

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Prime

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Yarding Change 754
-355

comparison date 29/05/2014

Yarding numbers declined 33% with the majority of prime cattle drawn from the local supply area and several held over consignments from North West Queensland. A few of the usual export processors were absent from the sale, but prices improved for good conditioned cows, grown heifers and bulls. Meanwhile, price averages declined 12c/kg for plain conditioned cows. Overall, it was a fair to good quality penning of cows in an otherwise plainer yarding of prime cattle.

Heavy weight yearling heifers sold to 132c/kg. Medium weight 3 score grown heifers sold to 129c and averaged 118c, down 1c/kg. Heavy weight 4 score grown heifers made to 139c and averaged 132c, up 2c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows reached 105c and averaged 83c, down 12c, while medium weight 3 score cows topped at 123c and averaged 112c, up 3c/kg. Heavy weight 4 score cows earned to 139c and averaged 128c, up 4c/kg. Medium weight bulls made to 139c and averaged 138c, up 6c, while heavy weight bulls earned to 151c and averaged 143c, up 8c/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 Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 400+ | | D | 4 | 12 | 132.2 | - 132.2 | 132.2 | N/Q | 245 | - 245 | 245 | 635 | - 635 | 635 |
| | | | | 12 | 132.2 | 132.2 | | | 245 | 245 | | 635 | 635 | |
| Grown Steer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-400 | | D | 3 | 8 | 120.0 | - 120.0 | 120.0 | N/Q | 218 | - 218 | 218 | 450 | - 450 | 450 |
| | | E | 3 | 5 | 119.2 | - 119.2 | 119.2 | N/Q | 217 | - 217 | 217 | 477 | - 477 | 477 |
| 400-500 | | E | 3 | 2 | 110.0 | - 110.0 | 110.0 | N/Q | 200 | - 200 | 200 | 495 | - 495 | 495 |
| | | | | 15 | 110.0 | 120.0 | | | 200 | 218 | | 450 | 495 | |
| Grown Heifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-540 | | D | 3 | 33 | 110.2 | - 129.2 | 118.3 | -1 | 204 | - 239 | 219 | 496 | - 633 | 590 |
| | | D | 5 | 2 | 122.2 | - 122.2 | 122.2 | N/Q | 226 | - 226 | 226 | 507 | - 507 | 507 |
| 540+ | | D | 4 | 27 | 128.2 | - 139.2 | 132.1 | 2 | 237 | - 258 | 245 | 699 | - 766 | 721 |
| | | D | 5 | 4 | 130.2 | - 130.2 | 130.2 | 15 | 241 | - 241 | 241 | 781 | - 781 | 781 |
| | | | | 66 | 110.2 | 139.2 | | | 204 | 258 | | 496 | 781 | |
| Manufacturing Steer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-540 | | D | 3 | 24 | 120.0 | - 129.2 | 123.8 | N/Q | 218 | - 235 | 225 | 144 | - 646 | 504 |
| 540+ | | D | 3 | 2 | 134.2 | - 134.2 | 134.2 | N/Q | 244 | - 244 | 244 | 738 | - 738 | 738 |
| | | | | 26 | 120.0 | 134.2 | | | 218 | 244 | | 144 | 738 | |
| Cows | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-400 | | D | 2 | 6 | 84.2 | - 84.2 | 84.2 | 7 | 183 | - 183 | 183 | 295 | - 295 | 295 |
| | | D | 3 | 7 | 100.0 | - 100.0 | 100.0 | -3 | 204 | - 204 | 204 | 380 | - 380 | 380 |
| 400-520 | | D | 2 | 52 | 68.2 | - 105.0 | 82.7 | -12 | 148 | - 228 | 180 | 280 | - 525 | 354 |
| | | D | 3 | 147 | 97.2 | - 123.2 | 112.0 | 3 | 198 | - 251 | 229 | 411 | - 635 | 542 |
| | | D | 5 | 1 | 115.2 | - 115.2 | 115.2 | N/Q | 235 | - 235 | 235 | 518 | - 518 | 518 |
| 520+ | | D | 3 | 58 | 105.0 | - 125.2 | 115.4 | -1 | 214 | - 256 | 236 | 588 | - 689 | 635 |
| | | D | 4 | 98 | 123.2 | - 139.2 | 127.9 | 4 | 242 | - 273 | 251 | 678 | - 877 | 711 |
| | | D | 5 | 35 | 104.2 | - 122.2 | 112.6 | 2 | 213 | - 249 | 230 | 552 | - 782 | 645 |
| | | | | 404 | 68.2 | 139.2 | | | 148 | 273 | | 280 | 877 | |
| Bulls | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-450 | | C | 3 | 7 | 125.2 | - 143.2 | 133.8 | -7 | 224 | - 256 | 239 | 501 | - 616 | 548 |

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| | | | | | Low | High | Avg | Change | Low | High | Avg | Low | High | Avg |
| 450-600 | | D | 3 | 15 | 108.2 | - 129.2 | 114.3 | 5 | 193 | - 231 | 204 | 449 | - 517 | 498 |
| | | C | 3 | 10 | 134.2 | - 139.2 | 137.5 | 6 | 240 | - 249 | 246 | 738 | - 766 | 756 |
| 600+ | | D | 3 | 10 | 108.2 | - 127.2 | 120.1 | N/Q | 193 | - 227 | 214 | 541 | - 636 | 606 |
| | | C | 3 | 34 | 125.2 | - 151.2 | 143.2 | 8 | 224 | - 270 | 256 | 814 | - 1255 | 1017 |
| | | D | 3 | 3 | 117.2 | - 120.0 | 119.1 | N/Q | 209 | - 214 | 213 | 762 | - 780 | 774 |
| | | | | 79 | 108.2 | 151.2 | | | 193 | 270 | | 449 | 1255 | |

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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