

MUDGEE CATTLE MARKET REPORT

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Agent: MCDONALD LAWSON PTY LTD

			Low	High
Vealers	210kg to 280kg			
Vealers	280kg plus		245	318.5
Young Steers	280kg to 370kg		240	284.2
Young Steers	370kg to 440kg		230	287.2
Young Heifers	280kg to 370kg		220	309.2
Young Heifers	370kg to 440kg		200	259.2
Steers	440kg to 550kg			260.2
Steers	550kg plus			
Export Heifers	440kg plus		210	233.2
Light Cows	Under 400kg			
Medium Cows	400kg to 520kg			168.2
Heavy Cows	520kg plus		130	181.6
Heavy Bulls	600kg plus			

Numbers were reduced by 500 head, for total yarding of 700 cattle. Overall it was a better quality yarding because the lack of very plain and backward cattle. Best prime vealers/tight yearlings suitable for the local trade orders sold fully firm for the majority and 10cents dearer for the odd select calf. There were some handy pens of Angus steers suitable for both processors and feedlotter. They competed strongly to reach a top of 287.2c/kg, 5-6 c/kg dearere. Quality a factor. Quality lines of suitable feeder heifers sold particularly well. Topping at a shade over 250c/kg - they sold fully firm to a fraction dearer. Too few export types to quote. Cows declined in numbers, the quality was also back. Only a handfull of heavy fat cows saw them back 10-12c/kg. Best medium weight cows similar and the plainer end of these, 15c/kg back. Very few bulls to quote

