

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Roma Prime

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Yarding Change 409  
-841

comparison date 11/08/2016

Numbers halved at this week's prime sale for a yarding of 409 head. Cows made up the largest percentage of the yarding, along with an odd bullock, a few pens of heifers, and several pens of bulls. Quality was good in a cheaper market, with not all the regular buyers operating this week.

Bullocks sold to a top of 286c, while heifers topped at 280c/kg. The cow market was 20c to 30c cheaper, with medium weight cows averaging 236c and heavy cows sold to a top of 252c, while restocker cows sold to a top of 245c/kg. The best of the bulls sold to a top of 280c/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		
<b>Grown Steer</b>																
500-600		C	4	2	286.2	- 286.2	286.2	N/Q	520	-	520	520	1717	-	1717	1717
600-750		C	3	3	252.0	- 252.0	252.0	-65	458	-	458	458	1714	-	1714	1714
		C	4	4	272.2	- 272.2	272.2	-49	486	-	486	486	1742	-	1742	1742
				<b>9</b>	<b>252.0</b>		<b>286.2</b>		<b>458</b>		<b>520</b>		<b>1714</b>		<b>1742</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>																
0-540		C	3	14	269.2	- 280.2	272.6	N/Q	499	-	519	505	1248	-	1410	1346
	FD	C	3	8	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q		-			1188	-	1188	1188
540+		C	3	8	274.0	- 274.0	274.0	N/Q	507	-	507	507	1507	-	1507	1507
				<b>30</b>	<b>269.2</b>		<b>280.2</b>		<b>499</b>		<b>519</b>		<b>1188</b>		<b>1507</b>	
<b>Cows</b>																
400-520		D	2	39	216.0	- 239.2	232.5	-9	460	-	511	490	1026	-	1213	1102
	RS	D	2	46	189.0	- 245.2	234.5	N/Q		-			794	-	1129	1055
		D	3	68	225.0	- 240.2	236.6	-21	459	-	500	484	1118	-	1249	1195
520+		D	3	6	238.0	- 238.0	238.0	-29	476	-	476	476	1261	-	1261	1261
		D	4	140	235.2	- 252.2	246.6	-34	461	-	489	478	1337	-	1639	1454
				<b>299</b>	<b>189.0</b>		<b>252.2</b>		<b>459</b>		<b>511</b>		<b>794</b>		<b>1639</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>																
0-450	RS	C	2	4	249.0	- 249.0	249.0	N/Q		-			996	-	996	996
450-600		C	2	12	210.0	- 245.0	235.8	N/Q	396	-	454	436	1260	-	1470	1415
600+		B	2	3	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	466	-	466	466	2700	-	2700	2700
		C	2	39	220.0	- 280.0	249.7	N/Q	400	-	500	449	1541	-	2560	2002
				<b>58</b>	<b>210.0</b>		<b>280.0</b>		<b>396</b>		<b>500</b>		<b>996</b>		<b>2700</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 DP: Dorper

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