

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Roma Prime

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Yarding Change 472  
-158

comparison date 10/11/2016

Prime cattle yarding numbers continued to decline this week. The usual Queensland export processors were present, while extra NSW processor buyers operated during the sale. The quality of prime cattle varied from fair to good with most drawn from south west parts of the State. Overall, prices improved for bullocks and cows, while plain bulls and grown heifers were up to 4c/kg cheaper in price on average.

Medium weight grown steers sold to 300c and averaged 297c, up 6c, and bullocks hit 298c and averaged 296c, up 2c/kg. Medium weight grown heifers topped at 280c and averaged 274c, down 4c/kg. Medium weight 3 score cows reached 241c and averaged 235c, up 3c, while heavy weight 4 score cows earned to 249c and averaged 246c, up 7c/kg. Heavy bulls made to 268c and averaged 249c, down 3c/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	4	290.2	- 290.2	290.2	N/Q	528	- 528	528	1480	- 1480	1480			
					4	290.2	290.2		528	528		1480	1480				
Yearling Heifer																	
400+		D	3	25	274.2	- 276.2	275.1	N/Q	508	- 512	509	1215	- 1330	1266			
					25	274.2	276.2		508	512		1215	1330				
Grown Steer																	
400-500		C	3	3	279.2	- 279.2	279.2	4	508	- 508	508	1396	- 1396	1396			
					D	3	5	261.2	- 261.2	261.2	N/Q	475	- 475	475	1306	- 1306	1306
500-600		C	3	8	271.2	- 285.2	280.0	-1	493	- 519	509	1492	- 1569	1540			
					C	4	73	289.2	- 300.2	296.7	6	526	- 546	539	1533	- 1744	1642
600-750		C	4	10	293.2	- 298.2	295.7	2	533	- 542	538	1789	- 1879	1834			
					99	261.2	300.2		475	546		1306	1879				
Grown Heifer																	
0-540		D	3	15	260.2	- 268.2	267.1	7	482	- 497	495	1314	- 1421	1407			
					D	4	26	270.2	- 280.2	273.5	-4	500	- 519	506	1428	- 1459	1453
540+		D	4	9	279.2	- 279.2	279.2	N/Q	517	- 517	517	1633	- 1633	1633			
					50	260.2	280.2		482	519		1314	1633				
Cows																	
400-520		D	3	85	228.2	- 241.2	234.7	3	448	- 492	479	965	- 1206	1107			
					D	4	21	242.2	- 249.2	243.9	8	475	- 489	478	1211	- 1246	1219
520+		D	3	8	235.2	- 235.2	235.2	-1	480	- 480	480	1294	- 1294	1294			
					D	4	70	244.2	- 249.2	245.7	7	479	- 489	482	1343	- 1371	1351
					D	5	3	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	9	490	- 490	490	1320	- 1320	1320
					187	228.2	249.2		448	492		965	1371				
Bulls																	
0-450		C	2	8	236.2	- 256.2	243.7	N/Q	422	- 458	435	1063	- 1153	1097			
					D	3	1	217.2	- 217.2	217.2	N/Q	388	- 388	388	977	- 977	977
450-600		C	3	5	235.2	- 238.2	236.6	-16	420	- 425	423	1294	- 1310	1301			
					D	3	3	227.2	- 227.2	227.2	N/Q	406	- 406	406	1136	- 1136	1136

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600+		C	3	52	238.2	- 268.2	249.2	-3	425	- 479	445	1548	- 2653	1641
					<b>69</b>	<b>217.2</b>	<b>268.2</b>		<b>388</b>	<b>479</b>		<b>977</b>	<b>2653</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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