

## Shire Council What animals & how many you can have in town areas

Animal	Flat/ Unit	Allotment up to 1 acre (4046.86m <sup>2</sup> )	Allotment 1 acre (4046.86m <sup>2</sup> ) to 2.5 acres (10,117.14m <sup>2</sup> )	Allotment 2.5 acres (10,117.14m²) or greater	Allotment 5 acres (20,234.28m²) or greater	Special considerations - no limit on allotment size
Horse Kept in Urban Areas within Balonne Shire Towns (St George and Rural Towns). There are no distinctions between sizes of horses.	0	<ol> <li>Private use</li> <li>Permit</li> <li>Must meet conditions for keeping of horses within town area</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>3</li> <li>Private use</li> <li>Permit</li> <li>Must meet conditions for keeping of horses within town area</li> </ul>	5 Private use Permit Must meet conditions for keeping of horses within town area	<ul> <li>Commercial use</li> <li>Permit for land use, not individual horse permit</li> <li>Submit tax statement with application</li> <li>Approval by full Council Meeting</li> </ul>	
Sheep/Alpaca/Llama	0	0	2 Permit Refer to standard conditions for keeping of an animal	10 Permit Refer to standard conditions for keeping of an animal		<ul> <li>Permit</li> <li>Vet care with certificate</li> <li>Drought care - authorisation by BSC/ declaration</li> <li>Refer to standard conditions for keeping of an animal</li> </ul>
Goat	0	0	0	0	0	<ul> <li>Permit</li> <li>Vet care with certificate</li> <li>Drought care - authorisation by BSC/ declaration</li> <li>Refer to standard conditions for keeping of an animal</li> </ul>
Cattle/Cow	0	0	0	0	0	<ul> <li>St George &amp; Rural Towns Mapped Town Area</li> <li>Permit</li> <li>Under vet care with certificate</li> <li>Under drought care</li> <li>Refer to standard conditions for keeping of an animal</li> </ul>

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Poultry - Ducks - Geese - Chickens - Guinea Fowl - Turkeys	0	12 (Total number poultry in any combination) • Refer to standard conditions for keeping of an animal	24 (Total number poultry in any combination) • Refer to standard conditions for keeping of an animal	50 (Total number poultry in any combination) • Refer to standard conditions for keeping of an animal • Permit required for more than 50 - Application for Permit - Assessment by full Council Meeting				
Rooster	0	0	0	0				
Emu/Ostrich/Peacock	0	0	0	0				
Honey Bees	0	<ul> <li>1-2 hives</li> <li>Permit and approval by Council</li> <li>Refer to conditions on keeping bees</li> </ul>	More than 2 hives <ul> <li>Application and assessment by full Council Meeting</li> <li>Refer to conditions on keeping bees</li> </ul>					
Pig	0	0	0	0				
Stallion	<ul> <li>Prohibited in all town areas unless under special conditions</li> <li>Permit</li> <li>Vet care and certificate</li> <li>Double fenced</li> <li>Defined conditions</li> </ul>							
Bull/Ram	<ul> <li>Prohibited in all town areas unless under special conditions</li> <li>Permit</li> <li>Vet care and certificate</li> </ul>							
Cat	1	>1						

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