

Over the hooks report - cattle

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Queensland

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Contributors have generally left their rates unchanged across both grain and grass categories despite some supply issues due to road closures. One contributor did shift rates slightly with yearling prices lifting 3c/kg on average, while grown steers eased by 5c/kg. Numbers available continue to be sufficient for current demand.

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	295	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	270	NC
Grown Steers								
Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	275	300	288	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	285	295	290	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	290	295	293	-5
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	280	310	295	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	275	305	290	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	295	305	300	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	298	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	280	300	290	NC
		0 - 8	A-D	2-4	240	255	248	NC
Cows								
	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	220	255	238	NC
		8	D-E	1-4	225	265	245	NC
	200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	245	275	260	NC
		8	D-E	1-4	255	275	265	NC
	240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	255	290	273	NC
		8	A-E	5+	245	270	258	NC
	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	275	300	288	NC
		8	A-E	5+	255	280	268	NC
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	275	300	288	NC
		8	A-E	5+	255	280	268	NC
Bulls								
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	210	265	238	NC
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	210	280	245	NC
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	215	280	248	NC

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South Yearlings									
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	280	325	303	NC	
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	285	330	308	NC	
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	290	335	313	3	
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	285	325	305	NC	
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	285	330	308	NC	
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	290	325	308	NC	
Grown Steers									
Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	305	310	308	NC	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	305	305	305	NC	
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	305	305	305	-5	
		8	A-C	3-4	295	300	298	NC	
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	280	320	300	NC	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	280	315	298	NC	
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	280	315	298	NC	
		8	A-C	3-4	275	310	293	NC	
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	290	340	315	NC	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	290	330	310	NC	
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	285	320	303	NC	
		8	A-C	3-4	280	315	298	NC	
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	245	270	258	NC	
		Cows							
		160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	140	270	205	NC
			8	D-E	1-4	135	265	200	NC
200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	270	280	275	NC		
	8	D-E	1-4	260	275	268	NC		
240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	275	295	285	NC		
	8	A-E	5+	265	275	270	NC		
280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	285	305	295	NC		
	8	A-E	5+	275	285	280	NC		
320 +	8	A-E	2-4	290	305	298	NC		
	8	A-E	5+	280	285	283	NC		
Bulls									
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	245	280	263	NC	
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	285	295	290	NC	
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	295	295	295	NC	
Grainfed Yearlings									
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	335	355	343	NC	
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	345	370	356	NC	
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	355	365	358	NC	
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	330	355	340	NC	
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	340	370	354	NC	
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	350	365	355	NC	

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Grainfed 100 Days								
Steers	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	350	375	359	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	345	360	351	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	340	340	340	NC
MSA Yearlings								
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	322	342	332	NC
		220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	337	375	352	NC
		260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	335	345	340	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	317	338	328	NC
		0 - 2	A-C	3-4	337	375	352	NC
		0 - 2	A-C	3-4	335	345	340	NC

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