

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Roma Prime

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The supply of stock experienced a large decline and most were drawn from the local area, plus a few from northern and western districts. Buyer representation was good and all were operating. The reduced supply of lesser quality heavy steers and bullocks varied in price. However a good quality lineup of grown heifers and cows lifted in price by 2c to 9c/kg and more on light weight plain condition lines.

Heavy steers in plain condition generally sold in the mid 140c range, while the better quality lines made to 163.2c to average 155c/kg. A few full mouth bullocks averaged from 137c to 142c/kg.

Lightweight plain condition cows to processors sold to 101.2c/kg. Medium weights averaged 100c and sold to 106.2c, with one consignment returning to the paddock at 105c/kg. Heavy 3 scores made from 110c to 117.2c/kg. Good heavy cows were well supplied and most sold close to 125c, with sales to 131.2c/kg. Heavy bulls experienced keen competition and made to 166.2c to average 145c/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>Yearling Heifer</b>																
400+		D	3	2	135.2	- 135.2	135.2	N/Q	250	-	250	250	588	-	588	588
				<b>2</b>	<b>135.2</b>	<b>135.2</b>	<b>135.0</b>		<b>250</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>588</b>	<b>588</b>	<b>588</b>		
<b>Grown Steer</b>																
400-500		C	3	18	143.2	- 147.2	144.8	N/Q	260	-	268	263	662	-	702	686
500-600		C	3	4	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	264	-	264	264	819	-	819	819
		C	4	21	153.2	- 157.2	154.2	-8	274	-	281	275	858	-	872	861
600-750		C	3	30	143.2	- 146.2	144.4	N/Q	260	-	266	263	866	-	914	888
		C	4	33	150.2	- 163.2	155.4	-7	268	-	291	278	920	-	1141	1058
		D	3	3	131.2	- 131.2	131.2	-4	239	-	239	239	800	-	800	800
				<b>109</b>	<b>131.2</b>	<b>163.2</b>	<b>149.3</b>		<b>239</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>662</b>	<b>1141</b>	<b>896</b>		
<b>Grown Heifer</b>																
0-540		C	4	18	138.2	- 139.2	138.3	N/Q	256	-	258	256	739	-	745	740
		D	2	5	118.0	- 118.0	118.0	N/Q	246	-	246	246	513	-	513	513
		D	3	16	127.2	- 135.2	129.2	9	237	-	255	241	621	-	723	658
540+		C	3	7	133.2	- 134.2	133.5	N/Q	247	-	249	247	726	-	731	728
		C	4	37	135.2	- 141.2	138.5	N/Q	250	-	262	257	770	-	826	805
		D	3	8	127.2	- 127.2	127.2	9	236	-	236	236	719	-	719	719
				<b>91</b>	<b>118.0</b>	<b>141.2</b>	<b>134.3</b>		<b>236</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>826</b>	<b>737</b>		
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>																
540+		C	3	8	128.2	- 138.2	137.0	N/Q	233	-	251	249	967	-	1090	983
		C	4	6	142.2	- 142.2	142.2	1	259	-	259	259	1038	-	1038	1038
				<b>14</b>	<b>128.2</b>	<b>142.2</b>	<b>139.2</b>		<b>233</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>967</b>	<b>1090</b>	<b>1006</b>		
<b>Cows</b>																
0-400		D	1	23	65.2	- 86.2	69.0	N/Q	155	-	205	164	238	-	340	259
		D	2	18	101.2	- 101.2	101.2	24	220	-	220	220	369	-	369	369
400-520		D	1	4	70.0	- 70.0	70.0	N/Q	167	-	167	167	298	-	298	298
		D	2	92	90.2	- 106.2	100.8	9	196	-	231	219	404	-	515	459

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
	RS	D	2	40	105.0	- 105.0	105.0	N/Q	-			520	- 520	520
		D	3	24	109.2	- 115.2	113.5	8	223	- 235	232	475	- 559	534
		D	4	9	118.2	- 118.2	118.2	3	232	- 232	232	550	- 550	550
520+		D	2	42	95.0	- 110.0	99.9	N/Q	207	- 239	217	508	- 589	534
		D	3	51	110.0	- 117.2	114.1	2	225	- 239	233	589	- 697	625
		D	4	206	118.0	- 131.2	124.9	3	231	- 257	245	654	- 787	710
		D	5	5	106.2	- 114.2	112.2	N/C	217	- 233	229	611	- 640	628
				<b>514</b>	<b>65.2</b>	<b>131.2</b>	<b>111.4</b>		<b>155</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>787</b>	<b>581</b>
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450		D	2	16	80.0	- 101.2	90.6	18	146	- 184	165	316	- 400	358
450-600		C	3	8	134.2	- 152.0	142.3	18	240	- 271	254	679	- 826	758
		D	2	1	114.2	- 114.2	114.2	N/Q	208	- 208	208	611	- 611	611
600+		C	2	7	128.2	- 137.2	131.8	N/Q	232	- 250	239	776	- 910	867
		C	3	25	135.2	- 166.2	145.1	1	241	- 297	259	879	- 1560	1086
		D	2	1	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	200	- 200	200	715	- 715	715
				<b>58</b>	<b>80.0</b>	<b>166.2</b>	<b>126.9</b>		<b>146</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>1560</b>	<b>799</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

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