

Feeder report - cattle

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Paddock feeder rates strengthened across most grades due to a slight tightening of supply. Domestic and short fed categories were dearer, while medium and long fed demand was stable.

Saleyard prices were mixed last week, with heavy yearling steers selling to a stronger market.

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	210	220	217	3
Heifer	280-350		0	200	220	209	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	180	225	208	1
		Hereford	0-2	180	210	198	NC
		Shorthorn	0-2	180	210	194	1
		Other Breeds	0-2	185	200	190	NC
		Bos Indicus	0-2	165	190	181	-2
Medium Fed Steers (120-220 DOF)	360-460	Angus	0-2	195	220	212	NC
,		Hereford	0-2	195	215	205	NC
Long Fed Steers (200 DOF +)	300-420	Angus	0-2	200	230	221	1
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	С	2	154	230	210	3
	330-400	С	2	170	233	204	-1
		С	3	164	223	195	-6
	400+	С	2	163	216	193	3
		С	3	160	207	187	NC
Yearling Heifers	0-330	С	2	170	213	197	6
	330-400	С	2	162	212	190	2
		С	3	162	212	187	-2
Grown Steer	400-500	С	3	166	187	179	-2

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