

## Over the hooks report - cattle

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### Victoria

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The majority of contributors left there rates unchanged. There was a slight lift in young cattle rates, cow and bull rates. Quality cattle are hard to secure due to the prolonged dry spell.

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
<b>Vealers</b>								
Both	<100	0	A-C	2-3	355	355	355	5
	100 - 150	0	A-C	2-3	310	355	333	3
	150 - 180	0	A-C	2-3	310	355	334	1
	180+	0	A-C	2-3	330	355	342	2
<b>Yearlings</b>								
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	315	315	315	5
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	315	313	3
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	310	325	317	NC
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	315	315	315	5
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	300	315	308	3
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	290	300	297	NC
<b>Grown Steers</b>								
Steers	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	315	320	318	3
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	310	310	310	NC
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	300	310	305	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	300	310	305	NC
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	270	280	275	NC
<b>Cows</b>								
<160		8	A-D	2-4	85	215	164	1
		8	D-E	1-4	85	215	164	1
160 - 200		8	A-D	2-4	150	230	200	1
		8	D-E	1-4	150	230	200	1
200 - 240		8	A-D	2-4	210	240	226	1
		8	D-E	1-4	210	240	226	1
240 - 280		8	A-E	2-4	210	245	232	1
		8	A-E	5+	170	215	193	2
280 - 320		8	A-E	2-4	220	250	238	1
		8	A-E	5+	180	225	202	2
320 +		8	A-E	2-4	235	250	241	1
		8	A-E	5+	195	235	210	3
<b>Bulls</b>								
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	175	250	207	3

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	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	200	265	225	NC
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	205	265	229	1

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