

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Roma Prime

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Yarding Change  $\frac{1299}{239}$

comparison date 17/09/2015

Yarding numbers continued to increase this week. A mix of fair to good quality cows dominated the yarding. All the usual processors were operating, but some Queensland export processors appeared more selective when purchasing heavy bulls.

Medium weight grown steers sold to 316c and averaged 300c, down 4c/kg. Bullocks topped at 317c and averaged 311c, up 6c/kg. Medium weight grown heifers earned to 288c and averaged 283c, down 6c, while heavy weight grown heifers topped at 290c and averaged 289c, up 4c/kg. Medium weight 3 score cows made to 252c and averaged 248c, up 9c, while medium weight 4 score cows hit 272c and averaged 261c, up 1c/kg. Heavy weight 4 score cows topped at 271c and averaged 264c, down 6c/kg. Medium weight bulls made to 313c and averaged 282c, up 2c/kg. Heavy weight bulls earned to 312c and averaged 284c, down 7c/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>Yearling Steer</b>																
400+	C	3	7	293.2	-	304.2	299.3	7	533	-	553	544	1407	-	1430	1415
			<b>7</b>	<b>293.2</b>		<b>304.2</b>			<b>533</b>		<b>553</b>		<b>1407</b>		<b>1430</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>																
330-400	D	3	8	220.0	-	220.0	220.0	N/Q	407	-	407	407	836	-	836	836
400+	D	3	12	255.0	-	255.0	255.0	-11	472	-	472	472	1046	-	1046	1046
			<b>20</b>	<b>220.0</b>		<b>255.0</b>			<b>407</b>		<b>472</b>		<b>836</b>		<b>1046</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>																
400-500	D	3	6	237.2	-	238.2	237.5	-15	431	-	433	432	1072	-	1186	1148
500-600	C	3	5	294.2	-	294.2	294.2	6	535	-	535	535	1500	-	1500	1500
	C	4	209	284.2	-	316.2	299.5	-4	517	-	575	545	1557	-	1866	1683
	D	3	6	272.2	-	272.2	272.2	N/Q	495	-	495	495	1470	-	1470	1470
	D	4	16	287.2	-	287.2	287.2	N/Q	522	-	522	522	1580	-	1580	1580
600-750	C	4	32	295.2	-	317.2	310.9	6	537	-	577	565	1919	-	2024	1941
			<b>274</b>	<b>237.2</b>		<b>317.2</b>			<b>431</b>		<b>577</b>		<b>1072</b>		<b>2024</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>																
0-540	D	3	12	230.0	-	247.2	231.4	-14	426	-	458	429	1162	-	1310	1174
	D	4	96	270.0	-	288.2	283.2	-6	500	-	534	525	1257	-	1513	1338
540+	D	4	8	280.0	-	290.2	288.9	4	519	-	537	535	1540	-	1741	1716
			<b>116</b>	<b>230.0</b>		<b>290.2</b>			<b>426</b>		<b>537</b>		<b>1162</b>		<b>1741</b>	
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>																
540+	C	4	7	288.2	-	288.2	288.2	35	524	-	524	524	2017	-	2017	2017
			<b>7</b>	<b>288.2</b>		<b>288.2</b>			<b>524</b>		<b>524</b>		<b>2017</b>		<b>2017</b>	
<b>Cows</b>																
0-400	D	2	28	184.2	-	217.2	203.2	N/Q	400	-	472	442	645	-	825	727
400-520	D	2	72	140.0	-	219.2	193.2	-28	304	-	461	416	567	-	1050	857
	D	3	66	222.2	-	252.2	247.7	9	454	-	515	506	1067	-	1261	1158
	D	4	108	254.2	-	272.2	260.9	1	498	-	534	512	1113	-	1355	1272
520+	D	3	4	226.2	-	226.2	226.2	-17	462	-	462	462	1221	-	1221	1221
	D	4	262	253.2	-	271.2	263.8	-6	497	-	532	517	1367	-	1637	1470

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
				<b>540</b>	<b>140.0</b>	<b>272.2</b>			<b>304</b>	<b>534</b>		<b>567</b>	<b>1637</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450		C	3	13	246.2	- 306.2	269.1	-16	440	- 547	481	1108	- 1378	1211
		D	3	3	218.2	- 254.2	230.5	-22	390	- 454	412	982	- 1144	1037
450-600		C	3	47	250.0	- 313.2	282.0	2	446	- 559	504	1375	- 1817	1572
		D	3	7	200.0	- 247.2	215.3	-30	357	- 441	385	1000	- 1360	1094
600+		C	3	84	262.2	- 312.2	283.8	-7	468	- 558	507	1704	- 3100	2025
		D	3	5	208.2	- 260.2	225.6	N/Q	372	- 465	403	1353	- 1691	1466
				<b>159</b>	<b>200.0</b>	<b>313.2</b>			<b>357</b>	<b>559</b>		<b>982</b>	<b>3100</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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