

## Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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### CQLX Gracemere

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Yarding Change <sup>3050</sup>  
550

comparison date 10/06/2016

There was an increased yarding of 3,050 head for the CQLX sale at Gracemere with cattle again drawn mainly from the local area, although there were cattle from Harrami in the south to Collinsville in the north present. Quality and condition was generally very good and the full field of buyers, complimented by a couple of new faces ensured values remained firm to dearer for most descriptions. Rain in western parts is adding strength to the restocker sections in particular.

Calves returned to the paddock selling to a top of 372c and averaging 327.5c/kg. The best of the 200kg to 280 kg vealers steers averaged 359.5c selling to 380c/kg. An increase in vealer heifer interest for restockers saw sales to 318c and averages from 281c to 308c/kg. Yearling steers made to 320c whilst yearling heifers sold to an occasional 302c with the biggest lines averaging from 272c to 289c/kg, dependant on weight and condition.

Grown steers to feed consistently averaged in the late 290c to 302.4c/kg range, with the best sales to 320c/kg. The 4 score bullocks reached 299c to average 283.4c/kg. Grown heifers went to slaughter with a 250c/kg average. Heavy 4 score cows made averages 8c to 14c, up on last sale at 250.4c/kg for the best. Bulls were a little easier to average in the mid to late 250c/kg range. There were only a few very mixed cows and calves offered selling to \$1,540/unit.

Category Weight	Sale 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>														
80+	RS	C	2	81	322.0	- 358.0	352.2	43	-	-	-	568	- 679	629
	RS	D	2	361	250.0	- 372.0	328.2	34	-	-	-	425	- 684	578
				<b>442</b>	<b>250.0</b>	<b>372.0</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>425</b>	<b>684</b>	
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
200-280	RS	C	2	253	300.0	- 380.0	359.5	16	-	-	-	744	- 990	878
	RS	D	2	405	278.0	- 376.0	340.9	20	-	-	-	692	- 1012	821
280-330	RS	C	2	14	350.0	- 350.0	350.0	N/Q	-	-	-	998	- 998	998
	RS	D	2	16	324.0	- 330.0	325.1	N/Q	-	-	-	941	- 1021	1006
				<b>688</b>	<b>278.0</b>	<b>380.0</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>692</b>	<b>1021</b>	
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
200-280		C	2	27	270.0	- 297.0	292.5	13	519	- 571	563	621	- 707	642
	RS	C	2	38	286.0	- 314.0	301.1	-25	-	-	-	703	- 722	713
	RS	D	2	109	252.0	- 301.0	282.0	5	-	-	-	581	- 760	647
	FD	D	2	22	270.0	- 311.0	289.0	N/C	-	-	-	644	- 746	697
		D	2	19	240.0	- 289.0	270.4	-1	462	- 556	520	579	- 748	636
		E	2	3	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	519	- 519	519	689	- 689	689
280-330	FD	C	2	2	304.0	- 304.0	304.0	N/Q	-	-	-	927	- 927	927
	RS	C	2	13	294.0	- 318.0	308.8	N/Q	-	-	-	882	- 1018	965
				<b>233</b>	<b>240.0</b>	<b>318.0</b>			<b>462</b>	<b>571</b>		<b>579</b>	<b>1018</b>	
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
200-280	RS	D	2	14	279.0	- 312.0	295.6	N/Q	-	-	-	753	- 874	819
	RS	E	2	4	260.0	- 290.0	280.3	N/Q	-	-	-	598	- 703	659
280-330	RS	C	2	8	315.0	- 317.0	316.5	N/Q	-	-	-	961	- 983	977
	RS	D	2	89	210.0	- 312.0	290.3	-6	-	-	-	693	- 1030	923
	FD	D	2	68	282.0	- 320.0	298.9	17	-	-	-	818	- 1056	968
330-400	FD	C	2	33	310.0	- 318.0	314.3	26	-	-	-	1054	- 1103	1077

