

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Store

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Numbers eased 3,100, for a total yarding of 5,100 head at the Roma store sale. Some extra competition, combined with a small improvement in quality and smaller numbers, resulted in light weight yearling steers to restockers or backgrounders averaging 11c to 26c/kg dearer. Medium and heavy weight yearling steers to feed remained within a few cents either way of the previous sale. Light weight yearling heifers to restockers or backgrounders also experienced a lift in price, increasing 13c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed sold to a generally firm market. Light weight, poor condition lines dominated the cow section and sold to market 10c to 12c/kg cheaper. However, good heavy cows to export slaughter eased over 20c/kg.

Steer calves returning to the paddock made up to 290.2c, to average 277c, while most heifer calves sold around 200c, with some reaching 224.2c/kg. Light weight yearling steers to restockers averaged 282c and made up to 300.2c, while poor quality lines averaged 247c/kg. Yearling steers in the 280-330kg weight range averaged 285c and made up to 298.2c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed averaged 286c, making up to 294.2c/kg. Heavy weights over 400kg to feed made up to 296.2c and averaged 287c/kg. The largest numbers of light weight yearling heifers averaged 232c and made up to 252.2c, with the lesser quality lines averaging 191c/kg. Yearling heifers in the 280-330kg weight range made up to 266.2c, with most making approximately 242c/kg.

A relatively small sample of 3 score bullocks topped at 260.2c, with grown heifers reaching 223.2c and averaging 220c/kg. Light weight poor condition cows averaged 122c and made up to 132c/kg. Medium weight, 2 score cows to processors averaged 178c, with the best of the medium weights averaging 205c/kg. Good heavy cows made up to 213.2c, with most receiving approximately 209c/kg. Heavy bulls made up to 247.2c, to average 240c/kg. Some very light weight bull calves, showing the effects off the season, sold to restockers at an average of 250c, with some reaching 282.2c/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	C	2	213	240.2	- 290.2	277.5	9	-	-	-	360	- 562	515
		D	2	17	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	283	- 283	283	248	- 248	248
	RS	D	2	199	144.2	- 224.2	200.3	12	-	-	-	245	- 437	367
				429	144.2	290.2			283	283		245	562	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	RS	C	2	891	260.0	- 300.2	282.7	11	-	-	-	580	- 805	720
	RS	D	1	15	234.2	- 234.2	234.2	-32	-	-	-	602	- 602	602
	RS	D	2	178	231.2	- 264.2	247.5	8	-	-	-	476	- 677	615
	RS	E	2	7	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	-	-	-	369	- 369	369
280-330	RS	C	2	180	268.2	- 298.2	284.8	26	-	-	-	781	- 908	846
	FD	C	2	7	286.2	- 286.2	286.2	18	-	-	-	859	- 859	859
	RS	D	2	54	210.0	- 250.2	243.4	6	-	-	-	630	- 751	717
330-400	RS	C	2	10	276.2	- 276.2	276.2	-3	-	-	-	931	- 931	931
	FD	C	2	363	270.0	- 294.2	286.3	2	-	-	-	905	- 1122	1040
	FD	D	1	17	232.2	- 232.2	232.2	N/Q	-	-	-	778	- 778	778
	FD	D	2	4	252.2	- 252.2	252.2	-1	-	-	-	883	- 883	883
400+	FD	C	2	281	272.2	- 296.2	287.1	-3	-	-	-	1143	- 1398	1253
	FD	C	3	4	282.2	- 282.2	282.2	-4	-	-	-	1199	- 1199	1199
	FD	D	2	69	265.0	- 276.2	269.4	N/Q	-	-	-	1094	- 1174	1144
	FD	D	3	7	278.2	- 278.2	278.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1182	- 1182	1182
				2087	180.0	300.2			0	0		369	1398	
Yearling Heifer														

