

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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Roma Store

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 Yarding 7088
 Change 2131

comparison date 10/11/2020

Cattle numbers rose to 7,088 at the Roma Store Sale, up from the previous week by 2,131 head. Cattle were drawn from the usual supply area, with several large quality single vendor lines yarded, and steers accounted for over half the yarding. A larger buying panel, with increased southern and feedlot buyer numbers and all regular processors, were operating to firm competition. The overall quality of the yarding was good, with prices reflective of any quality variations. Light weight cattle were present in limited numbers and were the only steer category that eased in price, down by 37c/kg. Light weight yearling steers under 280kg improved by 15c to 34c, while medium weight yearling steers under 330kg rose by 9c to 34c/kg. The large number of medium to heavy feeder steers yarded included quality single vendor lines and sold to strong demand improving by 14c to 26c/kg. Yearling heifers under 280kg to restockers were there largest sample of heifers yarded and improved by 22c/kg. Cows eased across the board with medium weight cows down by 2c to 16c, and heavy weight cows falling by 5c to 11c/kg.

Light weight yearling steers under 200kg to restockers sold to 615.2c to average 544c/kg. The largest sample of light weight yearling steers under 280kg to restockers made to 604.2c to average 510c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers under 330kg to feed sold to 490.2c to average 465c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers under 400kg to feed made to 482.2c to average 448c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers over 400kg to feed reached a top of 450.2c to average 434c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers under 200kg to restockers reached a top of 522.2c to average 483c/kg. The largest sample of light weight yearling heifers under 280kg to restockers made to 522.2c to average 495c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers under 330kg to restockers sold to 446.2c to average 421c/kg.

The best of the medium weight grown steers sold to 370.2c to average 366c/kg. The best of the grown heifers reached a top of 384.2c to average 337c/kg. Medium weight store cows to restockers sold to 298.2c to average 286c, while the medium weight 3 score cows sold to a top of 314.2c to average 301c/kg. Heavy weight 3 score cows made to 321.2c to average 306c/kg. The best of the heavy weight bulls made to 351.2c to average 342c/kg. Cows and calves reached a top of \$2520/unit.

Category	Sale Weight	Muscle 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	D	2	9	9	570.0	-	570.0	570.0	-55	-	0	684	-	684	684
				9	9	570.0		570.0			0	0	684		684	
Yearling Steer																
0-200																
	RS	D	2	116	116	520.0	-	615.0	544.3	-37	-	0	789	-	1107	997
200-280																
	FD	C	2	157	157	444.0	-	516.0	472.3	34	-	0	1043	-	1367	1,197
	RS	C	2	665	665	450.0	-	604.0	510.3	15	-	0	951	-	1454	1,233
	RS	D	2	30	30	305.0	-	305.0	305.0	N/Q	-	0	793	-	793	793
280-330																
	FD	C	2	417	417	416.0	-	490.0	465.2	34	-	0	1241	-	1593	1,417
	FD	D	2	43	43	376.0	-	402.0	392.9	9	-	0	1188	-	1307	1,247
	RS	C	2	76	76	458.0	-	480.0	468.9	13	-	0	1340	-	1466	1,381
	RS	D	2	6	6	432.0	-	432.0	432.0	N/Q	-	0	1231	-	1231	1,231
330-400																
	FD	C	2	845	845	418.0	-	482.0	448.0	14	-	0	1441	-	1792	1,632
	FD	D	2	15	15	406.0	-	406.0	406.0	N/Q	-	0	1401	-	1401	1,401
	RS	C	2	49	49	464.0	-	464.0	464.0	1	-	0	1624	-	1624	1,624
400+																
	FD	C	2	433	433	420.0	-	450.0	434.2	26	-	0	1743	-	2079	1,857
	FD	C	3	27	27	380.0	-	414.0	402.3	N/Q	-	0	1978	-	2204	2,128

