

Over the hooks report - cattle

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Yearling steer and heifer rates are lower, while grown steer and cow rates also decreased. The hot and dry conditions are affecting finish and quality of cattle.

Please note, due to a regular contributor not offering quotes there is no trend available for grown steers and bulls.

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	350	350	350	NC
	100 - 150	0	A-C	2-3	310	350	330	NC
	150 - 180	0	A-C	2-3	310	350	328	NC
	180+	0	A-C	2-3	320	350	333	NC
Yearlings								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	310	310	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	310	310	-5
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	315	313	-3
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	310	310	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	300	310	305	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	260	300	287	-7
Grown Steers								
Steers	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	310	315	313	NQ
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	302	302	302	NQ
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	290	310	300	NQ
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	280	310	295	NQ
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	280	280	280	NQ
Cows								
	<160	8	A-D	2-4	95	220	162	-10
		8	D-E	1-4	95	220	162	-10
	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	160	235	199	-7
		8	D-E	1-4	160	235	199	-7
	200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	195	245	224	-6
		8	D-E	1-4	195	245	223	-7
	240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	210	255	236	-3
		8	A-E	5+	170	235	204	7
	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	230	255	240	-5
		8	A-E	5+	190	225	208	NC
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	235	260	246	-4
		8	A-E	5+	200	235	216	NC

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Bulls								
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	170	250	215	NQ
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	210	265	239	NQ
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	225	265	242	NQ

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