

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Store

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Mixed quality store cattle were drawn from across the usual south, central, and north-west parts of Queensland. Similar numbers of restocker buyers were at the sale, while extra Queensland domestic feedlot buyer competition helped boost medium weight yearling steer prices by 6c/kg. Good quality heifers continued to sell well, but plain sorts struggled to maintain the previous sale averages. Light weight yearling heifers to processors declined 13c/kg on average.

Light weight yearling steers sold to 222c and averaged 206c, up 4c, while plainer lines sold between 159c and 175c, down 6c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed made to 213c and averaged 201c, up 6c, and D muscled sorts sold between 172c and 179c/kg. Those returning to the paddock hit 206c and averaged 203c, up 3c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed reached 214c and averaged 204c/kg, unchanged in price. Light weight yearling heifers to processors hit 188c and averaged 174c, down 13c, while those to restocker buyers sold around 184c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed earned to 196c and averaged 186c, down 6c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers to feed topped at 192c/kg. Good heavy weight 4 score cows reached 197c and averaged 189c, down 1c/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
Calves														
80+	RS	C	2	64	180.2	- 216.2	201.6	-15	-	-	-	342	- 411	383
	RS	D	2	26	120.2	- 120.2	120.2	-52	-	-	-	216	- 216	216
				90	120.2	216.2			0	0		216	411	
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	79	180.0	- 206.2	191.7	-15	-	-	-	558	- 670	609
	RS	C	2	1140	184.2	- 222.2	205.9	4	-	-	-	404	- 652	545
	RS	C	3	45	198.0	- 198.2	198.1	-8	-	-	-	515	- 654	617
	FD	C	3	24	200.2	- 200.2	200.2	10	-	-	-	661	- 661	661
	FD	D	2	20	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	-	485	- 485	485
	RS	D	2	30	132.2	- 175.2	159.4	-6	-	-	-	291	- 456	395
		D	2	50	160.0	- 170.2	165.2	N/Q	291	- 310	300	426	- 487	449
330-400		C	3	19	195.2	- 195.2	195.2	N/Q	355	- 355	355	771	- 771	771
	RS	C	3	45	200.2	- 206.2	203.3	3	-	-	-	691	- 781	735
	FD	C	3	618	180.0	- 213.2	201.4	6	-	-	-	645	- 838	725
	FD	D	3	43	170.0	- 179.2	172.4	N/Q	-	-	-	629	- 663	638
400+		C	3	28	200.2	- 204.2	200.3	N/Q	364	- 371	364	941	- 1062	945
	FD	C	3	432	184.2	- 214.2	203.7	N/C	-	-	-	778	- 1050	900
		C	4	78	205.0	- 212.2	208.2	N/Q	373	- 386	379	1067	- 1107	1095
	FD	D	3	25	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	-1	-	-	-	729	- 729	729
				2676	132.2	222.2			291	386		291	1107	
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	FD	D	2	57	168.2	- 170.0	169.2	-20	-	-	-	505	- 527	517
	RS	D	2	95	184.2	- 184.2	184.2	N/Q	-	-	-	378	- 424	399
		D	2	525	142.2	- 188.2	173.5	-13	263	- 349	321	345	- 568	451
	FD	D	3	21	140.2	- 140.2	140.2	N/Q	-	-	-	449	- 449	449
330-400	FD	D	3	275	168.2	- 196.2	185.6	-6	-	-	-	570	- 765	671
400+	FD	D	3	65	192.2	- 192.2	192.2	9	-	-	-	807	- 865	837

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		D	3	50	150.0	- 184.2	169.5	-3	278	- 341	314	645	- 857	767
		D	4	18	180.2	- 180.2	180.2	N/Q	334	- 334	334	847	- 847	847
				1106	140.2	196.2			263	349		345	865	
Grown Steer														
500-600		C	4	13	196.2	- 196.2	196.2	N/C	357	- 357	357	1069	- 1069	1069
	FD	D	3	22	173.2	- 173.2	173.2	N/Q	-			909	- 909	909
600-750		C	4	1	213.2	- 213.2	213.2	N/Q	388	- 388	388	1343	- 1343	1343
				36	173.2	213.2			357	388		909	1343	
Cows														
520+		D	4	17	181.2	- 197.2	188.8	-1	355	- 387	370	997	- 1085	1039
				17	181.2	197.2			355	387		997	1085	
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	23	194.2	- 194.2	194.2	8	-			466	- 466	466
600+		C	3	2	195.2	- 195.2	195.2	N/Q	349	- 349	349	1366	- 1366	1366
				25	194.2	195.2			349	349		466	1366	

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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