

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Moss Vale

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Yarding Change 810  
290

comparison date 11/10/2017

Due to the higher prices of last week and the continued dry conditions there was a significant increase of numbers for a total yarding of 810 head of plain to fair quality cattle. The bulk of the offering was made up of weaners and yearlings, 40 grown steers and some well presented cows. All the usual buyers were operating with the addition of a buyer from Victoria selling to a mostly dearer market.

Bobby calves up to 140kgs made up to 523c/kg to processors. Weaners returning to the paddock sold to a cheaper trend, mostly due to quality, with the steers 221c to 339c and the heifer portion ranged from 237c to 300c/kg. The few vealers suitable for the trade were up to 7c dearer topping at 340c/kg. Yearling steers to processors were up to 10c dearer and sold from 275c to 337c and the ones suitable for feeder orders were also dearer and made from 273c to 289c/kg. Yearling heifers to processors were up to 7c dearer to top at 340c and those going to the feedlots were also dearer averaging 282c/kg.

Grown steers were up to 12c dearer ranging from 232c to 280c/kg. Middle weight 2 score cows were up 3c, and sold from 168c to 208c/kg. Heavier 3 and 4 score cows were dearer topping at 228c and averaged at 213c/kg. The best heavy weight bull topped at 269c/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>Calves</b>														
80+		C	2	3	469.0	- 517.0	485.0	N/Q	920	- 1014	951	704	- 776	728
	RS	C	2	2	314.0	- 379.0	346.5	N/Q		-		360	- 393	376
		C	3	1	523.0	- 523.0	523.0	N/Q	1046	- 1046	1046	732	- 732	732
				<b>6</b>	<b>314.0</b>	<b>523.0</b>			<b>920</b>	<b>1046</b>		<b>360</b>	<b>776</b>	
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
0-200	RS	C	2	10	253.0	- 310.0	296.2	N/Q		-		493	- 558	536
200-280	RS	C	1	1	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q		-		621	- 621	621
	RS	C	2	63	221.0	- 339.0	289.6	-17		-		553	- 850	714
		C	2	1	339.0	- 339.0	339.0	N/Q	628	- 628	628	949	- 949	949
	FD	C	2	8	291.0	- 304.0	300.8	N/Q		-		786	- 821	812
280-330	FD	C	2	28	283.0	- 311.0	304.4	19		-		821	- 964	939
	RS	C	2	39	265.0	- 318.0	308.0	N/C		-		769	- 970	930
		C	3	2	305.0	- 318.0	311.5	N/Q	576	- 600	588	915	- 986	950
				<b>152</b>	<b>221.0</b>	<b>339.0</b>			<b>576</b>	<b>628</b>		<b>493</b>	<b>986</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
0-200	RS	C	2	4	240.0	- 250.0	242.5	-8		-		450	- 480	473
200-280	RS	C	2	35	237.0	- 300.0	277.6	7		-		498	- 725	650
		C	2	1	335.0	- 335.0	335.0	N/Q	644	- 644	644	921	- 921	921
		C	3	2	289.0	- 290.0	289.5	N/Q	545	- 547	546	751	- 783	767
280-330	FD	C	2	21	282.0	- 295.0	288.2	3		-		846	- 885	865
	RS	C	2	4	263.0	- 263.0	263.0	-22		-		763	- 763	763
		C	3	9	295.0	- 340.0	321.2	7	567	- 652	613	855	- 1088	986
				<b>76</b>	<b>237.0</b>	<b>340.0</b>			<b>545</b>	<b>652</b>		<b>450</b>	<b>1088</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-200	RS	C	1	4	244.0	- 244.0	244.0	N/Q		-		488	- 488	488
280-330	RS	C	2	7	229.0	- 229.0	229.0	-21		-		664	- 664	664

