

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Roma Store

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Yarding Change 9325  
-900

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The yarding contained mixed quality lines from the usual supply areas and several large consignments from Central West and North West Queensland areas. Heavy weight yearling steers found extra feedlot buyer competition this week, while the quality of weaner light weight yearling steers was mixed. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed remained firm in price and restocker buyers were active on light weight yearling heifers for crop or paddock backgrounding.

Light weight yearling steers reached 207c and averaged 187c, down 16c, while plainer sorts averaged 160c, up 5c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed made to 188c and averaged 181c, up 7c, while those returning to the paddock hit 198c and averaged 188c, down 2c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed made to 198c and averaged 187c, up 4c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to feedlot buyers topped at 156c and averaged 140c, down 1c, while those to processors earned to 136c and averaged 126c, unchanged in price, and those to restocker buyers sold to 169c and averaged 144c, up 12c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed hit 163c and averaged 152c/kg, unchanged in price.

The grown heifers sold between 126c and 178c/kg. The medium weight grown heifers to feed sold to 145c and averaged 136c/kg. Light and medium weight 2 score cows sold to 92c and averaged between 72c and 83c, up 6c/kg. Those to restockers sold around 100c/kg. Medium weight 3 score cows reached 117c and averaged 106c, down 9c/kg. Cows and calves sold to \$430/unit.

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
<b>Calves</b>														
80+		D	2	140	120.2	- 129.2	124.9	N/Q	223	- 239	231	120	- 194	153
	RS	D	2	33	106.2	- 106.2	106.2	-42	-	-	-	106	- 106	106
				<b>173</b>	<b>106.2</b>	<b>129.2</b>			<b>223</b>	<b>239</b>		<b>106</b>	<b>194</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330	RS	C	2	2072	160.0	- 207.2	187.0	-16	-	-	-	340	- 650	498
	RS	C	3	21	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	-39	-	-	-	536	- 536	536
	RS	D	2	378	136.2	- 175.0	159.3	5	-	-	-	136	- 503	365
	FD	D	3	33	128.2	- 128.2	128.2	N/Q	-	-	-	404	- 404	404
330-400	FD	C	3	217	170.2	- 188.0	180.5	7	-	-	-	610	- 749	688
	RS	C	3	206	168.2	- 198.2	187.6	-2	-	-	-	589	- 773	670
400+	FD	C	3	327	172.2	- 198.2	187.1	4	-	-	-	761	- 932	851
	FD	D	3	66	130.0	- 188.2	159.1	-2	-	-	-	527	- 903	715
				<b>3320</b>	<b>128.2</b>	<b>207.2</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>136</b>	<b>932</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-330		D	2	461	112.2	- 136.2	126.1	N/C	208	- 252	233	240	- 341	289
	FD	D	2	369	127.2	- 156.2	139.6	-1	-	-	-	283	- 493	407
	RS	D	2	631	120.2	- 169.2	144.4	12	-	-	-	252	- 488	376
		E	2	100	100.0	- 108.2	104.0	-4	185	- 200	193	216	- 310	262
330-400	FD	D	3	294	132.2	- 163.2	151.7	N/C	-	-	-	476	- 609	541
	RS	D	3	29	144.2	- 144.2	144.2	18	-	-	-	505	- 505	505
				<b>1884</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>169.2</b>			<b>185</b>	<b>252</b>		<b>216</b>	<b>609</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
500-600		C	4	36	178.2	- 178.2	178.2	N/Q	324	- 324	324	1025	- 1025	1025
	FD	D	3	97	120.0	- 140.0	125.6	N/Q	-	-	-	660	- 707	673

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		D	4	32	152.2	- 152.2	152.2	N/Q	277	- 277	277	837	- 837	837
				<b>165</b>	<b>120.0</b>	<b>178.2</b>			<b>277</b>	<b>324</b>		<b>660</b>	<b>1025</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	FD	D	3	67	121.2	- 145.0	136.1	N/Q	-			491	- 653	592
		D	3	19	125.2	- 125.2	125.2	15	232	- 232	232	507	- 507	507
		D	4	32	131.2	- 131.2	131.2	N/Q	243	- 243	243	538	- 538	538
				<b>118</b>	<b>121.2</b>	<b>145.0</b>			<b>232</b>	<b>243</b>		<b>491</b>	<b>653</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400	RS	D	2	18	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	-			400	- 400	400
		D	2	85	55.0	- 88.2	71.6	N/Q	120	- 192	156	220	- 353	280
		D	3	30	115.2	- 115.2	115.2	N/Q	235	- 235	235	461	- 461	461
400-520		D	2	160	65.2	- 92.2	83.4	6	142	- 200	181	264	- 461	388
	RS	D	2	148	99.2	- 100.0	99.8	13	-			446	- 450	449
	RS	D	3	89	105.2	- 106.2	106.0	N/C	-			531	- 547	534
		D	3	188	93.2	- 117.2	105.8	-9	190	- 239	216	419	- 586	514
520+	RS	D	3	101	102.2	- 104.2	102.6	N/Q	-			557	- 562	561
				<b>819</b>	<b>55.0</b>	<b>117.2</b>			<b>120</b>	<b>239</b>		<b>220</b>	<b>586</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450		C	3	3	134.2	- 134.2	134.2	N/Q	240	- 240	240	604	- 604	604
		D	2	47	102.2	- 102.2	102.2	N/Q	183	- 183	183	204	- 204	204
	RS	D	2	119	106.2	- 106.2	106.2	-7	-			106	- 340	246
		D	3	5	110.2	- 110.2	110.2	N/Q	197	- 197	197	496	- 496	496
450-600		C	2	9	124.2	- 124.2	124.2	N/Q	222	- 222	222	683	- 683	683
				<b>183</b>	<b>102.2</b>	<b>134.2</b>			<b>183</b>	<b>240</b>		<b>106</b>	<b>683</b>	

#### 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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