

MUDGEE CATTLE MARKET REPORT

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Agent: MCDONALD LAWSON PTY LTD

		Low	High
Vealers	210kg to 280kg		
Vealers	280kg plus	250	327.2
Young Steers	280kg to 370kg	255	325
Young Steers	370kg to 440kg	250	324
Young Heifers	280kg to 370kg	220	323.2
Young Heifers	370kg to 440kg	220	260
Steers	440kg to 550kg		
Steers	550kg plus		
Export Heifers	440kg plus	210	261.2
Light Cows	Under 400kg		
Medium Cows	400kg to 520kg	100	143.6
Heavy Cows	520kg plus	140	202
Heavy Bulls	600kg plus	210	230

Numbers remained similar, for a yarding of 485 cattle. This weeks sale saw a bigger percentage of cows penned. They were better cows overall than the previous week. Once again there was a shortage of prime young cattle suitable for local butchers and wholesalers. Along with a fair offering of plain restocking types. Because of the lack of prime young cattle butchers competed strongly to secure their requirements. The very best of these traded 10-20c/kg dearer and more in places. Feeder steers were very sought after. Light feeder steers were 20c/kg dearer for the more popular breeds. 5-10c/kg for most others. Heavy weight feeder steers 5-10c/kg dearer. The heifer portion were mostly firm to 10c/kg up. A couple of pens of good yearling heifers 440kg plus 4-5c/kg dearer, topping at 261.2c/kg. No heavy steers to quote. It was a much improved yarding of cows this sale, with a number of larger consignments sold. Best prime heavy weights improved 10-12c/kg (quality a factor). Plain cows sold 15-20 c/kg , topping at 202 c/kg. The second cut of these cows improved 10-12c/kg. Plain cows sold 15-20 c'kg dearer. It was and improved offering of Bulls, they sold 20c/kg

