

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Mount Barker

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Yarding Change <sup>1167</sup>  
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comparison date 23/03/2017

Numbers were up for a yarding of 1,167 mixed quality cattle at Mt Barker. The yarding was dominated by weaner cattle selling mainly to feeder buyers.

Weaners steers over 330kg sold from 316c to 382c to average 355c, medium weights 280-330kg made 350c to 396c and light weights under 280kg sold from 355c to 428c/kg. Weaner heifers in the same weight categories made 306c to 354c for heavy weights, medium weights sold from 292c to 362c and light weights made 330c to 346c/kg.

Grown steers weighing 500-600kg made from 248c to 316c/kg. Grown heifers over 540kg finished up 16c making 228c to 280c/kg. Bullocks over 600kg sold for 248c/kg. Heavy 3 and 4 score cows were up 7c making 190c to 220c/kg. Medium weights rose 17c to finish at 210c to 238c and store cows fell 10c selling from 168c to 210/kg. Overfat cows made 180c to 198c/kg. Heavy bulls gained 10c to processors making from 210c to 242c, bulls 450-600kg sold for 205c and bulls under 450kg made 272c to 318c/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>Vealer Steer</b>														
200-280	FD	C	2	3	355.0	- 365.0	360.0	-36	-	-	-	876	- 959	924
	RS	C	2	5	408.0	- 408.0	408.0	-10	-	-	-	1053	- 1053	1053
	RS	C	3	16	358.0	- 428.0	414.6	-36	-	-	-	855	- 1144	1079
280-330	RS	C	2	11	364.0	- 364.0	364.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1023	- 1023	1023
	FD	C	2	36	350.0	- 396.0	380.3	-3	-	-	-	1098	- 1156	1134
	FD	C	3	23	370.0	- 380.0	377.8	6	-	-	-	1214	- 1250	1242
330+	FD	C	2	47	350.0	- 378.0	364.0	-14	-	-	-	1218	- 1359	1264
	FD	C	3	280	316.0	- 382.0	360.7	4	-	-	-	1249	- 1509	1367
	RS	C	3	4	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1425	- 1425	1425
				<b>425</b>	<b>316.0</b>	<b>428.0</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>855</b>	<b>1509</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280	FD	C	2	2	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q	-	-	-	918	- 918	918
	RS	C	2	46	344.0	- 378.0	359.8	-8	-	-	-	863	- 949	920
	FD	C	3	13	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q	-	-	-	949	- 949	949
	RS	C	3	13	330.0	- 398.0	342.6	-5	-	-	-	795	- 1007	880
280-330	FD	C	2	12	330.0	- 352.0	337.3	N/Q	-	-	-	950	- 1084	1015
	RS	C	2	14	292.0	- 362.0	332.0	-15	-	-	-	949	- 1079	1023
	FD	C	3	55	328.0	- 350.0	343.3	-10	-	-	-	935	- 1134	1037
	RS	C	3	2	315.0	- 315.0	315.0	N/Q	-	-	-	961	- 961	961
330+	FD	C	2	6	330.0	- 330.0	330.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1185	- 1185	1185
	RS	C	2	10	344.0	- 344.0	344.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1238	- 1238	1238
	FD	C	3	152	306.0	- 354.0	342.3	-26	-	-	-	1142	- 1366	1249
		C	3	5	318.0	- 318.0	318.0	N/Q	600	- 600	600	1329	- 1329	1329
	RS	C	3	1	315.0	- 315.0	315.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1292	- 1292	1292
				<b>331</b>	<b>292.0</b>	<b>398.0</b>			<b>600</b>	<b>600</b>		<b>795</b>	<b>1366</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
0-400	FD	C	2	5	250.0	- 316.0	302.8	N/Q	-	-	-	988	- 1153	1120

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
400-500	FD	C	2	11	262.0	- 320.0	304.4	N/Q	-			1256	- 1494	1380
		C	3	9	318.0	- 318.0	318.0	N/Q	600	- 600	600	1565	- 1565	1565
	FD	C	3	35	310.0	- 326.0	318.2	N/Q	-			1364	- 1571	1469
500-600	FD	C	3	2	310.0	- 310.0	310.0	N/Q	-			1566	- 1566	1566
		C	3	62	248.0	- 316.0	284.0	13	477	- 596	537	1267	- 1720	1540
600-750		C	3	2	248.0	- 248.0	248.0	N/Q	468	- 468	468	1637	- 1637	1637
				<b>126</b>	<b>248.0</b>	<b>326.0</b>			<b>468</b>	<b>600</b>		<b>988</b>	<b>1720</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	FD	C	2	3	238.0	- 238.0	238.0	N/Q	-			1016	- 1016	1016
		RS	C	2	16	326.0	- 328.0	327.4	N/Q	-			1138	- 1252
	RS	C	3	20	260.0	- 300.0	286.0	N/Q	-			1341	- 1365	1349
	FD	C	3	1	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	-			1056	- 1056	1056
	C	3	25	240.0	- 290.0	272.4	-2	462	- 547	517	1050	- 1442	1371	
540+		C	3	5	228.0	- 280.0	250.4	6	430	- 528	476	1322	- 1582	1481
		C	4	24	232.0	- 266.0	252.1	26	430	- 502	472	1369	- 1664	1511
				<b>94</b>	<b>228.0</b>	<b>328.0</b>			<b>430</b>	<b>547</b>		<b>1016</b>	<b>1664</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	3	1	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	423	- 423	423	880	- 880	880
400-520	DA	D	2	4	176.0	- 176.0	176.0	N/Q	367	- 367	367	878	- 878	878
		D	2	12	168.0	- 200.0	188.0	-24	350	- 400	381	764	- 1030	900
		D	3	14	210.0	- 238.0	225.5	17	404	- 458	434	1040	- 1118	1062
520+		D	2	8	200.0	- 210.0	207.5	20	400	- 420	415	1060	- 1124	1108
	DA	D	2	4	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	396	- 396	396	1083	- 1083	1083
		D	3	45	190.0	- 220.0	214.0	10	365	- 423	412	1102	- 1485	1292
		D	4	46	198.0	- 220.0	213.7	3	374	- 415	402	1222	- 1623	1438
		D	5	5	180.0	- 198.0	186.0	23	327	- 360	338	1218	- 1530	1411
				<b>139</b>	<b>168.0</b>	<b>238.0</b>		<b>327</b>	<b>458</b>		<b>764</b>	<b>1623</b>		
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450	FD	C	2	7	272.0	- 278.0	272.9	-45	-			973	- 1044	1034
		C	3	7	290.0	- 318.0	306.6	N/Q	-			628	- 943	828
	FD	D	3	2	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-			1001	- 1001	1001
450-600		C	3	1	205.0	- 205.0	205.0	N/Q	373	- 373	373	1076	- 1076	1076
600+		C	3	11	210.0	- 242.0	216.4	10	382	- 440	394	1283	- 2275	1731
				<b>28</b>	<b>205.0</b>	<b>318.0</b>			<b>373</b>	<b>440</b>		<b>628</b>	<b>2275</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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