

Over the hooks report - cattle

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Prices were slightly dearer across the northern parts of the state, as good quality cattle numbers start to decline. However, there are still some good bullock numbers available for processors.

In the south, supply remains firm and prices were relatively unchanged to ease marginally.

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	
North									
Yearlings									
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	270	280	275	NC	
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	280	295	288	3	
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	280	305	293	3	
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	265	275	270	NC	
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	275	290	283	5	
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	275	300	288	3	
Grown Steers									
Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	280	285	283	3	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	275	280	278	3	
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	280	300	290	NC	
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	285	295	290	3	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	280	290	285	3	
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	285	290	288	NC	
	300 - 420	8	A-C	3-4	265	270	268	NC	
		0 - 2	A-C	3-4	300	300	300	3	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	290	295	293	3	
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	285	295	290	3	
		8	A-C	3-4	275	280	278	3	
		Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	230	250	240
Cows									
160 - 200	8		A-D	2-4	125	225	175	3	
	8	D-E	1-4	130	225	178	3		
200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	210	230	220	3		
	8	D-E	1-4	215	235	225	3		
240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	235	250	243	3		
	8	A-E	5+	225	235	230	3		
280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	250	260	255	3		
	8	A-E	5+	235	245	240	3		
320 +	8	A-E	2-4	255	260	258	3		
	8	A-E	5+	240	250	245	3		
Bulls									
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	210	265	238	NC	

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South Yearlings	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	210	275	243	NC	
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	215	275	245	NC	
	Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	280	320	300	NC
		220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	285	325	305	NC
		260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	290	320	305	NC
	Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	280	320	300	NC
		220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	285	325	305	NC
		260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	290	315	303	NC
	Grown Steers								
	Steers	< 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	295	300	298	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	295	295	295	NC	
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	295	315	305	NC	
		8	A-C	3-4	270	275	273	NC	
	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	270	310	290	NC	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	275	305	290	NC	
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	275	305	290	NC	
		8	A-C	3-4	270	285	278	NC	
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	285	315	300	NC	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	280	310	295	NC	
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	275	310	293	NC	
		8	A-C	3-4	270	295	283	NC	
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	235	260	248	NC	
Cows									
	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	145	235	190	NC	
		8	D-E	1-4	140	230	185	NC	
	200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	215	250	233	NC	
		8	D-E	1-4	205	245	225	NC	
	240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	220	265	243	NC	
		8	A-E	5+	210	245	228	NC	
	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	230	275	253	NC	
		8	A-E	5+	220	255	238	NC	
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	235	275	255	NC	
		8	A-E	5+	225	255	240	NC	
Bulls									
	200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	255	280	268	NC	
	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	280	290	285	NC	
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	290	290	290	NC	
Grainfed Yearlings									
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	325	345	333	-3	
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	335	372	349	-3	
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	335	345	342	-3	
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	320	345	330	NC	

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	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	330	367	346	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	335	340	338	-2
Grainfed 100 Days								
Steers	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	335	350	341	NC
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	335	345	338	NC
		5 - 6	A-C	3-4	330	330	330	NC
MSA Yearlings								
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	300	340	320	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	315	360	342	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	325	365	345	NC
	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	290	330	310	NC
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	310	355	338	NC
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	320	360	340	NC

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