

Over the hooks report - cattle

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New South Wales

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Rates were left unchanged across most categories as reports suggest the majority processors are taking a wait and see approach to purchasing. Numbers available through markets remains 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 |
|---------------------|--------------------------|-----------|-----------------|--------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|-------|
| Vealers | | | | | | | | |
| Both | <100 | 0 | A-C | 2-3 | 340 | 340 | 340 | NC |
| | 100 - 150 | 0 | A-C | 2-3 | 340 | 340 | 340 | NC |
| | 150 - 180 | 0 | A-C | 2-3 | 340 | 340 | 340 | NC |
| | 180+ | 0 | A-C | 2-3 | 340 | 340 | 340 | NC |
| Yearlings | | | | | | | | |
| Steers | 180 - 220 | 0 - 2 | A-C | 2-3 | 295 | 330 | 310 | NC |
| | 220 - 260 | 0 - 2 | A-C | 2-3 | 300 | 360 | 326 | NC |
| | 260 - 280 | 0 - 2 | A-C | 2-3 | 295 | 360 | 327 | NC |
| Heifers | 180 - 220 | 0 - 2 | A-C | 2-3 | 295 | 320 | 305 | NC |
| | 220 - 260 | 0 - 2 | A-C | 2-3 | 300 | 360 | 324 | NC |
| | 260 - 280 | 0 - 2 | A-C | 2-3 | 295 | 360 | 326 | NC |
| Grown Steers | | | | | | | | |
| Steers | < 260 | 0 - 2 | A-C | 3-4 | 285 | 320 | 307 | NC |
| | | 2 - 4 | A-C | 3-4 | 285 | 320 | 301 | NC |
| | | 5 - 6 | A-C | 3-4 | 281 | 305 | 292 | NC |
| | | 8 | A-C | 3-4 | 275 | 300 | 287 | NC |
| | 260 - 300 | 0 - 2 | A-C | 3-4 | 295 | 330 | 317 | NC |
| | | 2 - 4 | A-C | 3-4 | 300 | 325 | 310 | NC |
| | | 5 - 6 | A-C | 3-4 | 300 | 315 | 306 | NC |
| | | 8 | A-C | 3-4 | 290 | 310 | 299 | NC |
| | 300 - 420 | 0 - 2 | A-C | 3-4 | 315 | 330 | 323 | NC |
| | | 2 - 4 | A-C | 3-4 | 315 | 330 | 321 | NC |
| | | 5 - 6 | A-C | 3-4 | 310 | 325 | 316 | NC |
| | | 8 | A-C | 3-4 | 300 | 320 | 312 | NC |
| EU Steer | 240 - 330 | 0 - 4 | A-C | 3-4 | 340 | 340 | 340 | NC |
| Manufacturing Steer | 250 - 400 | 0 - 8 | A-D | 2-4 | 263 | 281 | 274 | NC |
| Cows | | | | | | | | |
| | <160 | 8 | A-D | 2-4 | 179 | 205 | 196 | NC |
| | | 8 | D-E | 1-4 | 166 | 205 | 182 | NC |
| | 160 - 200 | 8 | A-D | 2-4 | 215 | 265 | 237 | NC |
| | | 8 | D-E | 1-4 | 210 | 245 | 228 | NC |
| | 200 - 240 | 8 | A-D | 2-4 | 235 | 275 | 249 | NC |
| | | 8 | D-E | 1-4 | 215 | 254 | 237 | NC |
| 240 - 280 | 8 | A-E | 2-4 | 235 | 300 | 271 | NC | |

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| | | 8 | A-E | 5+ | 225 | 286 | 253 | NC |
| | 280 - 320 | 8 | A-E | 2-4 | 245 | 300 | 282 | NC |
| | | 8 | A-E | 5+ | 230 | 291 | 266 | NC |
| | 320 + | 8 | A-E | 2-4 | 250 | 310 | 287 | NC |
| | | 8 | A-E | 5+ | 240 | 296 | 267 | NC |
| Bulls | | | | | | | | |
| | 200 - 300 | 0 - 8 | A-E | ALL | 230 | 270 | 249 | -1 |
| | 300 - 400 | 0 - 8 | A-E | ALL | 240 | 280 | 263 | -1 |
| | 400 + | 0 - 8 | A-E | ALL | 245 | 285 | 273 | -1 |
| MSA Yearlings | | | | | | | | |
| Steers | | | | | | | | |
| | 180 - 220 | 0 - 2 | A-C | 2-3 | 315 | 350 | 334 | NC |
| | 220 - 260 | 0 - 2 | A-C | 2-3 | 320 | 360 | 340 | NC |
| | 260 - 280 | 0 - 2 | A-C | 2-3 | 330 | 365 | 349 | NC |
| Heifers | | | | | | | | |
| | 180 - 220 | 0 - 2 | A-C | 2-3 | 315 | 350 | 332 | NC |
| | 220 - 260 | 0 - 2 | A-C | 2-3 | 320 | 355 | 338 | NC |
| | 260 - 280 | 0 - 2 | A-C | 2-3 | 320 | 360 | 343 | NC |

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