

Over the hooks report - cattle

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Victoria

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The majority of rates improved across all categories this week on the back of short supply. Vealers improved 5¢/kg, while both yearlings and heavy grown steers lifted 5¢/kg cwt. Cow rates lifted 10¢/kg cwt with most contributors lifting rates across all weights and grades.

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	355	350	5	
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	330	330	330	5	
Grown Steers									
Steers	260 - 300	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	325	355	342	3	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	340	340	340	5	
	300 - 420	0 - 2	A-C	3-4	340	345	343	3	
		2 - 4	A-C	3-4	340	345	343	3	
Manufacturing Steer	250 - 400	0 - 8	A-D	2-4	310	320	313	2	
Cows									
	<160	8	A-D	2-4	120	245	186	5	
		8	D-E	1-4	120	245	186	5	
	160 - 200	8	A-D	2-4	180	270	236	5	
		8	D-E	1-4	180	270	236	5	
	200 - 240	8	A-D	2-4	240	290	266	5	
		8	D-E	1-4	240	290	266	5	
	240 - 280	8	A-E	2-4	240	300	275	4	
		8	A-E	5+	230	270	251	8	
	280 - 320	8	A-E	2-4	245	300	283	5	
		8	A-E	5+	240	300	266	14	
	320 +	8	A-E	2-4	250	300	288	4	
		8	A-E	5+	255	285	268	8	
	Bulls								
		200 - 300	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	180	265	229	8

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	300 - 400	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	200	275	247	NC
	400 +	0 - 8	A-E	ALL	200	290	249	4

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