

Over the hooks report - cattle

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The majority of contributors either remained on hold or reduced their rates as supply and demand in the physical market remains stable. With no public holidays scheduled for the immediate future kill capacity should return to normal. Quality of cattle remains good. The softening \$A may increase demand going forward.

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	405	405	405	NQ
	100 - 150	0	A-C	2-3	405	405	405	-5
	150 - 180	0	A-C	2-3	405	405	405	NQ
	180+	0	A-C	2-3	405	405	405	NQ
Yearlings								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	300	320	310	-3
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	300	330	318	-1
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	335	322	-1
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	300	320	308	-3
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	300	320	311	-3
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	305	335	316	-3
Grown Steers								
Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	275	310	296	-7
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	275	310	295	-5
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	275	300	290	-7
		8	A-C	3-4	265	300	286	-5
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	285	325	306	-6
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	290	310	300	-7
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	290	305	297	-7
		8	A-C	3-4	280	300	291	-7
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	310	325	317	-4
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	307	315	311	-7
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	302	310	306	-7
		8	A-C	3-4	297	310	303	-7
EU Steer	240 - 330	0 - 4	A-C	3-4	335	335	335	-5
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	265	280	272	-5
Cows								
	<160	8	A-D	2-4	175	225	199	-5
		8	D-E	1-4	155	220	179	-4
	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	220	255	244	-6
		8	D-E	1-4	195	240	224	-7
	200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	230	275	258	-6
		8	D-E	1-4	210	255	237	-6
	240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	255	285	274	-6

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
		8	A-E	5+	230	276	255	-6
	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	265	300	280	-7
		8	A-E	5+	230	295	267	-4
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	270	300	284	-6
		8	A-E	5+	230	295	268	-6
Bulls								
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	230	265	244	-3
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	235	290	256	-4
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	250	290	267	-4
MSA Yearlings								
Steers								
	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	315	340	325	-5
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	315	345	331	-5
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	320	355	338	-10
Heifers								
	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	315	335	323	-5
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	315	340	329	-5
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	320	345	334	-10

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