

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Dubbo

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Yarding Change ³⁴²⁴
-36

comparison date 11/05/2017

Numbers remained steady this sale though quality was reduced slightly from the previous sales. There was an increased percentage of plainer unfinished cattle yarded along with the few better finished pens. Yearlings made up the majority of the offering. The usual buyers were present and active along with competition from restockers in a firm to dearer market.

Light weight steers and heifers to restockers sold from 318c to 418c/kg. Yearling steers to processors held firm, to range from 310c to 350c/kg. Those to feed were 3c to 5c/kg better. Medium weights sold from 300c to 367c and heavy weights received from 330c to 364c/kg. The heifer portion to processors also held firm to sell from 290c to 345c/kg. Feeders paid from 288c to 350c/kg for the unfinished lines.

Heavy steers and bullocks were in short supply and sold from 278c to 342c/kg. Grown heifers received from 244c to 300c/kg. Cows were 6c to 7c/kg better. Heavy 2 & 3 score cows selling from 215c to 235c and 4 scores ranged from 234c to 249c/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														
200-280		C	3	2	330.0	- 340.0	335.0	N/Q	611	- 630	620	726	- 884	805
				2	330.0	340.0			611	630		726	884	
Vealer Heifer														
0-200	RS	C	2	2	372.0	- 372.0	372.0	N/Q		-		744	- 744	744
		C	3	1	325.0	- 325.0	325.0	N/Q	602	- 602	602	650	- 650	650
200-280		C	3	8	340.0	- 350.0	348.1	12	630	- 648	645	748	- 977	932
280-330		C	3	4	347.0	- 347.0	347.0	1	643	- 643	643	1041	- 1041	1041
				15	325.0	372.0			602	648		650	1041	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	8	366.0	- 380.0	378.3	N/Q		-		912	- 988	922
	RS	C	2	195	366.0	- 418.0	396.2	42		-		832	- 1102	972
280-330	RS	C	2	13	352.0	- 370.0	364.5	23		-		1056	- 1110	1093
	FD	C	2	29	324.0	- 368.0	345.6	16		-		972	- 1104	1044
		C	3	2	310.0	- 314.0	312.0	N/Q	574	- 582	578	930	- 973	952
		D	3	4	300.0	- 300.0	300.0	N/Q	556	- 556	556	900	- 900	900
330-400	RS	C	2	77	318.0	- 357.0	347.6	1		-		1113	- 1384	1272
	FD	C	2	296	310.0	- 367.0	350.6	9		-		1148	- 1456	1324
		C	3	13	310.0	- 350.0	343.5	-1	574	- 648	636	1209	- 1380	1294
	RS	C	3	1	348.0	- 348.0	348.0	N/Q		-		1392	- 1392	1392
	FD	C	3	56	300.0	- 358.0	345.9	2		-		1140	- 1408	1322
400+	FD	C	2	184	330.0	- 364.0	351.0	11		-		1419	- 1638	1514
		C	3	27	312.0	- 342.0	323.0	-2	578	- 633	598	1365	- 1952	1749
	FD	C	3	47	330.0	- 350.0	338.7	3		-		1518	- 1776	1641
				952	300.0	418.0			556	648		832	1952	
Yearling Heifer														
0-200	FD	C	2	10	326.0	- 326.0	326.0	N/Q		-		652	- 652	652
	RS	C	2	2	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q		-		680	- 680	680
200-280	FD	C	2	11	296.0	- 332.0	317.2	N/Q		-		740	- 930	864

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280-330		C	3	1	282.0	- 282.0	282.0	N/Q	522	- 522	522	677	- 677	677
	RS	D	2	7	330.0	- 330.0	330.0	N/Q	-	-	-	891	- 891	891
	FD	C	2	23	331.0	- 343.0	338.4	20	-	-	-	1008	- 1045	1030
	FD	C	3	13	330.0	- 330.0	330.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1023	- 1023	1023
330-400		C	3	1	325.0	- 325.0	325.0	N/Q	602	- 602	602	1040	- 1040	1040
	FD	D	2	4	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	-	-	-	864	- 864	864
	FD	C	2	39	288.0	- 347.0	330.6	11	-	-	-	993	- 1215	1163
	FD	C	3	29	282.0	- 350.0	332.3	12	-	-	-	1015	- 1330	1266
400+	RS	C	3	20	320.0	- 350.0	333.5	N/Q	-	-	-	1088	- 1225	1150
		C	3	55	290.0	- 345.0	318.4	9	537	- 639	590	1071	- 1260	1182
	FD	D	2	3	282.0	- 282.0	282.0	N/Q	-	-	-	987	- 987	987
	FD	C	2	4	296.0	- 296.0	296.0	-21	-	-	-	1391	- 1391	1391
	RS	C	2	15	309.0	- 309.0	309.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1421	- 1421	1421
	FD	C	3	35	296.0	- 302.0	298.7	1	-	-	-	1290	- 1362	1323
	C	3	68	290.0	- 330.0	311.6	1	537	- 611	577	1218	- 1542	1378	
	D	3	5	260.0	- 278.0	274.4	N/Q	482	- 515	508	1196	- 1446	1396	
				345	260.0	350.0		482	639		652	1542		
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	2	1	272.0	- 272.0	272.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1360	- 1360	1360
		C	3	1	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	546	- 546	546	1239	- 1239	1239
500-600		C	3	14	282.0	- 305.0	292.4	-29	522	- 565	542	1523	- 1708	1603
	FD	C	3	1	304.0	- 304.0	304.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1611	- 1611	1611
600-750		C	3	1	278.0	- 278.0	278.0	N/Q	515	- 515	515	1974	- 1974	1974
				18	272.0	305.0		515	565		1239	1974		
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	2	1	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	N/Q	454	- 454	454	1323	- 1323	1323
		C	3	4	247.0	- 286.0	256.8	-25	457	- 530	476	1260	- 1544	1331
540+		C	3	9	244.0	- 300.0	275.8	N/Q	452	- 556	511	1415	- 1918	1758
				14	244.0	300.0		452	556		1260	1918		
Cows														
400-520	RS	D	2	9	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	1	-	-	-	968	- 968	968
		D	2	7	155.0	- 207.0	195.9	5	337	- 450	426	667	- 1025	946
		D	3	30	234.0	- 234.0	234.0	17	509	- 509	509	1217	- 1217	1217
520+		C	2	1	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	N/Q	554	- 554	554	2601	- 2601	2601
		C	3	1	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	N/Q	533	- 533	533	1372	- 1372	1372
		C	4	2	248.0	- 248.0	248.0	N/Q	539	- 539	539	1761	- 1761	1761
		D	2	13	215.0	- 225.0	215.8	N/Q	467	- 489	469	1238	- 1247	1246
		D	3	128	212.0	- 235.0	226.9	6	461	- 511	493	1238	- 1661	1348
	D	4	182	234.0	- 249.0	241.9	7	509	- 541	526	1344	- 1885	1579	
				373	155.0	255.0		337	554		667	2601		
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	18	265.0	- 294.0	269.8	-49	-	-	-	941	- 1060	1040
450-600		C	2	2	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	519	- 519	519	1344	- 1344	1344
600+		C	2	17	231.0	- 272.0	258.6	N/Q	428	- 504	479	1640	- 2756	2296
				37	231.0	294.0		428	519		941	2756		

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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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