

MUDGEE CATTLE MARKET REPORT

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Agent: MCDONALD LAWSON PTY LTD

			Low	High
Vealers	210kg to 280kg			
Vealers	280kg plus		220	314
Young Steers	280kg to 370kg		190	290
Young Steers	370kg to 440kg		205	291.2
Young Heifers	280kg to 370kg		180	280
Young Heifers	370kg to 440kg			252
Steers	440kg to 550kg		240	268.2
Steers	550kg plus		240	275.2
Export Heifers	440kg plus		200	248.8
Light Cows	Under 400kg			
Medium Cows	400kg to 520kg		80	182.2
Heavy Cows	520kg plus		150	217.2
Heavy Bulls	600kg plus		180	228

It was another very good yarding with the majority of the cattle being offered in forward condition. Most grades were represented, with less plain light restocking types. All regular buyers were present and competing in a mostly cheaper market. There were some very good prime vealers penned. An individual high of 314c/kg, however the majority were 5-10c/kg cheaper. Yearling steers to feedlotter slipped further. Angus steers fell 10c/kg most trading between 250 cents to 265 cents. Other breeds struggled to attract as much interest and they sold to 10-15 cents back. Yearling heifers sold 5-10 cents cheaper in places, however some lines managed to remain firm. It was another outstanding run of heavy cattle. As good as any where at the moment. Good competition saw prices fully firm from last sale. Export heifers also saw no change. A odd cow met firm values ,however the majority of the heavy D4 cows were 4-5 c/kg back. Medium weights eased 10-15c/kg.

Bulls sold 5-10c/kg dearer.

