

Over the hooks report - cattle

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Queensland

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Rates lifted slightly this week in the north as supply is starting to dwindle with dry conditions in the west continuing. Prices in the south lifted for well finished cows, however all other categories remained steady. Quality remains fair although finished export lines are becoming harder to source.

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	305	315	310	NC	
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	330	320	5	
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	340	325	5	
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	300	310	305	NC	
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	305	320	313	5	
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	305	335	320	5	
Grown Steers									
Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	305	315	310	-8	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	300	310	305	-8	
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	300	310	305	-5	
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	315	335	325	NC	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	310	330	320	NC	
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	320	330	325	-3	
	300 - 420	8	A-C	3-4	305	310	308	-10	
		0 - 2	A-C	3-4	340	340	340	5	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	330	335	333	5	
	Manufacturing Steer	5 - 6	A-C	3-4	325	335	330	5	
		8	A-C	3-4	315	315	315	NC	
		0 - 8	A-D	2-4	260	290	275	NC	
Cows									
Cows	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	185	270	228	5	
		8	D-E	1-4	190	275	233	5	
	200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	255	280	268	5	
		8	D-E	1-4	260	285	273	5	
	240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	275	305	290	3	
		8	A-E	5+	280	285	283	5	
	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	295	310	303	5	
		8	A-E	5+	288	290	289	4	
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	300	310	305	5	
		8	A-E	5+	290	295	293	5	
	Bulls								
	Bulls	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	215	280	248	NC
300 - 400		0 - 8	A-E	ALL	215	290	253	NC	
400 +		0 - 8	A-E	ALL	220	290	255	NC	

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South Yearlings								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	320	355	338	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	335	360	348	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	340	355	348	NC
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	285	355	320	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	335	360	348	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	340	350	345	NC
Grown Steers								
Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	320	330	325	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	315	325	320	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	315	325	320	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	310	315	313	NC
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	280	350	315	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	280	345	313	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	280	345	313	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	275	325	300	NC
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	290	355	323	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	290	350	320	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	290	350	320	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	280	330	305	NC
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	275	310	293	NC
Cows								
	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	225	290	258	NC
		8	D-E	1-4	220	285	253	NC
	200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	280	300	290	3
		8	D-E	1-4	270	295	283	3
	240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	285	320	303	3
		8	A-E	5+	275	300	288	3
	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	295	325	310	3
		8	A-E	5+	285	305	295	3
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	300	325	313	3
		8	A-E	5+	290	305	298	3
Bulls								
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	270	295	283	NC
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	295	305	300	NC
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	305	305	305	NC
Grainfed Yearlings								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	350	375	362	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	365	380	373	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	360	375	370	NC
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	345	375	358	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	360	380	369	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	360	370	367	NC

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Grainfed 100 Days								
Steers	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	380	380	380	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	375	380	376	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	370	370	370	NC
MSA Yearlings								
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	300	340	320	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	315	360	342	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	325	365	345	NC
	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	290	330	310	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	310	355	338	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	320	360	340	NC

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