

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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CQLX Gracemere

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Yarding 3970
 Change 370

comparison date 26/07/2019

CQLX Gracemere vendors penned an increased yarding of 3970 head, up 370 head on last week. Cattle came from local areas of Central Queensland and as far north as Collinsville and Bowen. Quality was very mixed in some categories although overall it was good. The effects of a waning season are becoming more evident with some very light conditioned cows, and young cattle being offered. The drop in condition and breeding on offer resulted in much of the change in values. The buying panel included the regular faces along with a few new orders and limits were reduced.

There were improvements in finished cow classes and the quality on offer was an improvement on last week. A well bred line of cows PTIC returned a creditable 269.2c/kg to go to restockers. Well bred calves to restockers made to 314c, with mixed sexes averaging 251c/kg. Vealer steers also topped at 314c, to average better at 293c/kg. Vealer heifers settled, due mostly to a drop in condition and breeding, to average from 176c to 186c/kg. Yearling steers made to 306c, with averages from 262c to 282c/kg most common.

A selection of yearling heifers, to restockers made to 260c, with averages for the better bred lines ranging from 195c and 234c/kg, with most interest in the heavier drafts.

A very good quality offering of heavy feeder steers drew strong competition selling to 302c and averaging from 282c to 297c/kg. Grown heifers averaged from 220c to 230.2c/kg. Light conditioned cows eased considerably, averaging 144c/kg for the better lines. Prime 4 score cows averaged 220c to 224c/kg. Heavy bulls also improved, averaging 280c with a maximum of 284c/kg.

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
Calves															
80+	RS	C	2	37	170.0	300.0	265.9	42	-	-	-	315	540	470	
	RS	D	1	56	234.0	288.0	251.3	N/Q	-	-	-	316	375	345	
	RS	D	2	84	186.0	314.0	249.6	-7	-	-	-	294	505	430	
				177	170.0	314.0			0	0		294	540		
Vealer Steer															
0-200	RS	D	1	9	226.0	226.0	226.0	N/Q	-	-	-	429	429	429	
	RS	D	2	7	260.0	260.0	260.0	N/Q	-	-	-	494	494	494	
200-280	RS	C	2	198	240.0	314.0	292.8	6	-	-	-	482	775	662	
	RS	D	2	51	210.0	262.0	237.1	-34	-	-	-	422	537	491	
				265	210.0	314.0			0	0		422	775		
Vealer Heifer															
0-200	RS	D	2	11	166.0	166.0	166.0	-35	-	-	-	315	315	315	
200-280	PR	D	2	14	170.0	170.0	170.0	N/Q	327	327	327	374	374	374	
	RS	C	2	52	162.0	200.0	185.7	-42	-	-	-	340	480	411	
	RS	D	2	58	170.0	185.0	177.1	-49	-	-	-	366	455	386	
				135	162.0	200.0			327	327		315	480		
Yearling Steer															
200-280	FD	C	2	11	264.0	264.0	264.0	N/C	-	-	-	739	739	739	
	RS	C	2	338	238.0	304.0	282.1	-3	-	-	-	574	809	709	
	RS	D	1	12	224.0	224.0	224.0	N/Q	-	-	-	504	504	504	
	RS	D	2	122	210.0	294.0	247.3	-21	-	-	-	511	735	622	
280-330	FD	C	2	20	250.0	274.0	262.0	-9	-	-	-	800	904	852	
	FD	D	2	5	230.0	264.0	236.8	-26	-	-	-	759	832	774	
	LE	D	2	34	268.0	268.0	268.0	19	-	-	-	817	884	849	
	RS	C	2	97	218.0	284.0	263.5	-10	-	-	-	690	858	803	

