

Over the hooks report - cattle

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Young cattle rates increased slightly, while grown steer rates varied slightly and cow and bull rates were unchanged. Current supply has been a factor behind trends. Due to the good seasonal conditions greater numbers are expected to be turned off in the coming weeks which may have a negative impact on 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	385	390	388	NC
	100 - 150	0	A-C	2-3	360	390	379	NC
	150 - 180	0	A-C	2-3	335	400	376	1
	180+	0	A-C	2-3	335	400	379	2
Yearlings								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	320	370	340	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	370	340	1
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	350	338	1
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	315	370	340	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	330	370	345	1
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	335	325	NC
Grown Steers								
Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	315	330	322	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	310	330	318	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	310	315	313	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	300	305	303	NC
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	325	360	337	1
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	320	340	329	1
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	320	325	323	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	310	315	313	NC
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	320	330	328	-1
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	325	330	327	-2
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	325	325	325	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	315	315	315	NC
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	295	320	305	8
Cows								
	<160	8	A-D	2-4	105	255	202	NC
		8	D-E	1-4	105	255	202	NC
		8	A-D	2-4	215	275	257	NC
		8	D-E	1-4	215	275	258	NC
	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	260	290	276	NC
		8	D-E	1-4	260	290	278	NC
		8	A-E	2-4	260	305	288	NC
		8	A-E	5+	230	280	258	NC

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	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	270	305	293	NC
		8	A-E	5+	240	270	258	NC
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	270	305	294	NC
		8	A-E	5+	240	280	264	NC
Bulls								
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	230	285	253	NC
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	255	290	271	NC
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	255	300	276	NC

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