

Over the hooks report - cattle

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Victoria

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The majority of contributors left their rates unchanged this week as the Easter break looms. Cow and bull rates were slightly lower however most adopted a wait and see approach.

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	355	355	355	NC
	100 - 150	0	A-C	2-3	330	355	343	NC
	150 - 180	0	A-C	2-3	330	355	344	NC
	180+	0	A-C	2-3	340	355	348	NC
Yearlings								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	315	315	315	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	315	313	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	330	318	NC
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	315	315	315	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	300	315	308	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	295	300	298	NC
Grown Steers								
Steers	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	315	325	320	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	315	315	315	NC
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	305	310	308	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	305	310	308	NC
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	280	285	283	NC
Cows								
	<160	8	A-D	2-4	95	215	166	-3
		8	D-E	1-4	95	215	166	-3
	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	160	230	202	-2
		8	D-E	1-4	160	230	202	-2
	200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	210	240	227	-2
		8	D-E	1-4	210	240	227	-2
	240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	210	245	234	-2
		8	A-E	5+	170	215	193	-4
	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	220	250	239	-1
		8	A-E	5+	180	225	202	-4
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	235	250	243	-1
		8	A-E	5+	195	235	210	-5
Bulls								
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	180	250	208	-5

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	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	200	265	226	NC
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	205	265	229	-1

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