

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Store

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Yarding Change ³⁰⁰⁰₀

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A smaller number of cattle were penned for the first sale of the year. Large numbers of restocker buyers were at the sale, while feedlot buyers were very keen to secure suitable medium and heavy weight steers and heifers. The high level of buyer competition pushed all classes of yearling steers and heifers up by 18c to 51c/kg. Only limited numbers of medium and heavy weight steers and heifers were yarded. Export processors displayed extremely strong competition, with bullocks reaching 234c and 4 score cows topped at 226c/kg.

The light weight yearling steers hit 288c and averaged between 254c and 260c/kg. Medium weight yearling steers to feed earned to 268c and averaged 252c, up 26c/kg. Heavy weight yearling steers to feed sold to 258c and averaged 238c, up 18c/kg. The lighter weight yearling heifers to feed made to 267c and averaged between 235c and 252c, up 28c to 51c/kg on average. Those returning to the paddock hit 238c and averaged 228c, up 24c/kg. Medium weight yearling heifers to feed sold to 250c and averaged 236c, up 43c/kg.

Medium weight 3 score cows sold to 225c and averaged 212c, up 50c, while medium weight 4 score cows earned to 226c and averaged 220c, up 45c/kg. Heavy weight 4 score cows topped at 224c and averaged 221c, up 46c/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+	RS	C	2	96	210.2	- 270.0	251.3	N/Q	-			315	- 491	417
	RS	D	2	4	202.2	- 202.2	202.2	N/Q	-			253	- 253	253
				100	202.2	270.0			0	0		253	491	
Yearling Steer														
0-200	RS	C	2	55	226.2	- 280.2	256.0	N/Q	-			452	- 560	512
	RS	D	2	2	170.2	- 170.2	170.2	N/Q	-			340	- 340	340
200-280	RS	C	2	791	204.2	- 288.2	260.2	N/Q	-			483	- 751	614
	FD	C	2	5	262.2	- 262.2	262.2	N/Q	-			695	- 695	695
	RS	D	2	10	198.2	- 207.2	204.5	N/Q	-			449	- 476	454
280-330	FD	C	2	22	226.2	- 270.2	252.7	N/Q	-			701	- 838	781
	RS	C	2	186	222.2	- 286.2	254.3	N/Q	-			633	- 856	769
330-400	FD	C	3	41	198.2	- 268.2	252.0	N/Q	-			694	- 1042	944
	RS	C	3	3	242.2	- 250.2	244.9	N/Q	-			811	- 901	841
	FD	D	3	3	230.2	- 230.2	230.2	N/Q	-			771	- 771	771
400+	FD	C	3	24	229.2	- 258.2	238.0	N/Q	-			990	- 1131	1063
		C	3	2	230.2	- 230.2	230.2	N/Q	419	- 419	419	932	- 932	932
				1144	170.2	288.2			419	419		340	1131	
Yearling Heifer														
0-200	RS	D	2	151	200.2	- 250.2	232.3	N/Q	-			320	- 500	450
		D	2	14	198.2	- 226.2	222.2	N/Q	367	- 419	412	396	- 452	444
200-280		D	2	103	194.2	- 236.2	209.4	N/Q	360	- 437	388	408	- 614	487
	RS	D	2	224	202.2	- 238.2	228.1	N/Q	-			425	- 647	569
	FD	D	2	345	208.0	- 250.2	235.0	N/Q	-			524	- 701	575
		E	2	11	152.2	- 152.2	152.2	N/Q	282	- 282	282	335	- 335	335
280-330	FD	D	2	155	232.2	- 267.2	252.7	N/Q	-			684	- 868	776

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330-400	RS	D	2	69	207.2	- 231.2	223.7	N/Q	-			642	- 701	682
		D	2	1	220.2	- 220.2	220.2	N/Q	408	- 408	408	661	- 661	661
		D	3	12	204.2	- 204.2	204.2	N/Q	378	- 378	378	715	- 715	715
400+	FD	D	3	43	230.2	- 250.2	236.2	N/Q	-			794	- 901	826
	FD	D	3	22	226.2	- 226.2	226.2	N/Q	-			1120	- 1120	1120
				1150	152.2	267.2			282	437		320	1120	
Grown Steer														
400-500	FD	C	3	1	234.3	- 234.3	234.3	N/Q	-			1172	- 1172	1172
500-600		C	3	3	204.2	- 204.2	204.2	N/Q	371	- 371	371	1205	- 1205	1205
		C	4	3	219.2	- 219.2	219.2	N/Q	399	- 399	399	1206	- 1206	1206
600-750		C	4	7	223.2	- 234.2	224.8	N/Q	406	- 426	409	1362	- 1522	1384
				14	204.2	234.3			371	426		1172	1522	
Cows														
0-400		D	2	5	193.2	- 193.2	193.2	N/Q	420	- 420	420	676	- 676	676
		D	3	11	179.2	- 179.2	179.2	N/Q	366	- 366	366	717	- 717	717
400-520		D	3	55	200.2	- 225.2	212.9	N/Q	409	- 460	435	841	- 977	902
		D	4	104	208.2	- 226.2	219.7	N/Q	408	- 444	431	962	- 1089	1045
520+		D	4	73	220.0	- 224.2	221.0	N/Q	431	- 440	433	1166	- 1233	1186
				248	179.2	226.2			366	460		676	1233	

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 DP: Dorper

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