

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Prime

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Yarding Change 498
-115

comparison date 28/09/2017

There was a yarding of 498 head today at Roma Prime Sale. All the usual buyers were represented and operating. The majority of the yarding was 276 cows, with 180 bullocks and 100 bulls for processing. A small amount of yearlings went to feed and although plenty of cattle were off oats and feed, only one pen was certified grain fed. The market was strong, with recent rain and more forecast for the coming week, remaining similar to last week. The quality was also comparative to the previous week.

Yearling steers topped at 272c, to average 248c and yearling heifers topped at 262c, to average 240c/kg. Grown steers topped at 277c, to average 268c and grown heifers topped at 256c, averaging 224c/kg.

2 score cows made up to 142c/kg. Medium cows made up to 209c to average 200c and heavy fat cows made up to 226c, to average 212c/kg. Young good yielding bulls made up to 258c, to average 240c/kg across all weight ranges.

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														
200-280	FD	C	3	7	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	-			672	- 672	672
330-400	FD	C	3	7	246.0	- 246.0	246.0	N/Q	-			861	- 861	861
		C	3	3	243.0	- 243.0	243.0	16	442	- 442	442	972	- 972	972
400+		C	3	23	262.0	- 266.0	262.6	1	476	- 484	477	1113	- 1330	1242
		C	4	29	210.0	- 272.0	252.0	-8	382	- 495	458	945	- 1306	1089
				69	210.0	272.0			382	495		672	1330	
Yearling Heifer														
330-400		C	3	3	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	2	444	- 444	444	912	- 912	912
400+		C	3	8	206.0	- 247.0	221.4	-18	382	- 457	410	886	- 1062	952
		C	4	13	225.0	- 262.0	259.2	19	417	- 485	480	1013	- 1179	1166
				24	206.0	262.0			382	485		886	1179	
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	3	20	268.0	- 268.0	268.0	N/Q	487	- 487	487	1286	- 1286	1286
		C	4	15	235.0	- 277.0	260.7	N/Q	427	- 504	474	1089	- 1385	1295
500-600		C	4	25	265.0	- 277.0	274.8	14	482	- 504	500	1524	- 1623	1567
600-750		C	4	20	252.0	- 277.0	269.8	17	458	- 504	491	1688	- 1717	1704
				80	235.0	277.0			427	504		1089	1717	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	18	221.0	- 256.0	229.1	N/Q	409	- 474	424	950	- 1152	993
		C	4	3	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	-28	407	- 407	407	1056	- 1056	1056
540+		D	3	8	220.0	- 224.0	222.0	N/Q	407	- 415	411	1210	- 1232	1221
				29	220.0	256.0			407	474		950	1232	
Cows														
0-400		C	2	5	142.0	- 142.0	142.0	N/Q	290	- 290	290	554	- 554	554
		C	3	15	192.0	- 209.0	202.7	N/Q	392	- 427	414	768	- 836	811
400-520		D	3	15	190.0	- 199.0	196.7	10	388	- 406	401	855	- 906	890
		D	4	17	210.0	- 211.0	210.6	5	429	- 431	430	1050	- 1097	1081
520+		D	4	73	186.0	- 226.0	213.2	6	380	- 443	421	1133	- 1469	1242

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
				125	142.0	226.0			290	443		554	1469	
Bulls														
0-450		C	3	10	235.0	- 240.0	237.0	4	420	- 429	423	987	- 1080	1024
450-600		C	3	29	221.0	- 255.0	240.8	25	395	- 455	430	1138	- 1530	1320
600+		C	3	50	202.0	- 258.0	242.7	21	361	- 461	433	1313	- 2125	1705
				89	202.0	258.0			361	461		987	2125	

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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