

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Moss Vale

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Yarding Change <sup>1852</sup><sub>10</sub>

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Similar numbers to last week for a total of 1,852 mixed quality cattle. There was a better offer of vealers and some good lines of well finished yearlings to suit the trade. Almost 300 cows were offered, with a lot showing the effects of the dry conditions, an increased number of grown steers and a large percentage of young cattle in store condition. All usual buyers were operating in a variable market. Prices were firm to dearer for well finished cattle, a cheaper cow market and a much cheaper market for plainer types.

Vealer steers were firm, selling from 267c to 310c and the heifer portion to butchers were 27c dearer to top of 327c/kg, a reflection on the improved quality. Weaner steers to restockers varied considerably depending on breed, weight and finish, making from 100c to 267c/kg. Weaner heifers returning to the paddock were up to 28c cheaper from 140c to 240c/kg. There was a few well-muscled middle weight yearling steers to suit the trade which topped at 355c but the majority brought from 240c to 320c/kg. The heifer portion to processors were mostly dearer to average 285c/kg. There was still a keen interest from feedlots, with the heavier yearling steers averaging 272c and the feeder heifers were cheaper to average 277c/kg.

Grown steers had a big variation in price depending on the quality and weight to sell from 168c to 282c/kg. Grown heifers were up to 29c cheaper and made from 123c to 228c/kg to processors and restockers. Lighter D2 cows were 14c cheaper to average 133c and the heavier 3 score cows were up to 24c cheaper to top at 175c/kg. The bull market was much cheaper, with the best heavy weight bull reaching 214c/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>														
0-80		C	1	1	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	271	- 271	271	59	- 59	59
80+		C	2	2	250.0	- 300.0	275.0	N/Q	500	- 600	550	330	- 363	346
				<b>3</b>	<b>130.0</b>	<b>300.0</b>			<b>271</b>	<b>600</b>		<b>59</b>	<b>363</b>	
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
0-200	RS	C	1	38	100.0	- 239.0	179.3	5	-	-	-	180	- 418	323
	RS	C	2	52	190.0	- 262.0	250.6	10	-	-	-	380	- 524	475
200-280	RS	C	1	51	153.0	- 256.0	185.5	1	-	-	-	339	- 563	434
	FD	C	1	2	269.0	- 269.0	269.0	N/Q	-	-	-	686	- 686	686
	FD	C	2	17	230.0	- 266.0	260.1	28	-	-	-	598	- 718	670
	RS	C	2	64	170.0	- 267.0	240.7	-16	-	-	-	391	- 697	570
		C	3	2	289.0	- 289.0	289.0	N/Q	545	- 545	545	809	- 809	809
280-330	RS	C	1	6	204.0	- 204.0	204.0	N/Q	-	-	-	602	- 602	602
	FD	C	2	53	235.0	- 280.0	266.4	34	-	-	-	717	- 840	800
	RS	C	2	4	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	-20	-	-	-	803	- 803	803
		C	3	11	267.0	- 310.0	279.4	N/C	494	- 574	519	828	- 992	879
				<b>300</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>310.0</b>			<b>494</b>	<b>574</b>		<b>180</b>	<b>992</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
0-200	RS	C	1	20	140.0	- 197.0	170.3	-10	-	-	-	224	- 374	287
	RS	C	2	33	180.0	- 230.0	199.5	-28	-	-	-	302	- 460	362
200-280	RS	C	1	11	140.0	- 150.0	145.5	N/Q	-	-	-	336	- 364	343
	FD	C	2	46	215.0	- 260.0	227.4	6	-	-	-	550	- 702	597
	RS	C	2	79	130.0	- 220.0	184.5	-28	-	-	-	294	- 543	428
		C	2	2	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	528	- 528	528	756	- 756	756
	FD	C	3	2	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	-	-	-	594	- 594	594

