

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Roma Prime

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Yarding Change 0<sup>1482</sup>

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Only small numbers of cattle were penned for the combined store and prime sale. A few good quality lines of cattle were yarded, but most were plainer sorts. Rainfall across the Maranoa region kept some restockers from attending the sale. All the usual feedlot buyers were present, but not all were operating. Good quality yearling heifers found solid restocker buyer demand. Medium and heavy weight cows were up to 18c/kg cheaper in price and only the major Queensland processors were buying bulls.

Light weight yearling steers sold to 378c and mostly sold between 320c and 365c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers topped at 334c and majority sold between 290c and 323c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed reached 310c and averaged 294c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers made to 285c and averaged 279c, while those returning to the paddock made 258c/kg.

Grown steers to feed sold to 288c and averaged 252c, while bullocks earned to 284c/kg. Medium weight 3 score cows made to 240c and averaged 219c, while heavy weight 4 score cows hit 250c and averaged 243c, down 14c/kg. Heavy bulls reached 267c and averaged 256c/kg. Brahman-cross cows with mixed aged Angus/Brahman calves at foot sold to \$1,520/unit.

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>														
200-280	RS	C	2	76	336.2	- 378.2	364.9	N/Q	-			740	- 957	868
280-330	RS	C	2	45	316.2	- 342.2	331.2	N/Q	-			1009	- 1012	1010
330-400	RS	C	2	12	320.2	- 320.2	320.2	N/Q	-			1121	- 1121	1121
	FD	C	3	31	310.0	- 325.2	322.3	N/Q	-			1178	- 1252	1238
	RS	C	3	53	310.0	- 334.2	323.5	N/Q	-			1054	- 1120	1100
	FD	D	3	16	276.2	- 300.0	285.1	N/Q	-			967	- 1140	1032
				<b>233</b>	<b>276.2</b>	<b>378.2</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>740</b>	<b>1252</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
200-280	RS	D	2	160	272.2	- 334.2	323.1	N/Q	-			601	- 790	758
	FD	D	2	125	306.2	- 314.2	310.2	N/Q	-			735	- 864	795
280-330	FD	D	2	53	302.2	- 318.2	310.7	N/Q	-			919	- 1018	966
	RS	D	2	17	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-			870	- 870	870
330-400	RS	D	3	24	258.2	- 258.2	258.2	N/Q	-			1033	- 1033	1033
		D	3	17	252.2	- 266.2	263.7	N/Q	467	- 493	488	933	- 958	954
	FD	D	3	19	250.0	- 310.0	293.6	N/Q	-			897	- 1148	1027
400+	FD	D	3	17	264.2	- 285.2	278.9	N/Q	-			1136	- 1382	1295
		D	3	18	270.2	- 270.2	270.2	N/Q	500	- 500	500	1108	- 1108	1108
	RS	D	3	24	258.2	- 258.2	258.2	N/Q	-			1123	- 1123	1123
		D	4	15	256.2	- 263.2	259.0	N/Q	474	- 487	480	1102	- 1263	1166
				<b>489</b>	<b>250.0</b>	<b>334.2</b>			<b>467</b>	<b>500</b>		<b>601</b>	<b>1382</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
0-400	FD	D	3	15	220.2	- 288.2	251.9	N/Q	-			881	- 1038	954
400-500	FD	C	3	9	272.2	- 272.2	272.2	N/Q	-			1102	- 1102	1102
500-600		C	3	6	259.2	- 259.2	259.2	N/Q	471	- 471	471	1426	- 1426	1426
		C	4	6	274.2	- 274.2	274.2	N/Q	499	- 499	499	1508	- 1508	1508
600-750		C	4	30	283.2	- 284.2	283.7	N/Q	515	- 517	516	1790	- 1841	1816

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
				<b>66</b>	<b>220.2</b>	<b>288.2</b>			<b>471</b>	<b>517</b>		<b>881</b>	<b>1841</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540		D	2	6	210.2	- 240.0	215.2	N/Q	389	- 444	399	673	- 720	681
		D	4	1	256.2	- 256.2	256.2	N/Q	474	- 474	474	1294	- 1294	1294
540+		D	4	5	265.0	- 265.0	265.0	N/Q	491	- 491	491	1444	- 1444	1444
				<b>12</b>	<b>210.2</b>	<b>265.0</b>			<b>389</b>	<b>491</b>		<b>673</b>	<b>1444</b>	
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
540+		C	4	5	233.2	- 233.2	233.2	N/Q	424	- 424	424	1749	- 1749	1749
				<b>5</b>	<b>233.2</b>	<b>233.2</b>			<b>424</b>	<b>424</b>		<b>1749</b>	<b>1749</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	2	8	176.2	- 176.2	176.2	N/Q	383	- 383	383	705	- 705	705
		D	3	20	200.2	- 220.0	202.2	N/Q	409	- 449	413	701	- 880	767
400-520		D	2	19	183.2	- 201.2	187.5	N/Q	398	- 437	408	782	- 865	813
		D	3	160	190.2	- 240.2	218.8	N/Q	388	- 490	447	770	- 1201	996
		D	4	33	234.2	- 244.2	238.5	N/Q	459	- 479	468	1171	- 1270	1209
520+		D	3	25	228.2	- 245.2	229.8	N/Q	466	- 500	469	1255	- 1324	1262
		D	4	184	234.2	- 250.0	242.7	N/Q	459	- 490	477	1265	- 1635	1343
				<b>449</b>	<b>176.2</b>	<b>250.0</b>			<b>383</b>	<b>500</b>		<b>701</b>	<b>1635</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450	RS	C	2	31	253.2	- 298.2	288.4	N/Q		-		741	- 895	866
		D	2	10	280.2	- 290.2	282.2	N/Q	510	- 518	511	701	- 1016	764
450-600		C	3	1	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	429	- 429	429	1320	- 1320	1320
		D	3	3	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	393	- 393	393	1210	- 1210	1210
600+		C	3	26	246.2	- 267.2	256.4	N/Q	440	- 477	458	1600	- 2306	1691
				<b>71</b>	<b>220.0</b>	<b>298.2</b>			<b>393</b>	<b>518</b>		<b>701</b>	<b>2306</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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