

MUDGEE CATTLE MARKET REPORT

Date: 11.1.23

			Low	High
Vealers	210kg to 280kg			
Vealers	280kg plus		370	450
Young Steers	280kg to 370kg		370	404
Young Steers	370kg to 440kg		380	420
Young Heifers	280kg to 370kg		340	369.2
Young Heifers	370kg to 440kg		330	360
Steers	440kg to 550kg		340	380
Steers	550kg plus		320	372.2
Export Heifers	440kg plus		300	363.2
Light Cows	Under 400kg			
Medium Cows	400kg to 520kg		200	285
Heavy Cows	520kg plus		280	330
Heavy Bulls	600kg plus		240	276.2

First sale back for 2023 saw agents yard 360 cattle. Quality was mixed & most of the yarding consisted of yearling steers & heavier export cattle. Most of the buyers were present & operated in a much cheaper market for feeder & restocker cattle, while the market was fairly firm for the heavier end. Not many true vealers yarded they topped at 450c/kg, most sales between 400c-440c/kg. Yearling steers to feed suffered the biggest loses compared to pre christmas sales, quality was a contributing factor & they sold consistently between 370c-390c. Heavy cattle sold to similar rates with better competition for the better finished ones. Heifers 500kg + sold from 330c-363.2c, while the heavy steers weighing 600kg topped at 376.2c most sales 355c-370c/kg. One pen of bullocks weighing 979kg made 323.2c coming back @ \$3164/hd. A good run of heavy 3 score cows topped at 330c & sold down to 310c/kg. Bulls topped at 276.2c/kg. PLEASE NOTE: We will be having a Store Sale next week on the 19th of January, **with a new starting time of 11am.**