

Over the hooks report - cattle

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Most contributors left young cattle rates unchanged except for one who lowered their yearling steer rates. Grown steers met with no changes while cows were more mixed. Bulls were generally close to firm.

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	370	385	378	NC
	100 - 150	0	A-C	2-3	360	385	369	NC
	150 - 180	0	A-C	2-3	335	375	362	NC
	180+	0	A-C	2-3	335	375	363	NC
Yearlings								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	320	340	328	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	340	331	-1
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	350	336	-3
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	315	340	328	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	330	340	333	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	335	325	NC
Grown Steers								
Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	295	315	307	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	295	310	303	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	305	310	308	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	295	300	298	NC
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	295	340	324	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	295	340	318	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	315	320	318	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	305	310	308	NC
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	295	325	314	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	310	325	318	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	320	320	320	NC
		8	A-C	3-4	310	310	310	NC
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	275	295	285	NC
Cows								
	<160	8	A-D	2-4	120	245	200	-4
		8	D-E	1-4	120	245	200	-4
	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	210	265	247	NC
		8	D-E	1-4	230	265	251	NC
	200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	240	280	265	NC
		8	D-E	1-4	240	280	266	NC
	240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	240	290	276	NC
		8	A-E	5+	230	270	248	5

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	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	270	295	282	NC
		8	A-E	5+	235	260	247	6
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	270	295	283	NC
		8	A-E	5+	235	270	254	6
Bulls								
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	210	265	244	6
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	250	275	263	NC
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	240	275	264	NC

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