

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Store

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Yarding numbers returned to normal after the previously rain affected sale. Plenty of local restocker buyers filled the laneways and prices improved for all categories of steers. A full panel of feedlot buyers were also present and were more active than usual. There was a large weight range of cattle penned and the better quality sorts experienced price gains of 10c/kg or more. Light weight yearling steers added 2c, while medium weight yearling steers rose 3c/kg. Heavy feeder weight steers gained 5c, while those returning to the paddock lifted 10c/kg on average. The better end of the light weight yearling heifers improved in price, while those to southern processors were unchanged in price. Cows and calves sold to \$670/unit.

Light weight yearling steers reached 211c and averaged 175c, up 2c, while D muscled lines averaged 155c, up 9c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed topped at 165c and averaged 158c, up 3c, while those to restocker buyers reached 181c, to average 169c, up 2c/kg. Plainer medium weight yearling steers sold between 143c and 149c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed made to 157c and averaged 155c, up 5c, while those to restockers sold to 169c and averaged 159c, up 10c/kg.

Light weight yearling heifers to feedlot buyers topped at 152c, to average 142c, up 1c, while those to processors topped at 148c and averaged 143c/kg, unchanged in price. Those returning to the paddock earned to 166c and averaged 149c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers averaged 146c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows sold between 74c and 95c, while heavy weight 3 score cows averaged 107c/kg. The heavy weight 4 score cows reached 130c and averaged 114c/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
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	41	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	-4	-	-	-	544	- 544	544
	RS	C	2	1919	160.0	- 211.2	175.0	2	-	-	-	279	- 535	413
	RS	C	3	59	181.2	- 181.2	181.2	16	-	-	-	562	- 562	562
	FD	C	3	113	161.2	- 161.2	161.2	N/Q	-	-	-	532	- 532	532
	FD	D	2	32	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	N/Q	-	-	-	388	- 388	388
	RS	D	2	400	144.2	- 164.2	154.7	9	-	-	-	263	- 464	380
330-400	RS	C	2	43	180.2	- 180.2	180.2	N/Q	-	-	-	622	- 622	622
	FD	C	2	33	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	N/Q	-	-	-	648	- 648	648
	RS	C	3	444	154.2	- 181.2	169.4	2	-	-	-	524	- 664	595
	FD	C	3	437	150.0	- 165.0	158.2	3	-	-	-	503	- 635	575
		C	3	75	158.2	- 166.2	163.9	9	288	- 302	298	609	- 632	625
	FD	D	3	82	138.2	- 148.2	143.0	N/Q	-	-	-	504	- 544	525
	D	3	26	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	291	- 291	291	560	- 560	560	
	RS	D	3	56	149.2	- 149.2	149.2	11	-	-	-	522	- 522	522
400+	RS	C	3	107	150.2	- 169.2	158.9	10	-	-	-	640	- 698	670
	FD	C	3	215	152.2	- 157.2	155.2	5	-	-	-	624	- 728	675
	FD	D	3	29	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	4	-	-	-	592	- 592	592
				4111	136.2	211.2	167.0		288	302	296	263	728	487
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	RS	D	2	487	132.2	- 166.2	148.9	-10	-	-	-	245	- 507	350
	FD	D	2	232	136.2	- 152.2	142.0	1	-	-	-	319	- 436	378
		D	2	258	138.2	- 148.2	142.7	N/C	256	- 274	264	301	- 468	383
	FD	E	2	23	105.0	- 105.0	105.0	-5	-	-	-	336	- 336	336
		E	2	16	94.2	- 94.2	94.2	N/Q	174	- 174	174	283	- 283	283

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330-400	RS	E	2	42	108.2	- 124.2	115.8	-17	-			186	- 227	208
		D	2	22	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	N/Q	271	- 271	271	512	- 512	512
400+	RS	E	2	37	117.2	- 117.2	117.2	N/Q	-			434	- 434	434
		E	2	15	90.0	- 90.0	90.0	N/Q	167	- 167	167	338	- 338	338
		E	2	13	113.2	- 113.2	113.2	N/Q	210	- 210	210	509	- 509	509
				1145	90.0	166.2	141.0		167	274	254	186	512	364
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	D	3	12	134.2	- 134.2	134.2	-14	-			671	- 671	671
				12	134.2	134.2	134.2		0	0		671	671	671
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	2	50	85.0	- 88.2	86.9	7	-			340	- 344	342
400-520		D	2	17	61.2	- 61.2	61.2	N/Q	133	- 133	133	233	- 233	233
		D	2	16	74.0	- 74.0	74.0	N/Q	161	- 161	161	318	- 318	318
520+	RS	D	2	45	94.2	- 96.2	95.2	N/Q	-			443	- 443	443
		D	3	38	105.2	- 108.2	106.5	-8	215	- 221	217	552	- 595	570
		D	4	15	112.2	- 130.0	114.4	-6	220	- 255	224	662	- 780	677
				181	61.2	130.0	91.8		133	255	191	233	780	430
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	7	172.2	- 172.2	172.2	45	-			241	- 241	241
	RS	D	2	33	102.2	- 102.2	102.2	N/Q	-			281	- 281	281
				40	102.2	172.2	114.5		0	0		241	281	274

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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