

Over the hooks report - cattle

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In line with saleyard prices, OTH rates trended dearer across all categories this week, particularly the young cattle. Yearlings were up 9¢, with the top lines averaging around 486¢/kg cwt. Grown steers also gained 9¢, while cows improved 2¢/kg cwt on average. Contributors have reported that cattle quality has become much plainer due to the winter conditions.

Grade	Weight Range (cwt kg)	Dentition	Muscle Score	Fat (mm)	Average (c/kg cwt)	Trend
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Yearlings

Steers	220-240	0-2 (YG)	A-C	5-22	479	9
	240-260	0-2 (YG)	A-C	5-22	483	9
	260-280	0-2 (YG)	A-C	5-22	485	9
	280-300	0-2 (YG)	A-C	5-22	486	9
	300-320	0-2 (YG)	A-C	5-22	486	9
Heifers	220-240	0-2 (YG)	A-C	5-22	471	9
	240-260	0-2 (YG)	A-C	5-22	474	9
	260-280	0-2 (YG)	A-C	5-22	477	9
	280-300	0-2 (YG)	A-C	5-22	480	9
	300-320	0-2 (YG)	A-C	5-22	482	9

Grown Steers

240-260	0-4 (YP)	A-C	5-22	460	9
	0-6 (PR)	A-C	5-22	454	9
	0-8 (S)	A-C	5-22	448	9
260-280	0-4 (YP)	A-C	5-22	467	9
	0-6 (PR)	A-C	5-22	462	9
	0-8 (S)	A-C	5-22	457	9
280-300	0-4 (YP)	A-C	5-22	473	9
	0-6 (PR)	A-C	5-22	468	9
	0-8 (S)	A-C	5-22	461	9
300-400	0-4 (YP)	A-C	5-22	475	9
	0-6 (PR)	A-C	5-22	470	9
	0-8 (S)	A-C	5-22	462	9

Cows

180-200	0-8 (C)	A-D	13-22	358	2
	0-8 (C)	A-D	3-12	365	2
	0-8 (C)	A-E	0-32	348	2
200-220	0-8 (C)	A-D	13-22	372	2
	0-8 (C)	A-D	3-12	379	2
	0-8 (C)	A-E	0-32	361	2
220-240	0-8 (C)	A-D	13-22	378	2
	0-8 (C)	A-D	3-12	385	2
	0-8 (C)	A-E	0-32	369	2
240-260	0-8 (C)	A-D	13-22	388	2
	0-8 (C)	A-D	3-12	397	2

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		0-8 (C)	A-E	0-32	379	2
	260-280	0-8 (C)	A-D	13-22	393	2
		0-8 (C)	A-D	3-12	401	2
		0-8 (C)	A-E	0-32	385	2
	280-300	0-8 (C)	A-D	13-22	399	2
		0-8 (C)	A-D	3-12	406	2
		0-8 (C)	A-E	0-32	390	2
	300-400	0-8 (C)	A-D	13-22	403	2
		0-8 (C)	A-D	3-12	408	2
		0-8 (C)	A-E	0-32	394	2

Bulls

260-280	0-8 (B)	A-E	0-32	340	1
280-300	0-8 (B)	A-E	0-32	346	1
300-320	0-8 (B)	A-E	0-32	354	1
320-440	0-8 (B)	A-E	0-32	358	1

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