

Detailed Saleyards Report - Cattle  
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**Roma Store**

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 Yarding 4371  
 Change -1683

comparison date 09/02/2021

Cattle numbers continue to fall at the Roma Saleyards, down by 1,683 head to 4,371 after the weekend rain event across the local supply area. Cattle were drawn from a wider supply area and with a large single vendor run of females including PTIC and cows and calf units yarded. The overall quality of the yarding was mixed. A smaller buying panel of regular processors, feedlots, and local restockers was present and operating, however there were few interstate buyers in attendance this week. Despite the mixed quality of the yarding, prices remained firm with price fluctuations due to quality variations. Light weight yearling steers under 200kg fell in price by 13c, while medium weight yearling steers under 330kg to restockers rose by 18c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers under 200kg fell by 24c, but medium weight yearling heifers under 330kg to feed rose by 40c/kg. Medium weight cows fell by 4c to 13c while heavy weight cows fell by 15c/kg.

Light weight yearling steers under 200kg were in limited numbers and sold to a top of 698.2c/kg to average 620c/kg. A good sample of light weight yearling steers under 280kg to restockers made to 610.2c to average 550c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers under 330kg to restockers sold to 550.2c to average 513c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers under 400kg to feed made to 498.2c to average 455c/kg, while heavy weight yearling steers over 400kg to feed reached a top of 456.2c to average 439c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers under 200kg to restockers reached a top of 564.2c to average 549c/kg. A large sample of light weight yearling heifers under 280kg to restockers made to 546.2c to average 506c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers under 330kg to restockers sold to 496.2c to average 475c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers under 400kg to feed made to a top of 486.2c to average 444c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers over 400kg to feed reached a top of 422c/kg to average 394c.

The best of the light weight grown steers sold to 430.2c to average 430c/kg. The best of the grown heifers reached a top of 380.2c to average 380c/kg. PTIC grown heifers to restockers sold to 418.2c to average 408c/kg. Medium weight 3 score cows sold to a top of 306.2c to average 293c, while heavy weight 3 score cows made to 311.2c to average 295c/kg. Medium weight PTIC cows sold to 364.2c to average 355c, while the heavy weight PTIC cows sold to a top of 320c/kg to average 320c/kg. The best of the heavy weight bulls made to 335.2c to average 329c/kg. Cows and calves reached a top of \$3280/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
<b>Calves</b>															
<b>80+</b>															
	RS	D	2	5	516.0	658.0	593.6	N/Q	-	0	658	748	725		
				5	516.0	658.0			0	0	658	748			
<b>Yearling Steer</b>															
<b>0-200</b>															
	RS	D	2	77	552.0	698.0	620.5	-13	-	0	938	1047	1,019		
<b>200-280</b>															
	FD	C	2	148	496.0	576.0	534.3	N/Q	-	0	1339	1485	1,414		
	RS	C	2	307	512.0	610.0	550.0	-11	-	0	1169	1574	1,372		
<b>280-330</b>															
	FD	C	2	179	424.0	526.0	473.9	-8	-	0	1272	1589	1,440		
	RS	C	2	116	476.0	550.0	513.1	18	-	0	1391	1568	1,488		
<b>330-400</b>															
	FD	C	2	250	422.0	498.0	455.0	-7	-	0	1427	1786	1,598		
	FD	D	2	20	401.0	406.0	403.5	N/Q	-	0	1401	1544	1,472		
	RS	C	2	26	444.0	460.0	453.1	-17	-	0	1541	1626	1,553		
<b>400+</b>															
	FD	C	2	185	400.0	456.0	438.6	-19	-	0	1742	1935	1,868		
	LE	D	2	2	352.0	352.0	352.0	N/Q	-	0	1549	1549	1,549		
				1310	352.0	698.0			0	0	938	1935			
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>															
<b>0-200</b>															