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						Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
		PR	C	3	55	376.0	384.0	379.1	-9	696	711	702	1861	2093	1,999
					2934	305.0	615.0			696	711		789	2204	
Yearling Heifer															
0-200															
		RS	D	2	126	412.0	522.0	483.4	-39	-	0		629	1018	867
200-280															
		FD	C	2	34	444.0	444.0	444.0	N/Q	-	0		1132	1221	1,177
		FD	D	2	16	374.0	374.0	374.0	N/Q	-	0		1010	1010	1,010
		PR	C	2	36	432.0	451.0	435.6	11	800	835	807	1102	1150	1,119
		PR	D	2	10	360.0	360.0	360.0	N/Q	667	667	667	990	990	990
		RS	C	2	819	432.0	522.0	494.8	22	-	0		1005	1364	1,179
280-330															
		FD	C	2	91	396.0	454.0	435.7	-11	-	0		1129	1362	1,282
		FD	D	2	30	360.0	376.0	371.7	N/Q	-	0		1090	1188	1,116
		PR	C	2	17	384.0	384.0	384.0	2	711	711	711	1114	1114	1,114
		PR	D	2	2	370.0	370.0	370.0	52	685	685	685	1110	1110	1,110
		RS	C	2	188	400.0	480.0	443.9	-20	-	0		1160	1440	1,304
330-400															
		FD	C	2	175	394.0	438.0	416.6	-31	-	0		1327	1511	1,419
		FD	D	2	6	376.0	376.0	376.0	N/Q	-	0		1297	1297	1,297
		PR	D	2	6	320.0	320.0	320.0	N/Q	593	593	593	1136	1136	1,136
		RS	C	2	227	390.0	446.0	421.3	-17	-	0		1346	1581	1,476
		RS	D	2	5	348.0	348.0	348.0	N/Q	-	0		1322	1322	1,322
400+															
		FD	C	2	33	350.0	382.0	373.5	N/Q	-	0		1418	1738	1,653
		RS	C	2	8	425.0	425.0	425.0	N/Q	-	0		1785	1785	1,785
					1829	320.0	522.0			593	835		629	1785	
Grown Steer															
400-500															
		FD	C	2	34	410.0	414.0	411.2	47	-	0		1661	1989	1,840
		LE	C	2	17	346.0	353.0	348.9	N/Q	-	0		1589	1609	1,601
		PR	C	2	6	358.0	396.0	364.3	28	663	733	675	1539	1782	1,580
500-600															
		FD	C	2	19	356.0	356.0	356.0	N/Q	-	0		1816	1816	1,816
		LE	C	2	13	358.0	358.0	358.0	N/Q	-	0		1969	1969	1,969
		PR	C	2	24	362.0	370.0	365.8	19	670	685	677	1937	2202	2,028
600-750															
		PR	C	3	6	357.0	361.0	360.3	-12	661	669	667	2328	2463	2,351
					119	346.0	414.0			661	733		1539	2463	
Grown Heifer															
0-540															
		FD	D	3	14	360.0	360.0	360.0	35	-	0		1584	1584	1,584
		PR	D	2	35	268.0	302.0	286.2	-21	506	570	540	911	1460	1,145
		PR	D	3	184	313.0	384.0	336.7	-4	591	725	635	1021	1900	1,467
		RS	D	2	18	300.0	304.0	302.4	N/Q	-	0		735	912	843

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
540+	RS	D	3	5	310.0	310.0	310.0	-30	-	0	1039	1039	1,039	
	PR	C	3	10	362.0	362.0	362.0	N/Q	683	683	2082	2082	2,082	
	PR	D	3	14	331.0	331.0	331.0	-25	625	625	1821	1821	1,821	
				280	268.0	384.0			506	725	735	2082		
Cows														
0-400														
	PR	D	2	5	230.0	230.0	230.0	-18	500	500	897	897	897	
	PR	D	3	8	304.0	304.0	304.0	N/Q	633	633	1155	1155	1,155	
	RS	D	2	2	268.0	268.0	268.0	-22	-	0	1045	1045	1,045	
400-520														
	PR	D	2	93	230.0	288.0	273.3	-8	500	626	594	989	1466	1,220
	PR	D	3	75	290.0	314.0	301.2	-16	584	628	609	1292	1596	1,447
	RS	D	2	67	250.0	298.0	286.2	-2	-	0	1113	1436	1,298	
520+														
	PR	D	2	36	280.0	288.0	285.7	-5	609	626	621	1512	1584	1,551
	PR	D	3	191	290.0	321.0	305.6	-11	580	642	611	1552	2111	1,702
	PT	D	3	14	275.0	275.0	275.0	N/Q	-	0	1458	1458	1,458	
	RS	D	2	10	296.0	296.0	296.0	N/Q	-	0	1554	1554	1,554	
				501	230.0	321.0			500	642	897	2111		
Bulls														
0-450														
	FD	C	2	7	368.0	368.0	368.0	-40	-	0	1454	1454	1,454	
	LE	C	2	18	330.0	446.0	416.4	N/Q	-	0	1160	1327	1,218	
	RS	C	2	14	414.0	414.0	414.0	-85	-	0	1242	1242	1,242	
450-600														
	LE	C	2	28	323.0	340.0	337.6	N/Q	-	0	1555	1809	1,648	
600+														
	PR	C	2	25	320.0	351.0	342.5	7	582	641	626	2128	3480	2,792
	PR	C	3	22	346.0	349.0	347.6	9	629	635	632	3010	3480	3,263
				114	320.0	446.0			582	641	1160	3480		

DA - Dairy, FD - Feeder, GF - Grainfed, PR - Processor, LE - Live Export, PC - Pastoral Cattle, PT - PTIC, RS - Restocker

* Fields populated with N/A indicate the unavailability of animal assessment at the time of publishing

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