

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Prime

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Yarding Change 330
-840

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Yarding numbers dropped 70% on the previous prime sale. The quality of cows yarded improved, while greater numbers of plainer bulls were penned. The few bullocks offered met solid export processor demand, meanwhile good quality grain assisted heavy yearling heifers were sought after by processor buyers, to sell to 189c and improve 19c/kg week-on-week.

Bullocks sold to 202c and averaged between 192c and 201c/kg. Medium weight grown heifers sold around 174c and heavy weight grown heifers topped at 178c/kg. Medium weight 3 score cows reached 162c and averaged 142c/kg, while the 4 score lines earned to 167c/kg. Heavy weight 3 score cows made to 175c and averaged 160c, while heavy weight 4 score cows topped at 178c and averaged 173c/kg. Heavy weight bulls sold to 206c and averaged 189c/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
Yearling Steer														
400+	C	3	3	3	195.2	- 195.2	195.2	4	355	- 355	355	966	- 966	966
			3		195.2	195.2			355	355		966	966	
Yearling Heifer														
400+	D	3	9	9	174.2	- 174.2	174.2	27	323	- 323	323	766	- 766	766
	D	4	24	24	189.2	- 189.2	189.2	29	350	- 350	350	1041	- 1041	1041
			33		174.2	189.2			323	350		766	1041	
Grown Steer														
500-600	C	3	9	9	176.2	- 180.2	179.3	-7	320	- 328	326	969	- 991	986
	C	4	10	10	192.2	- 200.2	197.8	1	350	- 364	360	1144	- 1161	1156
	D	3	4	4	176.2	- 176.2	176.2	12	320	- 320	320	969	- 969	969
600-750	C	4	8	8	196.2	- 202.2	200.7	9	357	- 368	365	1233	- 1236	1234
			31		176.2	202.2			320	368		969	1236	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	D	3	3	3	160.2	- 160.2	160.2	9	297	- 297	297	801	- 801	801
	D	4	15	15	173.2	- 174.2	173.9	19	321	- 323	322	880	- 935	898
540+	D	4	10	10	178.2	- 178.2	178.2	N/Q	330	- 330	330	980	- 980	980
			28		160.2	178.2			297	330		801	980	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+	C	3	4	4	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	291	- 291	291	1120	- 1120	1120
			4		160.0	160.0			291	291		1120	1120	
Cows														
400-520	D	2	7	7	92.2	- 123.2	114.3	N/Q	200	- 268	249	415	- 554	515
	D	3	43	43	121.2	- 162.2	142.0	-9	247	- 331	290	544	- 811	656
	D	4	4	4	167.2	- 167.2	167.2	N/Q	328	- 328	328	836	- 836	836
520+	D	3	33	33	154.2	- 175.2	159.7	6	315	- 358	326	848	- 946	871
	D	4	33	33	169.2	- 178.2	172.6	5	332	- 349	338	919	- 1016	956
			120		92.2	178.2			200	358		415	1016	
Bulls														
0-450	C	3	2	2	174.2	- 176.2	175.2	N/Q	311	- 315	313	784	- 793	788
	D	2	2	2	134.2	- 134.2	134.2	N/Q	240	- 240	240	604	- 604	604

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450-600		D	3	5	145.2	- 150.0	147.1	-18	259	- 268	263	653	- 675	662
		C	3	21	175.2	- 206.2	186.5	1	313	- 368	333	876	- 1134	1000
		D	2	12	134.2	- 136.2	135.2	N/Q	240	- 243	241	671	- 681	676
600+		D	3	15	145.2	- 174.2	158.8	4	259	- 311	284	726	- 958	821
		C	3	37	179.2	- 206.2	189.3	-2	320	- 368	338	1165	- 1728	1248
				94	134.2	206.2			240	368		604	1728	

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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