

## Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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### CQLX Gracemere

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Yarding 3905  
 Change 305

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The yarding at CQLX Gracemere sale increased by 305 to 3,905 head with a mixed offering in some classes, although the vealer and light yearling cattle were a very good quality offering. Cattle were again drawn from most parts of Central Queensland, with a few more of the coastal cattle showing the effects of a receding season. The usual processors were present along with a strong restocker group. Competition was good throughout the sale, and prices regained the losses experienced the previous week.

Steer calves sold to 443c, to return mixed sex averages of 431c/kg for a good sample. Vealer steers sold to 459c to average 427c/kg. Vealer heifers reached 377c, with a large sample averaging 364c/kg. Yearling steers topped at 421c for light weights, with averages from 360c to 393c/kg across all weight rangers. Yearling heifers to feed topped at 347c, to average from 318c to 336c/kg. Those to the trade made to 359c, whilst restockers paid to 377c to average from 328c to 335c/kg.

Grown steers to feed averaged from 361c to 371c with sales to 379c, and processors lines averaged from 312c to 320c/kg. The best presented grown heifers sold to restockers to 359c, averaging from 321c to 328c, while feeders averaged from 313c to 328c/kg. Grown heifers to processors made to 337c, with a large sample averaging 321c/kg. The 2 score cows to restockers made to 278c, to average 263c/kg. Heavy weight 4 score cows saw prices to 308c, to average 292c/kg. Heavy bulls to processors averaged 296c/kg. Cows and calves topped at \$2,125 per unit for the better bred classes, and made from \$1,275 per unit.

Category	Sale Weight	Muscle Prefix	Muscle Score	Fat * Score*	Head	Live Weight c/kg				Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg*			Estimated \$/Head		
						Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
<b>Calves</b>															
<b>80+</b>															
	RS	C	2	164	371.0	443.0	430.9	61	-	0	622	842	794		
	RS	D	2	43	333.0	421.0	380.5	23	-	0	516	667	607		
				207	333.0	443.0			0	0	516	842			
<b>Vealer Steer</b>															
<b>0-200</b>															
	RS	D	2	1	385.0	385.0	385.0	50	-	0	770	770	770		
<b>200-280</b>															
	RS	C	2	449	347.0	459.0	426.9	17	-	0	822	1148	986		
	RS	D	2	36	359.0	411.0	389.3	7	-	0	736	921	836		
<b>330+</b>															
	RS	C	2	25	423.0	423.0	423.0	N/Q	-	0	1861	1861	1,861		
				511	347.0	459.0			0	0	736	1861			
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>															
<b>200-280</b>															
	PR	C	2	23	349.0	363.0	356.1	-3	671	698	685	744	838	793	
	RS	C	2	209	350.0	377.0	363.9	10	-	0	753	928	839		
	RS	D	2	15	355.0	363.0	359.8	37	-	0	728	817	781		
<b>280-330</b>															
	PR	C	2	9	352.0	352.0	352.0	N/Q	677	677	677	1109	1109	1,109	
	RS	C	2	34	365.0	370.0	368.4	-3	-	0	1059	1166	1,131		
				290	349.0	377.0			671	698	728	1166			
<b>Yearling Steer</b>															
<b>0-200</b>															
	RS	D	2	16	375.0	375.0	375.0	N/Q	-	0	694	694	694		
<b>200-280</b>															

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
280-330	FD	C	2	11	359.0	361.0	360.3	2	-	0	975	1005	986	
	RS	C	2	154	347.0	421.0	393.3	2	-	0	868	1137	1,028	
	RS	D	2	161	289.0	419.0	376.6	6	-	0	607	1089	907	
330-400	FD	C	2	39	359.0	363.0	359.8	11	-	0	1080	1149	1,120	
	FD	C	4	5	351.0	351.0	351.0	N/Q	-	0	1106	1106	1,106	
	RS	C	2	97	330.0	411.0	370.3	-8	-	0	941	1221	1,124	
	RS	D	2	46	330.0	365.0	354.9	-6	-	0	1035	1173	1,115	
	FD	C	2	19	349.0	360.0	358.5	N/C	-	0	1242	1326	1,259	
400+	FD	D	2	8	347.0	347.0	347.0	-10	-	0	1232	1232	1,232	
	RS	C	2	9	359.0	359.0	359.0	-15	-	0	1203	1203	1,203	
	RS	D	2	8	365.0	365.0	365.0	6	-	0	1259	1259	1,259	
	FD	C	2	8	359.0	365.0	362.8	-1	-	0	1454	1497	1,481	
				581	289.0	421.0			0	0	607	1497		
Yearling Heifer														
200-280														
	FD	C	2	90	301.0	323.0	316.8	-22	-	0	843	904	887	
	FD	D	2	35	297.0	315.0	304.2	N/Q	-	0	787	866	819	
	PR	C	2	9	342.0	359.0	352.2	9	658	690	677	787	964	893
	PR	D	2	57	285.0	331.0	311.5	3	548	637	599	751	904	819
	RS	C	2	146	310.0	377.0	335.0	-19	-	0	806	1028	879	
	RS	D	2	54	289.0	319.0	302.4	-27	-	0	679	877	778	
280-330														
	FD	C	2	42	315.0	347.0	336.5	-15	-	0	991	1139	1,069	
	FD	C	3	6	330.0	330.0	330.0	N/Q	-	0	1089	1089	1,089	
	FD	D	2	32	303.0	331.0	319.5	-12	-	0	954	1040	995	
	PR	C	2	56	323.0	349.0	327.1	-16	621	671	629	937	1053	1,023
	PR	D	2	22	307.0	347.0	324.3	N/C	590	667	624	929	1058	969
	RS	C	2	38	319.0	355.0	333.4	-10	-	0	909	1154	1,036	
	RS	D	2	27	271.0	317.0	306.2	-31	-	0	840	1014	965	
330-400														
	FD	D	2	25	318.0	318.0	318.0	N/Q	-	0	1065	1065	1,065	
	PR	C	3	2	325.0	325.0	325.0	N/Q	613	613	613	1219	1219	1,219
	RS	C	2	65	328.0	328.0	328.0	N/Q	-	0	1099	1197	1,106	
	RS	C	3	18	325.0	329.0	327.9	-13	-	0	1121	1246	1,191	
	RS	D	2	68	328.0	328.0	328.0	N/Q	-	0	1096	1096	1,096	
	RS	D	3	1	325.0	325.0	325.0	N/Q	-	0	1089	1089	1,089	
				793	271.0	377.0			548	690	679	1246		
Grown Steer														
0-400														
	FD	C	2	18	350.0	368.0	361.0	25	-	0	1278	1398	1,351	
	FD	D	2	4	357.0	357.0	357.0	11	-	0	1428	1428	1,428	
400-500														

