

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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CQLX Gracemere

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Yarding 1838
 Change 261

comparison date 01/11/2019

There was an increased yarding of 1,838 head at CQLX Gracemere, 261 head more than last week. Although there were quite a few mixed pens and plain quality cattle present, there was a majority of well bred and well presented cattle on offer. The yarding was drawn predominately from local areas and attracted the usual panel of buyers, along with an extra export works and some local restockers. Light and medium yearling steers and heifers showed some easing which was in part due to the light conditioned and plainly bred cattle on offer.

Steer calves sold to 298c, however the best bred mixed sexes averaged from 213 to 242c/kg. Vealer steers sold to 304c, to average 264c/kg. Vealer heifers sold to record averages of 218 to 238.2c/kg for the best bred lines. Yearling steers varied with quality, with the lead of the medium weight yearling steers making to 312c, to average from 284 to 307c, with lighter well bred pens averaging from 277 to 283c/kg. There was an occasional yearling heifer sale to 304c, however averages from 234 to 268c were normal with a few heavy weights to feed making 293c/kg.

Most grown steers to feed averaged 290c to 309c, with the few finished steers selling to processors to 322c, recording a 318c/kg average. Feeders paid from 271 to 278c for heavy grown heifers, with the best to the trade making 302c, to average 291c/kg. 2 score cows topped at 214c, averaging 191c/kg. Heavy 4 score cows topped at 291c to improve 56c on last sale, averaging 285c/kg. Some of this improvement is due to a lift in finish and quality. A small yarding of heavy bulls sold to 323c to average 303c/kg. Well bred cows and calves made from \$975 to \$1,225 per unit.

Category	Sale Weight	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+	FD	D	1	3	174.0	182.0	176.7	N/Q	-	-	-	237	244	241	
	FD	D	2	18	180.0	200.0	192.0	12	-	-	-	315	352	328	
	PR	D	2	9	210.0	214.0	213.1	N/Q	404	412	410	353	399	363	
	RS	C	2	20	196.0	298.0	260.6	10	-	-	-	235	551	451	
	RS	D	1	11	190.0	220.0	203.6	N/Q	-	-	-	285	308	296	
	RS	D	2	16	174.0	286.0	237.8	23	-	-	-	296	515	422	
				77	174.0	298.0			404	412		235	551		
Vealer Steer															
200-280	RS	C	2	43	230.0	292.0	263.3	N/Q	-	-	-	478	682	580	
	RS	D	2	28	220.0	304.0	263.9	30	-	-	-	442	669	559	
				71	220.0	304.0			0	0		442	682		
Vealer Heifer															
200-280	FD	C	2	33	200.0	240.0	220.8	N/Q	-	-	-	402	600	471	
	FD	D	1	6	160.0	160.0	160.0	N/Q	-	-	-	322	322	322	
	FD	D	2	43	172.0	190.0	184.6	N/Q	-	-	-	361	456	427	
	PR	C	2	19	232.0	242.0	238.3	N/Q	446	465	458	476	569	534	
	PR	D	2	9	190.0	218.0	199.3	N/Q	365	419	383	384	501	423	
	RS	C	2	25	208.0	240.0	218.2	N/Q	-	-	-	436	552	459	
	RS	D	2	1	198.0	198.0	198.0	N/Q	-	-	-	398	398	398	
				136	160.0	242.0			365	465		322	600		
Yearling Steer															
200-280	FD	C	2	1	256.0	256.0	256.0	-11	-	-	-	691	691	691	
	FD	D	2	19	180.0	236.0	193.8	N/Q	-	-	-	362	578	460	
	PR	C	2	6	238.0	238.0	238.0	N/Q	458	458	458	559	559	559	

