

Over the hooks report - cattle

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Victoria

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All contributors left their rates unchanged as they wait to see how supply will be affected due to recent weather conditions. The only category to indicate a change was the grown steers, however no trend is available as one processor stopped quoting.

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	380	385	383	NC	
	100 - 150	0	A-C	2-3	360	385	376	NC	
	150 - 180	0	A-C	2-3	335	390	372	NC	
	180+	0	A-C	2-3	335	390	373	NC	
Yearlings									
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	320	350	338	NC	
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	350	339	NC	
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	360	344	NC	
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	325	350	340	NC	
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	340	350	345	NC	
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	315	345	333	NC	
Grown Steers									
Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	320	325	323	NQ	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	315	320	318	NQ	
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	315	320	318	NQ	
		8	A-C	3-4	305	310	308	NQ	
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	330	350	339	NQ	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	325	340	332	NQ	
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	325	330	328	NQ	
		8	A-C	3-4	315	320	318	NQ	
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	325	340	335	NQ	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	325	340	333	NQ	
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	330	330	330	NQ	
		8	A-C	3-4	320	320	320	NQ	
	Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	305	310	308	10
	Cows								
		<160	8	A-D	2-4	135	260	209	NC
			8	D-E	1-4	140	260	212	NC
160 - 200		8	A-D	2-4	210	275	256	NC	
		8	D-E	1-4	240	275	260	NC	
200 - 240		8	A-D	2-4	255	285	274	NC	
		8	D-E	1-4	255	285	275	NC	
240 - 280		8	A-E	2-4	255	300	284	NC	
		8	A-E	5+	245	285	263	NC	

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	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	275	305	291	NC
		8	A-E	5+	250	270	261	NC
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	280	305	293	NC
		8	A-E	5+	250	280	267	NC
Bulls								
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	220	265	248	NC
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	250	280	265	NC
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	240	290	267	NC

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