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
500-600	FD	C	2	58	353.0	379.0	371.4	19	-	0	1430	1763	1,604	
	FD	C	3	5	347.0	347.0	347.0	N/C	-	0	1544	1544	1,544	
	FD	D	2	14	279.0	378.0	368.4	33	-	0	1200	1720	1,655	
	PR	C	2	2	320.0	320.0	320.0	N/Q	604	604	604	1504	1504	1,504
	PR	D	2	4	280.0	292.0	286.0	N/Q	538	562	550	1162	1416	1,331
	PR	D	3	15	302.0	321.0	315.9	N/Q	570	606	596	1461	1480	1,466
	PR	C	3	1	314.0	314.0	314.0	-21	581	581	581	1774	1774	1,774
	PR	D	3	6	312.0	312.0	312.0	N/Q	589	589	589	1700	1700	1,700
					127	279.0	379.0			538	606		1162	1774
Grown Heifer														
0-540														
	FD	C	2	123	303.0	334.0	327.6	-7	-	0	1000	1142	1,104	
	FD	C	3	9	347.0	347.0	347.0	2	-	0	1301	1301	1,301	
	FD	D	2	28	299.0	319.0	312.8	4	-	0	897	1101	1,006	
	FD	D	3	10	324.0	324.0	324.0	-7	-	0	1183	1183	1,183	
	PR	C	2	10	327.0	327.0	327.0	N/Q	629	629	629	1128	1128	1,128
	PR	C	3	22	290.0	335.0	320.7	-1	547	632	605	1121	1390	1,271
	PR	C	4	20	334.0	337.0	334.5	N/Q	619	624	619	1436	1500	1,446
	PR	D	2	97	259.0	325.0	292.1	-13	498	625	562	725	1105	883
	PR	D	3	27	261.0	337.0	326.5	40	492	636	616	1109	1449	1,319
	PR	D	4	15	284.0	331.0	305.0	-13	536	613	572	1305	1572	1,453
	RS	C	2	21	309.0	345.0	338.3	N/Q	-	0	989	1211	1,177	
	RS	C	3	12	325.0	337.0	328.0	-11	-	0	1186	1314	1,218	
	RS	D	2	64	291.0	359.0	320.5	3	-	0	829	1239	1,053	
				458	259.0	359.0			492	636		725	1572	
Cows														
0-400														
	PR	D	1	4	131.0	236.0	190.5	14	312	562	454	465	838	664
	PR	D	2	27	220.0	264.0	249.6	7	500	580	551	748	1018	924
	RS	D	1	3	171.0	239.0	216.3	10	-	0	573	837	749	
	RS	D	2	1	247.0	247.0	247.0	22	-	0	951	951	951	
400-520														
	PR	C	4	1	279.0	279.0	279.0	N/Q	558	558	558	1228	1228	1,228
	PR	D	2	50	235.0	278.0	262.1	5	511	593	566	996	1404	1,148
	PR	D	3	61	257.0	286.0	273.7	8	535	596	570	1122	1437	1,271
	PR	D	4	73	265.0	308.0	287.3	18	530	592	570	1256	1524	1,417
	RS	D	2	41	255.0	265.0	263.0	12	-	0	1057	1148	1,108	
	RS	D	3	7	270.0	270.0	270.0	11	-	0	1202	1202	1,202	
520+														
	PR	D	3	6	283.0	283.0	283.0	17	590	590	590	1528	1528	1,528
	PR	D	4	149	279.0	302.0	292.2	16	537	594	574	1475	1752	1,598
				423	131.0	308.0			312	596		465	1752	
Bulls														
0-450														

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
600+	LE	D	2	3	271.0	271.0	271.0	-25	-	0	1084	1084	1,084	
	PR	C	2	1	333.0	333.0	333.0	-22	640	640	669	669	669	
	PR	D	2	2	301.0	301.0	301.0	4	579	579	737	737	738	
	RS	C	2	30	299.0	370.0	335.3	4	-	0	685	1011	897	
	RS	D	2	5	325.0	325.0	325.0	-13	-	0	861	861	861	
	LE	C	3	4	265.0	303.0	290.5	N/Q	-	0	1833	2435	2,033	
	PR	C	3	11	280.0	309.0	296.1	-20	509	562	538	1962	3234	2,228
	RS	E	3	2	250.0	250.0	250.0	N/Q	-	0	2013	2013	2,013	
					58	250.0	370.0			509	640	669	3234	

DA - Dairy, FD - Feeder, GF - Grainfed, PR - Processor, LE - Live Export, PC - Pastoral Cattle, PT - PTIC, RS - Restocker

\* Fields populated with N/A indicate the unavailability of animal assessment at the time of publishing

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