

Over the hooks report - cattle

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Queensland

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Rates were left unchanged across most categories despite one contributor easing rates 10¢/kg as the supply of cattle is sufficient for current demand. Although in the north of the state the hot weather conditions are starting to tighten supply. Quality has been fair to good particularly in the south of the state.

Please note yearlings are not quoted in the south as one contributor is not offering rates.

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
North								
Yearlings								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	280	300	290	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	280	310	294	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	280	320	300	NC
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	275	290	283	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	285	290	288	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	230	310	279	NC
Grown Steers								
Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	275	300	290	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	285	295	288	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	285	295	290	NC
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	280	310	298	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	275	305	293	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	300	305	303	NC
	300 - 420	8	A-C	3-4	290	290	290	NC
		0 - 2	A-C	3-4	310	315	313	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	300	310	305	NC
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	5 - 6	A-C	3-4	285	310	300	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	280	300	292	NC
		0 - 8	A-D	2-4	240	255	246	NC
Cows								
	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	220	255	236	NC
		8	D-E	1-4	225	265	248	NC
	200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	245	275	260	NC
		8	D-E	1-4	255	275	264	NC
	240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	255	290	273	NC
		8	A-E	5+	245	270	262	NC
	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	275	300	287	NC
		8	A-E	5+	255	280	265	NC
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	275	300	290	NC
		8	A-E	5+	255	280	272	NC

Bulls

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	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	210	270	229	NC
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	210	285	245	NC
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	215	285	250	NC
South Yearlings								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	280	305	291	NQ
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	285	310	299	NQ
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	290	320	306	NQ
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	285	295	289	NQ
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	285	310	298	NQ
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	290	320	305	NQ
Grown Steers								
Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	310	320	315	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	300	320	310	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	300	320	310	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	290	310	300	NC
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	280	325	301	-1
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	280	320	300	-1
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	280	320	300	-1
		8	A-C	3-4	275	310	293	-1
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	290	340	316	-1
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	290	330	313	2
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	285	325	305	-1
		8	A-C	3-4	280	315	296	-1
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	245	270	260	-3
Cows								
	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	225	270	250	-1
		8	D-E	1-4	220	265	244	-1
	200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	270	285	276	-3
		8	D-E	1-4	260	280	270	-3
	240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	275	300	288	-3
		8	A-E	5+	265	280	273	-3
	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	285	305	295	-3
		8	A-E	5+	275	290	281	-3
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	290	305	296	-3
		8	A-E	5+	280	290	283	-3
Bulls								
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	235	285	260	NC
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	280	300	290	NC
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	290	300	295	NC
Grainfed Yearlings								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	335	345	340	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	345	355	350	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	355	365	360	NC

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	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	340	350	345	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	350	365	357	NC
Grainfed 100 Days								
Steers	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	350	375	360	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	345	360	353	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	340	345	343	NC
MSA Yearlings								
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	322	342	332	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	337	375	352	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	335	345	340	NC
	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	317	338	328	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	337	375	352	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	335	345	340	NC

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