

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Roma Store

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It was a very mixed quality yarding of cattle. Light weight steers and heifers continued to attract reasonable restocker buyer competition, while all grades of medium and heavy weight steers attracted very strong competition from the full panel of feedlot buyers present and operating. Plainer quality, light and medium weight heifers were harder to sell at times, but quality pens were sought after by processors or lotfeeders. Grown steers over 400kg attracted good feedlot buyer competition. Cows and calves sold to \$660/unit.

Light weight yearling steers sold to 222c and averaged 208c, while plainer drafts sold between 164c and 178c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed reached 222c and averaged 205c and those returning to the paddock reached 215c and averaged 207c/kg. The D muscled lines sold between 184c and 187c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers made to 225c and averaged 211c, while plainer pens sold between 178c and 188c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to feed topped at 189c and averaged 166c and those to processors sold to 190c and averaged 173c/kg. Those selling to restocker buyers made to 197c and averaged 179c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed earned to 180c and averaged 174c/kg.

Medium weight grown steers to feed sold to 200c and averaged 194c/kg. Store conditioned cows mostly sold between 109c and 114c, while medium weight 3 score cows topped 168c and averaged 146c, with the occasional heavy weight pen selling between 171c and 179c/kg. Heavy weight 4 score cows reached 187c/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>Calves</b>														
80+	RS	C	2	124	208.2	- 211.2	209.8	11	-	-	-	312	- 399	365
		D	2	41	173.2	- 173.2	173.2	N/Q	321	- 321	321	260	- 260	260
				<b>165</b>	<b>173.2</b>	<b>211.2</b>			<b>321</b>	<b>321</b>		<b>260</b>	<b>399</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330	FD	C	2	46	204.2	- 204.2	204.2	5	-	-	-	664	- 664	664
	RS	C	2	1113	194.2	- 222.2	208.0	6	-	-	-	388	- 695	531
	RS	D	2	41	168.2	- 178.2	174.3	7	-	-	-	336	- 446	403
	FD	D	2	57	164.2	- 164.2	164.2	N/Q	-	-	-	509	- 509	509
		D	2	45	187.2	- 187.2	187.2	N/Q	340	- 340	340	393	- 393	393
330-400	FD	C	3	425	191.2	- 222.2	205.1	7	-	-	-	691	- 867	751
	RS	C	3	158	200.2	- 215.0	206.6	N/Q	-	-	-	684	- 742	725
	FD	D	3	108	184.2	- 188.2	187.1	N/Q	-	-	-	659	- 718	697
400+	FD	C	3	1146	190.0	- 225.2	211.4	-3	-	-	-	788	- 1123	929
		C	4	73	198.2	- 210.2	207.4	N/Q	360	- 382	377	1050	- 1093	1075
	FD	D	3	104	178.2	- 188.2	183.6	N/Q	-	-	-	748	- 838	778
				<b>3316</b>	<b>164.2</b>	<b>225.2</b>			<b>340</b>	<b>382</b>		<b>336</b>	<b>1123</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-330		D	2	511	134.2	- 190.2	173.3	15	249	- 352	321	336	- 573	411
	FD	D	2	218	134.2	- 189.2	166.4	7	-	-	-	429	- 540	492
	RS	D	2	454	146.2	- 197.2	179.1	28	-	-	-	351	- 540	422
330-400	FD	D	3	129	168.2	- 180.2	173.6	N/Q	-	-	-	604	- 654	631
		D	3	33	152.2	- 166.2	161.5	N/Q	282	- 308	299	548	- 648	615
400+	FD	D	3	12	174.2	- 174.2	174.2	N/Q	-	-	-	784	- 784	784
				<b>1357</b>	<b>134.2</b>	<b>197.2</b>			<b>249</b>	<b>352</b>		<b>336</b>	<b>784</b>	

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<b>Grown Steer</b>														
0-400	FD	D	2	20	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	N/Q	-			593	- 593	593
400-500	FD	C	3	316	188.2	- 200.0	194.0	-5	-			847	- 900	873
		C	3	15	190.2	- 190.2	190.2	N/Q	346	- 346	346	856	- 856	856
	FD	D	3	56	180.2	- 188.2	183.9	N/Q	-			775	- 847	808
500-600		C	3	21	188.2	- 190.2	189.3	-9	342	- 346	344	960	- 1037	1004
		C	4	60	187.2	- 198.2	194.9	-12	340	- 360	354	1090	- 1123	1100
		D	3	24	184.2	- 184.2	184.2	N/Q	335	- 335	335	976	- 976	976
600-750		C	4	26	205.2	- 205.2	205.2	-2	373	- 373	373	1293	- 1293	1293
				<b>538</b>	<b>148.2</b>	<b>205.2</b>			<b>335</b>	<b>373</b>		<b>593</b>	<b>1293</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	FD	D	3	6	166.2	- 166.2	166.2	N/Q	-			681	- 681	681
				<b>6</b>	<b>166.2</b>	<b>166.2</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>681</b>	<b>681</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400	RS	D	2	47	96.2	- 119.2	109.4	-19	-			337	- 477	417
		D	2	26	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	-22	250	- 250	250	403	- 403	403
		D	3	56	137.2	- 142.2	140.1	-12	280	- 290	286	480	- 569	522
	RS	D	3	24	130.2	- 130.2	130.2	N/Q	-			521	- 521	521
400-520	RS	D	2	131	120.0	- 146.2	141.8	10	-			540	- 658	638
		D	2	26	114.2	- 114.2	114.2	-34	248	- 248	248	514	- 514	514
		D	3	143	130.0	- 168.2	146.4	-20	265	- 343	299	585	- 757	671
		D	4	85	168.2	- 176.2	173.3	-4	330	- 346	340	757	- 916	852
520+		D	3	204	154.2	- 179.2	170.9	-3	315	- 366	349	848	- 986	940
		D	4	55	185.2	- 187.2	186.7	5	363	- 367	366	1019	- 1030	1027
				<b>797</b>	<b>96.2</b>	<b>187.2</b>			<b>248</b>	<b>367</b>		<b>337</b>	<b>1030</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450		C	2	25	180.2	- 180.2	180.2	1	322	- 322	322	360	- 360	360
	RS	C	2	49	160.0	- 202.2	185.0	-5	-			480	- 506	495
		D	2	12	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	15	259	- 259	259	508	- 508	508
		D	3	47	152.2	- 152.2	152.2	N/Q	272	- 272	272	533	- 533	533
				<b>133</b>	<b>145.0</b>	<b>202.2</b>			<b>259</b>	<b>322</b>		<b>360</b>	<b>533</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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