

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

Market information provided by MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service

Dubbo

report date 11 May 2017

Yarding Change ³⁴⁶⁰
-840

comparison date 04/05/2017

Young cattle were the majority in a pretty good quality yarding with good numbers of trade cattle to suit the processors and feeders. There was also a good selection of cows along with a limited supply of grown steers.

Young cattle to the trade were up to 9c dearer with vealers selling to 357c/kg. Prime steer yearlings sold from 308c to 349c while the prime heifer yearlings sold to 337c/kg. Young feeders were 4c to 6c dearer with the feeder steers selling from 291c to 355c while the feeder heifers sold from 270c to 344c/kg. A limited selection of young steers to the restockers sold to 380c/kg.

Grown steers were 8c dearer with the prime medium weights selling from 295c to 338c/kg. Grown heifers sold to 316c/kg. Most grades of cows were firm to 2c cheaper with the 2 scores selling from 185c to 205c to the processors and 226c/kg to the restockers. The better 3 and 4 score cows sold from 200c to 245c with a single C muscle cow selling for 269c/kg. The prime heavy weight cows averaged 235c and bulls sold to 275c/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
Calves														
80+		C	2	8	328.0	- 328.0	328.0	N/Q	631	- 631	631	607	- 607	607
	RS	C	2	2	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	N/Q	-	-	-	464	- 464	464
				10	320.0	328.0			631	631		464	607	
Vealer Steer														
200-280		C	2	16	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	567	- 567	567	664	- 664	664
	RS	C	2	52	345.0	- 380.0	362.1	-7	-	-	-	845	- 963	907
		C	3	9	340.0	- 350.0	344.4	-14	642	- 660	650	928	- 935	932
280-330		C	2	13	345.0	- 345.0	345.0	N/Q	664	- 664	664	983	- 983	983
	RS	C	2	29	351.0	- 368.0	363.2	31	-	-	-	1000	- 1122	1078
	FD	C	2	35	328.0	- 353.0	341.4	N/Q	-	-	-	969	- 1105	1008
		C	3	11	343.0	- 355.0	346.6	1	657	- 664	662	1012	- 1087	1066
330+		C	3	50	338.0	- 357.0	350.3	12	638	- 668	659	1166	- 1296	1239
	FD	C	3	8	336.0	- 336.0	336.0	-13	-	-	-	1294	- 1294	1294
				223	295.0	380.0			567	668		664	1296	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200		C	2	16	330.0	- 330.0	330.0	N/Q	647	- 647	647	611	- 611	611
200-280		C	2	23	315.0	- 340.0	334.9	-1	606	- 654	644	803	- 935	910
	RS	C	2	49	282.0	- 326.0	314.8	-18	-	-	-	691	- 894	809
		C	3	18	325.0	- 348.0	336.0	-24	617	- 657	633	829	- 941	903
280-330		C	2	16	310.0	- 310.0	310.0	-28	596	- 596	596	884	- 884	884
	FD	C	2	32	325.0	- 336.0	332.5	-10	-	-	-	938	- 991	950
		C	3	11	325.0	- 350.0	346.1	-2	625	- 673	664	992	- 1131	1011
330+		C	3	33	310.0	- 352.0	331.2	-16	585	- 664	625	1132	- 1267	1188
	FD	C	3	5	330.0	- 330.0	330.0	N/C	-	-	-	1139	- 1139	1139
				203	282.0	352.0			585	673		611	1267	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	RS	C	2	26	353.0	- 356.0	354.4	N/Q	-	-	-	935	- 943	939
280-330	RS	C	2	5	340.0	- 347.0	341.4	6	-	-	-	989	- 1105	1082

