

Feeder report - cattle

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Eastern States

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The eastern states feeder cattle indicators remained firm to dearer across most major categories this week - with reports suggesting demand for suitable lines will continue week-on-week. In the physical market, some grown steer sections were the exception - easing 11c - however, strong demand for yearling categories resulted in a dearer trend. Similarly throughout domestic paddock lines, quotes on lighter steers and heifers lifted - while most export categories held firm.

Domestic Paddock Sales

Category	Weight Range	Dentition	Low Price c/kg (live)	High Price c/kg (live)	Average c/kg (live)	Trend
Steers	280-350	0	330	375	357	3
Heifer	280-350	0	315	350	333	3

Export Paddock Sales

Category	Weight Range	Breed	Dentition	Low Price c/kg (live)	High Price c/kg (live)	Average c/kg (live)	Trend
Short Fed Steers (100-120 DOF)	380-500	Angus	0-2	350	390	357	NC
		Cross Bred	0-2	335	350	343	3
Medium Fed Steers (120-220 DOF)	360-460	Angus	0-2	350	355	353	NC
Long Fed Steers (200 DOF +)	300-420		0-2	330	365	354	1

Saleyard Prices

Category	Weight Range	Muscle Score	Fat Score	Low Price c/kg (live)	High Price c/kg (live)	Average c/kg (live)	Trend
Yearling Steer	330-400	C	2	262	388	354	4
		C	3	290	367	346	4
	400+	C	2	260	364	340	-1
		C	3	253	358	346	9
Yearling Heifers	330-400	C	2	280	350	330	5
		C	3	244	351	332	9
Grown Steer	400-500	C	3	262	338	319	-11

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