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Feeder report - cattle

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Eastern States

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The physical market surged following good rain across the east coast, with the largest categories up 14-24¢/kg. Feeder steers in NSW continued to be the dearest across the eastern states however Queensland, in part, closed the gap on Victoria, as greater numbers of restockers came out to compete against feeder buyers.

Paddock quotes saw more modest gains, with most categories up about 2¢/kg week-on-week. Note, while similar gains were recorded on domestic paddock sales, the trend has not been quoted as a new contributor has commenced quoting this week.

Domestic Paddock Sales

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Category	Weight Range		Dentition	Low Price c/kg (live)	High Price c/kg (live)	Average c/kg (live)	Trend
Steers	280-350		0	260	285	272	NQ
Heifer	280-350		0	240	265	254	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	280	310	301	2
		EU	0-2	290	325	312	2
		Cross Bred	0-2	260	300	284	3
Medium Fed Steers (120-220 DOF)	360-460	Angus	0-2	300	315	305	2
Long Fed Steers (200 DOF +)	300-420		0-2	300	315	308	2
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	С	2	220	309	279	15
		С	3	234	307	268	17
	400+	С	2	223	325	290	17
		С	3	230	317	278	5
Yearling Heifers	330-400	С	2	201	299	257	24
		С	3	224	299	261	3
Grown Steer	400-500	С	3	220	310	238	-26

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