

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Prime

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Yarding Change ¹¹⁰⁹
-73

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Numbers declined slightly with majority of the yarding consisting of mixed quality local and central Queensland cows. The export processors in attendance continued to display reasonable interest in store conditioned cows, but medium and heavy weight cows declined a further 5c/kg on average. Grass finished grown steers of fair quality lost 14c, while the mixed quality grown heifers on offer were 3c/kg cheaper.

A few grown steers sold to 149c, down 14c, while most grown heifers sold between 119c and 129c, down 3c/kg. Light and medium weight 2 score cows made to 99c and most sold between 77c and 95c/kg. Medium weight 3 score cows reached 120c and averaged 109c, down 8c/kg. Medium weight 4 score cows earned to 122c and averaged 118c, while heavy weight 4 score cows sold to 128c and averaged 124c, down 5c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 146c and averaged 135c, down 2c/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
Yearling Steer														
400+	C	3	2	2	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	N/Q	291	- 291	291	649	- 649	649
			2		160.2	160.2			291	291		649	649	
Grown Steer														
400-500	C	3	2	2	147.2	- 147.2	147.2	N/Q	268	- 268	268	714	- 714	714
500-600	C	4	20	20	149.2	- 149.2	149.2	-14	271	- 271	271	806	- 873	833
	D	3	8	8	141.2	- 141.2	141.2	-5	257	- 257	257	713	- 713	713
	D	4	2	2	149.2	- 149.2	149.2	N/Q	271	- 271	271	821	- 821	821
600-750	C	4	10	10	149.2	- 149.2	149.2	-16	271	- 271	271	903	- 918	906
			42		141.2	149.2			257	271		713	918	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	D	3	74	74	115.0	- 129.2	119.4	-3	213	- 239	221	518	- 620	566
	D	4	15	15	117.2	- 117.2	117.2	-15	217	- 217	217	527	- 527	527
540+	D	4	2	2	130.2	- 130.2	130.2	N/Q	241	- 241	241	716	- 716	716
	D	5	9	9	115.2	- 115.2	115.2	N/Q	213	- 213	213	634	- 634	634
			100		115.0	130.2			213	241		518	716	
Cows														
0-400	D	2	62	62	20.2	- 92.2	76.7	-2	44	- 200	167	81	- 369	302
	D	3	21	21	100.0	- 112.2	102.9	-5	204	- 229	210	400	- 449	412
	E	2	2	2	30.0	- 30.0	30.0	N/Q	65	- 65	65	105	- 105	105
400-520	D	2	28	28	71.2	- 99.2	95.0	1	155	- 216	207	296	- 446	425
	RS	D	2	30	85.2	- 95.2	86.2	-5	-	-	-	358	- 428	365
	RS	D	3	87	107.2	- 116.2	111.1	N/Q	-	-	-	482	- 566	539
	D	3	360	360	95.2	- 120.2	108.7	-8	194	- 245	222	428	- 615	507
	D	4	32	32	113.2	- 122.2	118.3	N/Q	222	- 240	232	566	- 611	591
520+	D	3	60	60	100.2	- 124.2	116.5	-4	205	- 254	238	536	- 683	637
	RS	D	3	32	113.2	- 120.2	118.2	N/Q	-	-	-	623	- 649	642
	D	4	76	76	118.2	- 128.2	124.2	-5	232	- 251	244	650	- 705	683
	D	5	18	18	107.2	- 113.2	110.2	-7	219	- 231	225	623	- 697	660
			808		20.2	128.2			44	254		81	705	

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Bulls																
0-450		C	3	1	141.2	- 141.2	141.2	N/Q	252	-	252	252	635	-	635	635
		D	2	5	76.2	- 76.2	76.2	-10	136	-	136	136	343	-	343	343
		D	3	3	102.2	- 112.2	108.9	1	183	-	200	194	409	-	505	473
450-600		C	3	10	117.2	- 156.2	131.3	-9	209	-	279	234	586	-	781	683
600+		C	3	11	105.0	- 146.2	134.7	-2	188	-	261	241	683	-	950	876
				30	76.2	156.2			136		279		343		950	

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

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