

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Roma Store

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Cattle numbers continued to flow as drier weather conditions begin to take hold across parts of south west Queensland. The majority of the cattle were drawn from central and southern parts of the state with good quality consignments from the local supply area. All the regular buyers were present and operating. Vealer heifers struggled to maintain the previous week's solid prices, while young light steer prices also came off the boil. Feeder weight yearling steers gained 1c/kg and feeder weight yearling heifers also gained in price. Cows attracted plenty of competition from both processors and restocker buyers.

Vealer steers averaged 222c, while vealer heifers topped at 228c and averaged 211c, down 8c/kg. Lightweight yearling steers made to 260c and averaged 233c, down 5c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed were 10c cheaper, as sales topped at 220c and averaged 204c/kg. Those that sold to restockers reached 210c and averaged 196c, down 19c/kg. Heavyweight yearling steers to feed hit 212c and averaged 206c, up 1c/kg. Lightweight yearling heifers to feedlot buyers sold to 217c and averaged 209c, up 11c, while those sold to restockers topped at 234c and averaged 216c, down 9c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed topped at 189c and averaged 185c, up 3c/kg. Heavyweight yearling heifers to feed made to 188c and averaged 177c, down 27c/kg.

A small sample of medium weight grown steers averaged 175c, while grown heifers to processors averaged 190c/kg.

Medium weight 3 score cows reached 148c and averaged 134c, down 6c/kg. The medium weight 4 score cows hit 178c and averaged 170c, up 7c/kg. Heavy weight 3 score cows sold to 154c and averaged 152c/kg. Cows and calves reached \$1080 and averaged \$820/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>Vealer Steer</b>														
0-200		C	2	38	222.2	- 222.2	222.2	N/Q	404	- 404	404	378	- 378	378
200-280		C	2	37	216.2	- 222.2	221.2	12	393	- 404	402	489	- 497	490
				<b>75</b>	<b>216.2</b>	<b>222.2</b>	<b>221.7</b>		<b>393</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>497</b>	<b>433</b>
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
0-200		C	2	146	214.2	- 230.2	225.5	16	397	- 426	418	391	- 407	394
		D	2	87	192.2	- 196.2	194.5	N/Q	356	- 363	360	294	- 365	324
200-280		C	2	300	195.2	- 228.2	211.4	-8	362	- 423	391	452	- 594	514
		D	2	45	184.2	- 190.2	187.1	7	341	- 352	347	387	- 428	407
280-330		C	2	20	210.2	- 210.2	210.2	N/Q	389	- 389	389	599	- 599	599
				<b>598</b>	<b>184.2</b>	<b>230.2</b>	<b>210.5</b>		<b>341</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>599</b>	<b>452</b>
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330	FD	C	2	40	258.2	- 258.2	258.2	44	-	-	-	581	- 581	581
	RS	C	2	1612	198.2	- 260.2	232.9	-5	-	-	-	386	- 739	594
	RS	D	2	65	150.0	- 192.2	178.9	-6	-	-	-	405	- 562	520
		D	2	14	156.2	- 186.2	166.9	N/Q	284	- 339	304	410	- 508	473
	RS	D	3	5	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	-	-	-	545	- 545	545
330-400	RS	C	3	197	170.0	- 210.2	195.8	-19	-	-	-	663	- 799	721
	FD	C	3	334	180.2	- 220.2	203.8	-10	-	-	-	631	- 833	755
		D	3	10	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	N/Q	302	- 302	302	648	- 648	648
400+	FD	C	2	10	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	-	-	-	903	- 903	903
	FD	C	3	562	180.2	- 212.2	205.9	1	-	-	-	768	- 1031	888
		C	3	15	197.2	- 197.2	197.2	14	359	- 359	359	1025	- 1025	1025