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
	FD	D	2	40	288.0	- 318.0	308.0	9	-				979	- 1181	1087
	RS	D	2	22	282.0	- 288.0	285.1	N/Q	-				961	- 1008	972
		D	4	1	294.0	- 294.0	294.0	N/Q	544	- 544	544		1173	- 1173	1173
				<b>279</b>	<b>210.0</b>	<b>320.0</b>			<b>544</b>	<b>544</b>			<b>598</b>	<b>1181</b>	
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>															
200-280	RS	D	2	102	238.0	- 298.0	271.9	1	-				643	- 790	732
		D	2	11	258.0	- 265.0	261.9	-11	496	- 510	504		658	- 702	694
	FD	D	2	15	276.0	- 289.0	281.4	12	-				706	- 780	763
280-330	FD	D	2	24	259.0	- 276.0	268.1	N/C	-				787	- 891	860
	RS	D	2	9	246.0	- 261.0	251.0	-24	-				787	- 835	803
330-400	FD	C	2	8	282.0	- 302.0	297.5	27	-				987	- 1133	1103
	FD	C	3	13	300.0	- 300.0	300.0	34	-				1095	- 1095	1095
	FD	D	2	36	276.0	- 304.0	289.5	16	-				983	- 1110	1030
		D	2	1	283.0	- 283.0	283.0	N/Q	544	- 544	544		991	- 991	991
	RS	D	2	23	281.0	- 301.0	296.7	42	-				998	- 1129	1083
	RS	D	3	3	278.0	- 278.0	278.0	4	-				959	- 959	959
	FD	D	3	10	274.0	- 284.0	282.0	3	-				1041	- 1093	1083
400+	FD	D	3	3	274.0	- 274.0	274.0	6	-				1151	- 1151	1151
				<b>258</b>	<b>238.0</b>	<b>304.0</b>			<b>496</b>	<b>544</b>			<b>643</b>	<b>1151</b>	
<b>Grown Steer</b>															
0-400	FD	D	2	51	269.0	- 313.0	302.4	-8	-				955	- 1252	1110
	RS	D	2	4	284.0	- 290.0	285.5	N/Q	-				1022	- 1102	1042
400-500	FD	C	2	1	285.0	- 285.0	285.0	N/Q	-				1211	- 1211	1211
	FD	D	2	48	276.0	- 320.0	295.6	-4	-				1208	- 1529	1360
		D	2	3	279.0	- 279.0	279.0	N/Q	537	- 537	537		1228	- 1228	1228
500-600		C	3	16	280.0	- 285.0	282.8	N/Q	528	- 538	534		1456	- 1582	1527
	FD	D	2	5	287.0	- 287.0	287.0	N/Q	-				1535	- 1535	1535
	FD	D	3	13	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	-				1456	- 1456	1456
		D	3	12	266.0	- 284.0	281.0	31	502	- 536	530		1410	- 1505	1489
600-750		C	4	11	274.0	- 274.0	274.0	-21	498	- 498	498		1836	- 1836	1836
		D	3	8	296.0	- 296.0	296.0	N/Q	559	- 559	559		1894	- 1894	1894
		D	4	32	274.0	- 299.0	283.4	N/Q	498	- 554	521		1795	- 2033	1898
750+		D	4	1	276.0	- 276.0	276.0	N/Q	493	- 493	493		2111	- 2111	2111
				<b>205</b>	<b>266.0</b>	<b>320.0</b>			<b>493</b>	<b>559</b>			<b>955</b>	<b>2111</b>	
<b>Grown Heifer</b>															
0-540	RS	B	4	1	286.0	- 286.0	286.0	N/Q	-				1516	- 1516	1516
	RS	D	2	28	223.0	- 295.0	282.6	N/Q	-				736	- 1269	1149
	FD	D	2	29	265.0	- 284.0	274.8	24	-				875	- 1124	1010
	FD	D	3	13	240.0	- 296.0	264.0	28	-				1008	- 1243	1105
		D	3	21	240.0	- 286.0	253.8	-11	462	- 550	488		887	- 1087	985
		D	4	24	236.0	- 267.0	249.6	-8	454	- 514	480		956	- 1164	1032
	FD	D	4	6	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	-				1175	- 1175	1175
	RS	E	2	1	170.0	- 170.0	170.0	N/Q	-				553	- 553	553
				<b>123</b>	<b>170.0</b>	<b>296.0</b>			<b>454</b>	<b>550</b>			<b>553</b>	<b>1516</b>	

