

## MUDGEE CATTLE MARKET REPORT

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		Low	High
<b>Vealers</b>	<b>210kg to 280kg</b>		
<b>Vealers</b>	<b>280kg plus</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>310</b>
<b>Young Steers</b>	<b>280kg to 370kg</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>295</b>
<b>Young Steers</b>	<b>370kg to 440kg</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>300</b>
<b>Young Heifers</b>	<b>280kg to 370kg</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>293</b>
<b>Young Heifers</b>	<b>370kg to 440kg</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>271.2</b>
<b>Steers</b>	<b>440kg to 550kg</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>298.2</b>
<b>Steers</b>	<b>550kg plus</b>		<b>312.2</b>
<b>Export Heifers</b>	<b>440kg plus</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>290.2</b>
<b>Light Cows</b>	<b>Under 400kg</b>		
<b>Medium Cows</b>	<b>400kg to 520kg</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>213.2</b>
<b>Heavy Cows</b>	<b>520kg plus</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>218</b>
<b>Heavy Bulls</b>	<b>600kg plus</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>230</b>

Numbers eased slightly for a yarding of 660 cattle. Down by 140 head. It was another good quality penning with most grades represented. Not all regular buyers were present, however their orders were covered by other buyers. Best vealers again met solid competition with the best of them reaching 310c/kg. Heifer vealers made between 240-270c/kg. Yearling steers to the processors held firm, topping at 35c/kg and the yearling heifers topped at 293c/kg. Weaker demand from feedlotter saw steers slip 10c/kg. However the heifer portion saw only quality related changes. Heavy export steers/heifers met very strong competition. Best heavy steers made to 312.2c/kg, very good quality and well finished. The best heavy heifers 6 teeth reached 290.2 c/kg. Both were 10c/kg dearer. Cows were very close to firm, however not all processors were operating. Bulls were a bit cheaper. Restocker cattle met fair competition particularly the steer portion, to be unchanged.

Heifers with a bit of weight and forward in condition were up by 3-4c/kg however plain light heifers met weaker demand to be 10-20c/kg cheaper