

## MUDGE CATTLE MARKET REPORT

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**Agent:** MCDONALD LAWSON CARTER PTY LTD

			Low	High
<b>Vealers</b>	<b>210kg to 280kg</b>		-	
<b>Vealers</b>	<b>280kg plus</b>		<b>350</b>	<b>390</b>
<b>Young Steers</b>	<b>280kg to 370kg</b>		<b>360</b>	<b>427.2</b>
<b>Young Steers</b>	<b>370kg to 440kg</b>		<b>370</b>	<b>426.2</b>
<b>Young Heifers</b>	<b>280kg to 370kg</b>		<b>300</b>	<b>388</b>
<b>Young Heifers</b>	<b>370kg to 440kg</b>		<b>300</b>	<b>367.2</b>
<b>Steers</b>	<b>440kg to 550kg</b>		<b>360</b>	<b>426</b>
<b>Steers</b>	<b>550kg plus</b>		<b>300</b>	<b>354.2</b>
<b>Export Heifers</b>	<b>440kg plus</b>		<b>310</b>	<b>364.2</b>
<b>Light Cows</b>	<b>Under 400kg</b>		-	
<b>Medium Cows</b>	<b>400kg to 520kg</b>		<b>160</b>	<b>255</b>
<b>Heavy Cows</b>	<b>520kg plus</b>		<b>250</b>	<b>299.2</b>
<b>Heavy Bulls</b>	<b>600kg plus</b>		<b>240</b>	<b>256.2</b>

After some much welcomed rain over the district, numbers reduced to 605 cattle. It was a fairly good quality yarding, particularly the heavy export types. All regular buyers were present, bar one, competing in a dearer market.

A few more vealers penned this sale, they sold 15-20 c/kg dearer, better quality overall helped.

Extra orders were operating in the feedlotter category. Medium weight Angus steers sold to a high of 427.2 c/kg, they gained all of the last few sales losses to be 40-50 cents dearer and more in places. Heavier weights saw 30 c/kg improvement.

There was a very good offering of prime yearling steers/heifers suitable for the processors. Both steers and heifers improved 20-25 c/kg for medium weights and 15-20 c/kg for heavy types.

Heavy export steers/heifers sold 10-15 c/kg dearer and topped at 364 c/kg.

Cows met solid demand, selling to a high of 299.2 c/kg, up 15 cents.

Extra restocking orders from as far north as Winton in QLD saw them sell 30 c/kg dearer for suitable steers and 15 – 20 for the heifer portion.

Bulls gained 15 c/kg



