

Over the hooks report - cattle

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Direct to works rates were mostly firm, as livestock markets remain relatively passive. Supply of prime cattle is tight, but the reduced demand from processors has resulted in a stable trend. Supply of domestic trade cattle is scarce, with vealer rates edging higher. Cow rates were higher as one processor lifted rates.

Grade	Weight Range (cwt kg)	Dentition	Muscle Score	Fat Score	Low Price (c/kg cwt)	High Price (c/kg cwt)	Average (c/kg cwt)	Trend
Vealers								
Both	<100	0	A-C	2-3	360	360	360	20
	100 - 150	0	A-C	2-3	360	360	360	20
Yearlings								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	285	330	309	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	291	335	318	-1
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	296	340	323	-1
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	286	325	307	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	291	330	312	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	296	335	319	-1
Grown Steers								
Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	285	305	295	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	285	305	293	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	281	295	288	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	275	285	280	NC
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	291	315	302	-1
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	291	310	300	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	286	310	297	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	281	300	290	NC
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	301	325	314	-1
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	296	325	309	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	291	320	305	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	286	320	301	NC
EU Steer	240 - 330	0 - 4	A-C	3-4	335	345	340	NC
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	275	305	290	NC
Cows								
<160	8	A-D	2-4	155	235	187	1	
		D-E	1-4	145	220	178	2	
160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	220	255	243	1	
		D-E	1-4	185	240	220	1	
200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	230	270	254	1	
		D-E	1-4	230	259	246	1	
240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	255	305	275	1	
		A-E	5+	225	280	251	2	
280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	270	305	283	1	

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	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	275	305	288	1
		8	A-E	5+	250	281	269	1
Bulls								
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	215	255	238	NC
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	220	280	253	NC
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	230	290	261	NC
MSA Yearlings								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	330	318	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	320	335	325	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	320	340	326	NC
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	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	315	325	319	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	320	335	326	NC

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