

Over the hooks report - cattle

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Rates mostly remained unchanged for cattle with only slight variations recorded. Vealers eased slightly and yearlings and grown cattle were marginally dearer.

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	385	390	388	NC
	100 - 150	0	A-C	2-3	360	390	379	NC
	150 - 180	0	A-C	2-3	335	390	373	-1
	180+	0	A-C	2-3	335	390	374	-1
Yearlings								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	320	360	344	2
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	360	344	1
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	365	348	NC
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	330	360	348	3
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	345	360	353	3
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	320	350	338	NC
Grown Steers								
Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	325	330	328	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	320	325	323	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	320	325	323	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	310	315	313	NC
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	335	360	345	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	330	345	337	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	330	335	333	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	320	325	323	NC
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	330	345	340	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	330	345	338	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	335	335	335	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	325	325	325	NC
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	310	315	313	NC
Cows								
	<160	8	A-D	2-4	140	265	212	3
		8	D-E	1-4	140	265	214	3
	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	210	280	259	2
		8	D-E	1-4	240	280	263	2
	200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	260	295	280	2
		8	D-E	1-4	260	295	281	2
	240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	260	305	288	2
		8	A-E	5+	250	290	267	2

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	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	275	310	296	1
		8	A-E	5+	250	275	264	2
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	280	310	298	1
		8	A-E	5+	250	285	270	1
Bulls								
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	220	275	251	1
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	250	290	266	NC
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	240	300	269	3

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