

Feeder report - cattle

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The uncertainty surrounding the market has placed downward pressure on all paddock sale prices. Recent heavy frosts have also increased supplies while the lack of demand for beef is hampering the demand for finished cattle both export and on the domestic market.

Physical market prices last week were mostly firm to cheaper.

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	190	220	207	-5
Heifer	280-350		0	180	210	198	-6
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	165	220	197	-5
		Hereford	0-2	165	215	190	-3
		Shorthorn	0-2	165	200	182	-2
		Other Breeds	0-2	160	180	172	-4
		Bos Indicus	0-2	160	170	168	-4
Medium Fed Steers (120-220 DOF)	360-460	Angus	0-2	200	220	209	-2
		Hereford	0-2	195	215	204	-3
Long Fed Steers (200 DOF +)	300-420	Angus	0-2	205	225	216	-5
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	179	228	214	5
	330-400	С	2	163	224	204	NC
		С	3	175	234	197	1
	400+	С	2	153	218	193	1
		С	3	170	200	181	-5
Yearling Heifers	0-330	С	2	159	219	192	-1
	330-400	С	2	155	206	183	-5
		С	3	160	197	188	-2
Grown Steer	400-500	С	3	154	194	174	-4

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