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330-400	RS	D	2	122	248.0	272.0	264.9	6	-	-	-	735	878	804	
	FD	C	2	18	260.0	264.0	262.4	-13	-	-	-	871	956	932	
	FD	D	2	1	260.0	260.0	260.0	-13	-	-	-	910	910	910	
	LE	D	2	6	268.0	268.0	268.0	N/Q	-	-	-	911	911	911	
	RS	C	2	10	270.0	270.0	270.0	-10	-	-	-	918	918	918	
400+	RS	D	2	66	210.0	276.0	262.3	-14	-	-	-	714	965	892	
	FD	C	2	61	256.0	300.0	278.0	-13	-	-	-	1126	1360	1,216	
	FD	C	3	1	306.0	306.0	306.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1622	1622	1,622	
	PR	C	2	17	297.0	297.0	297.0	N/Q	571	571	571	1604	1604	1,604	
					941	210.0	306.0			571	571		504	1622	
Yearling Heifer															
200-280	FD	C	2	20	180.0	205.0	203.8	-2	-	-	-	495	564	560	
	PR	C	2	11	166.0	180.0	171.8	-37	319	346	330	414	495	437	
	PR	D	2	54	150.0	192.0	175.6	-2	288	369	338	398	518	443	
	RS	C	2	197	174.0	230.0	194.5	-33	-	-	-	378	598	503	
	RS	D	2	400	150.0	212.0	181.2	-11	-	-	-	368	562	457	
280-330	FD	C	2	25	200.0	230.0	207.2	-26	-	-	-	640	725	660	
	FD	D	2	11	200.0	210.0	201.8	-22	-	-	-	640	641	640	
	PR	C	2	18	170.0	190.0	187.8	-18	327	365	361	544	627	603	
	RS	C	2	42	186.0	218.0	206.3	-51	-	-	-	539	665	629	
	RS	D	2	56	150.0	192.0	182.6	N/Q	-	-	-	428	602	554	
330-400	FD	C	2	40	214.0	260.0	233.6	-3	-	-	-	773	936	834	
	RS	C	2	6	216.0	216.0	216.0	-37	-	-	-	767	767	767	
	RS	D	2	5	260.0	260.0	260.0	6	-	-	-	949	949	949	
					885	150.0	260.0			288	369		368	949	
	Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	C	2	2	234.0	250.0	242.0	-32	-	-	-	901	913	907	
	LE	C	2	5	240.0	240.0	240.0	N/Q	-	-	-	876	876	876	
	LE	D	2	4	256.0	256.0	256.0	N/Q	-	-	-	896	896	896	
	RS	D	2	2	238.0	252.0	245.0	N/Q	-	-	-	819	821	820	
	400-500	FD	C	2	89	230.0	302.0	285.4	-9	-	-	-	966	1450	1,305
FD		D	2	64	210.0	292.0	269.3	-2	-	-	-	903	1285	1,181	
LE		D	2	9	236.0	240.0	236.9	-16	-	-	-	956	1020	970	
LE		D	3	7	236.0	236.0	236.0	N/Q	-	-	-	991	991	991	
PR		D	3	3	250.0	250.0	250.0	N/Q	472	472	472	1113	1113	1,113	
500-600	FD	C	2	26	262.0	298.0	286.0	-9	-	-	-	1323	1565	1,460	
	FD	C	3	19	286.0	301.0	297.1	1	-	-	-	1559	1580	1,575	
	LE	C	3	3	260.0	280.0	273.3	N/Q	-	-	-	1430	1540	1,503	
	PR	C	3	49	247.0	297.0	281.3	-13	466	560	531	1309	1639	1,534	
	PR	C	4	10	295.0	295.0	295.0	N/Q	546	546	546	1652	1652	1,652	
600-750	PR	D	2	4	240.0	250.0	247.5	N/Q	453	481	469	1275	1332	1,302	
	PR	C	3	10	280.0	280.0	280.0	N/Q	519	519	519	1792	1792	1,792	
					306	210.0	302.0			453	560		819	1792	