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		C	3	6	240.0	- 261.0	254.0	20	462	- 502	489	648	- 718	695
280-330	RS	C	1	2	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	-	-	-	545	- 545	545
	FD	C	2	21	220.0	- 267.0	234.6	-20	-	-	-	627	- 801	682
	RS	C	2	3	233.0	- 233.0	233.0	N/Q	-	-	-	711	- 711	711
		C	2	2	268.0	- 295.0	281.5	N/Q	515	- 567	541	804	- 929	867
	FD	C	3	8	239.0	- 239.0	239.0	19	-	-	-	729	- 729	729
		C	3	32	246.0	- 327.0	283.5	27	473	- 617	540	701	- 1005	875
	RS	C	3	3	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	-	-	-	708	- 708	708
				<b>270</b>	<b>130.0</b>	<b>327.0</b>			<b>462</b>	<b>617</b>		<b>224</b>	<b>1005</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
280-330	FD	C	1	2	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	-	502	- 502	502
	FD	C	2	16	220.0	- 255.0	234.1	-12	-	-	-	690	- 842	720
	RS	C	2	5	257.0	- 257.0	257.0	N/Q	-	-	-	797	- 797	797
		C	3	3	240.0	- 320.0	266.7	-6	453	- 593	499	744	- 1056	848
330-400		B	2	1	355.0	- 355.0	355.0	N/Q	646	- 646	646	1402	- 1402	1402
		B	3	4	336.0	- 353.0	346.0	-4	622	- 654	641	1176	- 1353	1272
		C	1	1	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	392	- 392	392	680	- 680	680
		C	2	1	305.0	- 305.0	305.0	N/Q	576	- 576	576	1220	- 1220	1220
	FD	C	2	56	230.0	- 280.0	258.4	-19	-	-	-	771	- 1088	921
	FD	C	3	5	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	-	-	-	897	- 897	897
		C	3	38	255.0	- 330.0	293.0	-5	481	- 611	545	867	- 1205	1048
		C	4	1	179.0	- 179.0	179.0	N/Q	344	- 344	344	716	- 716	716
400+		B	2	1	347.0	- 347.0	347.0	N/Q	631	- 631	631	1544	- 1544	1544
		B	3	1	349.0	- 349.0	349.0	N/Q	646	- 646	646	1728	- 1728	1728
	FD	C	2	48	240.0	- 288.0	272.4	-8	-	-	-	1008	- 1414	1194
		C	3	26	245.0	- 320.0	281.0	-18	462	- 593	524	1097	- 1536	1329
	FD	C	3	4	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1079	- 1079	1079
				<b>213</b>	<b>170.0</b>	<b>355.0</b>			<b>344</b>	<b>654</b>		<b>502</b>	<b>1728</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	1	2	105.0	- 105.0	105.0	N/Q	210	- 210	210	278	- 278	278
280-330	RS	C	1	4	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	-	-	-	328	- 328	328
	FD	C	2	7	203.0	- 224.0	209.0	-28	-	-	-	609	- 739	646
		C	3	1	253.0	- 253.0	253.0	N/Q	487	- 487	487	822	- 822	822
330-400	FD	C	1	4	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	-	-	-	770	- 770	770
	FD	C	2	62	240.0	- 271.0	264.7	2	-	-	-	852	- 1072	995
	RS	C	2	12	123.0	- 123.0	123.0	N/Q	-	-	-	467	- 467	467
	FD	C	3	6	240.0	- 256.0	250.7	-4	-	-	-	883	- 960	909
	RS	C	3	2	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	N/Q	-	-	-	833	- 833	833
		C	3	30	244.0	- 335.0	290.9	17	469	- 644	552	854	- 1248	1069
400+		B	3	2	319.0	- 319.0	319.0	N/Q	591	- 591	591	1308	- 1308	1308
	FD	C	2	10	220.0	- 279.0	252.7	-3	-	-	-	957	- 1297	1139
		C	2	1	298.0	- 298.0	298.0	N/Q	562	- 562	562	1222	- 1222	1222
	FD	C	3	9	220.0	- 251.0	246.2	-3	-	-	-	1021	- 1067	1031
		C	3	29	247.0	- 319.0	277.9	-4	475	- 602	529	1136	- 1528	1253

