10c/kg dearer. The feeder steers sold from 290c to 326c, while the feeder heifers sold to 313c/kg. Young steers to the restockers sold to 341c/kg.

Grown steers were 6c dearer with the prime medium and heavy weights selling from 280c to 307c/kg. Grown heifers sold to 302c/kg. Cows were 15c to 18c dearer, with the 2 scores selling from 145c to 195c to the processors, and 222c/kg to the restockers. The better 3 and 4 score cows sold from 178c to 237c, with the 4 score heavy weights averaging 226c/kg. Bulls sold to 270c/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	345.0	- 345.0	345.0	N/Q	664	- 664	664	276	- 276	276
				<b>1</b>	<b>345.0</b>	<b>345.0</b>			<b>664</b>	<b>664</b>		<b>276</b>	<b>276</b>	
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
0-200	RS	C	2	3	311.0	- 311.0	311.0	14	-			575	- 575	575
200-280	RS	C	2	31	307.0	- 341.0	336.7	14	-			645	- 938	907
	FD	C	2	13	295.0	- 314.0	310.1	-14	-			811	- 879	858
280-330	RS	C	2	2	307.0	- 307.0	307.0	N/Q	-			875	- 875	875
	RS	C	3	2	322.0	- 322.0	322.0	N/Q	-			918	- 918	918
	FD	C	3	13	326.0	- 326.0	326.0	N/Q	-			962	- 962	962
330+	FD	C	2	11	315.0	- 319.0	316.1	N/Q	-			1055	- 1069	1059
	FD	C	3	1	314.0	- 314.0	314.0	N/Q	-			1115	- 1115	1115
		C	3	5	330.0	- 342.0	333.2	11	623	- 645	629	1106	- 1317	1164
				<b>81</b>	<b>295.0</b>	<b>342.0</b>			<b>623</b>	<b>645</b>		<b>575</b>	<b>1317</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	11	290.0	- 300.0	298.2	-4	-			795	- 798	795
	FD	C	2	5	270.0	- 286.0	276.4	N/Q	-			689	- 701	693
		C	3	11	334.0	- 334.0	334.0	22	642	- 642	642	919	- 919	919
280-330	RS	C	2	3	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	-1	-			841	- 841	841
	FD	C	2	19	284.0	- 303.0	294.2	N/Q	-			809	- 864	848
		C	3	2	312.0	- 320.0	316.0	N/Q	600	- 604	602	920	- 992	956
330+		C	3	14	315.0	- 338.0	328.5	20	594	- 638	620	1087	- 1200	1145
				<b>65</b>	<b>270.0</b>	<b>338.0</b>			<b>594</b>	<b>642</b>		<b>689</b>	<b>1200</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
200-280	FD	C	2	1	306.0	- 306.0	306.0	N/Q	-			842	- 842	842
280-330	FD	C	2	14	290.0	- 323.0	313.3	-2	-			885	- 1050	1012
330-400	FD	C	2	115	300.0	- 326.0	317.2	-5	-			1035	- 1224	1119
	FD	C	3	9	320.0	- 325.0	322.8	2	-			1186	- 1232	1207

