

Feeder report - cattle

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Rates remained steady as contributors report adequate numbers available from both paddock and saleyard sales. Medium fed prices have eased slightly, however domestic supply remains firm.

Saleyard prices improved as there was a large reduction in supply.

Domestic Paddock Sales

Category	Weight Range	Dentition	Low Price c/kg (live)	High Price c/kg (live)	Average c/kg (live)	Trend
Steers	280-350	0	155	180	174	NC
Heifer	280-350	0	135	175	159	NC

Export Paddock Sales

Category	Weight Range	Breed	Dentition	Low Price c/kg (live)	High Price c/kg (live)	Average c/kg (live)	Trend
Short Fed Steers (100-120 DOF)	380-500	Angus	0-2	145	185	172	NC
		Hereford	0-2	140	190	167	NC
		Shorthorn	0-2	140	175	157	NC
		Other Breeds	0-2	140	190	159	NC
		Bos Indicus	0-2	135	165	147	NC
Medium Fed Steers (120-220 DOF)	360-460	Angus	0-2	160	185	178	-3
		Hereford	0-2	165	180	174	-3
Long Fed Steers (200 DOF +)	300-420	Angus	0-2	160	180	174	NC

Saleyard Prices

Category	Weight Range	Muscle Score	Fat Score	Low Price c/kg (live)	High Price c/kg (live)	Average c/kg (live)	Trend
Yearling Steer	0-330	C	2	130	182	166	5
	330-400	C	2	135	203	164	2
Yearling Heifers	0-330	C	2	115	180	146	-6
	330-400	C	2	120	200	156	13
Grown Steer	400-500	C	3	140	165	149	1

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