

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Store

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It was a very plain quality yarding of cattle again this week, with similar numbers penned. A few extra local restocker buyers put a solid floor in the store market. Light weight yearling steers sold to similar prices as the previous week, while medium and heavy weight steers lost some of the recent gains in price. Heifers continued to perform well, with medium weight yearling heifers remaining firm to 9c/kg dearer in places.

Light weight yearling steers sold to 176c and averaged 164c, down 5c, while plainer sorts averaged around 145c, up 1c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed hit 181c and averaged 167c, down 2c, while those to restockers made to 168c and averaged 157c, down 8c/kg. The D muscled lines mostly sold between 144c and 147c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed earned to 170c and averaged 162c, down 8c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to southern processors reached 152c and averaged 141c, up 2c, while those returning to the paddock hit 146c and averaged 130c, down 7c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed sold to 164c and averaged 153c, unchanged in price, while those to restocker buyers reached 160c and averaged 155c, up 9c/kg.

A few bullocks made to 182c and averaged 175c, up 1c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows sold to 106c and averaged between 96c to 100c/kg. The 3 score medium weight cows averaged around 118c, up 3c, while heavy 4 score cows hit 149c and averaged 138c/kg, unchanged in price.

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	D	2	95	131.2	- 134.2	132.3	-3	-	-	-	134	- 236	199
	RS	E	2	28	112.2	- 112.2	112.2	N/Q	-	-	-	112	- 112	112
				123	112.2	134.2	127.7		0	0		112	236	179
Yearling Steer														
0-330	FD	C	2	120	164.2	- 168.2	166.1	1	-	-	-	517	- 538	526
	RS	C	2	555	159.2	- 176.2	163.7	-5	-	-	-	326	- 564	406
	FD	D	2	122	142.2	- 155.0	144.9	N/C	-	-	-	356	- 457	377
	RS	D	2	659	124.2	- 158.2	144.9	1	-	-	-	248	- 490	348
		D	2	44	108.2	- 136.2	128.6	N/C	197	- 248	234	238	- 313	289
	FD	E	2	38	116.2	- 118.2	116.6	N/Q	-	-	-	267	- 355	286
	RS	E	2	185	100.2	- 114.2	107.0	N/Q	-	-	-	230	- 276	256
330-400	RS	C	3	292	150.2	- 168.2	157.2	-8	-	-	-	521	- 639	584
	FD	C	3	519	155.0	- 181.2	167.1	-2	-	-	-	543	- 651	594
	RS	D	3	66	140.0	- 148.3	143.9	N/Q	-	-	-	469	- 549	506
	FD	D	3	99	142.2	- 153.2	147.1	1	-	-	-	476	- 567	509
400+		C	3	51	162.2	- 167.2	164.8	N/Q	295	- 304	300	706	- 811	761
	FD	C	3	380	155.2	- 170.2	162.2	-8	-	-	-	640	- 834	737
	RS	C	3	106	164.2	- 170.2	168.5	N/Q	-	-	-	673	- 732	708
	FD	D	3	89	140.0	- 164.2	154.0	N/Q	-	-	-	588	- 673	636
	RS	D	3	15	142.6	- 142.6	142.6	N/Q	-	-	-	585	- 585	585
				3340	100.2	181.2	154.0		197	304	269	230	834	496
Yearling Heifer														
0-330		D	2	377	114.2	- 152.2	141.1	2	212	- 282	261	263	- 395	339
	FD	D	2	73	138.2	- 158.2	145.3	4	-	-	-	346	- 490	397

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
	RS	D	2	311	106.2	- 146.2	130.4	-7	-				240	- 402	309
	RS	E	2	41	96.2	- 96.2	96.2	N/Q	-				192	- 192	192
		E	2	43	108.2	- 116.2	114.0	N/Q	200	- 215	211		260	- 291	282
330-400	RS	D	2	58	80.0	- 80.0	80.0	N/Q	-				308	- 308	308
	RS	D	3	165	149.2	- 160.2	155.1	9	-				507	- 609	549
	FD	D	3	142	138.0	- 164.2	153.3	N/C	-				462	- 628	566
400+	FD	D	3	30	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	-22	-				533	- 533	533
				1240	80.0	164.2	136.4		200	282	256		192	628	385
Grown Steer															
500-600		C	4	29	175.2	- 182.2	175.4	1	319	- 331	319		911	- 1093	917
		D	4	31	162.2	- 162.2	162.2	-7	295	- 295	295		892	- 892	892
				60	162.2	182.2	168.6		295	331	307		892	1093	904
Cows															
400-520		D	2	91	92.2	- 106.2	100.4	11	200	- 231	218		415	- 478	452
	RS	D	2	36	96.2	- 96.2	96.2	N/Q	-				433	- 433	433
	RS	D	3	24	118.2	- 118.2	118.2	N/Q	-				591	- 591	591
		D	3	54	113.2	- 122.2	118.4	3	231	- 249	242		566	- 611	592
		D	4	15	128.2	- 128.2	128.2	N/Q	251	- 251	251		641	- 641	641
520+		D	4	5	133.2	- 149.2	137.8	N/C	261	- 293	270		733	- 821	758
				225	92.2	149.2	108.6		200	293	230		415	821	517
Bulls															
0-450	FD	C	2	28	126.2	- 126.2	126.2	N/Q	-				416	- 416	416
		C	3	1	152.2	- 152.2	152.2	N/Q	272	- 272	272		685	- 685	685
	FD	D	2	15	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	-				464	- 464	464
		D	2	12	128.2	- 128.2	128.2	16	229	- 229	229		321	- 321	321
				56	126.2	152.2	132.1		229	272	232		321	685	413

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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