

MUDGEE CATTLE MARKET REPORT

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Agent: MCDONALD LAWSON CARTER PTY LTD

			Low	High
Vealers	210kg to 280kg			
Vealers	280kg plus			
Young Steers	280kg to 370kg		410	489.2
Young Steers	370kg to 440kg		400	479.2
Young Heifers	280kg to 370kg		380	455
Young Heifers	370kg to 440kg		380	430
Steers	440kg to 550kg			470
Steers	550kg plus		420	485
Export Heifers	440kg plus		400	475
Light Cows	Under 400kg			
Medium Cows	400kg to 520kg			380
Heavy Cows	520kg plus		370	392
Heavy Bulls	600kg plus		310	335

With the season turning a little dry from constant winds numbers rose to 1050 cattle up by 150 head. It was a mostly handy yarding with the biggest % of the yarding made up of yearlings however there was increased numbers of heavy prime steers & heifers along with 130 cows penned. Most regular buyers were present at the rail however not all operated at full strength. Market was cheaper for all categories. Prime local trade cattle fell 30 to 50 cents with the majority making 440 to 450 cents however the heavier they got the less correction they seen. A good selection of feeder steers were mostly offered in light and medium weight ranges. They sold 20 to 30 cents cheaper accross the board. Feeder & backgrounding heifers saw the biggest slide with the majority falling 40 to 70 cents. Increased numbers and quality heavy types attracted strong competition to finish slightly cheaper 10 to 15 cents however 550 kg black steers selling to feedlot orders topped at 485 cents. Those to processing orders mostly made between 450 to 460 odd cents. Cows saw the best of the market and topped at 392 cents. Bulls sold 30 cents cheaper.

