

## Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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### Roma Store

Yarding 3791  
 Change -2154

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On a wet and overcast day, cattle numbers fell to 3,791 at the Roma Store Sale, down from the previous week by 2,154 head, in part due to the rainfall across the supply area in recent days. Cattle were drawn from a wide supply area, including good numbers from the Mt Isa region. Steers dominated the yarding, and the overall quality continued to be mixed. There was a smaller but competitive buying panel present, including all regular processors, and buyers were operating to strong demand on the reduced yarding. Prices remained strong for the yarding quality, with top end prices reduced, reflective of the quality yarded. Light weight yearling steers eased 7c to 35c, while medium weight yearling steers improved by 5c to 33c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers under 200kg improved by 25c/kg. Grown steers sold to firm competition with medium weights improving from 3c to 42c/kg. A large run of PTIC grown heifers and cows sold to very strong restocker competition. Heavy weight cows improved by 3c to 6c/kg.

The best of the light weight yearling steers under 200kg to restockers made to 510.2c to average 437c/kg. The largest sample of light weight yearling steers under 280kg to restockers made to 474.2c to average 429c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers under 330kg to feed sold to 436.2c to average 417c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers under 400kg to restockers sold to 439.2c to average 433c/kg. The limited number of heavy weight yearling steers over 400kg to feed made to a top of 398.2c to average 390c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers under 200kg to restockers reached a top of 446.2c to average 410c/kg. The largest sample of light weight yearling heifers under 280kg to restockers made to 442.2c to average 409c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers under 330kg to feed or background sold to 416.2c to average 394c, while medium weight yearling heifers under 400kg to feed made to 418.2c to average 385c/kg.

The best of the medium weight grown steers to feed sold to 386.2c to average 367c/kg. PTIC grown heifers under 540kg reached a top of 448.2c to average 422c/kg. Medium weight PTIC cows to restockers made to 354.2c to average 322c/kg. Heavy weight 3 score cows made to 288.2c to average 282c, while heavy weight 4 score cows made to 296.2c to average 293c/kg. The best of the heavy weight bulls made to 324.2c to average 306c/kg. Cows and calves reached a top of \$2100/unit.

Category	Sale Weight	Muscle Prefix	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>Yearling Steer</b>														
<b>0-200</b>														
	RS	D	2	176	408.0	510.0	437.6	-35	-	0	602	969	791	
<b>200-280</b>														
	FD	C	2	69	388.0	444.0	423.0	-7	-	0	1067	1177	1,138	
	RS	C	2	420	386.0	474.0	429.4	-27	-	0	903	1231	1,058	
	RS	D	2	2	366.0	366.0	366.0	N/Q	-	0	988	988	988	
<b>280-330</b>														
	FD	C	2	92	396.0	436.0	417.3	8	-	0	1148	1344	1,254	
	FD	D	2	4	340.0	340.0	340.0	-18	-	0	986	986	986	
	RS	C	2	79	384.0	440.0	420.1	-10	-	0	1114	1359	1,278	
<b>330-400</b>														
	FD	C	2	173	380.0	424.0	396.6	5	-	0	1407	1572	1,517	
	FD	D	2	42	352.0	370.0	361.6	22	-	0	1232	1405	1,351	
	RS	C	2	27	418.0	439.0	432.8	33	-	0	1421	1471	1,456	
<b>400+</b>														
	FD	C	2	44	388.0	398.0	390.5	4	-	0	1591	1891	1,709	
				1128	340.0	510.0			0	0	602	1891		
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
<b>0-200</b>														
	RS	D	2	44	338.0	446.0	410.4	25	-	0	642	847	745	
<b>200-280</b>														
	FD	C	2	25	394.0	394.0	394.0	19	-	0	1044	1064	1,056	
	PR	C	2	61	343.0	400.0	380.0	-4	635	741	704	774	970	936

