

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Prime

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Yarding Change 413
-955

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The small yarding of prime cattle attracted all the regular processor buyers. All export processors were operating on the limited supply of cattle and prices improved for bullocks, cows, and good heavy bulls. The quality of prime cattle penned was fair to good.

Medium weight grown steers sold to 281c and averaged 278c, up 3c, while bullocks topped at 282c and averaged 277c, up 5c/kg. Heavy weight grown heifers reached 260c and most averaged 245c/kg to be unchanged in price. Medium weight 3 score cows made to 231c and averaged 213c, up 29c, while heavy weight 4 score cows hit 248c and averaged 238c, up 14c/kg. Heavy bulls earned to 258c and averaged 245c, up 12c/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	4	19	277.2	- 277.2	277.2	N/Q	504	- 504	504	1400	- 1400	1400	
			19	277.2	277.2			504	504		1400	1400		
Grown Steer														
500-600	C	4	18	277.2	- 281.2	277.9	3	504	- 511	505	1566	- 1589	1570	
	D	3	3	253.2	- 253.2	253.2	N/Q	460	- 460	460	1393	- 1393	1393	
	D	4	15	266.2	- 268.2	266.7	N/Q	484	- 488	485	1517	- 1529	1520	
600-750	C	4	77	271.2	- 282.2	277.2	5	493	- 513	504	1654	- 1787	1740	
			113	253.2	282.2			460	513		1393	1787		
Grown Heifer														
0-540	D	4	1	258.2	- 258.2	258.2	N/Q	478	- 478	478	1343	- 1343	1343	
540+	D	4	11	236.2	- 260.2	244.9	N/C	437	- 482	454	1299	- 1457	1357	
			12	236.2	260.2			437	482		1299	1457		
Cows														
0-400	D	2	18	70.2	- 160.0	111.1	-19	153	- 348	241	281	- 640	412	
	D	3	4	170.0	- 184.2	180.7	N/Q	347	- 376	369	595	- 718	688	
400-520	D	2	8	159.2	- 167.2	162.2	2	346	- 364	353	645	- 677	657	
	D	3	72	188.2	- 231.2	213.4	29	384	- 472	436	762	- 1156	1019	
	D	4	4	231.2	- 231.2	231.2	14	453	- 453	453	1156	- 1156	1156	
520+	D	4	43	230.2	- 248.2	237.6	14	451	- 487	466	1266	- 1390	1310	
			149	70.2	248.2			153	487		281	1390		
Bulls														
0-450	D	2	6	120.2	- 150.0	125.2	N/Q	219	- 268	227	361	- 675	413	
450-600	C	3	10	226.2	- 240.0	234.4	6	404	- 429	419	1244	- 1320	1289	
	D	3	16	151.2	- 226.2	206.4	3	270	- 404	369	756	- 1244	1084	
600+	C	3	44	223.2	- 258.2	244.8	12	399	- 461	437	1477	- 2453	1695	
	D	2	2	185.2	- 189.2	187.2	N/Q	331	- 338	334	1230	- 1296	1263	
	D	3	3	201.2	- 220.2	212.2	1	359	- 393	379	1308	- 1431	1379	
			81	120.2	258.2			219	461		361	2453		

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
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