

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Dubbo

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Yarding 1310
 Change -730

comparison date 27/02/2020

It was a beautiful wet morning in Dubbo where numbers were down by 750. It was a good quality yarding with a large consignment of prime young cattle suitable for the processors and feeders sourced from a local feedlot. There was a good selection of grown heifers no grown steers and only limited numbers of cows in the smaller yarding.

Young cattle to the trade were up to 30c dearer with the prime steer yearlings selling from 364c to 390c, while the prime heifer yearlings sold from 338c to 406c/kg. Young cattle to the feeders were 10c to 20c dearer with the feeder steers selling from 373c to 437c, while the feeder heifers sold from 342c to 404c/kg. Young cattle to the restockers were also dearer with the young steers selling from 370c to 484c while the young restocker heifers sold from 350c to 442c/kg.

Grown heifers were 10c dearer with the better types selling from 320c to 356c/kg. Prime conditioned cows were 6c cheaper while the secondary cows were 6c to 12c/kg dearer. 2 score cows sold from 220c to 256c to the processors and 289c/kg to the restockers. The better 3 and 4 score cows sold from 265c to 300c with the prime heavy weights averaging 289c/kg. Bulls sold to 329c/kg.

Category	Sale Weight	Muscle 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+															
	PR	C	2	2	2	492.0	492.0	492.0	N/Q	984	984	984	418	418	418
	RS	C	2	7	7	468.0	488.0	479.4	34	-	-	-	488	585	530
				9	9	468.0	492.0			984	984		418	585	
Vealer Steer															
0-200															
	RS	C	2	26	26	418.0	484.0	460.6	-13	-	-	-	648	915	764
200-280															
	RS	C	2	8	8	420.0	438.0	429.0	45	-	-	-	1029	1029	1,029
				34	34	418.0	484.0			0	0		648	1029	
Vealer Heifer															
0-200															
	RS	C	2	10	10	350.0	430.0	410.9	N/Q	-	-	-	539	796	733
200-280															
	FD	C	2	4	4	420.0	420.0	420.0	N/Q	-	-	-	882	882	882
	RS	C	2	10	10	442.0	442.0	442.0	73	-	-	-	995	995	995
				24	24	350.0	442.0			0	0		539	995	
Yearling Steer															
200-280															
	RS	C	2	73	73	367.0	480.0	441.2	35	-	-	-	981	1210	1,167
280-330															
	FD	C	2	42	42	380.0	402.0	388.4	-5	-	-	-	1083	1307	1,206
	RS	C	2	46	46	350.0	441.0	417.7	15	-	-	-	1126	1433	1,303
330-400															
	FD	C	2	101	101	385.0	437.0	410.2	24	-	-	-	1359	1682	1,499
	FD	C	3	22	22	380.0	400.0	393.0	8	-	-	-	1420	1509	1,479
	PR	C	3	4	4	385.0	390.0	388.0	48	713	736	725	1374	1482	1,445
	RS	C	2	30	30	389.0	445.0	416.9	56	-	-	-	1432	1537	1,477

