

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Store

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Yarding Change ⁴⁵³⁰/₂₃₀

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Numbers increased slightly with majority of the yarding drawn from regions across south west Queensland. Ongoing rainfall from several scattered storms over the weekend maintained a positive sentiment between restocker buyers. As a result young, light steers and heifers improved another 3c to 5c/kg on average. Vealer calves could not maintain the previous week's values as southern processor buyers appear more reserved. A smaller number of feeder weight cattle were penned, but solid demand pushed price averages for heavy weight yearling steers to feed up 2c/kg. The return of a southern restocker to the buying gallery meant store conditioned cows jumped substantially in value by 6c to 24c/kg in places.

Vealer steers made to 220c and averaged 215c, down 5c/kg. Light weight vealer heifers reached 224c and averaged 214c, down 5c, while medium weight vealer heifers also topped at 224c and averaged 214c, down 3c/kg.

Light weight yearling steers returned to the paddock at a high of 268c and averaged 241c, up 5c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feedlot buyers sold to 215c and averaged 211c, down 18c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed earned to 220c and averaged 208c, up 2c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to feedlots hit 215c and averaged 203c, down 6c, while those to restocker buyers topped 227c and averaged 221c, up 3c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed made to 186c and averaged 182c, down 29c/kg. A few heavy weight yearling heifers to feed averaged 179c/kg.

Medium weight 3 score grown steers to processors sold to 185c and averaged 179c/kg. Grown heifers to feed averaged 171c, while those to processors hit 147c and averaged 142c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows to restockers hit 150c and averaged 147c, up 24c, while those with more fat cover made to 156c and averaged 139c, up 6c/kg. Heavy weight 4 score cows earned 167c and averaged 165c, down 5c/kg. Cows and calves hit \$1040/unit and averaged \$913.

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
Vealer Steer														
0-200		C	2	15	220.2	- 220.2	220.2	N/Q	400	- 400	400	440	- 440	440
200-280		C	2	30	204.2	- 220.2	214.9	-5	371	- 400	391	470	- 484	480
				45	204.2	220.2	216.7		371	400	394	440	484	466
Vealer Heifer														
0-200		C	2	101	204.2	- 224.2	213.5	-5	378	- 415	395	408	- 448	427
		D	2	46	194.2	- 204.2	198.5	51	360	- 378	368	388	- 408	397
200-280		C	2	426	190.2	- 224.2	214.0	-3	352	- 415	396	462	- 577	510
	RS	C	2	45	220.2	- 220.2	220.2	N/Q	-	-	-	484	- 484	484
		D	2	17	164.2	- 174.2	169.4	-26	304	- 323	314	374	- 436	386
280-330		C	2	23	214.2	- 214.2	214.2	N/Q	397	- 397	397	610	- 610	610
		D	2	7	152.2	- 158.2	156.5	N/Q	282	- 293	290	475	- 487	478
				665	152.2	224.2	211.5		282	415	391	374	610	488
Yearling Steer														
0-330		C	2	5	172.2	- 172.2	172.2	N/Q	313	- 313	313	551	- 551	551
	FD	C	2	2	230.2	- 230.2	230.2	N/Q	-	-	-	645	- 645	645
	RS	C	2	1030	190.2	- 268.2	241.0	5	-	-	-	448	- 762	620
	FD	C	3	25	214.2	- 214.2	214.2	-36	-	-	-	707	- 707	707
		D	2	10	176.2	- 200.2	188.2	-2	320	- 364	342	511	- 564	537
	RS	D	2	46	163.2	- 208.2	198.9	16	-	-	-	416	- 553	480
330-400	FD	C	2	2	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	-	-	-	630	- 630	630
	RS	C	3	81	203.2	- 223.2	222.0	9	-	-	-	691	- 859	849
	FD	C	3	135	200.2	- 215.2	210.6	-18	-	-	-	764	- 818	785

