

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Store

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Yarding Change $\frac{8200}{700}$

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Numbers increased slightly as dry weather conditions prevail west of Roma. The few restocker buyers present were very selective when purchasing cattle and light weight steers and heifers were cheaper in price. Meanwhile, good feedlot buyer representation provided strong competition and prices mostly increased for medium and heavy weight steers and heifers to feed. Light conditioned cows maintained the previous sale prices, while 4 score cows were mixed in quality and slightly cheaper in price.

Light weight yearling steers reached 188c and averaged 171c, down 4c, while plainer sorts averaged between 126c and 139c, down 6c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed hit 175c and averaged 162c, while D muscle lines averaged 144c/kg. Those returning to the paddock topped at 178c and averaged 174c, up 13c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed reached 169c and averaged 165c, up 2c/kg. Light weight yearling heifers to southern processors made to 148c and averaged 131c, down 11c, while those to restockers also reached 148c and averaged 128c, down 19c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed topped at 140c and averaged 134c, up 6c/kg. Heavy weight yearling heifers to feed hit 154c and averaged 145c/kg.

Grown steers to feed sold between 142c and 154c/kg for good to fair conditioned sorts. The plainer conditioned 2 score cows to processors sold between 72c and 90c, while those to restocker buyers hit 110c and averaged 101c/kg. The 3 score medium weight cows sold to 121c and averaged 108c, while a few PTIC cows averaged 108c/kg. The 4 score cows sold to 127c and averaged 119c/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+		D	2	71	146.2	- 146.2	146.2	9	271	- 271	271	285	- 285	285
	RS	D	2	109	120.0	- 130.2	124.3	-25	-	-	-	216	- 247	229
				180	120.0	146.2	132.9		271	271	271	216	285	251
Yearling Steer														
0-330	RS	C	2	1024	152.2	- 188.2	170.6	-4	-	-	-	367	- 543	449
	RS	C	3	48	165.2	- 165.2	165.2	2	-	-	-	512	- 512	512
	FD	D	2	413	110.2	- 140.2	125.5	-20	-	-	-	348	- 434	370
	RS	D	2	812	100.0	- 158.2	139.0	-6	-	-	-	220	- 421	332
		D	2	140	122.2	- 131.2	126.3	-12	222	- 239	230	281	- 345	308
330-400	FD	C	2	42	159.2	- 159.2	159.2	N/Q	-	-	-	557	- 557	557
	RS	C	2	33	159.2	- 159.2	159.2	N/Q	-	-	-	549	- 549	549
	RS	C	3	291	158.2	- 178.2	174.2	13	-	-	-	609	- 681	658
	FD	C	3	177	152.2	- 175.0	161.6	-4	-	-	-	531	- 595	565
	FD	D	3	118	140.0	- 146.2	144.0	12	-	-	-	497	- 532	508
400+	FD	C	3	610	156.2	- 169.2	165.3	2	-	-	-	633	- 819	739
	RS	C	3	114	162.2	- 164.2	162.9	-7	-	-	-	697	- 739	723
	FD	D	3	14	147.2	- 147.2	147.2	-1	-	-	-	714	- 714	714
				3836	100.0	188.2	155.0		222	239	230	220	819	491
Yearling Heifer														
0-330	FD	D	2	42	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	3	-	-	-	403	- 403	403
	RS	D	2	394	81.2	- 148.2	127.9	-19	-	-	-	244	- 469	360
		D	2	726	73.2	- 148.2	131.0	-11	136	- 274	243	183	- 413	310
		E	2	33	116.2	- 116.2	116.2	26	215	- 215	215	192	- 192	192
	RS	E	2	12	112.2	- 112.2	112.2	N/Q	-	-	-	269	- 269	269

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330-400	RS	D	3	2	147.2	- 147.2	147.2	N/Q	-			552	- 552	552
	FD	D	3	97	127.2	- 140.2	133.5	6	-			471	- 526	497
		D	3	21	130.0	- 130.0	130.0	N/Q	241	- 241	241	494	- 494	494
400+	FD	D	3	196	139.2	- 154.2	145.3	N/Q	-			564	- 678	627
				1523	73.2	154.2	131.7		136	274	241	183	678	378
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	3	12	142.2	- 142.2	142.2	N/Q	-			711	- 711	711
	RS	D	3	45	153.2	- 153.2	153.2	N/Q	-			766	- 766	766
500-600	FD	C	3	15	154.2	- 154.2	154.2	N/Q	-			802	- 802	802
		C	3	27	156.2	- 157.2	156.7	N/Q	284	- 286	285	817	- 922	871
600-750		C	3	34	164.2	- 164.2	164.2	N/Q	299	- 299	299	1034	- 1034	1034
				133	142.2	164.2	155.8		284	299	292	711	1034	855
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	3	8	141.2	- 141.2	141.2	N/Q	262	- 262	262	720	- 720	720
	FD	D	3	5	118.2	- 118.2	118.2	N/Q	-			591	- 591	591
				13	118.2	141.2	132.4		262	262	262	591	720	670
Cows														
0-400	RS	D	2	27	72.2	- 72.2	72.2	N/Q	-			289	- 289	289
		D	2	108	50.0	- 94.2	71.9	16	109	- 205	156	200	- 377	288
400-520		D	2	309	70.2	- 107.2	89.9	N/C	153	- 233	195	312	- 536	428
	RS	D	2	175	84.2	- 110.2	101.0	N/Q	-			379	- 551	499
	PT	D	2	50	98.2	- 98.2	98.2	N/Q	214	- 214	214	442	- 442	442
	PT	D	3	25	108.2	- 108.2	108.2	N/Q	221	- 221	221	541	- 541	541
		D	3	71	102.2	- 121.2	108.3	2	209	- 247	221	511	- 581	541
		D	4	52	118.2	- 122.2	119.0	-1	232	- 240	233	591	- 611	595
520+		D	3	22	108.2	- 108.2	108.2	N/Q	221	- 221	221	573	- 573	573
		D	4	41	125.2	- 127.2	126.8	N/Q	246	- 249	249	689	- 700	697
				880	50.0	127.2	95.7		109	249	201	200	700	460
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	47	141.2	- 141.2	141.2	N/Q	-			374	- 374	374
450-600		C	3	33	136.2	- 136.2	136.2	N/Q	243	- 243	243	667	- 667	667
				80	136.2	141.2	139.1		243	243	243	374	667	495

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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