

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle
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Roma Store

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 Yarding 2911
 Change -731

comparison date 08/12/2020

Numbers fell again this week at the last Roma Store Sale for 2020 with a yarding of 2,911 head, back 731 from last week. Cattle came from a large area of central and western Queensland with half the yard from the far west. With most processors close to finished for the year, competition on prime cattle was restricted. However light weight yearling steers and heifers continued the improvement of recent sales to register 18c to 33c/kg increases.

Light weight yearling steers under 200kg made to 631c to restockers and averaged 599c/kg. The major run of yearling steers under 280kg reached 599c to average 534c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers under 330kg to restockers sold to a top of 519c to average 491c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers over 400kg to feed averaged 395c with a 417c/kg top. Under 200kg light weight yearling heifers made to 591c to average 574c/kg. A large sample of yearling heifers under 280kg averaged 491c to restockers and topped at 529c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers, under 330kg sold to 475c and averaged 462c/kg to restockers for best bred pens. Yearling heifers from 330 to 400kg averaged 385c/kg to feed.

There was only a light yarding of grown steers with the majority going to feed to average from 341c to 385c/kg relative to breeding. Grown heifers to feed sold to 362c and averaged 310c to 338c/kg. Those to the trade reached 359c to average 336c/kg. Heavy weight processor cows averaged 262c/kg, well back on last sale. The 2 score cows averaged 282c/kg for most to feed. Heavy weight bulls sold to an easier market, averaging 282c and sold to 322c/kg. The better- bred cows and calves sold from \$1,750 to \$2,600 per unit.

Category	Sale Weight	Muscle 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															
0-200															
	RS	C	2	140	475.0	631.0	599.2	N/Q	-	0	875	1199	1,064		
	RS	D	2	12	480.0	600.0	502.7	-54	-	0	144	910	700		
200-280															
	FD	C	2	3	485.0	485.0	485.0	-38	-	0	1310	1310	1,310		
	FD	D	2	3	375.0	407.0	385.7	44	-	0	919	1058	965		
	RS	C	2	420	452.0	599.0	534.1	18	-	0	1097	1433	1,268		
	RS	D	2	116	417.0	583.0	544.7	165	-	0	897	1458	1,336		
280-330															
	FD	C	2	16	399.0	459.0	455.3	14	-	0	1277	1492	1,478		
	FD	D	2	28	315.0	475.0	399.7	30	-	0	977	1449	1,241		
	RS	C	2	55	423.0	519.0	491.2	44	-	0	1332	1557	1,492		
	RS	D	2	27	419.0	419.0	419.0	N/Q	-	0	1341	1341	1,341		
330-400															
	FD	C	2	5	393.0	393.0	393.0	-42	-	0	1572	1572	1,572		
	FD	D	2	22	385.0	419.0	404.0	12	-	0	1444	1487	1,466		
	PR	D	3	1	317.0	317.0	317.0	N/Q	610	610	610	1220	1,220		
	RS	C	2	21	410.0	457.0	419.9	N/Q	-	0	1374	1782	1,466		
400+															
	FD	C	2	105	383.0	417.0	395.1	-16	-	0	1570	1823	1,732		
	LE	C	3	13	415.0	415.0	415.0	N/Q	-	0	1888	1888	1,888		
				987	315.0	631.0			610	610	144	1888			
Yearling Heifer															
0-200															
	RS	C	2	66	565.0	591.0	574.2	N/Q	-	0	740	1074	995		