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
					<b>181</b>	<b>105.0</b>	<b>335.0</b>			<b>210</b>	<b>644</b>		<b>278</b>	<b>1528</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>															
0-400		D	2	3	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	333	- 333	333	640	- 640	640	
400-500		C	2	4	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	5	363	- 363	363	888	- 888	888	
	DA	C	2	2	138.0	- 138.0	138.0	N/Q	288	- 288	288	607	- 607	607	
500-600		C	2	3	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	-52	329	- 329	329	924	- 924	924	
		C	3	41	210.0	- 282.0	262.7	10	404	- 542	506	1092	- 1551	1457	
600-750		C	3	3	260.0	- 265.0	263.3	12	500	- 510	506	1664	- 1670	1668	
750+		C	3	3	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	423	- 423	423	1826	- 1826	1826	
	DA	C	3	9	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	353	- 353	353	1584	- 1584	1584	
					<b>68</b>	<b>138.0</b>	<b>282.0</b>		<b>288</b>	<b>542</b>		<b>607</b>	<b>1826</b>		
<b>Grown Heifer</b>															
0-540	RS	C	1	10	123.0	- 123.0	123.0	N/Q	-	-	-	547	- 547	547	
	RS	C	2	2	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	-	-	-	682	- 682	682	
	DA	C	2	2	157.0	- 157.0	157.0	N/Q	314	- 314	314	707	- 707	707	
		C	2	12	90.0	- 140.0	112.5	N/Q	180	- 280	226	365	- 644	443	
	FD	C	2	25	145.0	- 160.0	154.0	N/Q	-	-	-	624	- 760	705	
		C	3	15	123.0	- 228.0	184.0	-29	246	- 447	363	590	- 1151	876	
					<b>66</b>	<b>90.0</b>	<b>228.0</b>		<b>180</b>	<b>447</b>		<b>365</b>	<b>1151</b>		
<b>Cows</b>															
0-400		D	1	2	40.0	- 80.0	60.0	N/Q	100	- 200	150	152	- 312	232	
		D	2	30	120.0	- 122.0	120.9	N/Q	293	- 298	295	468	- 482	474	
		D	3	3	101.0	- 142.0	121.0	N/Q	241	- 338	290	404	- 568	484	
400-520		D	1	19	79.0	- 118.0	103.8	-28	198	- 288	257	332	- 543	478	
	RS	D	1	7	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	-	-	-	462	- 462	462	
	DA	D	1	3	59.0	- 59.0	59.0	N/Q	148	- 148	148	260	- 260	260	
		D	2	37	110.0	- 147.0	133.1	-14	262	- 359	320	511	- 738	646	
		D	3	66	110.0	- 169.0	149.5	-14	262	- 402	356	539	- 857	749	
520+		D	3	90	140.0	- 175.0	157.5	-24	333	- 407	373	756	- 1138	918	
		D	4	5	140.0	- 168.0	153.2	-29	333	- 400	363	812	- 1008	896	
					<b>262</b>	<b>40.0</b>	<b>175.0</b>		<b>100</b>	<b>407</b>		<b>152</b>	<b>1138</b>		
<b>Bulls</b>															
0-450	FD	C	1	14	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-	-	-	405	- 405	405	
		C	1	3	50.0	- 157.0	109.0	-35	94	- 291	202	145	- 628	438	
	RS	C	2	7	177.0	- 221.0	183.3	N/Q	-	-	-	575	- 729	597	
450-600		C	1	2	120.0	- 150.0	135.0	N/Q	226	- 278	252	552	- 705	629	
600+		B	1	1	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	357	- 357	357	1510	- 1510	1510	
		B	2	3	180.0	- 214.0	194.7	-16	321	- 382	350	1260	- 1894	1628	
		C	1	5	130.0	- 180.0	161.0	14	241	- 333	297	852	- 1488	1267	
		C	2	2	191.0	- 191.0	191.0	N/Q	360	- 360	360	1299	- 1299	1299	
	DA	C	3	2	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	340	- 340	340	1260	- 1260	1260	
					<b>39</b>	<b>50.0</b>	<b>221.0</b>		<b>94</b>	<b>382</b>		<b>145</b>	<b>1894</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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