

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Roma Store

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Cattle numbers decreased by 1,785 to 4,056 head at the Roma Store Sale. Cattle were drawn from a wide supply area, with a large portion from western Queensland once again. The usual panel of buyers were present and operating. Recent sporadic rainfall over the supply area saw prices improve across the board for quality lines of cattle. Light weight yearling steers improved by up to 36c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed improved 20c to 26c, while heavy weight yearling steers to feed increased by 18c/kg. Yearling heifers also experienced price increases, with a good sample of light weights to restockers improving by 25c/kg. Grown steers and heifers were in limited supply and saw little change. A smaller sample of cows was yarded, with medium weight cows improving 13c, as heavy weights increased 11c/kg.

A fair sample of light weight yearling steers sold to 340.2c to average 321c, while a good sample of light weight yearling steers to restockers sold to 326.2c to average 315c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed sold to 316.2c to average 307c, while the heavy weights sold to 309.2c to average 305c/kg. A good sample of light weight yearling heifers to restockers sold to 291.2c to average 274c/kg. A small sample of yearling heifers weighing 280-330kg topped at 260.2 to average 256c/kg.

Medium weight 3 score cows sold to 263.2c to average 245c, while the small sample of heavy weights made to 267.2c to average 253c/kg. The best of the light weight bulls to restockers sold to 306.2c to average 271c/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>Calves</b>																
80+	RS	D	2	10	240.2	- 240.2	240.2	-18	-	-	-	396	-	396	396	
				<b>10</b>	<b>240.2</b>	<b>240.2</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>396</b>	<b>396</b>			
<b>Yearling Steer</b>																
0-200	RS	C	2	89	298.2	- 340.2	321.0	36	-	-	-	477	-	595	536	
	RS	D	1	5	242.2	- 242.2	242.2	N/Q	-	-	-	472	-	472	472	
	RS	D	2	67	270.0	- 294.2	283.3	5	-	-	-	479	-	574	522	
200-280	RS	C	2	237	302.2	- 326.2	314.7	23	-	-	-	681	-	886	796	
	RS	D	1	43	236.2	- 242.2	239.4	35	-	-	-	521	-	567	539	
	RS	D	2	65	260.0	- 294.2	285.0	23	-	-	-	599	-	809	687	
	FD	D	2	62	264.2	- 288.2	278.5	N/Q	-	-	-	713	-	778	755	
		D	2	3	256.2	- 256.2	256.2	N/Q	474	-	474	474	692	-	692	692
280-330	FD	C	2	116	310.2	- 314.2	312.4	26	-	-	-	884	-	1030	977	
	RS	C	2	10	306.2	- 306.2	306.2	17	-	-	-	888	-	888	888	
	RS	D	2	20	255.0	- 290.2	274.4	27	-	-	-	727	-	958	808	
	FD	D	2	89	260.0	- 292.2	282.2	20	-	-	-	754	-	898	856	
330-400	FD	C	2	436	296.2	- 316.2	306.8	21	-	-	-	1052	-	1217	1134	
	FD	D	2	53	270.0	- 292.2	283.6	10	-	-	-	919	-	1117	998	
400+	FD	C	2	209	296.2	- 309.2	305.1	18	-	-	-	1214	-	1348	1282	
	RS	C	2	26	314.2	- 314.2	314.2	24	-	-	-	1273	-	1273	1273	
		D	2	6	285.2	- 285.2	285.2	N/Q	528	-	528	528	1355	-	1355	1355
	FD	D	2	6	286.2	- 294.2	292.9	34	-	-	-	1206	-	1545	1312	
				<b>1542</b>	<b>236.2</b>	<b>340.2</b>			<b>474</b>	<b>528</b>		<b>472</b>	<b>1545</b>			
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>																
0-200	RS	C	2	125	248.2	- 256.2	252.4	-6	-	-	-	443	-	492	468	
	FD	D	2	10	230.2	- 230.2	230.2	N/Q	-	-	-	391	-	391	391	