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0-200		D	1	6	128.2	- 128.2	128.2	N/Q	242	- 242	242	173	- 173	173
	RS	D	1	30	148.2	- 148.2	148.2	N/Q		-		228	- 252	240
200-280	RS	C	2	808	206.2	- 252.2	232.1	13		-		464	- 673	561
		C	2	20	210.2	- 220.2	215.2	-4	389	- 408	399	526	- 595	560
	RS	D	1	13	140.2	- 140.2	140.2	N/Q		-		322	- 322	322
280-330	RS	D	2	70	190.2	- 192.2	191.6	-4		-		413	- 456	440
		D	2	13	162.2	- 196.2	184.7	-6	300	- 363	342	349	- 491	429
	RS	C	2	76	220.2	- 266.2	242.6	21		-		650	- 868	742
	FD	C	2	3	224.2	- 224.2	224.2	N/C		-		717	- 717	717
330-400	RS	D	2	16	190.2	- 190.2	190.2	-24		-		546	- 546	546
		D	2	14	200.0	- 200.0	200.0	-6	370	- 370	370	574	- 574	574
	RS	C	2	32	264.2	- 264.2	264.2	N/Q		-		898	- 898	898
	FD	C	2	45	230.0	- 240.2	235.3	-5		-		778	- 817	806
		C	3	1	242.2	- 242.2	242.2	N/Q	449	- 449	449	932	- 932	932
	FD	C	3	5	235.0	- 235.0	235.0	-29		-		905	- 905	905
	FD	D	2	13	212.2	- 212.2	212.2	14		-		753	- 753	753
	D	2	20	206.2	- 208.2	207.2	-4	382	- 386	384	770	- 777	774	
				1185	128.2	266.2			242	449		173	932	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	D	1	13	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q		-		819	- 819	819
400-500	FD	C	2	1	248.2	- 248.2	248.2	N/Q		-		1055	- 1055	1055
	FD	C	3	9	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	-14		-		1215	- 1215	1215
		C	3	2	242.2	- 242.2	242.2	N/Q	440	- 440	440	1175	- 1175	1175
500-600	FD	D	2	3	228.2	- 228.2	228.2	-13		-		970	- 970	970
		D	2	4	224.2	- 224.2	224.2	N/Q	408	- 408	408	1110	- 1110	1110
	FD	C	2	22	232.2	- 254.2	245.2	N/Q		-		1242	- 1429	1389
600-750	FD	C	3	4	262.2	- 262.2	262.2	N/Q		-		1555	- 1555	1555
		C	3	18	241.2	- 256.2	247.0	N/Q	439	- 466	449	1290	- 1448	1352
		C	3	32	260.2	- 260.2	260.2	N/Q	473	- 473	473	1626	- 1626	1626
				108	210.0	270.0			408	473		819	1626	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	2	2	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	438	- 438	438	914	- 914	914
	FD	D	2	24	210.0	- 210.2	210.1	33		-		893	- 914	907
	RS	D	2	77	156.2	- 196.2	186.6	N/Q		-		601	- 853	739
		D	3	31	216.2	- 223.2	220.2	-5	408	- 421	418	919	- 971	943
				134	156.2	223.2			408	438		601	971	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+		C	3	3	248.2	- 248.2	248.2	-16	451	- 451	451	1489	- 1489	1489
				3	248.2	248.2			451	451		1489	1489	
Cows														
0-400		D	1	21	120.0	- 130.0	127.6	2	273	- 296	290	438	- 520	495
	RS	D	1	186	110.0	- 132.2	122.2	-3		-		404	- 513	472
	RS	E	1	104	41.2	- 108.2	89.9	-12		-		144	- 433	339
		E	1	4	88.2	- 98.2	95.7	-1	201	- 223	218	353	- 393	383
400-520		D	1	68	125.0	- 167.2	146.9	-18	284	- 380	334	544	- 777	666

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520+	RS	D	1	88	131.2	- 160.0	144.7	-11	-			564	- 696	635
		D	2	95	156.2	- 187.2	177.8	-9	340	- 407	387	757	- 908	835
		D	3	34	185.2	- 196.2	191.9	-19	378	- 400	392	860	- 981	938
		D	4	31	201.2	- 210.0	205.6	-19	395	- 412	403	940	- 1050	1018
		D	3	6	194.2	- 194.2	194.2	-23	396	- 396	396	1097	- 1097	1097
		D	4	39	201.2	- 213.2	209.0	-27	395	- 418	410	1097	- 1333	1186
		D	5	5	170.2	- 170.2	170.2	-54	347	- 347	347	911	- 911	911
				681	41.2	213.2		201	418		144	1333		
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	115	240.0	- 282.2	265.1	26	-			522	- 690	588
	FD	C	3	3	254.2	- 254.2	254.2	11	-			1106	- 1106	1106
	RS	D	1	49	230.0	- 282.2	249.9	-8	-			206	- 522	381
	RS	D	2	4	220.2	- 220.2	220.2	7	-			517	- 517	517
450-600		C	3	2	228.2	- 228.2	228.2	N/Q	415	- 415	415	1198	- 1198	1198
	RS	D	1	1	175.2	- 175.2	175.2	N/Q	-			990	- 990	990
600+		C	2	4	223.2	- 229.2	224.7	-3	406	- 417	409	1451	- 1513	1466
		C	3	22	229.2	- 247.2	240.1	1	409	- 441	429	1433	- 1847	1662
		D	1	5	199.2	- 199.2	199.2	N/Q	362	- 362	362	1295	- 1295	1295
				205	175.2	282.2		362	441		206	1847		

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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