

Over the hooks report - cattle

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Only a few adjustments were made to vealer and yearling quotes, causing vealers to average 7c cheaper but yearlings improved 2c to 3c/kg cwt. Grown steers gained 2c but manufacturing steers were 3c/kg cwt easier.

One contributor returned to quoting on cows while another lifted rates 5c/kg cwt. The bulk of contributors however kept their cow quotes unchanged while they wait to see how supply transpires. There were no changes to bull values.

Grade	Weight Range (cwt kg)	Dentition	Muscle Score	Fat Score	Low Price (c/kg cwt)	High Price (c/kg cwt)	Average (c/kg cwt)	Trend
Vealers								
Both	<100	0	A-C	2-3	390	390	390	-10
	100 - 150	0	A-C	2-3	390	410	397	-7
	150 - 180	0	A-C	2-3	355	415	394	-5
	180+	0	A-C	2-3	335	415	385	-4
Yearlings								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	350	390	367	3
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	340	390	363	2
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	340	340	340	NC
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	340	390	360	3
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	300	390	339	2
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	300	335	321	-1
Grown Steers								
Steers	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	335	360	345	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	340	340	340	NC
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	320	335	327	2
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	320	335	327	2
EU Steer	240 - 330	0 - 4	A-C	3-4	320	340	330	NC
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	300	320	310	-3
Cows								
	<160	8	A-D	2-4	105	270	195	7
		8	D-E	1-4	105	270	195	7
	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	165	270	242	3
		8	D-E	1-4	165	270	242	3
	200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	255	290	271	2
		8	D-E	1-4	255	290	271	2
	240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	265	310	283	4
		8	A-E	5+	210	265	238	NC
	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	270	310	288	3
		8	A-E	5+	210	270	243	NC
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	270	310	288	4
		8	A-E	5+	210	270	235	NC

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Bulls								
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	200	270	248	NC
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	250	285	268	NC
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	250	285	272	NC

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