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400+		C	3	11	305.0	- 341.0	317.1	-6	577	- 643	603	1052	- 1300	1190
		C	2	5	288.0	- 288.0	288.0	N/Q	543	- 543	543	1483	- 1483	1483
		FD	C	2	82	264.0	- 321.0	309.8	-3	-	-	1082	- 1392	1323
		FD	C	3	58	300.0	- 325.0	316.8	-4	-	-	1299	- 1533	1443
		C	3	95	290.0	- 344.0	316.8	1	547	- 649	598	1275	- 1734	1516
	C	4	11	315.0	- 315.0	315.0	N/Q	594	- 594	594	1654	- 1654	1654	
				<b>401</b>	<b>264.0</b>	<b>344.0</b>		<b>543</b>	<b>649</b>		<b>842</b>	<b>1734</b>		
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	12	260.0	- 290.0	270.0	-6	-	-	702	- 798	734	
	FD	C	2	24	275.0	- 299.0	291.8	7	-	-	756	- 822	802	
280-330	FD	C	2	90	270.0	- 312.0	299.9	4	-	-	797	- 983	938	
	RS	C	2	7	276.0	- 276.0	276.0	-21	-	-	897	- 897	897	
	C	3	19	317.0	- 325.0	320.4	7	610	- 613	611	1014	- 1024	1018	
330-400	FD	C	2	65	288.0	- 313.0	306.6	7	-	-	1030	- 1174	1082	
	C	2	1	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	558	- 558	558	1001	- 1001	1001	
	FD	C	3	34	289.0	- 312.0	305.6	6	-	-	1113	- 1217	1149	
	C	3	13	311.0	- 319.0	313.0	13	587	- 602	591	1196	- 1260	1222	
400+	C	3	41	295.0	- 325.0	312.2	12	557	- 613	589	1254	- 1530	1384	
	FD	C	3	56	293.0	- 313.0	303.2	10	-	-	1266	- 1487	1379	
				<b>362</b>	<b>260.0</b>	<b>325.0</b>		<b>557</b>	<b>613</b>		<b>702</b>	<b>1530</b>		
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
400-500	FD	C	2	13	284.0	- 284.0	284.0	N/Q	-	-	1349	- 1349	1349	
	FD	C	3	32	250.0	- 305.0	290.5	-19	-	-	1233	- 1402	1339	
	C	3	8	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	14	500	- 500	500	1235	- 1235	1235	
	C	4	14	281.0	- 310.0	303.6	27	540	- 585	574	1335	- 1504	1464	
500-600	C	3	10	294.0	- 294.0	294.0	22	555	- 555	555	1499	- 1499	1499	
	C	4	36	280.0	- 307.0	298.5	6	539	- 587	566	1475	- 1685	1562	
				<b>113</b>	<b>250.0</b>	<b>310.0</b>		<b>500</b>	<b>587</b>		<b>1233</b>	<b>1685</b>		
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	FD	C	2	1	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q	-	-	813	- 813	813	
	C	3	6	230.0	- 265.0	256.5	-19	434	- 500	489	1062	- 1365	1246	
	FD	C	3	17	254.0	- 292.0	278.6	N/Q	-	-	1207	- 1241	1229	
	C	4	51	249.0	- 302.0	292.8	10	479	- 577	554	1233	- 1575	1519	
540+	C	4	6	254.0	- 255.0	254.3	-7	479	- 490	483	1486	- 1492	1488	
				<b>81</b>	<b>230.0</b>	<b>302.0</b>		<b>434</b>	<b>577</b>		<b>813</b>	<b>1575</b>		
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
540+		D	3	4	248.0	- 248.0	248.0	N/Q	477	- 477	477	2170	- 2170	2170
				<b>4</b>	<b>248.0</b>	<b>248.0</b>		<b>477</b>	<b>477</b>		<b>2170</b>	<b>2170</b>		
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400	RS	D	2	17	222.0	- 222.0	222.0	20	-	-	788	- 788	788	
400-520	RS	D	2	32	174.0	- 216.0	195.3	N/C	-	-	713	- 940	834	
	DA	D	2	6	145.0	- 168.0	152.7	N/Q	330	- 382	347	616	- 697	643
	D	2	36	170.0	- 195.0	187.5	29	386	- 443	426	726	- 887	830	
	D	3	45	186.0	- 218.0	201.6	16	396	- 464	429	846	- 1059	945	
	RS	D	3	6	178.0	- 200.0	196.3	-4	-	-	846	- 950	933	

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
520+	DA	D	4	25	220.0	- 225.0	221.8	16	444	- 450	448	1045	- 1132	1075
		D	2	8	187.0	- 187.0	187.0	N/Q	425	- 425	425	982	- 982	982
		D	3	4	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	-1	436	- 436	436	1076	- 1076	1076
		D	4	108	215.0	- 237.0	226.0	14	419	- 471	444	1129	- 1487	1289
		D	5	4	210.0	- 215.0	213.3	13	404	- 414	410	1229	- 1380	1312
				<b>291</b>	<b>145.0</b>	<b>237.0</b>		<b>330</b>	<b>471</b>		<b>616</b>	<b>1487</b>		
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450	LE	C	2	21	289.0	- 306.0	298.7	4	556	- 577	573	824	- 1270	882
		C	2	1	283.0	- 283.0	283.0	N/Q	544	- 544	544	1231	- 1231	1231
450-600		B	2	1	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	N/Q	472	- 472	472	1313	- 1313	1313
		C	2	4	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	-3	442	- 442	442	1185	- 1185	1185
600+		B	2	5	230.0	- 270.0	255.6	27	434	- 506	479	1747	- 2363	2121
				<b>32</b>	<b>230.0</b>	<b>306.0</b>		<b>434</b>	<b>577</b>		<b>824</b>	<b>2363</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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