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		C	2	2	309.0	- 309.0	309.0	N/Q	583	- 583	583	1020	- 1020	1020
	FD	C	2	8	250.0	- 288.0	267.6	-9	-	-	-	825	- 950	877
	FD	C	3	2	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	N/Q	-	-	-	855	- 855	855
		C	3	2	310.0	- 320.0	315.0	N/Q	596	- 604	600	946	- 1024	985
330-400		C	2	4	282.0	- 310.0	289.0	-19	532	- 585	545	1015	- 1178	1056
	FD	C	2	98	250.0	- 300.0	284.0	2	-	-	-	937	- 1156	1039
	FD	C	3	2	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1026	- 1026	1026
		C	3	19	278.0	- 329.0	308.4	5	525	- 609	580	973	- 1283	1134
400+		C	2	2	255.0	- 275.0	265.0	N/Q	490	- 519	505	1128	- 1148	1138
	FD	C	2	26	273.0	- 289.0	282.2	8	-	-	-	1170	- 1215	1189
		C	3	18	275.0	- 337.0	298.6	21	519	- 624	562	1134	- 1449	1319
				<b>194</b>	<b>229.0</b>	<b>337.0</b>			<b>490</b>	<b>624</b>		<b>488</b>	<b>1449</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
200-280	FD	C	2	5	277.0	- 277.0	277.0	N/Q	-	-	-	776	- 776	776
280-330	FD	C	2	31	262.0	- 291.0	280.6	6	-	-	-	786	- 931	870
		C	3	10	275.0	- 341.0	307.3	-48	529	- 643	586	908	- 1108	986
	RS	D	2	2	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	-	-	-	704	- 704	704
330-400	FD	C	2	13	240.0	- 265.0	258.2	-2	-	-	-	804	- 967	908
	RS	C	3	1	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	-	-	-	876	- 876	876
		C	3	32	242.0	- 340.0	288.4	7	465	- 642	547	867	- 1309	1058
400+		C	2	1	256.0	- 256.0	256.0	N/Q	492	- 492	492	1126	- 1126	1126
	FD	C	2	1	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	-	-	-	978	- 978	978
	RS	C	3	3	245.0	- 259.0	254.3	N/Q	-	-	-	1017	- 1140	1099
		C	3	19	240.0	- 304.0	266.8	11	460	- 574	506	1000	- 1246	1139
				<b>118</b>	<b>220.0</b>	<b>341.0</b>			<b>460</b>	<b>643</b>		<b>704</b>	<b>1309</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
0-400	RS	D	2	7	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	-	-	-	752	- 752	752
400-500		C	2	2	182.0	- 182.0	182.0	N/Q	364	- 364	364	783	- 783	783
500-600		C	3	20	232.0	- 280.0	263.3	12	438	- 539	505	1299	- 1604	1489
600-750		C	3	9	235.0	- 265.0	247.1	2	443	- 510	473	1499	- 1740	1603
				<b>38</b>	<b>182.0</b>	<b>280.0</b>			<b>364</b>	<b>539</b>		<b>752</b>	<b>1740</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540		C	3	1	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	442	- 442	442	1242	- 1242	1242
540+		D	3	3	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	N/Q	471	- 471	471	1397	- 1397	1397
				<b>4</b>	<b>230.0</b>	<b>245.0</b>			<b>442</b>	<b>471</b>		<b>1242</b>	<b>1397</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400	RS	C	1	7	181.0	- 181.0	181.0	N/Q	-	-	-	543	- 543	543
		D	3	1	211.0	- 211.0	211.0	N/Q	502	- 502	502	445	- 445	445
400-520	DA	D	1	1	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	448	- 448	448	978	- 978	978
		D	2	25	160.0	- 208.0	199.2	3	390	- 495	476	672	- 1066	971
	RS	D	2	26	183.0	- 218.0	204.0	N/Q	-	-	-	750	- 1123	952
		D	3	2	207.0	- 210.0	208.5	N/Q	493	- 500	496	1035	- 1092	1064
520+		D	2	10	160.0	- 212.0	202.6	-3	381	- 505	477	848	- 1187	1101
	DA	D	2	9	190.0	- 204.0	194.6	N/Q	452	- 486	463	1092	- 1306	1152
	RS	D	3	9	218.0	- 218.0	218.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1243	- 1243	1243

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		D	3	56	195.0	- 228.0	213.2	7	464	- 543	503	1060	- 1580	1244
		D	4	18	188.0	- 226.0	209.7	8	448	- 526	490	1134	- 1504	1284
			<b>164</b>		<b>160.0</b>	<b>228.0</b>			<b>381</b>	<b>543</b>		<b>445</b>	<b>1580</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450		B	2	8	213.0	- 250.0	228.3	-49	394	- 463	420	788	- 1019	908
		C	2	2	272.0	- 272.0	272.0	N/Q	504	- 504	504	721	- 721	721
450-600		C	2	1	212.0	- 212.0	212.0	N/Q	386	- 386	386	1060	- 1060	1060
600+		B	2	5	250.0	- 269.0	260.4	-6	446	- 472	463	1905	- 3053	2399
		C	2	3	247.0	- 265.0	253.0	12	449	- 482	460	1544	- 1709	1599
			<b>19</b>		<b>212.0</b>	<b>272.0</b>			<b>386</b>	<b>504</b>		<b>721</b>	<b>3053</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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