

MUDGEE CATTLE MARKET REPORT

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Agent: MCDONALD LAWSON CARTER PTY LTD

			Low	High
Vealers	210kg to 280kg		-	
	Restockers			678
Vealers	280kg plus		500	588.2
Young Steers	280kg to 370kg		480	616.2
Young Steers	370kg to 440kg		500	575.2
Young Heifers	280kg to 370kg		470	575.2
Young Heifers	370kg to 440kg		450	567
Steers	440kg to 550kg		-	575.2
Steers	550kg plus		430	480.2
Export Heifers	440kg plus		-	490
Light Cows	Under 400kg		-	
Medium Cows	400kg to 520kg		300	380
Heavy Cows	520kg plus		330	418
Heavy Bulls	600kg plus		-	320

Numbers lifted this sale to 520 good quality cattle up 320 head. A full field of buyers were present and competing in a dearer market. There were limited numbers of prime local trade cattle suitable for the local butchers. Yearlings made up the bulk of the yarding. Good numbers of heavy export cattle and 107 cows penned.

Best prime vealers reached 588.2 c/kg for a single. Most traded 20 c/kg dearer.

There was a very good penning of yearling steers suitable for both feedlotters and processors. Feedlotters paid 575.2 c/kg for both medium and heavy weights, dearer by 20-30 c/kg from previous sales. Prime yearling steers gained 20 c/kg. Quality and condition a contributing factor.

Yearling heifers to feed gained 10-15 c/kg while those to processors gained 5-10 c/kg.

Heavy steers/heifers to supermarket orders gained 10 c/kg and similar to export orders.

100 cows met solid competition to be fully firm to 5 c/kg in places, topping at 418 c/kg.

Bulls were slightly back.

Restocking types met solid competition with spring fast approaching, they gained up to 30 c/kg dearer.

