

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Roma Prime

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Yarding Change $\frac{957}{367}$

comparison date 31/01/2019

Cattle numbers rose by 367 to 957 head at the Roma Prime Sale. Cattle were mostly drawn from the local supply area and a larger panel of buyers was again present and all were operating. Cows dominated the yarding and despite the overall good quality of the yarding, prices fell across board from the previous week. Heavy weight grown steers fell by 5c, while grown heifers under 540kg fell by 6c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows fell by 1c/kg. Both medium weight and heavy weight 3 score cows fell by 14c/kg.

Heavy weight grown steers sold to 281.2c to average 277c, while the heavy weight grown heifers sold to 263.2c to average 247c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows sold to 195.2c to average 181c, while the medium weight 3 score cows sold to 221.2c to average 209c/kg. A good number of heavy weight 3 score cows sold to 224.2c to average 215c/kg. The largest sample of heavy weight bulls made to 227.2c to average 217c/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 Heifer														
330-400		C	3	2	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	407	- 407	407	858	- 858	858
400+		C	3	15	225.2	- 227.2	226.4	-49	417	- 421	419	1013	- 1034	1026
				17	220.0	227.2			407	421		858	1034	
Grown Steer														
400-500		C	2	1	250.2	- 250.2	250.2	N/Q	463	- 463	463	1226	- 1226	1226
500-600		C	2	21	251.2	- 266.2	257.7	-4	465	- 493	477	1407	- 1597	1469
		C	3	36	270.0	- 280.2	277.7	-5	500	- 519	514	1586	- 1669	1634
600-750		C	2	12	250.0	- 263.2	258.8	9	463	- 487	479	1563	- 1698	1653
		C	3	82	270.0	- 281.2	276.8	-5	500	- 521	513	1742	- 1912	1848
				152	250.0	281.2			463	521		1226	1912	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		D	2	14	180.0	- 203.2	199.9	N/Q	340	- 383	377	675	- 1006	959
		D	3	125	210.2	- 251.2	234.6	-6	397	- 474	443	829	- 1356	1178
540+		D	3	11	240.2	- 263.2	248.6	4	453	- 497	469	1381	- 1487	1420
				150	180.0	263.2			340	497		675	1487	
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540		C	2	6	193.2	- 193.2	193.2	N/Q	358	- 358	358	927	- 927	927
540+		C	2	32	203.2	- 278.2	226.3	N/Q	376	- 515	419	1118	- 2017	1394
		C	3	15	264.2	- 273.2	267.8	N/Q	489	- 506	496	1585	- 1942	1799
				53	193.2	278.2			358	515		927	2017	
Cows														
0-400		D	2	10	188.2	- 188.2	188.2	3	409	- 409	409	678	- 678	678
400-520		D	2	98	157.2	- 195.2	180.7	-1	342	- 424	393	692	- 1005	858
		D	3	95	200.0	- 221.2	209.5	-14	408	- 451	428	845	- 1139	1017
520+		D	2	3	185.2	- 185.2	185.2	-13	403	- 403	403	1269	- 1269	1269
		D	3	277	202.2	- 224.2	214.7	-14	413	- 458	438	1082	- 1536	1289
				483	157.2	224.2			342	458		678	1536	
Bulls														
450-600		C	2	3	210.0	- 210.2	210.1	-18	382	- 382	382	1197	- 1261	1240

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600+		D	2	6	190.2	- 190.2	190.2	N/Q	346	- 346	346	999	- 999	999
		C	2	33	204.2	- 227.2	217.1	-8	371	- 413	395	1384	- 2281	1871
		C	3	4	219.2	- 229.2	226.7	N/Q	399	- 417	412	1753	- 2302	1890
		D	2	8	156.2	- 199.2	187.2	-3	284	- 362	340	1031	- 1530	1355
				54	156.2	229.2			284	417		999	2302	

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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