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400+	FD	D	2	25	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-			595	- 595	595
	RS	D	3	5	167.2	- 167.2	167.2	3	-			627	- 627	627
	FD	C	3	232	184.2	- 220.2	207.6	2	-			798	- 1103	922
		C	3	20	190.0	- 192.2	191.1	N/Q	346	- 350	348	865	- 969	917
		D	3	25	184.2	- 184.2	184.2	N/Q	335	- 335	335	829	- 829	829
	FD	D	3	5	173.2	- 173.2	173.2	N/Q	-			866	- 866	866
				1648	163.2	268.2	227.7		313	364	339	416	1103	691
Yearling Heifer														
0-330		C	2	20	222.2	- 222.2	222.2	12	412	- 412	412	444	- 444	444
	FD	C	2	158	179.2	- 215.0	203.1	-6	-			506	- 688	613
	RS	C	2	132	216.2	- 227.2	220.9	3	-			436	- 541	497
	FD	C	3	34	190.2	- 190.2	190.2	N/Q	-			628	- 628	628
		D	2	12	156.2	- 180.0	160.2	-24	289	- 333	297	391	- 540	415
330-400		C	3	1	196.2	- 196.2	196.2	N/Q	363	- 363	363	667	- 667	667
	FD	C	3	146	178.2	- 186.2	182.1	-29	-			638	- 729	669
		D	2	42	150.2	- 150.2	150.2	N/Q	278	- 278	278	526	- 526	526
	PT	D	3	1	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	N/Q	271	- 271	271	541	- 541	541
	FD	D	3	58	151.2	- 186.2	181.6	-11	-			529	- 665	649
	RS	D	3	31	145.0	- 149.2	145.8	-18	-			529	- 545	532
		D	3	10	105.0	- 176.2	140.6	-41	194	- 326	260	404	- 617	510
400+	FD	C	3	15	179.2	- 179.2	179.2	-33	-			806	- 806	806
		C	3	1	185.0	- 185.0	185.0	N/Q	343	- 343	343	759	- 759	759
	FD	D	3	3	150.0	- 170.0	163.3	N/Q	-			638	- 697	677
		D	3	2	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	278	- 278	278	675	- 675	675
				666	105.0	227.2	191.4		194	412	310	391	806	592
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	5	3	180.2	- 180.2	180.2	N/Q	328	- 328	328	901	- 901	901
		D	3	122	164.2	- 185.2	170.4	N/Q	299	- 337	310	821	- 861	850
500-600	FD	C	3	20	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	-			978	- 978	978
		C	3	127	176.2	- 185.2	178.8	N/Q	320	- 337	325	916	- 1002	940
		C	4	6	189.2	- 189.2	189.2	N/Q	344	- 344	344	1012	- 1012	1012
		D	3	355	150.2	- 184.2	172.2	N/Q	273	- 335	313	856	- 1027	939
				633	150.2	189.2	173.9		273	344	315	821	1027	924
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	3	83	134.2	- 147.2	141.5	N/Q	249	- 273	262	550	- 699	631
	FD	D	3	35	171.2	- 171.2	171.2	N/Q	-			719	- 719	719
	RS	D	3	9	134.2	- 134.2	134.2	N/Q	-			517	- 517	517
		D	4	104	162.2	- 170.2	166.9	N/Q	300	- 315	309	787	- 885	843
				231	134.2	171.2	157.2		249	315	288	517	885	735
Cows														
0-400		D	2	39	72.2	- 100.0	90.0	N/Q	157	- 217	196	289	- 400	360
400-520		D	2	20	80.0	- 123.2	84.3	-35	174	- 242	181	360	- 616	386
	RS	D	2	55	140.2	- 150.2	146.9	24	-			701	- 751	735
	RS	D	3	253	120.0	- 156.2	139.3	6	-			540	- 781	680
		D	3	81	139.2	- 158.2	145.9	-2	284	- 323	298	696	- 791	729

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520+	FD	D	4	15	175.2	- 175.2	175.2	N/Q	-			788	- 788	788
		D	4	17	161.2	- 169.2	165.2	3	316	- 345	330	761	- 859	803
		D	3	5	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	-12	298	- 298	298	768	- 768	768
		D	4	39	163.2	- 167.2	165.1	-5	320	- 328	324	878	- 1003	956
		D	5	10	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	N/Q	291	- 291	291	889	- 889	889
				534	72.2	175.2	139.4		157	345	275	289	1003	691
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	15	181.2	- 198.2	186.9	N/Q	-			453	- 496	467
		C	2	20	130.0	- 192.2	153.6	-57	232	- 343	274	455	- 648	510
	FD	C	2	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-			640	- 640	640
	RS	C	3	25	152.2	- 152.2	152.2	N/Q	-			609	- 609	609
	FD	C	3	1	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	-			543	- 543	543
450-600		C	3	5	142.2	- 142.2	142.2	N/Q	254	- 254	254	498	- 498	498
		C	3	4	150.2	- 169.2	164.5	N/Q	268	- 302	294	826	- 931	904
	RS	C	3	1	176.2	- 176.2	176.2	N/Q	-			881	- 881	881
600+		C	3	1	150.2	- 150.2	150.2	N/C	268	- 268	268	1127	- 1127	1127
		D	3	1	110.2	- 110.2	110.2	N/Q	197	- 197	197	716	- 716	716
				74	110.2	198.2	159.5		197	343	271	453	1127	573

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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