

Feeder report - cattle

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Feeder rates for domestic cattle were again dearer, as supplies remain tight and competition from restockers is strong. Short fed cattle were firm to slightly dearer, while long fed demand was constant. Competition in the physical markets for feeder cattle was generally weaker, however prices remain historically strong.

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	245	226	3
Heifer	280-350	0	200	220	209	2

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	190	230	210	NC
		Hereford	0-2	190	215	200	1
		Shorthorn	0-2	190	215	200	3
		Other Breeds	0-2	190	205	194	NC
		Bos Indicus	0-2	170	190	182	2
Medium Fed Steers (120-220 DOF)	360-460	Angus	0-2	200	225	211	NC
		Hereford	0-2	190	215	203	NC
Long Fed Steers (200 DOF +)	300-420	Angus	0-2	208	240	224	NC

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	C	2	182	256	235	9
		C	2	168	245	214	-2
	330-400	C	3	169	246	219	-2
		C	2	167	219	202	-1
		C	3	170	219	204	-1
Yearling Heifers	0-330	C	2	175	234	209	-4
		C	2	168	218	195	NC
	C	3	176	228	205	2	
Grown Steer	400-500	C	3	176	204	189	-5

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