

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Roma Store

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 Yarding 3913
 Change -1159

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Cattle numbers fell to 3,913 the Roma Store Sale, down from the previous week by 1,159 head after recent widespread rain fall across the supply area. Cattle were drawn from a wide supply area including large runs from Alice Springs, and Torrens Creek, along with the local supply area. The overall quality was mixed and steers and heifers were yarded in equal numbers. There was a good buying panel present and all were operating. Reduced numbers saw top end prices improve across the light and medium weight steers along with the heavier end of the heifers, however the quality of the yarding affected averages. Cows improved across all categories. Medium weight steers under 330kg improved by 4c to 11c. Medium weight heifers under 400kg improved by 14c to 29c. Heavy weight cows improved by 4c to 14c/kg.

Light weight yearling steers under 200kg to restockers made to 537.2c to average 460c/kg setting a new top price record for the Roma Saleyards. Light weight yearling steers under 280kg to restockers also made to 490.2c to average 462c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers under 330kg to restockers sold to 472.2c to average 448c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers under 400kg to restockers also sold to 472.2c to average 423c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers over 400kg to feed made to a top of 390.2c to average 383c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers under 200kg to restockers reached a top of 490.2c to average 412c/kg. The largest sample of light weight yearling heifers under 280kg to restockers made to 460.2c to average 411c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers under 330kg to restockers sold to 398.2c to average 380c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers under 400kg to restockers made to 400.2c to average 386c/kg. The limited number of heavy weight yearling heifers to feed reached a top of 370.2c to average 370c/kg.

The best of the small number of grown steers sold to 355.2c to average 355c, while the largest sample of grown heifers under 540kg reached a top of 329.2c/kg to average 321c/kg. Medium weight 3 score cows sold to a top of 296.2c to average 287c/kg while heavy weight 3 score cows made to 300.2c to average 289c/kg. Heavy weight 4 score cows sold to 304.2c to average 303c/kg. The best of the light weight bulls made to 464.2c to average 404c/kg.

Category	Sale Weight	Muscle Prefix	Fat Score *	Head Score*	Live Weight c/kg				Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg*			Estimated \$/Head		
					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
Yearling Steer														
0-200														
	RS	D	2	67	416.0	537.0	460.4	-19	-	0	707	913	790	
200-280														
	RS	C	2	371	394.0	490.0	461.7	6	-	0	847	1285	1,157	
	RS	D	2	15	350.0	356.0	351.3	-4	-	0	880	945	925	
280-330														
	FD	C	2	46	424.0	438.0	430.1	4	-	0	1336	1402	1,364	
	RS	C	2	228	410.0	472.0	448.4	11	-	0	1243	1406	1,330	
330-400														
	FD	C	2	276	378.0	407.0	390.3	-7	-	0	1266	1517	1,401	
	FD	D	2	29	366.0	376.0	370.3	14	-	0	1299	1421	1,355	
	RS	C	2	68	378.0	472.0	423.3	24	-	0	1304	1678	1,489	
400+														
	FD	C	2	88	379.0	390.0	383.2	-9	-	0	1535	1757	1,674	
	FD	C	3	20	382.0	382.0	382.0	N/Q	-	0	1662	1662	1,662	
	FD	D	2	4	360.0	360.0	360.0	N/Q	-	0	1494	1674	1,539	
				1212	350.0	537.0			0	0	707	1757		
Yearling Heifer														
0-200														
	RS	D	2	111	356.0	490.0	411.7	-21	-	0	630	833	740	
200-280														
	FD	C	2	11	358.0	358.0	358.0	N/Q	-	0	967	967	967	
	PR	C	2	54	360.0	384.0	378.1	48	667	711	700	900	1,028	

