

MUDGEE CATTLE MARKET REPORT

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			Low	High
Vealers	210kg to 280kg			
Vealers	280kg plus			313.2
Young Steers	280kg to 370kg		270	314.2
Young Steers	370kg to 440kg		270	326.4
Young Heifers	280kg to 370kg		260	311.6
Young Heifers	370kg to 440kg		240	291
Steers	440kg to 550kg		290	325.2
Steers	550kg plus			
Export Heifers	440kg plus		235	270
Light Cows	Under 400kg			90.2
Medium Cows	400kg to 520kg		170	220
Heavy Cows	520kg plus		190	241.2
Heavy Bulls	600kg plus		220	240

Numbers lifted to 620 cattle (up by 75 head) on the back of dearer prices the week before. Overall the quality and condition didn't hold up from the previous week, however there were still some prime cattle yarded. Best local trade cattle held firm on last weeks strong results, topping at 326.4c/kg. However prime conditioned yearling heifers eased 5-8c/kg. Feeder steers once again met very solid support. The light to medium weight black steers generally traded between 305-314.35c/kg, while 460kg black steers topped at 352.2c/kg, fully firm on last week. Not the weight in the yearling heifers this week. Those heavy enough to go to feedlots were similar to last week, however most were destined for the paddock and were back 10-15c/kg. The few heavy export cattle penned were firm. Once again there were fair numbers of cows yarded. The biggest percentage was made up of them. Again this week, cows performed the best, with rises of 12-15c/kg for best D4 heavy weights and 15-20c/kg dearer for good boner types with sufficient cover. Bulls saw no change. Restocker and secondary types met weaker and limited competition, causing them to sell 20-30c/kg

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