

## Feeder report - cattle

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### Eastern States

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Paddock feeder rates only recorded minimal movements from contributors, which resulted in rates remaining stable. The supply of cattle direct to feedlots remains tight, with producers resisting current price levels. Given the mixed demand signals, contributors are taking a wait and see approach to the market.

Saleyard feeder prices were mixed, with the increased supplies of heavy cattle contributed to the cheaper prices.

#### 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	185	215	204	1
Heifer	280-350	0	180	205	195	1

#### 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	167	205	190	NC
		Hereford	0-2	167	195	180	-1
		Shorthorn	0-2	167	190	177	-1
		Other Breeds	0-2	160	180	172	NC
		Bos Indicus	0-2	160	175	165	NC
Medium Fed Steers (120-220 DOF)	360-460	Angus	0-2	200	205	201	-1
		Hereford	0-2	190	200	195	NC
Long Fed Steers (200 DOF +)	300-420	Angus	0-2	205	210	206	-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	0-330	C	2	175	227	210	3
		C	2	162	225	198	NC
	400+	C	3	177	231	201	1
		C	2	168	216	186	-1
		C	3	165	215	180	-7
Yearling Heifers	0-330	C	2	172	215	186	-5
	330-400	C	2	160	211	187	NC
		C	3	160	200	175	-14
Grown Steer	400-500	C	3	160	185	173	-11

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