

Over the hooks report - cattle

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Some contributors offered higher rates this week for some young cattle, while the rest were taking a wait-and-see approach. Export categories were mainly left unchanged with just the odd small rise for cows and grown steers from one or two contributors.

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	365	365	365	NC	
	100 - 150	0	A-C	2-3	350	365	358	5	
	150 - 180	0	A-C	2-3	350	365	358	3	
	180+	0	A-C	2-3	360	365	363	NC	
Yearlings									
Steers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	325	350	338	NC	
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	325	350	338	NC	
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	345	345	345	3	
Heifers	180 - 220	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	325	350	338	NC	
	220 - 260	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	325	350	338	NC	
	260 - 280	0 - 2	A-C	2-3	320	330	325	3	
Grown Steers									
Steers	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	325	345	338	2	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	335	335	335	5	
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	340	340	340	3	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	340	340	340	3	
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	305	320	312	2	
Cows									
	<160	8	A-D	2-4	110	240	181	1	
		8	D-E	1-4	110	240	181	1	
	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	180	260	231	1	
		8	D-E	1-4	180	260	231	1	
	200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	240	280	261	1	
		8	D-E	1-4	240	280	261	1	
	240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	240	295	271	1	
		8	A-E	5+	220	260	243	NC	
	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	245	300	278	1	
		8	A-E	5+	230	275	252	NC	
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	250	300	283	1	
		8	A-E	5+	245	285	260	NC	
	Bulls								
		200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	180	255	225	NC

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	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	200	265	245	0
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	200	280	245	NC

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