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
200-280	RS	D	2	46	510.0	564.0	549.1	-24	-	0	959	1037	985	
	FD	C	2	87	474.0	502.0	493.0	N/Q	-	0	1210	1309	1,258	
	PR	C	2	52	438.0	456.0	444.4	-11	811	844	823	898	1,090	
280-330	RS	C	2	367	440.0	546.0	506.5	-15	-	0	1103	1377	1,271	
	RS	D	2	24	390.0	390.0	390.0	N/Q	-	0	897	897	897	
	FD	C	2	38	446.0	488.0	472.4	40	-	0	1271	1440	1,387	
	PR	D	2	9	354.0	354.0	354.0	N/Q	656	656	656	1062	1062	1,062
330-400	RS	C	2	99	446.0	496.0	475.2	-9	-	0	1338	1463	1,393	
	FD	C	2	155	400.0	486.0	443.7	-15	-	0	1360	1725	1,567	
	FD	D	2	7	380.0	380.0	380.0	N/Q	-	0	1520	1520	1,520	
	PR	C	2	10	424.0	424.0	424.0	20	785	785	785	1611	1611	1,611
	PR	D	2	36	342.0	372.0	367.5	-15	633	689	681	1146	1283	1,248
400+	RS	C	2	78	420.0	466.0	454.9	-7	-	0	1474	1626	1,588	
	FD	C	2	77	355.0	422.0	393.6	N/Q	-	0	1438	1751	1,650	
	FD	C	3	1	340.0	340.0	340.0	N/Q	-	0	1394	1394	1,394	
	PR	C	2	32	355.0	363.0	361.3	N/Q	657	672	669	1633	1670	1,662
	PR	C	3	17	320.0	362.0	354.6	-29	593	670	657	1424	1484	1,474
	RS	C	2	13	420.0	420.0	420.0	N/Q	-	0	1722	1722	1,722	
					1148	320.0	564.0			593	844	897	1751	
Grown Steer														
0-400														
400-500	FD	C	2	3	430.0	430.0	430.0	-8	-	0	1548	1548	1,548	
	LE	C	2	5	356.0	356.0	356.0	N/Q	-	0	1424	1424	1,424	
500-600	FD	C	2	26	434.0	434.0	434.0	13	-	0	2018	2018	2,018	
	LE	C	2	4	340.0	340.0	340.0	-56	-	0	1564	1564	1,564	
540+	FD	C	3	2	376.0	376.0	376.0	N/Q	-	0	2106	2106	2,106	
	LE	C	3	4	356.0	356.0	356.0	N/Q	-	0	1905	1905	1,905	
	PR	C	3	9	356.0	356.0	356.0	N/Q	659	659	659	1851	1851	1,851
					53	340.0	434.0			659	659	1424	2106	
Grown Heifer														
0-540														
540+	FD	D	2	5	286.0	286.0	286.0	N/Q	-	0	1001	1001	1,001	
	FD	D	3	7	380.0	380.0	380.0	10	-	0	1558	1558	1,558	
	PR	D	2	13	307.0	315.0	314.4	N/Q	579	594	593	1386	1474	1,393
	PR	D	3	97	320.0	350.0	340.9	-2	604	660	643	1088	1772	1,405
	PT	D	3	240	398.0	418.0	408.3	-76	-	0	1473	1714	1,610	
	RS	D	2	15	338.0	338.0	338.0	N/Q	-	0	930	930	930	
	PR	C	3	2	300.0	300.0	300.0	N/Q	566	566	566	1710	1710	1,710

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						Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
					379	286.0	418.0			566	660		930	1772	
Manufacturing Steer															
540+															
		PR	C	3	3	358.0	358.0	358.0	-2	663	663	663	2327	2327	2,327
					3	358.0	358.0			663	663		2327	2327	
Cows															
0-400															
		PR	D	2	13	220.0	260.0	229.2	-44	478	565	498	825	910	845
		PT	D	2	13	273.0	273.0	273.0	N/Q	-	0	0	1065	1065	1,065
400-520															
		PR	D	2	22	270.0	275.0	272.5	-13	587	598	592	1148	1377	1,214
		PR	D	3	98	279.0	306.0	293.5	-4	558	612	588	1228	1544	1,403
		PT	D	2	57	262.0	318.0	287.2	N/Q	-	0	0	1114	1415	1,283
		PT	D	3	91	350.0	364.0	355.1	N/Q	-	0	0	1540	1803	1,665
		RS	D	2	13	286.0	286.0	286.0	N/C	-	0	0	1201	1201	1,201
520+															
		PR	D	3	97	263.0	311.0	294.7	-15	548	622	593	1394	1888	1,658
		PR	D	4	9	283.0	301.0	285.0	N/Q	590	602	591	1806	1981	1,962
		PT	D	3	42	320.0	320.0	320.0	N/Q	-	0	0	1696	1792	1,760
					455	220.0	364.0			478	622		825	1981	
Bulls															
0-450															
		FD	C	2	11	428.0	428.0	428.0	60	-	0	0	1156	1156	1,156
		PR	C	2	2	422.0	422.0	422.0	N/Q	767	767	767	1287	1287	1,287
		RS	C	2	76	454.0	520.0	486.8	59	-	0	0	1021	1274	1,086
		RS	D	2	14	569.0	569.0	569.0	N/Q	-	0	0	1110	1110	1,110
600+															
		LE	C	2	30	320.0	335.0	329.5	N/C	-	0	0	2176	2665	2,462
		LE	C	3	1	342.0	342.0	342.0	N/Q	-	0	0	2941	2941	2,941
		PR	C	2	14	302.0	330.0	324.1	-4	549	600	589	2528	2944	2,769
		PR	C	3	4	321.0	321.0	321.0	N/Q	584	584	584	2600	2600	2,600
					152	302.0	569.0			549	767		1021	2944	

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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