

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### Roma Store

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Yarding Change 9100  
-4106

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The yarding was a mix of very good quality lines of cattle, plus a fair number of plainer cattle were also consigned. Prices remained solid for better quality store steers, although plainer lines of cattle were harder to sell than the previous week. Light weight yearling steers fell 2c/kg, while plainer lines lost up to 13c/kg on average. Light weight yearling heifers were 10c/kg to 18c/kg cheaper. Cow and calves sold to \$760/unit.

Light weight yearling steers sold to 223c/kg and averaged 198c/kg, down 2c/kg, while D muscled lines averaged 162c, down 13c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed reached 192c and averaged 182c, down 7c/kg, while those going back to the paddock hit 198c and averaged 191c, down 10c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed reached 191c and averaged 181c, down 4c/kg, while those sold to restocker buyers made to 192c and averaged 189c, down 2c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to feed topped at 172c and averaged 152c, down 10c/kg, while those to southern processors made to 153c and averaged 134c, down 18c/kg. Those to restockers sold to 171c and averaged 147c, down 11c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed made to 180c and averaged 152c, down 23c/kg. Light conditioned store cows sold to 103c and averaged 91c/kg. Medium weight 4 score cows reached 142c and averaged 139c, down 7c/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>Calves</b>														
0-80	RS	D	2	30	92.2	- 92.2	92.2	N/Q	-	-	-	74	- 74	74
80+	RS	C	2	134	186.2	- 194.2	192.8	N/Q	-	-	-	291	- 354	302
		D	2	52	125.0	- 158.2	145.4	5	232	- 288	266	125	- 285	223
				<b>216</b>	<b>92.2</b>	<b>194.2</b>			<b>232</b>	<b>288</b>		<b>74</b>	<b>354</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
0-330	RS	C	2	1614	182.2	- 223.2	198.0	-2	-	-	-	376	- 664	537
	RS	D	2	548	140.0	- 178.2	161.8	-13	-	-	-	287	- 525	410
	FD	D	2	25	134.2	- 134.2	134.2	-38	-	-	-	336	- 336	336
330-400	FD	C	3	423	168.2	- 192.2	182.1	-7	-	-	-	589	- 751	679
	RS	C	3	188	188.2	- 198.2	190.9	-10	-	-	-	637	- 783	680
	FD	D	3	256	150.0	- 168.2	163.7	-5	-	-	-	503	- 664	614
400+	FD	C	3	529	172.2	- 191.2	180.9	-4	-	-	-	697	- 913	783
	RS	C	3	557	188.2	- 192.2	189.2	-2	-	-	-	832	- 922	844
	FD	D	3	65	165.0	- 176.2	170.3	2	-	-	-	693	- 722	707
				<b>4205</b>	<b>134.2</b>	<b>223.2</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>287</b>	<b>922</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
0-330		D	2	284	110.2	- 153.2	134.3	-18	204	- 284	249	140	- 346	287
	FD	D	2	684	120.0	- 172.2	152.4	-10	-	-	-	313	- 551	424
	RS	D	2	453	102.2	- 171.2	147.4	-11	-	-	-	268	- 484	369
	FD	D	3	29	163.2	- 163.2	163.2	N/Q	-	-	-	522	- 522	522
330-400	FD	D	3	528	130.2	- 180.2	151.8	-23	-	-	-	463	- 631	528
		D	3	88	153.2	- 153.2	153.2	2	284	- 284	284	536	- 536	536
				<b>2066</b>	<b>102.2</b>	<b>180.2</b>			<b>204</b>	<b>284</b>		<b>140</b>	<b>631</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>														
500-600		C	3	23	178.2	- 178.2	178.2	N/Q	324	- 324	324	944	- 944	944
		C	4	14	186.2	- 186.2	186.2	N/Q	339	- 339	339	940	- 940	940

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
				<b>37</b>	<b>178.2</b>	<b>186.2</b>			<b>324</b>	<b>339</b>		<b>940</b>	<b>944</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>														
0-540	FD	D	3	84	126.2	- 130.2	128.2	N/Q	-			543	- 560	551
				<b>84</b>	<b>126.2</b>	<b>130.2</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>543</b>	<b>560</b>	
<b>Cows</b>														
0-400		D	2	30	73.2	- 103.2	94.2	N/Q	159	- 224	205	293	- 413	377
400-520	RS	D	2	13	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	5	-			473	- 473	473
		D	3	11	106.2	- 106.2	106.2	-28	217	- 217	217	457	- 457	457
		D	4	27	137.2	- 142.2	138.5	-7	269	- 279	272	686	- 711	692
				<b>81</b>	<b>73.2</b>	<b>142.2</b>			<b>159</b>	<b>279</b>		<b>293</b>	<b>711</b>	
<b>Bulls</b>														
0-450		C	2	11	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	N/Q	243	- 243	243	409	- 409	409
	RS	C	2	13	180.0	- 180.0	180.0	N/Q	-			450	- 450	450
				<b>24</b>	<b>136.2</b>	<b>180.0</b>			<b>243</b>	<b>243</b>		<b>409</b>	<b>450</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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