

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Prime

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Cattle numbers declined due to wide spread rainfall of up to 20mm across the supply area. All the usual cattle buyers were present, although the extra processor buyers that have been operating at Roma have not been attending the prime sale. There were only a few average quality bullocks penned which sold 4c cheaper, while medium weight grown steers eased 2c/kg on average. Overall, the grown heifers sold to similar prices as last week, but processor buyers were more reserved on cows to slaughter. Heavy bulls bucked the trend and sold to 1c/kg dearer.

Medium weight grown steers sold to 175c and averaged around 172c, down 2c/kg. Bullocks were in very short supply and averaged 170c, down 4c/kg. Heavy weight grown heifers averaged 163c, down 1c/kg.

Medium weight 3 score cows topped at 142c and averaged 134c, down 2c, while the medium weight 4 score cows reached 147c and averaged 142c, down 6c/kg. Heavy weight 4 score cows made to 154c and averaged 147c, down 2c/kg. Heavy bulls averaged around 155c, up 1c/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														
400+	FD	C	3	21	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-			765	- 765	765
		D	3	20	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	258	- 258	258	639	- 639	639
	FD	D	3	22	158.2	- 158.2	158.2	N/Q	-			712	- 712	712
				63	142.0	170.0	157.0		258	258	258	639	765	706
Yearling Heifer														
330-400		D	3	7	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	269	- 269	269	580	- 580	580
400+		D	3	9	157.2	- 157.2	157.2	22	291	- 291	291	707	- 707	707
				16	145.0	157.2	151.9		269	291	281	580	707	652
Grown Steer														
400-500		D	3	72	142.0	- 161.2	148.9	N/Q	258	- 293	271	710	- 806	745
	FD	D	3	19	158.0	- 165.0	162.8	N/Q	-			758	- 767	764
500-600		C	3	5	169.2	- 169.2	169.2	N/Q	308	- 308	308	931	- 931	931
		C	4	20	170.0	- 175.0	171.5	-2	309	- 318	312	935	- 1015	959
		D	3	21	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	N/Q	266	- 266	266	760	- 760	760
		D	4	31	161.2	- 165.2	163.8	N/Q	293	- 300	298	887	- 909	901
600-750		C	4	6	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	-4	309	- 309	309	1063	- 1063	1063
		D	4	43	162.2	- 169.2	166.5	-1	295	- 308	303	1049	- 1100	1073
				217	142.0	175.0	158.6		258	318	288	710	1100	868
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	3	8	134.2	- 152.2	145.5	N/C	249	- 277	266	604	- 761	702
		D	4	62	148.2	- 160.0	158.9	-3	274	- 296	292	688	- 756	713
540+		C	4	5	163.2	- 163.2	163.2	-1	302	- 302	302	1012	- 1012	1012
				75	134.2	163.2	157.8		249	302	290	604	1012	731
Cows														
400-520		D	3	104	129.2	- 142.0	134.2	-2	264	- 290	274	613	- 708	669
		D	4	102	138.2	- 147.2	142.3	-6	271	- 289	279	644	- 765	728
	RS	D	4	11	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	N/Q	-			760	- 760	760

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520+	D	3	10	135.2	-	145.2	138.7	N/Q	276	-	296	283	744	-	799	763
				140.0	-	154.2	146.6	-2	275	-	302	287	769	-	913	813
				116.2	-	129.2	123.5	-7	237	-	264	252	660	-	711	696
				395	116.2	154.2	141.2		237	302	280	613	913	746		
Bulls																
0-450	C	3	1	158.2	-	158.2	158.2	N/Q	283	-	283	283	712	-	712	712
450-600	C	3	12	160.2	-	161.2	160.5	9	286	-	288	287	806	-	881	856
600+	C	3	14	145.0	-	170.2	154.6	1	259	-	304	276	943	-	1209	1016
				27	145.0	170.2	157.3		259	304	281	712	1209	934		

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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