

MUDGEE CATTLE MARKET REPORT

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Agent: MCDONALD LAWSON PTY LTD

			Low	High
Vealers	210kg to 280kg			
Vealers	280kg plus			280
Young Steers	280kg to 370kg		230	285.2
Young Steers	370kg to 440kg		240	290.2
Young Heifers	280kg to 370kg		210	266
Young Heifers	370kg to 440kg		210	298
Steers	440kg to 550kg		240	296.2
Steers	550kg plus			290.2
Export Heifers	440kg plus			283.2
Light Cows	Under 400kg		60	228.2
Medium Cows	400kg to 520kg		150	261.2
Heavy Cows	520kg plus		220	276
Heavy Bulls	600kg plus		272	295.2

As the big dry continues numbers increased to 1150 cattle up by 450 head. All regular buyers were present with two new cow orders operating. Prime local trade & yearling heifers to the processors being the hardest to move. Again there were increased numbers of cows & their calves. Cattle to the local trade slipped 10 cents. Not the numbers of feeder steers & heifersthis sale and quality was not to the standard of the last few weeks. The steer portion fell 10 to 15 cents. The heifer portion sold very similar to last week. Very little flucuations. Heavy steers & export weight heifers met strong interest and gained 5 to 6 cents. The feature of the market was the solid demand from cow buyers particular boner cows. The plainer end of the cows gained 20 cents selling to a top of 228.2 cents. Best prime heavy D4 cows sold 2 to 5 cents dearer on average however there were sales 10 to 15 cents dearer than last week. Bulls rose 15 cents. A larger offering of calves sold mostly unchanged.