

Feeder report - cattle

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Eastern States

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Domestic paddock prices across the eastern states rose 1¢/kg lwt week-on-week, while export sales remained largely firm, with many lotfeeders anticipating rain in Queensland going into next week. The physical market saw mixed movement, with heavy C2 yearling steers back 2¢, while medium C3 yearling heifers were up 9¢ and medium C3 grown steers averaged 5¢/kg lwt higher.

Domestic Paddock Sales

Category	Weight Range	Dentition	Low Price c/kg (live)	High Price c/kg (live)	Average c/kg (live)	Trend
Steers	280-350	0	180	205	192	1
Heifer	280-350	0	160	185	175	1

Export Paddock Sales

Category	Weight Range	Breed	Dentition	Low Price c/kg (live)	High Price c/kg (live)	Average c/kg (live)	Trend
Short Fed Steers (100-120 DOF)	380-500	Angus	0-2	200	225	214	NC
		Hereford	0-2	185	215	204	-1
		Other Breeds	0-2	165	170	169	NC
		Bos Indicus	0-2	160	160	160	NC
		EU	0-2	220	240	230	1
Medium Fed Steers (120-220 DOF)	360-460	Angus	0-2	190	225	210	1
		Hereford	0-2	195	220	205	NC
Long Fed Steers (200 DOF +)	300-420	Angus	0-2	200	230	217	NC

Saleyard Prices

Category	Weight Range	Muscle Score	Fat Score	Low Price c/kg (live)	High Price c/kg (live)	Average c/kg (live)	Trend
Yearling Steer	0-330	C	2	128	220	184	-1
		C	2	150	210	189	3
	C	3	175	209	196	11	
	400+	C	2	150	203	190	-2
		C	3	165	209	196	NC
Yearling Heifers	0-330	C	2	131	180	153	-2
		C	2	134	187	160	-2
	C	3	141	196	176	9	
Grown Steer	400-500	C	3	165	184	178	5

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