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Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Store

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Yarding

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Yardings declined dramatically after rainfall across the region and continued short supply of cattle. Despite the small numbers, a fair amount of restockers were at the sale and feedlot buyers showed solid demand for the few suitable cattle on offer. Light yearling heifers returned to the paddock at up to 8c dearer, while restockers paid up to 17c/kg extra for 3 score cows.

Calves experienced good price gains and light weight yearling steers hit 414c to average between 362c and 380c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed sold to 322c, while those to restockers made to 356c and averaged 349c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed earned to 330c/kg.

Light weight yearling heifers reached 351c and averaged between 325c and 332c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed sold to 338c and averaged 318c, up 14c/kg. The PTIC cows sold between 213c and 222c/kg. A few 3 score medium weight cows to restockers made to 230c, while those to processors earned to 226c and averaged 217c/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 |
| Calves | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 80+ | RS | С | 2 | 17 | 358.2 | - 376.2 | 364.6 | 9 | | - | | 501 - | 677 | 563 |
| | RS | D | 2 | 35 | 350.2 | - 360.2 | 355.1 | 10 | | - | | 350 - | 612 | 478 |
| | | | | 52 | 350.2 | 376.2 | | | 0 | 0 | | 350 | 677 | |
| Yearling S | teer | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-200 | RS | С | 2 | 16 | 414.2 | - 414.2 | 414.2 | 42 | | - | | 725 - | 725 | 725 |
| 200-280 | RS | С | 2 | 83 | 324.2 | - 380.2 | 362.3 | 9 | | - | | 713 - | 931 | 887 |
| 280-330 | RS | С | 2 | 64 | 352.2 | - 376.2 | 365.8 | 21 | | - | | 1069 - | 1204 | 1149 |
| 330-400 | FD | С | 3 | 23 | 322.2 | - 322.2 | 322.2 | 3 | | - | | 1224 - | 1224 | 1224 |
| | RS | С | 3 | 46 | 314.2 | - 356.2 | 349.2 | 5 | | - | | 1129 - | 1247 | 1216 |
| 400+ | FD | С | 3 | 52 | 330.2 | - 330.2 | 330.2 | 13 | | - | | 1354 - | 1420 | 1382 |
| | | | | 284 | 314.2 | 414.2 | | | 0 | 0 | | 713 | 1420 | |
| Yearling H | leifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-200 | RS | D | 2 | 5 | 328.2 | - 328.2 | 328.2 | -11 | | - | | 656 - | 656 | 656 |
| 200-280 | RS | D | 2 | 129 | 318.2 | - 351.2 | 331.9 | 8 | | - | | 778 - | 908 | 828 |
| | RS | Е | 2 | 5 | 292.2 | - 292.2 | 292.2 | N/Q | | - | | 599 - | 599 | 599 |
| 280-330 | RS | D | 2 | 7 | 324.2 | - 324.2 | 324.2 | -5 | | - | | 973 - | 973 | 973 |
| | FD | D | 2 | 61 | 314.2 | - 330.2 | 324.8 | N/Q | | - | | 943 - | 1017 | 983 |
| 330-400 | RS | D | 3 | 35 | 326.2 | - 326.2 | 326.2 | N/Q | | - | | 1288 - | 1288 | 1288 |
| | FD | D | 3 | 107 | 290.2 | - 338.0 | 318.1 | 14 | | - | | 1068 - | 1301 | 1204 |
| 400+ | FD | D | 3 | 4 | 314.2 | - 314.2 | 314.2 | 24 | | - | | 1288 - | 1288 | 1288 |
| | | D | 4 | 23 | 286.2 | - 320.2 | 309.3 | N/Q | 530 · | - 593 | 573 | 1345 - | 1553 | 1461 |
| | | | | 376 | 286.2 | 351.2 | | | 530 | 593 | | 599 | 1553 | |
| Grown Ste | er | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 400-500 | FD | С | 3 | 10 | 280.0 | - 280.0 | 280.0 | N/Q | | - | | 1386 - | 1386 | 1386 |
| | | | | 10 | 280.0 | 280.0 | | | 0 | 0 | | 1386 | 1386 | |
| Grown He | ifer | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 540+ | | D | 4 | 5 | 276.2 | - 276.2 | 276.2 | N/Q | 512 - | - 512 | 512 | 1519 - | 1519 | 1519 |
| | | | | 5 | 276.2 | 276.2 | | | 512 | 512 | | 1519 | 1519 | |

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| | | | | | Low | High | Avg | Change | Low | High | Avg | Low | High | Avg |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cows | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-400 | RS | D | 2 | 25 | 174.2 | - 195.2 | 177.6 | -11 | - | | | 523 - | 634 | 540 |
| | PT | D | 2 | 9 | 213.2 | - 213.2 | 213.2 | N/Q | 464 - | 464 | 464 | 853 - | 853 | 853 |
| | RS | D | 3 | 43 | 200.2 | - 210.2 | 202.6 | N/Q | - | | | 708 - | 841 | 759 |
| 400-520 | PT | D | 2 | 13 | 222.2 | - 222.2 | 222.2 | N/Q | 483 - | 483 | 483 | 900 - | 900 | 900 |
| | | D | 3 | 43 | 211.2 | - 226.2 | 217.0 | -7 | 431 - | 462 | 443 | 855 - | 982 | 940 |
| | RS | D | 3 | 29 | 219.2 | - 230.2 | 225.5 | 17 | - | | | 919 - | 1036 | 1001 |
| 520+ | | D | 3 | 26 | 229.2 | - 229.2 | 229.2 | 17 | 468 - | 468 | 468 | 1238 - | 1238 | 1238 |
| | | | | 188 | 174.2 | 230.2 | | | 431 | 483 | | 523 | 1238 | |
| Bulls | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 450-600 | | С | 3 | 2 | 295.2 | - 295.2 | 295.2 | N/Q | 527 - | 527 | 527 | 1624 - | 1624 | 1624 |
| 600+ | | С | 3 | 1 | 256.2 | - 256.2 | 256.2 | N/Q | 458 - | 458 | 458 | 1665 - | 1665 | 1665 |
| | | | | 3 | 256.2 | 295.2 | | | 458 | 527 | | 1624 | 1665 | |

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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