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
<b>Manufacturing Steer</b>															
540+		D	3	2	265.0	- 265.0	265.0	N/Q	500	- 500	500	1921	- 1921	1921	
		E	3	1	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	462	- 462	462	1392	- 1392	1392	
				<b>3</b>	<b>240.0</b>	<b>265.0</b>			<b>462</b>	<b>500</b>		<b>1392</b>	<b>1921</b>		
<b>Cows</b>															
0-400		D	2	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	N/Q	348	- 348	348	552	- 552	552	
		FD	D	2	9	172.0	- 228.0	207.3	N/Q	-	-	662	- 821	757	
		RS	D	2	9	172.0	- 220.0	191.3	4	-	-	589	- 825	673	
			D	3	33	190.0	- 229.0	218.5	7	413	- 496	460	646	- 878	791
			E	2	9	150.0	- 198.0	186.4	N/Q	341	- 430	407	480	- 673	608
		RS	E	2	1	188.0	- 188.0	188.0	N/Q	-	-	573	- 573	573	
		RS	E	3	1	225.0	- 225.0	225.0	N/Q	-	-	743	- 743	743	
400-520	FD	D	2	1	194.0	- 194.0	194.0	N/Q	-	-	786	- 786	786		
		D	2	1	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/Q	413	- 413	413	798	- 798	798	
	FD	D	3	1	214.0	- 214.0	214.0	N/Q	-	-	995	- 995	995		
		D	3	73	206.0	- 248.0	230.6	11	429	- 498	473	927	- 1169	1063	
		D	4	171	222.0	- 252.0	238.8	8	427	- 504	482	932	- 1310	1118	
520+		D	4	54	240.0	- 259.0	250.2	14	462	- 498	482	1260	- 1404	1335	
				<b>364</b>	<b>150.0</b>	<b>259.0</b>			<b>341</b>	<b>504</b>		<b>480</b>	<b>1404</b>		
<b>Bulls</b>															
0-450	RS	C	2	5	302.0	- 360.0	315.6	N/Q	-	-	725	- 1170	867		
	LE	D	2	8	255.0	- 263.0	260.1	N/Q	472	- 496	490	973	- 1109	1032	
	RS	D	2	35	250.0	- 340.0	318.3	N/Q	-	-	617	- 884	703		
	RS	E	2	1	245.0	- 245.0	245.0	N/Q	-	-	845	- 845	845		
450-600	LE	D	2	2	215.0	- 250.0	232.5	N/Q	406	- 472	439	1043	- 1413	1228	
		D	2	1	229.0	- 229.0	229.0	N/Q	432	- 432	432	1294	- 1294	1294	
	LE	E	2	2	260.0	- 269.0	264.5	N/Q	489	- 491	490	1261	- 1506	1384	
600+		C	3	5	245.0	- 261.0	256.4	-8	446	- 475	466	1767	- 2041	1879	
	LE	C	3	2	250.0	- 267.0	258.5	N/Q	455	- 486	470	1789	- 1888	1838	
		D	2	3	210.0	- 250.0	236.7	N/Q	396	- 472	447	1355	- 1613	1527	
	LE	D	3	1	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	N/Q	464	- 464	464	1683	- 1683	1683	
				<b>65</b>	<b>210.0</b>	<b>360.0</b>			<b>396</b>	<b>496</b>		<b>617</b>	<b>2041</b>		

#### Abbreviations

CATTLE FD: Feeder RS: Restocker GF: Grainfed DA: Dairy PC: Pastoral Cattle SHEEP & LAMB RS: Restocker MR: Merino RM: Restocker Merino 1X: 1st Cross  
FD: Feeder DP: Dorper

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