

MUDGE CATTLE MARKET REPORT

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Agent: MCDONALD LAWSON CARTER PTY LTD

| | | | Low | High |
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| Vealers | 210kg to 280kg | | - | |
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| Vealers | 280kg plus | | 300 | - 350 |
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| Young Steers | 280kg to 370kg | | 280 | 0 350 |
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| Young Steers | 370kg to 440kg | | 280 | - 358.2 |
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| Young Heifers | 280kg to 370kg | | 210 | - 310 |
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| Young Heifers | 370kg to 440kg | | 210 | - 320 |
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| Steers | 440kg to 550kg | | 280 | - 326.2 |
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| Steers | 550kg plus | | - | 325.2 |
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| Export Heifers | 440kg plus | | 220 | - 309.2 |
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| Light Cows | Under 400kg | | 30 | - 145 |
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| Medium Cows | 400kg to 520kg | | 130 | - 200 |
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| Heavy Cows | 520kg plus | | 170 | - 227.2 |
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| Heavy Bulls | 600kg plus | | - | 177.2 |

After some handy falls of rain over the last few weeks, numbers were reduced to 680 head, back by 270 cattle. There was a remarkable turnaround in quality and condition of the yarding. All regular buyers were present at the rail except for a cow operator.

A better offering of prime vealers in the penning, they sold to solid demand and gained up to 10 c/kg with quality being a contributing factor.

Feeder steers met solid competition to be fully firm and reached a high of 358.2 c/kg.

Feeder heifers didn't quite reach the highs of the previous sale and sold 5-8 c/kg cheaper on average.

There was a larger penning of prime yearling steers and heifers. They sold fully firm and topped at 320 c/kg for the heifer portion and 326.2 c/kg for the steer portion.

Good numbers of heavy export weight steers and heifers saw good competition to be firm on last sale.

A smaller penning of restocking cattle saw prices lift.

Cows sold to a dearer trend. Best prime D4/D5 types gained 10 c/kg, with medium and plainer cows 5 c/kg better.

