

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Store

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Yarding Change ⁶⁸⁵⁰
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Good numbers of cattle were yarded with strong attendance at the sale by local restocker buyers. Light weight yearling steers were mixed and the better quality weaner steers sold to a dearer price trend, while plainer sorts sold to similar prices as last week to 1c/kg cheaper. Medium and heavy weight steers found solid competition from feedlot buyers. Young, light heifers were also mixed in quality and prices were up and down during the sale. Well finished cows continued to sell to a dearer price trend.

Light weight yearling steers returned to the paddock at a high of 212c/kg and averaged 196c, down 1c/kg, while D muscled lines sold to 184c and averaged 167c, down 16c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed topped at 187c and averaged 178c, while plainer sorts made to 168c and averaged 158c/kg. Meanwhile, the medium weight yearling steers to restockers hit 193c and averaged 183c, down 2c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed reached 178c and averaged 174c, while the D muscled lines hit 168c and averaged around 167c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to feedlot buyers sold to 170c and averaged 157c, while those to restockers reached 184c and averaged 161c. Light weight yearling heifers to processors earned to 179c and averaged 165c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed topped at 170c and averaged 161c/kg.

Grown steers to feed made to 162c and averaged 157c, while those sold to restockers also reached 162c and averaged 161c/kg. Medium weight 4 score cows sold to 156c, while heavy weight 4 score cows sold to 164c/kg. Cows and calves sold to \$760/head.

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	95	190.2	- 202.2	196.5	N/Q	-	-	-	247	- 297	276
		D	2	38	162.2	- 168.2	164.1	N/Q	295	- 306	298	235	- 320	262
	RS	D	2	171	96.2	- 174.2	153.7	N/Q	-	-	-	178	- 306	252
					304	96.2	202.2	168.4		295	306	298	178	320
Yearling Steer														
0-330		C	2	19	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	291	- 291	291	456	- 456	456
		FD	C	2	150	182.2	- 202.2	190.1	N/Q	-	-	-	518	- 647
	RS	C	2	1189	180.2	- 212.2	195.6	-1	-	-	-	320	- 633	517
		C	3	28	176.2	- 192.0	182.4	N/Q	-	-	-	581	- 634	602
	FD	C	3	33	187.2	- 187.2	187.2	N/Q	-	-	-	618	- 618	618
	FD	D	2	92	144.2	- 179.2	169.0	N/Q	-	-	-	433	- 538	507
	RS	D	2	612	130.2	- 184.2	167.3	-16	-	-	-	312	- 545	436
		D	2	12	169.2	- 169.2	169.2	-4	308	- 308	308	338	- 338	338
	RS	E	2	14	132.2	- 132.2	132.2	N/Q	-	-	-	331	- 331	331
	330-400	RS	C	3	202	175.0	- 193.2	183.0	-2	-	-	-	604	- 659
FD			C	3	325	170.2	- 187.2	177.8	N/Q	-	-	-	630	- 672
		C	3	78	179.2	- 179.2	179.2	N/Q	326	- 326	326	672	- 690	681
FD		D	2	22	154.2	- 154.2	154.2	N/Q	-	-	-	517	- 517	517
RS		D	2	26	184.2	- 184.2	184.2	N/Q	-	-	-	700	- 700	700
FD		D	3	218	140.0	- 168.2	158.0	N/Q	-	-	-	476	- 648	580
RS		D	3	31	154.2	- 165.0	159.4	1	-	-	-	553	- 617	586
400+		FD	C	3	175	170.2	- 178.2	173.8	N/Q	-	-	-	715	- 835
	RS		C	3	49	172.2	- 178.2	174.9	2	-	-	-	722	- 835
		D	3	52	160.0	- 169.2	162.8	N/Q	291	- 308	296	648	- 704	682
	FD	D	3	23	167.2	- 168.2	167.7	N/Q	-	-	-	736	- 757	746

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
					3350	130.2	212.2	180.5		291	326	311	312	835	556
Yearling Heifer															
0-330	RS	D	2	483	136.2	- 184.2	161.2	-12	-				313	- 490	395
	FD	D	2	405	140.0	- 170.0	157.0	N/Q	-				435	- 544	475
		D	2	472	136.2	- 179.2	164.8	45	252	- 332	305		313	- 449	386
	FD	D	3	47	161.2	- 170.0	165.5	N/Q	-				532	- 561	546
330-400	FD	D	3	271	146.2	- 170.0	160.6	N/Q	-				512	- 605	569
		D	3	23	151.2	- 151.2	151.2	N/Q	280	- 280	280		582	- 582	582
400+	FD	D	2	21	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-				574	- 574	574
		D	3	30	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	278	- 278	278		660	- 660	660
	FD	D	3	21	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	15	-				645	- 645	645
					1773	136.2	184.2	160.5		252	332	302	313	660	453
Grown Steer															
400-500	FD	D	3	66	154.2	- 162.2	157.1	-4	-				694	- 762	719
	RS	D	3	84	158.2	- 162.2	160.8	12	-				712	- 762	744
500-600		D	3	82	158.2	- 165.2	160.4	7	288	- 300	292		812	- 876	838
		D	4	4	164.2	- 164.2	164.2	N/Q	299	- 299	299		903	- 903	903
					236	154.2	165.2	159.7		288	300	292	694	903	773
Grown Heifer															
0-540		D	3	28	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	4	271	- 271	271		614	- 614	614
		D	4	32	168.2	- 168.2	168.2	N/Q	312	- 312	312		849	- 849	849
					60	146.2	168.2	157.9		271	312	292	614	849	740
Cows															
400-520		D	4	91	144.2	- 156.2	150.1	N/Q	283	- 306	294		721	- 781	751
520+		D	4	53	156.2	- 164.2	160.1	20	306	- 322	314		859	- 903	881
					144	144.2	164.2	153.8		283	322	302	721	903	799
Bulls															
0-450	RS	C	2	124	166.2	- 171.2	169.6	15	-				257	- 474	372
		C	2	19	171.2	- 171.2	171.2	21	306	- 306	306		394	- 394	394
	FD	C	2	48	150.0	- 157.2	153.8	N/Q	-				480	- 550	517
	RS	D	2	50	150.0	- 164.2	157.1	47	-				394	- 450	422
		D	2	46	145.0	- 154.2	147.8	16	264	- 275	267		316	- 363	348
		D	3	2	158.2	- 158.2	158.2	N/Q	283	- 283	283		633	- 633	633
		E	2	10	106.2	- 106.2	106.2	N/Q	190	- 190	190		266	- 266	266
	RS	E	2	32	133.2	- 133.2	133.2	N/Q	-				346	- 346	346
					331	106.2	171.2	157.0		190	306	267	257	633	394

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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