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
330-400	FD	C	2	55	291.0	- 346.0	329.7	5	-	-	-	898	- 1112	1034
	FD	C	2	195	318.0	- 354.0	341.3	6	-	-	-	1072	- 1390	1215
	RS	C	2	16	347.0	- 347.0	347.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1162	- 1162	1162
	RS	C	3	1	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1139	- 1139	1139
400+		C	3	8	320.0	- 349.0	344.6	25	604	- 660	652	1168	- 1344	1319
	FD	C	3	23	335.0	- 346.0	343.8	-4	-	-	-	1223	- 1321	1279
	FD	C	2	74	314.0	- 355.0	339.9	10	-	-	-	1415	- 1615	1493
	FD	C	3	73	315.0	- 355.0	335.8	N/C	-	-	-	1360	- 1663	1514
		C	3	98	308.0	- 347.0	324.5	9	581	- 645	607	1360	- 1733	1507
		C	4	22	330.0	- 330.0	330.0	N/Q	600	- 600	600	1700	- 1700	1700
				596	291.0	356.0			581	660		898	1733	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280	RS	C	2	2	308.0	- 308.0	308.0	N/Q	-	-	-	755	- 755	755
280-330	RS	C	2	21	347.0	- 347.0	347.0	28	-	-	-	1128	- 1128	1128
	FD	C	2	79	312.0	- 327.0	318.6	12	-	-	-	926	- 1063	1005
330-400		C	2	12	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	-49	539	- 539	539	910	- 910	910
		C	2	6	272.0	- 272.0	272.0	N/Q	523	- 523	523	938	- 938	938
	FD	C	2	171	270.0	- 344.0	319.4	N/C	-	-	-	932	- 1309	1139
	RS	C	2	21	331.0	- 331.0	331.0	-4	-	-	-	1109	- 1109	1109
400+		C	3	13	290.0	- 337.0	309.4	14	547	- 636	584	1114	- 1163	1121
	FD	C	3	33	312.0	- 328.0	320.2	-12	-	-	-	1170	- 1263	1218
		D	3	6	242.0	- 242.0	242.0	N/Q	475	- 475	475	835	- 835	835
	FD	C	2	21	270.0	- 325.0	317.1	1	-	-	-	1121	- 1349	1316
	RS	C	3	3	290.0	- 303.0	298.7	N/Q	-	-	-	1233	- 1288	1269
		C	3	97	275.0	- 332.0	310.8	8	529	- 626	579	1169	- 1610	1449
400+	FD	C	3	85	270.0	- 322.0	297.8	-17	-	-	-	1283	- 1604	1368
		C	4	13	290.0	- 310.0	303.8	N/Q	547	- 574	566	1494	- 1814	1715
				583	242.0	347.0			475	636		755	1814	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	C	2	15	351.0	- 351.0	351.0	47	-	-	-	1316	- 1316	1316
	FD	D	3	4	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	-	-	-	994	- 994	994
400-500	FD	C	2	26	304.0	- 332.0	322.1	20	-	-	-	1383	- 1534	1490
	FD	C	3	38	285.0	- 335.0	324.4	-2	-	-	-	1382	- 1465	1426
500-600		C	3	17	270.0	- 320.0	293.4	-22	519	- 604	559	1310	- 1552	1423
		C	3	16	321.0	- 321.0	321.0	N/Q	606	- 606	606	1685	- 1685	1685
	FD	C	3	25	284.0	- 319.0	302.6	-4	-	-	-	1463	- 1675	1574
600-750	FD	C	4	15	305.0	- 305.0	305.0	-15	-	-	-	1571	- 1571	1571
		C	4	93	300.0	- 338.0	321.7	10	566	- 615	590	1605	- 1890	1736
		C	4	33	295.0	- 322.0	314.4	4	536	- 586	573	1844	- 2045	2004
				282	270.0	351.0			519	615		994	2045	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	2	63	260.0	- 343.0	310.0	-2	-	-	-	1117	- 1492	1306
		C	3	16	250.0	- 305.0	281.6	-17	472	- 577	532	1118	- 1575	1323
	FD	C	3	33	250.0	- 315.0	288.4	16	-	-	-	1063	- 1433	1367

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	
540+		C	4	22	240.0	- 301.0	293.6	7	462	- 557	547	1284	- 1580	1507	
		FD	D	2	14	248.0	- 248.0	248.0	N/Q	-		955	- 955	955	
		FD	D	3	12	243.0	- 256.0	244.1	N/Q	-		1242	- 1251	1251	
			D	3	1	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	500	- 500	500	1260	- 1260	1260
		FD	C	3	16	283.0	- 283.0	283.0	N/Q	-		1542	- 1542	1542	
			C	4	12	260.0	- 316.0	306.7	-3	500	- 596	580	1521	- 1849	1794
				189	240.0	343.0			462	596		955	1849		
Manufacturing Steer															
0-540		D	3	1	228.0	- 228.0	228.0	N/Q	485	- 485	485	1197	- 1197	1197	
540+		D	3	8	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	50	500	- 500	500	1888	- 1888	1888	
				9	228.0	250.0			485	500		1197	1888		
Cows															
0-400	RS	D	2	31	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	-			847	- 847	847	
400-520	RS	D	2	28	208.0	- 228.0	218.7	-2	-			946	- 1083	1020	
		D	2	36	185.0	- 205.0	190.5	-5	421	- 466	433	829	- 994	870	
		D	3	167	200.0	- 227.0	216.7	-1	426	- 483	461	950	- 1118	1048	
520+	RS	D	3	14	226.0	- 226.0	226.0	-2	-			1096	- 1096	1096	
		D	4	5	235.0	- 250.0	238.0	N/C	461	- 510	471	1210	- 1288	1226	
		C	3	1	269.0	- 269.0	269.0	N/Q	508	- 508	508	1412	- 1412	1412	
		D	3	131	180.0	- 227.0	220.8	3	383	- 483	466	945	- 1316	1183	
		D	4	206	225.0	- 245.0	235.3	-2	441	- 480	464	1181	- 1535	1335	
				619	180.0	269.0			383	510		829	1535		
Bulls															
0-450	RS	C	2	37	285.0	- 344.0	318.5	5	-			812	- 1004	964	
450-600		B	2	1	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	N/Q	490	- 490	490	1211	- 1211	1211	
	RS	C	2	2	260.0	- 272.0	266.0	N/Q	-			1183	- 1292	1238	
		C	2	3	256.0	- 256.0	256.0	N/Q	492	- 492	492	1165	- 1165	1165	
600+	FD	C	2	14	263.0	- 263.0	263.0	N/Q	-			1249	- 1249	1249	
		B	2	18	240.0	- 275.0	261.3	4	429	- 491	476	1670	- 2877	2247	
				75	240.0	344.0			429	492		812	2877		

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

Disclaimer:

© MLA 2017. No part of this publication may be reproduced in any form or by any means without prior written permission of MLA. MLA makes no representations and to the extent permitted by law excludes all warranties in relation to the information contained in this publication. MLA is not liable to you or to any third party for any losses, costs or expenses, including any direct, indirect, incidental, consequential, special or exemplary damages or lost profit, resulting from any use or misuse of the information contained in this publication. Information contained in this publication has been obtained from a variety of third party sources which have not been verified by MLA.