

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Prime

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Yarding Change ⁷⁹¹
-177

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Numbers fell 20% with cows dominating the yarding. All the usual export processors were operating and most class of cows were firm in price to 4c/kg cheaper in places. Good heavy bulls continued to attract strong Queensland processor competition, but secondary lines were 5c/kg cheaper as buyers became more selective.

Medium weight grown heifers sold to 201c and averaged 197c, down 6c, while a few heavy weight grown heifers sold to 198c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows topped at 154c and averaged 144c, down 6c, while the 3 score sorts hit 193c and averaged 176c, down 4c/kg. Heavy weight 4 score cows earned to 202c and averaged 195c, down 1c/kg. Heavy weight bulls reached 242c and averaged 217c, down 5c/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														
330-400	FD	D	3	4	174.2	- 174.2	174.2	N/Q	-			662	- 662	662
400+		D	3	10	180.0	- 200.0	186.0	2	333	- 370	344	729	- 890	777
				14	174.2	200.0			333	370		662	890	
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	3	4	215.2	- 215.2	215.2	N/Q	391	- 391	391	1076	- 1076	1076
		D	3	4	221.2	- 221.2	221.2	29	402	- 402	402	1106	- 1106	1106
500-600		D	3	2	220.2	- 220.2	220.2	N/Q	400	- 400	400	1211	- 1211	1211
		D	4	14	224.2	- 227.2	225.5	N/Q	408	- 413	410	1250	- 1256	1253
600-750		D	4	1	220.2	- 220.2	220.2	N/Q	400	- 400	400	1387	- 1387	1387
				25	215.2	227.2			391	413		1076	1387	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	3	1	181.2	- 181.2	181.2	N/Q	336	- 336	336	852	- 852	852
		D	4	9	194.2	- 201.2	196.5	-6	360	- 373	364	981	- 986	982
540+		D	3	6	187.2	- 187.2	187.2	N/Q	347	- 347	347	1030	- 1030	1030
		D	4	2	198.2	- 198.2	198.2	N/Q	367	- 367	367	1140	- 1140	1140
				18	181.2	201.2			336	373		852	1140	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	4	2	225.2	- 225.2	225.2	N/Q	410	- 410	410	1576	- 1576	1576
				2	225.2	225.2			410	410		1576	1576	
Cows														
0-400		D	2	8	129.2	- 151.2	143.0	-4	281	- 329	311	452	- 529	500
		D	3	14	148.2	- 156.2	153.3	-7	302	- 319	313	563	- 609	593
400-520		D	2	19	116.2	- 154.2	143.9	-6	253	- 335	313	581	- 678	643
		D	3	268	153.2	- 193.2	175.9	-4	313	- 394	359	620	- 956	801
		D	4	16	190.2	- 190.2	190.2	-5	373	- 373	373	951	- 951	951
520+		D	3	85	182.2	- 195.2	188.5	-2	372	- 398	385	1002	- 1259	1040
		D	4	103	190.2	- 202.0	194.7	-1	373	- 396	382	1008	- 1212	1070
				513	116.2	202.0			253	398		452	1259	
Bulls														
0-450		D	2	7	156.2	- 156.2	156.2	N/Q	279	- 279	279	469	- 469	469

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450-600	C	3	3	9	193.2	- 216.2	209.8	-4	345	- 386	375	1100	- 1189	1165
	D	3	3	1	179.2	- 179.2	179.2	N/Q	320	- 320	320	986	- 986	986
600+	C	3	3	36	197.2	- 242.2	217.1	-5	352	- 433	388	1300	- 2301	1526
	D	3	3	1	182.2	- 182.2	182.2	N/Q	325	- 325	325	1184	- 1184	1184
				54	156.2	242.2			279	433		469	2301	

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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