

## Over the hooks report - cattle

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### Queensland

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Rates were cheaper across the board for grass and grainfed cattle even though a couple of contributors left their rates unchanged due to the short week. Recent rates have been too high for demand from both the export and domestic markets. The high level of the A\$ is still impacting exporters.

Supply direct to works is meeting current requirements for a number of contributors. The continuing seasonal conditions have meant that the cattle being offered have been in good condition.

A regular contributor to the 100 day grainfed rate is not quoted at present, therefore no trend is available for this category.

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
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#### North

##### Yearlings

Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	260	275	268	-18
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	285	295	290	-5
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	295	300	298	-5
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	255	270	263	-18
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	280	293	287	-4
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	290	298	294	-5

##### Grown Steers

Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	280	285	283	-8
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	280	280	280	-6
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	290	295	293	-8
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	285	295	290	-6
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	285	295	290	-10
	300 - 420	8	A-C	3-4	275	280	278	-17
		0 - 2	A-C	3-4	300	305	302	-5
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	295	300	297	-5
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	295	295	295	-5
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	8	A-C	3-4	290	290	290	-6
		0 - 8	A-D	2-4	235	285	260	NC

##### Cows

160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	205	245	224	-14
	8	D-E	1-4	225	265	249	-2
200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	217	265	243	-19
	8	D-E	1-4	257	275	266	-5
240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	270	280	275	-5
	8	A-E	5+	240	270	253	-14
280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	280	285	283	-7
	8	A-E	5+	250	265	257	-14
320 +	8	A-E	2-4	265	290	280	-12
	8	A-E	5+	235	290	260	-19

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<b>Bulls</b>								
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	193	265	220	-1
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	220	275	245	-1
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	220	275	248	-1
<b>South Yearlings</b>								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	275	310	295	-9
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	300	320	309	-5
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	330	319	-5
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	270	320	296	-9
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	295	320	306	-4
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	305	325	315	-5
<b>Grown Steers</b>								
Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	275	300	291	-6
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	275	295	290	-5
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	275	295	288	-7
		8	A-C	3-4	270	285	278	-19
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	295	310	304	-6
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	295	310	303	-5
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	295	310	303	-5
		8	A-C	3-4	290	300	294	-8
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	305	320	314	-5
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	305	315	311	-5
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	305	315	310	-5
		8	A-C	3-4	295	310	304	-5
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	250	290	269	NC
<b>Cows</b>								
	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	240	280	264	-2
		8	D-E	1-4	230	270	244	-14
	200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	272	285	279	-5
		8	D-E	1-4	232	280	259	-19
	240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	285	295	290	-5
		8	A-E	5+	255	285	270	-10
	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	295	300	298	-5
		8	A-E	5+	265	290	278	-10
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	280	300	295	-9
		8	A-E	5+	250	290	275	-14
<b>Bulls</b>								
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	190	280	232	-1
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	275	290	283	-3
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	285	290	288	-3
<b>Grainfed Yearlings</b>								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	307	312	310	-13
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	312	322	317	-16

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Heifers	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	322	327	325	-18
	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	302	307	305	-13
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	307	312	310	-18
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	317	322	320	-18
<b>Grainfed 100 Days</b>								
Steers	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	332	360	348	NQ
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	327	327	327	NQ
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	322	322	322	NQ

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