

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Store

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Yarding Change $\frac{8100}{5100}$

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Yarding numbers jumped 60% on the previous store sale. Large numbers of good quality light weight yearling steers and heifers were penned. It was the usual panel of restocker buyers in attendance, but all were determined to secure cattle. Extremely strong demand continued from feedlot buyers for medium and heavy weight steers and heifers. All class of store cattle remained firm to dearer in price week-on-week. Light weight yearling steers hit a record 298c, while heavy weight yearling steers to feed increased in supply and jumped 13c/kg on average. Light weight yearling heifers were mixed in quality but attracted very solid feedlot, restocker, and processor buyer competition.

Light weight yearling steers topped at 298c and averaged 269c, while slightly heavier weaner steers to feed reached 256c and averaged 246c, as those to restockers sold to 280c and averaged 264c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed earned to 275c and averaged 252c, unchanged in price, while those returning to the paddock made to 290c and averaged 263c, up 18c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed sold to 273c and averaged 251c, up 13c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to feedlot buyers hit 225c and averaged 219c, while those to processors topped at 226c and averaged 221c, up 11c/kg. Those to restockers hit 246c and averaged 229c, up 1c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to feed made to 254c and averaged 230c, while medium weight yearling heifers to feed earned to 256c and averaged 235c, down 1c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers to feed sold to 240c/kg.

The medium weight grown steers to processors topped at 247c and averaged 240c, up 36c/kg. Heavy weight 4 score cows hit 227c and averaged 213c/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														
0-200	RS	C	2	366	220.0	- 288.2	265.3	9	-	-	-	330	- 560	484
200-280	RS	C	2	2072	220.0	- 298.2	268.5	8	-	-	-	484	- 779	662
	FD	C	2	41	220.2	- 220.2	220.2	-42	-	-	-	573	- 573	573
		D	2	46	194.2	- 204.2	199.0	N/Q	353	- 371	362	490	- 544	518
	RS	D	2	26	214.2	- 214.2	214.2	10	-	-	-	600	- 600	600
280-330	RS	C	2	580	228.2	- 280.2	263.9	10	-	-	-	662	- 893	796
		C	2	22	232.2	- 232.2	232.2	N/Q	422	- 422	422	685	- 685	685
	FD	C	2	225	214.2	- 256.2	245.7	-7	-	-	-	643	- 829	764
		D	3	21	202.2	- 202.2	202.2	N/Q	368	- 368	368	667	- 667	667
330-400	RS	C	3	365	238.2	- 290.0	263.0	18	-	-	-	831	- 1067	948
	FD	C	3	932	206.2	- 275.2	252.3	N/C	-	-	-	746	- 1069	935
	FD	D	3	22	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	-30	-	-	-	800	- 800	800
400+	FD	C	3	601	212.2	- 273.2	250.9	13	-	-	-	859	- 1176	1067
	RS	C	3	46	270.2	- 270.2	270.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1094	- 1094	1094
				5365	194.2	298.2			353	422		330	1176	
Yearling Heifer														
0-200	RS	D	2	95	204.2	- 248.2	230.9	-1	-	-	-	286	- 496	425
		D	2	17	220.2	- 220.2	220.2	-2	408	- 408	408	374	- 374	374
200-280		D	2	92	206.2	- 226.2	220.7	11	382	- 419	409	454	- 566	534
	FD	D	2	155	190.0	- 225.0	218.6	-16	-	-	-	471	- 563	521
	RS	D	2	497	182.2	- 246.2	228.7	1	-	-	-	423	- 637	541
280-330	RS	D	2	14	196.2	- 196.2	196.2	-28	-	-	-	589	- 589	589
	FD	D	2	215	210.2	- 254.2	229.7	-23	-	-	-	652	- 788	710

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	FD	D	3	27	224.2	- 224.2	224.2	N/Q	-			650	- 650	650
330-400	FD	D	3	354	200.2	- 256.2	234.9	-1	-			671	- 960	839
	RS	D	3	46	226.2	- 248.2	239.1	N/Q	-			780	- 918	861
400+	FD	D	3	23	240.2	- 240.2	240.2	14	-			1081	- 1081	1081
				1535	182.2	256.2				382	419	286	1081	
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	3	11	243.3	- 243.3	243.3	N/Q	442	- 442	442	1095	- 1095	1095
500-600		C	3	144	228.2	- 247.2	240.1	36	415	- 450	437	1187	- 1335	1266
		C	4	41	246.2	- 247.2	246.9	28	448	- 450	449	1379	- 1434	1419
				196	228.2	247.2			415	450		1095	1434	
Cows														
400-520		D	4	2	206.2	- 206.2	206.2	N/Q	404	- 404	404	1031	- 1031	1031
520+		D	4	142	206.2	- 227.2	213.3	-8	404	- 446	418	1134	- 1250	1173
				144	206.2	227.2			404	446		1031	1250	
Bulls														
0-450		C	2	23	216.2	- 216.2	216.2	N/Q	393	- 393	393	389	- 389	389
		C	3	14	206.2	- 206.2	206.2	N/Q	375	- 375	375	773	- 773	773
				37	206.2	216.2			375	393		389	773	

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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