

Over the hooks report - cattle

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Rates have remained firm as contributors continue to take a wait and see approach. Quality continues to remain mixed as finished cattle are more difficult to source. Supply is starting to tighten which is typical for this time of year and has resulted in a contributor taking a break for annual maintenance.

Please note due to one contributor not offering any rates there is no trend available across all categories.

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	410	410	410	NQ
	100 - 150	0	A-C	2-3	410	410	410	NQ
	150 - 180	0	A-C	2-3	410	410	410	NQ
	180+	0	A-C	2-3	410	410	410	NQ
Yearlings								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	305	320	313	NQ
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	315	325	320	NQ
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	320	325	322	NQ
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	300	320	310	NQ
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	325	317	NQ
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	315	320	317	NQ
Grown Steers								
Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	306	320	313	NQ
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	286	315	304	NQ
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	281	305	297	NQ
		8	A-C	3-4	280	305	297	NQ
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	311	325	318	NQ
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	306	320	314	NQ
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	301	315	309	NQ
		8	A-C	3-4	296	310	305	NQ
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	320	330	325	NQ
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	315	325	322	NQ
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	310	320	317	NQ
		8	A-C	3-4	300	320	312	NQ
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	263	281	272	NQ
Cows								
<160	8	A-D	2-4	182	230	204	NQ	
		D-E	1-4	168	220	189	NQ	
	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	235	260	249	NQ
		8	D-E	1-4	237	241	239	NQ
200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	255	280	264	NQ	

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		8	D-E	1-4	245	259	250	NQ
	240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	255	295	271	NQ
		8	A-E	5+	235	286	257	NQ
	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	265	300	284	NQ
		8	A-E	5+	260	290	276	NQ
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	270	300	289	NQ
		8	A-E	5+	265	291	279	NQ
Bulls								
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	230	260	246	NQ
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	235	290	259	NQ
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	245	290	268	NQ
MSA Yearlings								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	325	340	333	NQ
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	335	345	340	NQ
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	335	360	345	NQ
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	325	335	332	NQ
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	335	345	338	NQ
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	335	360	344	NQ

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