

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Roma Prime

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Yarding Change <sup>1346</sup>/<sub>269</sub>

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Numbers rose slightly with cattle drawn from as far as northern New South Wales. All regular buyers were present and operating, but the major processors appeared slightly more reserved on price for medium and heavy weight grown steers. Meanwhile, competition remained strong for medium and heavy weight cows with averages jumping 3c/kg. Good bulls topped at 160c but mixed quality brought the price average back by 4c/kg.

A small sample of heavy weight yearling steers averaged 169c, while a few plainer muscled heavy weight yearling heifers averaged around 141c/kg.

Medium weight grown steers averaged 170c, down 1c, while bullocks reached 168c and averaged 167c, down 3c/kg. Grain fed bullocks averaged 169c/kg. The D muscled heavy weight grown heifers sold to 158c and averaged 155c, down 4c/kg. A couple of pens of manufacturing steers reached 141c and averaged 139c, down 6c/kg. Medium weight 3 score cows made to 136c and averaged 132c, up 1c, while medium weight 4 score cows hit 145c and averaged 142c, up 3c/kg. Heavy weight 4 score cows topped at 149c and averaged around 143c, up 2c/kg. Heavy bulls averaged 147c, down 4c/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 Steer</b>														
0-330	FD	D	2	26	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	-			560	- 560	560
330-400	FD	C	3	29	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-			629	- 629	629
	RS	C	3	26	175.0	- 175.0	175.0	N/Q	-			613	- 613	613
400+	FD	C	3	3	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	N/Q	-			881	- 881	881
		C	4	3	169.2	- 169.2	169.2	N/Q	308	- 308	308	846	- 846	846
		D	3	19	158.2	- 160.2	159.4	N/Q	288	- 291	290	801	- 870	830
		D	4	12	158.2	- 158.2	158.2	-7	288	- 288	288	791	- 791	791
				<b>118</b>	<b>158.2</b>	<b>175.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>		<b>288</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>881</b>	<b>671</b>
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-330	FD	D	2	22	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	-			480	- 480	480
330-400		D	2	5	129.2	- 129.2	129.2	-3	239	- 239	239	452	- 452	452
400+	FD	D	3	15	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-			675	- 675	675
		D	3	15	138.2	- 145.0	140.5	-11	256	- 269	260	622	- 638	627
				<b>57</b>	<b>129.2</b>	<b>160.0</b>	<b>149.5</b>		<b>239</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>675</b>	<b>568</b>
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
400-500		D	3	36	154.2	- 159.2	158.4	3	280	- 290	288	771	- 796	792
	FD	D	3	4	158.2	- 158.2	158.2	N/Q	-			759	- 759	759
500-600		C	3	5	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	N/Q	300	- 300	300	859	- 859	859
		C	4	20	170.2	- 170.2	170.2	-1	310	- 310	310	970	- 970	970
		D	3	92	148.2	- 159.2	153.4	1	270	- 290	279	771	- 876	806
		D	4	175	157.2	- 168.4	161.6	-3	286	- 306	294	817	- 926	874
600-750		C	4	114	166.2	- 167.6	167.3	-3	302	- 305	304	1056	- 1089	1081
	GF	C	4	36	169.2	- 169.2	169.2	N/Q	308	- 308	308	1066	- 1074	1071
		D	4	53	162.2	- 163.2	163.0	N/Q	295	- 297	297	1012	- 1054	1018
				<b>535</b>	<b>148.2</b>	<b>170.2</b>	<b>162.2</b>		<b>270</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>759</b>	<b>1089</b>	<b>931</b>
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														

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
0-540	D	3	8	8	131.2	- 138.2	135.6	-21	243	- 256	251	590	- 726	675
					140.2	- 157.2	148.9	-2	260	- 291	276	701	- 817	769
540+	D	4	28	61	144.2	- 158.2	155.4	-4	267	- 288	284	793	- 902	877
					<b>131.2</b>	<b>158.2</b>	<b>150.1</b>		<b>243</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>590</b>	<b>902</b>	<b>806</b>
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>														
540+	D	4	20	20	131.2	- 141.2	138.7	-6	239	- 257	252	988	- 1115	1020
					<b>131.2</b>	<b>141.2</b>	<b>138.7</b>		<b>239</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>988</b>	<b>1115</b>	<b>1020</b>
<b>Cows</b>														
400-520	D	2	54	54	115.2	- 126.2	121.0	8	250	- 274	263	576	- 631	605
					124.2	- 136.2	132.2	1	254	- 278	270	646	- 708	681
					136.2	- 145.2	141.7	3	271	- 285	278	696	- 750	723
520+	D	3	7	7	122.2	- 122.2	122.2	-6	249	- 249	249	672	- 672	672
					138.2	- 149.2	142.9	2	263	- 293	278	760	- 1009	833
					117.2	- 117.2	117.2	-17	239	- 239	239	703	- 703	703
			<b>413</b>	<b>115.2</b>	<b>149.2</b>	<b>136.4</b>		<b>239</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>1009</b>	<b>741</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450	D	2	9	9	162.2	- 162.2	162.2	37	290	- 290	290	324	- 324	324
					140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	250	- 250	250	630	- 630	630
450-600	C	3	17	17	145.0	- 153.2	149.8	8	259	- 274	268	725	- 843	794
					123.2	- 123.2	123.2	N/Q	220	- 220	220	678	- 678	678
600+	C	3	17	56	138.0	- 160.0	146.8	-4	246	- 286	262	923	- 1520	1032
					<b>123.2</b>	<b>162.2</b>	<b>148.0</b>		<b>220</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>1520</b>	<b>754</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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