

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Prime

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Yarding Change $\frac{1060}{232}$

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Yarding numbers remained at the usual level. A good mix of very good quality bullocks and cows attracted strong competition from export processors. The plainer sorts found a solid price floor, with all processors keen to secure suitable prime cattle.

Medium weight grown steers hit 311c and averaged 304c/kg. Bullocks topped at 310c and averaged 305c/kg. Medium weight grown heifers earned to 295c and averaged 289c/kg, with keen interest displayed by Queensland processors.

Medium weight 3 score cows sold to 257c and averaged 239c/kg. Heavy weight 4 score cows reached 275c and averaged 270c/kg. Medium weight bulls topped at 305c and averaged 280c/kg with some plainer sorts penned. Heavy weight bulls earned to 308c and averaged 291c/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	19	287.2	- 310.0	292.0	N/Q	522	- 564	531	1393	- 1395	1393
				19	287.2		310.0		522		564		1393	1395
Yearling Heifer														
330-400	FD	D	3	5	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q		-		910	- 910	910
400+		D	3	9	261.2	- 270.0	266.1	N/Q	484	- 500	493	1149	- 1215	1186
				14	260.0		270.0		484		500		910	1215
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	3	32	281.2	- 282.2	281.7	6	511	- 513	512	1355	- 1406	1380
		D	3	14	247.2	- 261.2	252.2	N/Q	450	- 475	459	1162	- 1306	1213
500-600		C	3	78	284.2	- 292.6	288.1	6	517	- 532	524	1476	- 1609	1562
		C	4	102	291.2	- 311.2	304.0	5	530	- 566	553	1566	- 1815	1705
600-750		C	4	33	290.0	- 310.2	304.6	7	527	- 564	554	1885	- 2071	2015
				259	247.2		311.2		450		566		1162	2071
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	3	19	228.2	- 257.2	244.9	N/Q	423	- 476	454	958	- 1271	1118
		D	4	37	281.2	- 295.2	288.8	N/Q	521	- 547	535	1378	- 1594	1485
540+		D	4	2	285.2	- 285.2	285.2	N/Q	528	- 528	528	1569	- 1569	1569
				58	228.2		295.2		423		547		958	1594
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	4	1	253.2	- 253.2	253.2	N/Q	460	- 460	460	1772	- 1772	1772
				1	253.2		253.2		460		460		1772	1772
Cows														
0-400		D	2	29	100.0	- 144.2	121.3	-84	217	- 314	264	350	- 562	461
		D	3	35	220.2	- 240.0	227.8	N/Q	449	- 490	465	795	- 881	851
400-520		D	2	13	221.2	- 221.2	221.2	-6	481	- 481	481	907	- 907	907
		D	3	62	213.2	- 257.2	238.6	-4	435	- 525	487	863	- 1286	1101
		D	4	41	253.2	- 264.2	260.2	9	497	- 518	510	1139	- 1322	1291
520+		D	3	4	243.2	- 243.2	243.2	-5	496	- 496	496	1313	- 1313	1313
		D	4	218	258.2	- 275.2	270.1	9	506	- 540	530	1387	- 1895	1550

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
				402	100.0	275.2			217	540		350	1895	
Bulls														
0-450		C	3	24	272.2	- 299.2	284.7	N/Q	486	- 534	509	1089	- 1346	1219
		D	3	2	252.2	- 252.2	252.2	N/Q	450	- 450	450	1135	- 1135	1135
450-600		C	3	33	259.2	- 305.2	280.0	-26	463	- 545	500	1326	- 1831	1533
		D	3	12	218.2	- 263.2	245.4	N/Q	390	- 470	438	1091	- 1579	1321
600+		C	3	59	267.2	- 308.2	291.2	13	477	- 550	520	1737	- 2776	2022
				130	218.2	308.2			390	550		1089	2776	

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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