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Feeder report - cattle

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Eastern States

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Feeder prices declined, with reductions recorded in the physical market and amongst out of the paddock quotes. Saleyard prices recorded the strongest decline, particularly amongst southern markets, with most feeder cattle prices back 10-20¢/kg. Please note, the paddock EU steer and mid-fed steer has not been included this week as some contributors were not quoting.

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 | 300 | 325 | 314 | -7 |
| | | | | | | | |
| Heifer | 280-350 | | 0 | 285 | 300 | 296 | -8 |
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| 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 | 320 | 345 | 334 | -5 |
| | | Cross Bred | 0-2 | 305 | 335 | 321 | -2 |
| | | | | | | | |
| Long Fed Steers (200 DOF +) | 300-420 | Angus | 0-2 | 330 | 345 | 336 | -4 |
| 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 | 260 | 334 | 313 | -14 |
| | | | | | | | |
| | | С | 3 | 277 | 343 | 319 | -9 |
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| | 400+ | С | 2 | 265 | 335 | 312 | -16 |
| | | С | 3 | 266 | 340 | 315 | -15 |
| | | C | 3 | 200 | 340 | 313 | 15 |
| Yearling Heifers | 330-400 | С | 2 | 257 | 316 | 287 | -21 |
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| | | С | 3 | 263 | 320 | 292 | -16 |
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| Grown Steer | 400-500 | С | 3 | 264 | 322 | 291 | -19 |

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