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200-280	RS	D	2	20	421.0	499.0	453.1	-29	-	0	737	857	825	
	FD	C	2	28	287.0	433.0	360.0	-78	-	0	789	1126	958	
	PR	D	2	2	397.0	397.0	397.0	56	763	763	854	854	854	
280-330	RS	C	2	259	367.0	529.0	490.7	33	-	0	862	1295	1,094	
	RS	D	2	199	360.0	475.0	392.0	N/Q	-	0	900	1142	1,041	
	FD	C	2	44	269.0	441.0	363.3	-72	-	0	834	1433	1,142	
	FD	D	2	54	341.0	419.0	369.4	N/C	-	0	1040	1299	1,148	
	PR	D	2	41	315.0	325.0	321.1	-43	606	625	617	898	1056	994
330-400	RS	C	2	45	440.0	475.0	461.8	10	-	0	1254	1357	1,330	
	RS	D	2	76	340.0	413.0	371.8	4	-	0	969	1198	1,078	
	FD	C	3	106	385.0	391.0	385.1	N/Q	-	0	1310	1482	1,481	
	PR	D	2	8	335.0	391.0	342.0	N/Q	644	752	658	1139	1349	1,165
	PR	D	3	8	325.0	325.0	325.0	N/Q	625	625	625	1284	1284	1,284
	RS	D	2	7	345.0	345.0	345.0	-17	-	0	1190	1190	1,190	
					963	269.0	591.0		606	763		737	1482	
Grown Steer														
0-400														
400-500	FD	D	1	36	339.0	343.0	341.1	N/Q	-	0	1132	1237	1,182	
	FD	D	2	72	353.0	359.0	357.2	N/Q	-	0	1203	1306	1,234	
	RS	D	2	28	339.0	433.0	354.3	N/Q	-	0	1123	1559	1,220	
500-600	FD	C	2	6	350.0	377.0	372.5	5	-	0	1678	1698	1,681	
	FD	C	3	5	355.0	355.0	355.0	N/Q	-	0	1615	1615	1,615	
	FD	D	1	17	333.0	333.0	333.0	N/Q	-	0	1482	1482	1,482	
	FD	D	2	31	345.0	385.0	356.6	N/Q	-	0	1449	1636	1,503	
	PR	C	4	5	309.0	309.0	309.0	N/Q	583	583	583	1375	1375	1,375
600-750	FD	C	3	4	351.0	419.0	385.0	N/Q	-	0	1895	2137	2,016	
	PR	D	3	9	321.0	361.0	343.2	N/Q	606	669	641	1830	2022	1,936
	LE	C	4	10	331.0	331.0	331.0	N/Q	-	0	2069	2069	2,069	
				223	309.0	433.0			583	669		1123	2137	
Grown Heifer														
0-540														
Cows	FD	C	3	7	320.0	362.0	338.0	N/Q	-	0	1484	1488	1,486	
	FD	D	2	85	291.0	320.0	309.8	10	-	0	1004	1222	1,125	
	FD	D	3	2	289.0	289.0	289.0	-44	-	0	1257	1257	1,257	
	PR	D	2	40	317.0	359.0	335.8	39	610	780	659	1046	1292	1,105
	PR	D	3	7	274.0	274.0	274.0	-36	517	517	517	1329	1329	1,329
					141	274.0	362.0		517	780		1004	1488	

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400-520	FD	D	2	1	245.0	245.0	245.0	25	-	0	784	784	784	
	RS	D	2	44	286.0	286.0	286.0	N/Q	-	0	1144	1144	1,144	
	FD	D	1	2	160.0	160.0	160.0	N/Q	-	0	648	648	648	
	FD	D	2	7	278.0	278.0	278.0	16	-	0	1168	1168	1,168	
	FD	D	3	33	273.0	285.0	282.1	12	-	0	1201	1482	1,414	
520+	PR	D	3	13	230.0	255.0	247.3	-28	479	531	515	1104	1199	1,169
	FD	D	3	2	271.0	271.0	271.0	N/Q	-	0	1450	1450	1,450	
	PR	D	3	3	250.0	250.0	250.0	-30	521	521	521	1338	1338	1,338
	PR	D	4	63	240.0	267.0	262.2	-27	480	526	517	1296	1606	1,507
				168	160.0	286.0			479	531		648	1606	
Bulls														
0-450														
	FD	D	2	4	337.0	339.0	338.0	N/Q	-	0	1365	1492	1,428	
	PR	D	2	5	271.0	340.0	299.0	N/Q	521	654	575	714	1043	874
	RS	C	2	32	340.0	566.0	463.3	73	-	0	852	1463	1,081	
	RS	D	1	3	270.0	270.0	270.0	N/Q	-	0	770	770	770	
	RS	D	2	13	337.0	446.0	373.6	N/Q	-	0	783	1134	989	
450-600														
	FD	C	2	3	347.0	347.0	347.0	N/Q	-	0	1579	1579	1,579	
	FD	C	3	1	298.0	298.0	298.0	N/Q	-	0	1699	1699	1,699	
	FD	D	4	1	265.0	265.0	265.0	N/Q	-	0	1206	1206	1,206	
	PR	D	2	1	271.0	271.0	271.0	N/Q	521	521	521	1287	1287	1,287
600+														
	FD	C	2	2	250.0	270.0	260.0	N/Q	-	0	1647	1663	1,655	
	FD	C	3	3	301.0	301.0	301.0	N/Q	-	0	2258	2258	2,258	
	LE	C	3	26	270.0	322.0	297.0	-12	-	0	1740	2205	2,020	
	PR	C	3	10	254.0	311.0	282.4	-10	462	565	513	1638	2255	1,913
				104	250.0	566.0			462	654		714	2258	

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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