

## Feeder report - cattle

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### Eastern States

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With good rain down the east coast over the past few weeks, paddock and saleyard feeder cattle prices rallied - 10-30¢/kg lwt above where they finished before the Christmas break.

#### 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         | 235                   | 245                    | 240                 | NQ    |
| Heifer   | 280-350      | 0         | 220                   | 235                    | 225                 | NQ    |

#### 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       | 230                   | 245                    | 238                 | NQ    |
| Medium Fed Steers (120-220 DOF) | 360-460      |       | 0-2       | 230                   | 240                    | 235                 | NQ    |
| Long Fed Steers (200 DOF +)     | 300-420      |       | 0-2       | 235                   | 240                    | 237                 | NQ    |

#### 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   | 330-400      | C            | 2         | 175                   | 247                    | 218                 | NQ    |
|                  |              | C            | 3         | 188                   | 246                    | 226                 | NQ    |
|                  | 400+         | C            | 2         | 170                   | 245                    | 210                 | NQ    |
|                  |              | C            | 3         | 184                   | 250                    | 222                 | NQ    |
| Yearling Heifers | 330-400      | C            | 2         | 163                   | 229                    | 202                 | NQ    |
|                  |              | C            | 3         | 160                   | 243                    | 210                 | NQ    |
| Grown Steer      | 400-500      | C            | 3         | 175                   | 248                    | 222                 | NQ    |

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