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200-280	RS	D	2	206	216.2	- 246.2	230.8	25	-			313	- 460	379	
		D	2	32	245.2	- 245.2	245.2	53	454	- 454	454	478	- 478	478	
		C	2	53	254.2	- 259.2	257.5	17	471	- 480	477	542	- 671	608	
		FD	C	2	70	252.2	- 256.2	255.5	N/Q	-		589	- 706	638	
		RS	C	2	532	250.2	- 291.2	274.3	24	-		538	- 807	677	
280-330	RS	D	2	77	178.2	- 242.2	234.1	37	-		446	- 581	510		
	FD	D	2	19	228.2	- 230.2	229.6	28	-		467	- 483	479		
		D	2	23	220.0	- 240.0	224.3	36	407	- 444	416	451	- 576	478	
		C	2	26	250.0	- 254.2	251.0	10	463	- 471	465	713	- 839	737	
		FD	C	2	93	249.2	- 260.2	255.8	12	-		710	- 788	766	
330-400	RS	C	2	15	253.2	- 286.2	273.0	20	-		747	- 830	797		
	FD	D	2	12	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	-		768	- 768	768		
		D	2	26	216.2	- 242.2	237.7	39	400	- 449	440	638	- 799	760	
		C	2	4	254.2	- 254.2	254.2	18	471	- 471	471	941	- 941	941	
		FD	C	2	7	278.2	- 278.2	278.2	17	-		960	- 960	960	
400+	RS	C	2	12	255.2	- 255.2	255.2	N/Q	-		944	- 944	944		
	FD	D	2	5	240.2	- 240.2	240.2	N/Q	-		865	- 865	865		
		C	2	2	270.2	- 270.2	270.2	N/Q	500	- 500	500	1283	- 1283	1283	
				<b>1349</b>	<b>178.2</b>	<b>291.2</b>			<b>400</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>1283</b>			
<b>Grown Steer</b>															
0-400	FD	C	2	14	262.2	- 278.2	276.3	-1	-		787	- 981	947		
		FD	D	2	3	220.0	- 230.0	223.3	10	-		693	- 886	757	
400-500		C	2	1	278.2	- 278.2	278.2	N/Q	515	- 515	515	1363	- 1363	1363	
		FD	C	2	6	284.2	- 286.2	285.2	5	-		1208	- 1245	1226	
500-600		FD	D	2	3	240.2	- 240.2	240.2	-21	-		1021	- 1021	1021	
		C	2	7	281.2	- 289.2	288.1	N/Q	521	- 536	533	1518	- 1677	1655	
		FD	C	2	3	278.2	- 278.2	278.2	N/Q	-		1502	- 1502	1502	
		D	2	4	244.2	- 244.2	244.2	N/Q	461	- 461	461	1392	- 1392	1392	
				<b>41</b>	<b>220.0</b>	<b>289.2</b>			<b>461</b>	<b>536</b>	<b>693</b>	<b>1677</b>			
<b>Grown Heifer</b>															
0-540		C	2	18	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	7	481	- 481	481	956	- 956	956	
		RS	C	3	3	259.2	- 259.2	259.2	N/Q	-		1037	- 1037	1037	
			C	3	11	258.2	- 264.2	260.4	-5	487	- 499	491	878	- 1084	971
		RS	D	2	3	250.2	- 250.2	250.2	N/Q	-		1126	- 1126	1126	
			D	2	3	241.2	- 241.2	241.2	31	455	- 455	455	868	- 868	868
540+	RS	C	3	1	259.2	- 259.2	259.2	N/Q	-		1426	- 1426	1426		
				<b>39</b>	<b>241.2</b>	<b>264.2</b>			<b>455</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>868</b>	<b>1426</b>			
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>															
0-540		D	2	2	241.2	- 241.2	241.2	N/Q	447	- 447	447	989	- 989	989	
540+		D	2	1	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	370	- 370	370	1220	- 1220	1220	
				<b>3</b>	<b>200.0</b>	<b>241.2</b>			<b>370</b>	<b>447</b>	<b>989</b>	<b>1220</b>			
<b>Cows</b>															
0-400		D	2	50	170.0	- 190.2	181.0	-6	370	- 414	394	595	- 742	633	
		RS	D	2	14	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	-24	-		595	- 595	595	
			D	3	22	222.2	- 257.2	238.9	N/Q	454	- 525	488	733	- 913	855

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400-520		D	2	62	180.0	- 231.2	192.7	-10	391	- 503	419	749	- 1110	833
	RS	D	2	4	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	-7		-		774	- 774	774
		D	3	158	220.0	- 263.2	244.6	13	449	- 537	499	990	- 1296	1150
520+		D	3	40	229.2	- 267.2	253.4	11	468	- 545	517	1284	- 1810	1428
				<b>350</b>	<b>170.0</b>	<b>267.2</b>			<b>370</b>	<b>545</b>		<b>595</b>	<b>1810</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450	FD	C	2	3	220.0	- 230.0	223.3	N/Q		-		990	- 1035	1005
	RS	C	2	69	238.2	- 306.2	270.9	17		-		459	- 962	634
	LE	C	2	19	252.2	- 252.2	252.2	N/Q	459	- 459	459	921	- 921	921
		C	2	7	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	-58	364	- 364	364	480	- 480	480
600+		C	2	12	220.0	- 264.2	249.3	13	400	- 480	453	1563	- 2333	1927
				<b>110</b>	<b>200.0</b>	<b>306.2</b>			<b>364</b>	<b>480</b>		<b>459</b>	<b>2333</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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