

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Gunnedah

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Yarding Change 950
-390

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Following the weekend, rains numbers were back by 400 head. It was a fair quality yarding, with good numbers of young cattle to suit the restockers and feeders, with only limited numbers of ideal trade cattle. There was a pretty good selection of well finished cows, and there were no grown steers yarded.

The few young cattle to the trade sold at similar rates with vealers selling to 375c, while the prime steer and heifer yearlings sold to 385c/kg. Young steers to the restockers were dearer, selling from 390c to 466c/kg. Feeder steers were firm, while the feeder heifers were up to 12c/kg dearer. The feeder steers sold from 339c to 402c, while the feeder heifers sold from 350c to 386c/kg.

The few grown steers to the processors sold to 330c, while the grown heifers which were dearer, sold to 340c/kg. Cows were 8c to 12c dearer, with the few 2 scores selling to 236c to the processors and 269c/kg to the restockers. The better 3 and 4 score cows sold from 230c to 293c, with the 4 score heavy weights averaging 288c/kg. Bulls sold to 304c/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
Vealer Steer														
0-200	RS	C	2	14	466.0	- 466.0	466.0	N/Q	-			909	- 909	909
200-280	RS	C	2	16	353.0	- 418.0	373.3	-48	-			900	- 1066	952
280-330	RS	C	2	9	417.0	- 417.0	417.0	N/Q	-			1188	- 1355	1281
	FD	C	2	9	397.0	- 397.0	397.0	N/Q	-			1171	- 1171	1171
330+	RS	C	3	8	390.0	- 390.0	390.0	N/Q	-			1385	- 1385	1385
				56	353.0	466.0			0	0		900	1385	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	C	2	12	400.0	- 400.0	400.0	N/Q	-			740	- 740	740
200-280	RS	C	2	14	370.0	- 387.0	382.1	1	-			870	- 987	942
280-330	RS	C	2	24	376.0	- 380.0	378.2	1	-			1072	- 1083	1078
	FD	C	2	17	374.0	- 375.0	374.4	N/Q	-			1069	- 1159	1122
		C	3	4	375.0	- 375.0	375.0	-9	721	- 721	721	1219	- 1219	1219
	RS	C	3	3	373.0	- 373.0	373.0	N/Q	-			1212	- 1212	1212
330+	FD	C	2	2	347.0	- 347.0	347.0	N/Q	-			1162	- 1162	1162
				76	347.0	400.0			721	721		740	1219	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	RS	C	2	1	370.0	- 370.0	370.0	N/Q	-			1018	- 1018	1018
280-330	FD	C	2	12	380.0	- 393.0	386.9	-9	-			1218	- 1268	1253
330-400	FD	C	2	67	372.0	- 402.0	393.8	-2	-			1321	- 1493	1389
		C	2	2	348.0	- 348.0	348.0	N/Q	669	- 669	669	1166	- 1166	1166
400+	FD	C	2	68	365.0	- 386.0	380.7	3	-			1515	- 1862	1731
	FD	C	3	103	339.0	- 385.0	378.2	-5	-			1530	- 1972	1716
		C	3	6	385.0	- 385.0	385.0	24	726	- 726	726	1636	- 1636	1636
				259	339.0	402.0			669	726		1018	1972	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	RS	C	2	16	372.0	- 372.0	372.0	14	-			1023	- 1023	1023
280-330	RS	C	2	62	387.0	- 387.0	387.0	27	-			1103	- 1103	1103

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330-400	FD	C	2	18	364.0	- 386.0	372.8	4	-			1150	- 1216	1187	
		C	3	3	345.0	- 345.0	345.0	-13	651	- 651	651	1121	- 1121	1121	
	FD	C	2	5	350.0	- 355.0	352.0	-19	-			1208	- 1296	1243	
	RS	C	2	11	383.0	- 383.0	383.0	18	-			1321	- 1321	1321	
	FD	C	3	35	360.0	- 378.0	372.4	17	-			1287	- 1422	1330	
400+	C	3	22	313.0	- 385.0	353.2	-17	602	- 726	674	1205	- 1462	1304		
		2	3	347.0	- 347.0	347.0	N/Q	667	- 667	667	1579	- 1579	1579		
	FD	C	3	9	375.0	- 375.0	375.0	31	-			1631	- 1631	1631	
	C	3	37	320.0	- 385.0	359.7	21	604	- 726	681	1418	- 1829	1545		
				221	313.0	387.0		602	726		1023	1829			
Grown Steer															
400-500	FD	C	3	5	355.0	- 355.0	355.0	-10	-			1615	- 1615	1615	
		C	3	1	329.0	- 329.0	329.0	N/Q	621	- 621	621	1431	- 1431	1431	
500-600		C	3	3	330.0	- 330.0	330.0	-16	635	- 635	635	1733	- 1733	1733	
				9	329.0	355.0		621	635		1431	1733			
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	2	4	276.0	- 276.0	276.0	-9	541	- 541	541	1173	- 1173	1173	
		FD	C	2	6	298.0	- 298.0	298.0	-28	-			1147	- 1147	1147
		C	3	35	300.0	- 333.0	319.7	1	577	- 628	606	1275	- 1748	1622	
540+		C	3	9	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	32	642	- 642	642	1989	- 1989	1989	
		C	4	1	319.0	- 319.0	319.0	N/Q	614	- 614	614	1802	- 1802	1802	
				55	276.0	340.0		541	642		1147	1989			
Cows															
400-520		D	2	4	226.0	- 236.0	228.5	-26	502	- 536	511	1003	- 1074	1056	
		RS	D	2	11	256.0	- 269.0	264.3	N/Q	-			1062	- 1143	1114
		D	3	22	230.0	- 279.0	266.4	13	489	- 594	567	1093	- 1437	1351	
520+		D	3	19	255.0	- 278.0	273.3	N/C	543	- 592	582	1339	- 1460	1435	
		D	4	87	278.0	- 293.0	287.5	18	535	- 598	560	1496	- 1738	1626	
				143	226.0	293.0		489	598		1003	1738			
Bulls															
450-600		C	2	6	264.0	- 288.0	272.0	N/Q	508	- 543	520	1254	- 1627	1378	
		RS	C	2	1	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-			1494	- 1494	1494
600+		B	2	15	284.0	- 304.0	287.2	-9	518	- 550	539	1945	- 3496	2614	
		C	3	1	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	528	- 528	528	3024	- 3024	3024	
				23	264.0	304.0		508	550		1254	3496			

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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