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Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	3	65	230.0	- 273.0	248.4	13	-	-	-	886	- 1201	1,056
	FD	D	2	9	160.0	- 200.0	195.6	-10	-	-	-	640	- 710	702
	FD	D	3	12	232.0	- 232.0	232.0	32	-	-	-	986	- 986	986
	PR	C	2	5	212.0	- 212.0	212.0	N/Q	408	- 408	408	710	- 710	710
	PR	C	4	9	251.0	- 251.0	251.0	8	465	- 465	465	1293	- 1293	1,293
	PR	D	2	11	150.0	- 280.0	184.5	-18	288	- 538	366	600	- 980	755
	PR	D	3	7	190.0	- 228.0	200.9	-7	358	- 430	379	779	- 1003	868
	PR	D	4	12	220.0	- 251.2	247.4	8	407	- 465	458	935	- 1218	1,189
	RS	D	2	112	160.0	- 230.0	222.0	91	-	-	-	486	- 782	660
	RS	D	3	9	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1170	- 1170	1,170
				251	150.0	280.0			288	538		486	1293	
Manufacturing Steer														
540+	PR	D	3	1	226.0	- 226.0	226.0	N/Q	419	- 419	419	1503	- 1503	1,503
				1	226.0	226.0			419	419		1503	1503	
Cows														
0-400	PR	D	1	55	70.0	- 106.0	85.7	-43	167	- 241	203	211	- 403	293
	PR	D	2	22	140.0	- 155.0	144.3	4	304	- 337	325	490	- 597	537
	PR	D	3	14	160.0	- 180.2	171.5	N/Q	333	- 375	357	592	- 703	655
400-520	FD	D	2	16	130.0	- 165.0	148.5	-27	-	-	-	572	- 759	651
	PR	D	2	49	102.0	- 185.2	156.7	6	232	- 386	341	454	- 769	653
	PR	D	3	51	155.0	- 204.0	187.3	11	323	- 425	391	651	- 989	885
	PR	D	4	51	212.2	- 227.2	220.2	21	424	- 454	440	993	- 1170	1,076
	RS	D	2	12	106.0	- 106.0	106.0	-48	-	-	-	429	- 429	429
	RS	D	3	17	269.2	- 269.2	269.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1252	- 1252	1,252
520+	PR	D	3	1	192.0	- 192.0	192.0	5	400	- 400	400	1027	- 1027	1,027
	PR	D	4	72	212.0	- 231.2	223.5	8	420	- 454	438	1150	- 1410	1,248
				360	70.0	269.2			167	454		211	1410	
Bulls														
0-450	LE	C	2	1	258.0	- 258.0	258.0	11	-	-	-	942	- 942	942
	LE	D	2	16	200.0	- 264.0	240.0	-35	-	-	-	656	- 898	760
	PR	D	2	1	160.0	- 160.0	160.0	-55	308	- 308	308	352	- 352	352
	PR	E	2	1	198.0	- 198.0	198.0	N/Q	374	- 374	374	752	- 752	752
	RS	C	2	5	220.0	- 244.0	231.2	-17	-	-	-	566	- 891	695
	RS	D	2	70	142.0	- 250.0	195.9	-52	-	-	-	269	- 901	421
450-600	LE	C	2	7	254.0	- 280.0	268.9	-5	-	-	-	1207	- 1470	1,357
	LE	C	3	1	284.0	- 284.0	284.0	22	-	-	-	1647	- 1647	1,647
	LE	D	2	6	250.0	- 280.0	255.0	-31	-	-	-	1200	- 1274	1,212
	LE	D	3	5	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1296	- 1296	1,296
600+	LE	C	2	1	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	-18	-	-	-	1610	- 1610	1,610
	LE	C	3	24	270.0	- 284.0	279.7	14	-	-	-	1748	- 2513	2,076
	PR	C	2	4	194.0	- 242.0	221.0	N/Q	366	- 457	417	1378	- 2083	1,699
	PR	C	3	6	240.0	- 280.0	264.8	N/C	436	- 509	482	1600	- 2338	2,117

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	PR	E	2	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	264	- 264	264	1092	- 1092	1,092
	PR	E	3	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	255	- 255	255	952	- 952	952
	RS	C	3	1	282.0	- 282.0	282.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1805	- 1805	1,805
				151	140.0	284.0			255	509		269	2513	

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

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