

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Store

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Large yarding numbers continued to be presented for sale this week. Overall quality was mixed, with most store cattle in fair to plain condition. Restocker buyers were more selective when purchasing and light weight yearling steers and heifers declined in price. Good quality sorts found good restocker and feedlot competition, but most medium and heavy weight steers were cheaper, with not all feedlot buyers operating. Cows dropped up to 30c/kg in price on average.

Light weight yearling steers earned to 329c and averaged between 305c and 307c/kg. Plainer sorts mostly sold between 260c and 274c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers made to 280c, with large numbers returning to the paddock at an average of 262c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers topped at 282c and averaged 270c/kg.

Medium weight 2 score store cows reached 210c but most averaged between 192c and 167c/kg. Medium weight 3 score cows made to 220c and averaged 204c, down 31c/kg. Heavy weight 4 score cows hit 243c and averaged 231c, down 27c/kg. Only small numbers of cows and calves were penned and sold to \$900/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		
Calves																
80+	RS	C	2	335	268.2	- 302.2	291.4	-39	-	-	-	424	-	574	507	
	RS	D	2	492	208.2	- 274.2	251.6	2	-	-	-	344	-	500	423	
				827	208.2	302.2			0	0		344	574			
Yearling Steer																
0-200	RS	C	2	181	286.2	- 298.2	294.1	-42	-	-	-	572	-	596	588	
	RS	D	2	36	212.2	- 212.2	212.2	N/Q	-	-	-	382	-	382	382	
200-280	FD	C	2	110	300.2	- 322.2	312.4	-30	-	-	-	811	-	902	861	
		C	2	44	254.2	- 254.2	254.2	N/Q	462	-	462	462	661	-	661	661
	RS	C	2	2193	276.2	- 329.2	307.4	-8	-	-	-	584	-	897	754	
	RS	C	3	37	314.2	- 314.2	314.2	N/Q	-	-	-	723	-	723	723	
	RS	D	2	375	230.0	- 274.2	260.0	N/Q	-	-	-	575	-	714	655	
		D	2	82	224.2	- 230.2	228.1	N/Q	408	-	419	415	483	-	493	487
280-330	FD	C	2	140	282.2	- 318.2	307.9	-11	-	-	-	875	-	1018	978	
		C	2	85	318.2	- 318.2	318.2	N/Q	579	-	579	579	1018	-	1018	1018
	RS	C	2	952	276.2	- 324.2	305.4	-6	-	-	-	812	-	1031	925	
	FD	C	3	53	272.2	- 292.2	282.4	-34	-	-	-	898	-	964	932	
	FD	D	2	45	262.2	- 262.2	262.2	4	-	-	-	839	-	839	839	
330-400	FD	C	3	728	280.0	- 316.2	297.9	-24	-	-	-	938	-	1225	1086	
	RS	C	3	179	284.2	- 308.2	297.9	-16	-	-	-	966	-	1110	1068	
	RS	D	3	30	244.2	- 244.2	244.2	N/Q	-	-	-	965	-	965	965	
	FD	D	3	42	251.2	- 251.2	251.2	-19	-	-	-	929	-	929	929	
400+	FD	C	3	826	270.2	- 314.2	293.3	-29	-	-	-	1141	-	1444	1280	
		D	3	12	270.2	- 270.2	270.2	N/Q	491	-	491	491	1094	-	1094	1094
				6150	212.2	329.2			408	579		382	1444			
Yearling Heifer																
0-200	RS	D	2	87	244.2	- 266.2	256.8	-33	-	-	-	488	-	532	514	
		D	2	74	238.2	- 260.2	248.9	-37	441	-	482	461	476	-	494	485

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200-280		D	2	387	220.0	- 278.2	258.0	-11	407	- 515	478	533	- 701	631
	RS	D	2	1015	220.2	- 278.2	262.3	-3	-	-	-	495	- 735	626
	FD	D	2	20	218.2	- 218.2	218.2	-28	-	-	-	524	- 524	524
280-330	FD	D	2	121	248.2	- 280.2	264.2	-13	-	-	-	720	- 897	796
	RS	D	2	52	246.2	- 268.2	261.4	-37	-	-	-	739	- 778	766
		D	2	162	242.2	- 250.0	246.0	6	449	- 463	456	702	- 800	749
330-400	RS	D	3	177	246.2	- 282.2	269.9	9	-	-	-	886	- 1101	983
		D	3	2	250.2	- 250.2	250.2	N/Q	463	- 463	463	851	- 851	851
400+	FD	D	3	38	256.2	- 256.2	256.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1153	- 1153	1153
				2135	218.2	282.2			407	515		476	1153	
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	3	36	252.2	- 252.2	252.2	N/Q	459	- 459	459	1248	- 1248	1248
	FD	D	3	41	276.2	- 276.2	276.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1326	- 1326	1326
				77	252.2	276.2			459	459		1248	1326	
Cows														
0-400		D	2	31	160.0	- 170.2	168.6	N/Q	348	- 370	367	582	- 664	643
		D	3	18	168.2	- 180.2	170.9	N/Q	343	- 368	349	656	- 703	666
	RS	D	3	14	220.2	- 220.2	220.2	N/Q	-	-	-	815	- 815	815
400-520	RS	D	2	65	162.2	- 210.2	203.6	7	-	-	-	657	- 904	870
		D	2	58	144.2	- 192.2	167.3	N/Q	314	- 418	364	584	- 961	747
		D	3	77	170.0	- 220.0	204.2	-31	347	- 449	417	689	- 1083	929
	RS	D	3	8	196.2	- 196.2	196.2	-20	-	-	-	883	- 883	883
		D	4	6	218.2	- 218.2	218.2	N/Q	428	- 428	428	1091	- 1091	1091
520+		D	3	7	215.2	- 215.2	215.2	N/Q	439	- 439	439	1162	- 1162	1162
		D	4	82	220.0	- 243.2	230.9	-27	431	- 477	453	1188	- 1386	1303
		D	5	7	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	N/Q	408	- 408	408	1200	- 1200	1200
				373	144.2	243.2			314	477		582	1386	
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	2	230.2	- 230.2	230.2	N/Q	-	-	-	576	- 576	576
600+		C	3	1	242.2	- 242.2	242.2	N/Q	433	- 433	433	1574	- 1574	1574
				3	230.2	242.2			433	433		576	1574	

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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