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	RS	C	3	35	180.2	- 191.2	189.6	N/Q	-			757	- 784	780
				<b>2899</b>	<b>150.0</b>	<b>260.2</b>	<b>219.5</b>		<b>284</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>1031</b>	<b>681</b>
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-330	FD	C	2	450	190.0	- 217.2	208.7	11	-			413	- 614	490
	RS	C	2	568	200.2	- 234.2	215.5	-9	-			236	- 653	439
		C	2	2	200.2	- 200.2	200.2	N/Q	371	- 371	371	440	- 440	440
	RS	C	3	34	176.2	- 176.2	176.2	N/Q	-			555	- 555	555
	RS	D	2	59	150.2	- 178.2	164.5	2	-			203	- 428	410
	FD	D	2	71	162.2	- 192.2	180.9	-5	-			454	- 489	470
	FD	D	3	20	188.2	- 188.2	188.2	N/Q	-			602	- 602	602
330-400		C	3	3	189.2	- 189.2	189.2	N/Q	344	- 344	344	662	- 662	662
	FD	C	3	24	172.2	- 189.2	185.0	3	-			654	- 672	667
	FD	D	2	24	156.2	- 156.2	156.2	N/Q	-			523	- 523	523
	FD	D	3	55	186.2	- 192.2	188.9	13	-			721	- 745	734
400+		C	3	20	190.2	- 190.2	190.2	-3	352	- 352	352	856	- 856	856
	FD	C	3	72	172.2	- 188.2	176.6	-27	-			697	- 762	740
		D	4	10	176.2	- 176.2	176.2	N/Q	326	- 326	326	740	- 740	740
				<b>1412</b>	<b>150.2</b>	<b>234.2</b>	<b>202.9</b>		<b>326</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>856</b>	<b>501</b>
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
400-500	FD	C	3	2	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	-			718	- 718	718
	RS	C	3	7	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-			808	- 808	808
		D	3	3	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	5	291	- 291	291	656	- 656	656
500-600		C	3	18	184.2	- 184.2	184.2	-1	335	- 335	335	1032	- 1032	1032
	RS	C	3	8	188.2	- 192.2	190.2	N/Q	-			979	- 1019	999
		C	4	12	198.2	- 198.2	198.2	8	360	- 360	360	1130	- 1130	1130
				<b>50</b>	<b>160.0</b>	<b>198.2</b>	<b>184.7</b>		<b>291</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>1130</b>	<b>983</b>
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540		C	3	12	190.2	- 190.2	190.2	N/Q	352	- 352	352	932	- 932	932
		C	4	6	181.2	- 181.2	181.2	N/Q	336	- 336	336	942	- 942	942
	RS	D	2	5	126.2	- 126.2	126.2	N/Q	-			549	- 549	549
				<b>23</b>	<b>126.2</b>	<b>190.2</b>	<b>173.9</b>		<b>336</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>942</b>	<b>851</b>
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	3	13	153.2	- 153.2	153.2	N/Q	300	- 300	300	235	- 235	235
400-520		D	3	45	131.2	- 148.2	134.2	-6	268	- 302	274	656	- 771	674
		D	4	22	160.0	- 178.2	169.9	7	314	- 349	333	832	- 891	864
	RS	D	4	13	178.2	- 178.2	178.2	N/Q	-			927	- 927	927
520+	RS	D	3	72	149.2	- 154.2	152.1	N/Q	-			791	- 810	802
		D	4	45	163.2	- 171.2	165.0	-4	320	- 336	324	898	- 907	900
				<b>210</b>	<b>131.2</b>	<b>178.2</b>	<b>154.6</b>		<b>268</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>927</b>	<b>775</b>
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450	RS	C	2	94	130.0	- 220.2	195.3	11	-			384	- 566	440
		C	2	10	212.2	- 212.2	212.2	N/C	379	- 379	379	318	- 318	318
	FD	C	2	5	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	-			578	- 578	578
	RS	C	3	2	168.2	- 168.2	168.2	N/Q	-			622	- 622	622
	FD	C	3	32	142.2	- 162.2	146.3	-21	-			427	- 730	513

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				<b>143</b>	<b>130.0</b>	<b>220.2</b>	<b>184.1</b>			<b>379</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>730</b>	<b>455</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

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