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
280-330	PR	D	2	1	330.0	330.0	330.0	6	611	611	611	842	842	842
	RS	C	2	424	330.0	460.0	411.1	-12	-	0	825	1156	1,018	
	FD	C	2	46	338.0	350.0	339.6	-33	-	0	1014	1138	1,030	
	PR	C	2	9	396.0	396.0	396.0	N/Q	733	733	733	1129	1129	1,129
	RS	C	2	174	330.0	398.0	379.9	-12	-	0	1089	1248	1,185	
330-400	RS	D	2	4	300.0	300.0	300.0	-12	-	0	870	870	870	
	FD	C	2	24	370.0	400.0	386.3	29	-	0	1340	1462	1,396	
	RS	C	2	130	358.0	392.0	385.0	14	-	0	1266	1509	1,383	
400+	FD	C	2	48	370.0	370.0	370.0	N/Q	-	0	1628	1628	1,628	
	FD	D	2	24	320.0	320.0	320.0	N/Q	-	0	1328	1328	1,328	
	PR	D	2	3	325.0	325.0	325.0	N/Q	602	602	602	1414	1414	1,414
	RS	D	2	4	326.0	326.0	326.0	N/Q	-	0	1483	1483	1,483	
					1067	300.0	490.0			602	733	630	1628	
Grown Steer														
0-400														
	FD	D	2	2	270.0	270.0	270.0	N/Q	-	0	918	918	918	
400-500														
	FD	C	2	8	355.0	355.0	355.0	35	-	0	1544	1544	1,544	
500-600	PR	C	2	4	310.0	310.0	310.0	-20	574	574	574	1488	1488	1,488
	PR	C	2	1	310.0	310.0	310.0	N/Q	574	574	574	1705	1705	1,705
	PR	C	3	6	340.0	340.0	340.0	-4	630	630	630	1768	1802	1,779
					21	270.0	355.0			574	630	918	1802	
Grown Heifer														
0-540														
	PR	D	2	20	238.0	290.0	257.2	-9	449	547	485	785	1148	963
	PR	D	3	32	308.0	329.0	321.0	15	581	621	606	1170	1777	1,540
	PR	D	4	6	324.0	324.0	324.0	N/Q	611	611	611	1750	1750	1,750
540+	RS	D	2	14	296.0	298.0	297.7	N/Q	-	0	805	947	825	
	PR	D	2	12	294.0	294.0	294.0	N/Q	555	555	555	1602	1602	1,602
	PR	D	4	16	309.0	327.0	318.0	N/Q	583	617	600	1854	1880	1,867
				100	238.0	329.0			449	621	785	1880		
Manufacturing Steer														
540+														
	PR	C	2	5	330.0	330.0	330.0	N/Q	611	611	611	1980	1980	1,980
				5	330.0	330.0			611	611	1980	1980		
Cows														
0-400														
	PR	D	2	126	220.0	273.0	251.9	38	478	593	548	689	1026	890
	PR	D	3	9	278.0	278.0	278.0	N/Q	579	579	579	1015	1015	1,015
	RS	D	2	14	178.0	178.0	178.0	-60	-	0	525	525	525	

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
400-520														
	PR	D	2	124	230.0	272.0	262.8	19	500	591	571	966	1401	1,187
	PR	D	3	144	275.0	296.0	287.2	9	560	594	581	1132	1439	1,350
	RS	D	2	38	242.0	266.0	259.1	4	-	0	-	1246	1383	1,312
520+														
	PR	D	2	34	265.0	273.0	271.8	14	576	593	591	1433	1877	1,576
	PR	D	3	241	275.0	300.0	289.1	4	550	617	584	1470	1967	1,653
	PR	D	4	47	301.0	304.0	302.6	N/Q	602	608	605	1657	1866	1,743
				777	178.0	304.0			478	617		525	1967	
Bulls														
0-450														
	FD	C	2	17	316.0	316.0	316.0	-16	-	0	-	1011	1011	1,011
	RS	C	2	88	342.0	464.0	404.5	48	-	0	-	858	1361	1,134
450-600														
	PR	C	2	22	302.0	314.0	310.2	11	549	571	564	1633	1782	1,680
	PR	D	2	13	289.0	296.0	294.5	N/Q	525	538	535	1590	1717	1,626
600+														
	PR	C	2	31	300.0	321.0	311.6	8	545	584	567	2141	2910	2,351
	PR	C	3	1	261.0	261.0	261.0	-49	475	475	475	2923	2923	2,923
	PR	D	2	10	288.0	298.0	296.4	30	524	542	539	2056	2362	2,145
				182	261.0	464.0			475	584		858	2923	

DA - Dairy, FD - Feeder, GF - Grainfed, PR - Processor, LE - Live Export, PC - Pastoral Cattle, PT - PTIC, RS - Restocker

* Fields populated with N/A indicate the unavailability of animal assessment at the time of publishing

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