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
	PR	D	2	21	280.0	310.0	297.1	N/Q	519	574	550	686	713	701
	RS	C	2	207	356.0	442.0	409.3	-3	-	0	900	1107	965	
	RS	D	2	19	322.0	330.0	324.9	-7	-	0	792	805	800	
280-330														
	FD	C	2	109	364.0	416.0	393.9	-29	-	0	1092	1301	1,221	
	FD	D	2	32	320.0	330.0	322.8	3	-	0	912	1056	953	
	PR	D	2	10	300.0	300.0	300.0	20	556	556	556	870	870	870
	RS	C	2	83	342.0	392.0	363.6	-50	-	0	1044	1137	1,084	
330-400														
	FD	C	2	70	368.0	418.0	385.4	-13	-	0	1340	1421	1,414	
	PR	D	2	18	270.0	270.0	270.0	-28	500	500	500	905	905	905
400+														
	PR	D	2	2	242.0	242.0	242.0	N/Q	448	448	448	980	980	980
				701	242.0	446.0			448	741		642	1421	
Grown Steer														
0-400														
	FD	C	2	45	306.0	350.0	338.9	N/C	-	0	1056	1348	1,243	
	PR	C	2	8	380.0	380.0	380.0	N/Q	704	704	704	1463	1463	1,463
400-500														
	FD	C	2	41	330.0	386.0	366.6	36	-	0	1485	1641	1,565	
	LE	C	2	13	306.0	315.0	312.9	3	-	0	1285	1323	1,314	
	PR	C	2	27	319.0	348.0	335.6	N/Q	591	644	622	1420	1725	1,557
500-600														
	FD	C	2	12	382.0	382.0	382.0	42	-	0	1929	1929	1,929	
	PR	C	2	4	356.0	356.0	356.0	39	659	659	659	2100	2100	2,100
600-750														
	PR	C	2	1	344.0	344.0	344.0	74	637	637	637	2167	2167	2,167
				151	306.0	386.0			591	704		1056	2167	
Grown Heifer														
0-540														
	FD	D	3	29	310.0	325.0	311.0	N/Q	-	0	1070	1365	1,090	
	PR	D	2	6	256.0	260.0	258.7	-7	483	491	488	624	870	706
	PR	D	3	41	275.0	320.0	292.5	-8	519	604	552	1045	1456	1,108
	PT	D	2	112	340.0	448.0	422.1	N/Q	-	0	1326	1859	1,751	
	RS	D	3	1	280.0	280.0	280.0	N/Q	-	0	952	952	952	
				189	256.0	448.0			483	604		624	1859	
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540														
	PR	C	2	19	326.0	349.0	338.1	N/Q	604	646	626	1532	1885	1,790
540+														
	PR	C	2	9	280.0	349.0	340.1	N/Q	519	646	630	1680	2269	2,199
				28	280.0	349.0			519	646		1532	2269	
Cows														
0-400														
	PR	D	2	66	248.0	265.0	256.5	-6	539	576	558	856	1014	949

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
	PR	D	3	3	270.0	270.0	270.0	-14	587	587	587	1040	1040	1,040
	RS	D	2	82	216.0	260.0	249.0	-8	-	0	0	619	1001	819
	RS	D	3	1	276.0	276.0	276.0	N/Q	-	0	0	938	938	938
400-520														
	PR	D	2	63	240.0	266.0	259.5	2	522	578	560	1066	1248	1,151
	PR	D	3	132	270.0	286.0	279.7	7	558	596	580	1195	1487	1,335
	PR	D	4	5	293.0	293.0	293.0	N/Q	610	610	610	1494	1494	1,494
	PT	D	2	128	238.0	354.0	321.8	N/Q	-	0	0	964	1752	1,565
	RS	D	2	42	241.0	265.0	257.2	-11	-	0	0	1060	1193	1,134
	RS	D	3	6	279.0	279.0	279.0	N/Q	-	0	0	1228	1228	1,228
520+														
	PR	D	2	12	266.0	266.0	266.0	3	578	578	578	1503	1503	1,503
	PR	D	3	63	273.0	288.0	282.2	6	569	600	588	1525	1890	1,585
	PR	D	4	37	292.0	296.0	293.4	N/Q	584	617	595	1577	1658	1,605
				640	216.0	354.0			522	617		619	1890	
Bulls														
0-450														
	FD	C	2	46	322.0	372.0	344.3	N/Q	-	0	0	966	1575	1,390
	FD	D	2	12	306.0	306.0	306.0	N/Q	-	0	0	949	949	949
	LE	C	2	10	320.0	320.0	320.0	10	-	0	0	1328	1328	1,328
	RS	C	2	73	352.0	408.0	388.0	12	-	0	0	840	1261	1,036
	RS	D	2	25	398.0	398.0	398.0	N/Q	-	0	0	776	776	776
450-600														
	LE	C	2	5	300.0	322.0	308.8	44	-	0	0	1440	1594	1,502
600+														
	LE	C	2	23	292.0	324.0	305.9	19	-	0	0	1781	2612	2,048
	LE	C	3	1	311.0	311.0	311.0	N/Q	-	0	0	2550	2550	2,550
	PR	C	2	15	292.0	310.0	300.7	18	531	564	547	1969	2508	2,257
	PR	C	3	2	293.0	293.0	293.0	N/Q	533	533	533	2578	2578	2,578
	PR	D	2	4	277.0	288.0	281.3	N/Q	504	524	511	1911	2520	2,227
	RS	C	2	1	330.0	330.0	330.0	N/Q	-	0	0	2607	2607	2,607
				217	277.0	408.0			504	564		776	2612	

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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