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
400+	RS	C	3	1	332.0	332.0	332.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1145	1145	1,145
	FD	C	2	21	386.0	409.0	399.3	-15	-	-	-	1718	1851	1,807
	FD	C	3	73	373.0	415.0	386.7	11	-	-	-	1628	1916	1,762
	FD	C	4	28	386.0	386.0	386.0	N/Q	-	-	-	2027	2027	2,027
	PR	C	3	7	364.0	364.0	364.0	N/Q	687	687	687	1583	1583	1,583
				448	332.0	480.0			687	736		981	2027	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280														
	FD	C	2	25	398.0	404.0	401.1	30	-	-	-	975	1030	1,004
	RS	C	2	77	350.0	431.0	396.7	7	-	-	-	963	1139	1,036
280-330	FD	C	2	13	362.0	400.0	380.5	N/Q	-	-	-	1032	1186	1,140
	PR	C	3	6	375.0	380.0	375.8	8	704	708	707	1083	1219	1,196
	RS	C	2	65	357.0	419.0	399.2	27	-	-	-	1107	1346	1,243
330-400														
	FD	C	2	51	342.0	397.0	384.3	13	-	-	-	1249	1440	1,379
	FD	C	3	107	360.0	397.0	380.3	21	-	-	-	1282	1528	1,418
	PR	C	2	5	373.0	373.0	373.0	N/Q	704	704	704	1399	1399	1,399
	PR	C	3	122	338.0	406.0	383.8	35	638	752	718	1234	1563	1,453
400+														
	PR	C	3	60	340.0	378.0	370.5	41	630	713	697	1547	1721	1,617
				531	338.0	431.0			630	752		963	1721	
Grown Steer														
0-400														
	RS	C	2	4	386.0	386.0	386.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1139	1139	1,139
400-500														
	FD	C	3	12	359.0	359.0	359.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1741	1741	1,741
500-600														
	PR	C	4	1	280.0	280.0	280.0	-66	509	509	509	1638	1638	1,638
600-750														
	PR	C	3	1	250.0	250.0	250.0	N/Q	472	472	472	1713	1713	1,713
				18	250.0	386.0			472	509		1139	1741	
Grown Heifer														
0-540														
	PR	C	2	6	272.0	324.0	298.0	N/Q	544	648	596	1115	1215	1,165
	PR	C	3	14	285.0	346.0	316.6	15	538	641	595	1148	1609	1,367
	PR	C	4	16	320.0	360.0	346.4	26	582	667	640	1544	1722	1,650
	PR	D	2	1	270.0	270.0	270.0	N/Q	587	587	587	1040	1040	1,040
	PR	D	3	1	290.0	290.0	290.0	N/Q	604	604	604	1233	1233	1,233
	RS	C	2	6	248.0	362.0	331.7	N/Q	-	-	-	856	1321	1,159
	RS	C	3	2	304.0	326.0	315.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1549	1596	1,572
	RS	D	2	10	295.0	360.0	330.8	N/Q	-	-	-	990	1178	1,070
	RS	D	3	4	310.0	310.0	310.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1163	1163	1,163
540+														

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
	PR	C	4	13	325.0	356.0	336.7	N/Q	602	636	612	1831	2011	1,845
				73	248.0	362.0		538	667		856	2011		
Cows														
0-400														
	RS	D	1	3	283.0	283.0	283.0	N/Q	-			1090	1090	1,090
400-520														
	PR	D	1	1	180.0	180.0	180.0	N/Q	429	429	429	738	738	738
	PR	D	2	3	220.0	256.0	235.3	-31	500	582	535	1001	1139	1,070
	PR	D	3	20	265.0	290.0	283.4	6	576	617	605	1132	1407	1,343
	RS	D	2	27	263.0	289.0	270.8	N/Q	-			1103	1228	1,144
520+														
	PR	D	3	34	282.0	295.0	287.8	28	600	628	612	1481	1553	1,528
	PR	D	4	14	260.0	300.0	288.5	-7	520	598	575	1534	2025	1,673
	RS	D	2	1	286.0	286.0	286.0	N/Q	-			1959	1959	1,959
				103	180.0	300.0			429	628		738	2025	
Bulls														
0-450														
	RS	C	2	3	286.0	310.0	294.0	N/Q	-			930	1194	1,018
	RS	D	2	1	266.0	266.0	266.0	N/Q	-			1024	1024	1,024
450-600														
	PR	D	3	1	260.0	260.0	260.0	N/Q	542	542	542	1235	1235	1,235
600+														
	PR	B	2	2	310.0	329.0	319.5	N/C	525	558	542	2879	3054	2,966
	PR	C	2	6	240.0	320.0	272.3	N/Q	429	552	492	1884	3152	2,180
				13	240.0	329.0			429	558		930	3152	

DA - Dairy, FD - Feeder, GF - Grainfed, PR - Processor, LE - Live Export, PC - Pastoral Cattle, PT - PTIC, RS - Restocker

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