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280-330	RS	C	2	97	230.0	304.0	277.6	4	-	-	-	564	784	683	
	RS	D	1	9	206.2	230.0	214.1	N/Q	-	-	-	462	526	505	
	RS	D	2	49	220.0	296.0	253.8	-8	-	-	-	472	750	582	
	FD	C	2	9	260.0	260.0	260.0	-30	-	-	-	793	793	793	
	FD	D	2	17	274.2	288.2	284.1	-5	-	-	-	823	937	903	
330-400	RS	C	2	13	268.2	292.2	283.0	-11	-	-	-	767	891	844	
	FD	C	2	22	298.0	312.2	306.8	N/Q	-	-	-	1077	1133	1,107	
	RS	D	2	5	272.2	272.2	272.2	N/Q	-	-	-	966	966	966	
400+	FD	C	2	14	310.0	310.0	310.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1318	1318	1,318	
				261	180.0	312.2				458	458	362	1318		
Yearling Heifer															
200-280	FD	C	2	59	160.0	292.0	267.8	24	-	-	-	400	818	716	
	FD	D	1	3	160.0	160.0	160.0	N/Q	-	-	-	376	376	376	
	FD	D	2	169	160.0	240.0	184.7	-50	-	-	-	353	661	430	
	PR	C	2	31	200.0	244.0	236.4	-3	385	469	455	420	595	569	
	PR	D	2	50	186.0	242.0	228.3	21	358	465	439	440	666	573	
	RS	C	2	40	216.0	248.0	233.8	-6	-	-	-	518	644	574	
	RS	D	2	67	190.0	254.0	220.6	-23	-	-	-	456	699	554	
	280-330	FD	C	2	43	260.0	292.0	276.4	20	-	-	-	783	905	869
	FD	D	2	12	234.0	236.0	234.8	-14	-	-	-	679	779	720	
	PR	C	2	22	238.0	294.0	244.8	N/Q	458	565	471	690	882	714	
280-330	PR	D	2	3	234.0	234.0	234.0	20	450	450	450	714	714	714	
	RS	C	2	24	242.0	304.0	291.1	N/Q	-	-	-	702	1003	940	
	RS	D	2	1	202.0	202.0	202.0	-46	-	-	-	667	667	667	
	330-400	FD	C	2	1	256.0	256.0	256.0	-16	-	-	-	858	858	858
	FD	C	3	11	290.0	298.0	292.9	27	-	-	-	1015	1058	1,031	
	PR	C	3	3	278.0	278.0	278.0	N/Q	525	525	525	1001	1001	1,001	
	RS	C	2	1	282.0	282.0	282.0	N/Q	-	-	-	945	945	945	
					540	160.0	304.0				358	565	353	1058	
	Grown Steer														
	0-400	FD	C	2	10	296.0	296.0	296.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1110	1110	1,110
FD		D	2	9	180.0	286.2	266.5	N/Q	-	-	-	558	1072	899	
RS		D	2	1	214.0	214.0	214.0	N/Q	-	-	-	845	845	845	
400-500	FD	C	2	39	266.0	304.0	289.8	N/Q	-	-	-	1077	1386	1,250	
	FD	C	3	1	292.0	292.0	292.0	11	-	-	-	1183	1183	1,183	
	FD	D	2	6	300.0	300.0	300.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1275	1275	1,275	
	LE	D	2	5	256.0	262.0	258.4	N/Q	-	-	-	1037	1100	1,062	
	PR	C	3	10	305.0	312.0	309.2	N/C	587	589	588	1388	1513	1,463	
	PR	D	2	1	246.0	246.0	246.0	N/Q	473	473	473	1021	1021	1,021	
	RS	D	2	4	256.0	266.0	261.0	-35	-	-	-	1037	1250	1,144	
500-600	FD	C	2	14	291.0	306.0	296.4	N/Q	-	-	-	1470	1622	1,524	
	FD	C	3	3	299.0	299.0	299.0	7	-	-	-	1630	1630	1,630	
	PR	C	2	7	304.0	304.0	304.0	N/Q	585	585	585	1611	1611	1,611	

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600-750	PR	C	3	28	314.0	322.0	318.3	13	592	608	601	1617	1771	1,722
	PR	D	2	1	289.0	289.0	289.0	N/Q	556	556	556	1517	1517	1,517
	PR	C	4	1	317.0	317.0	317.0	N/Q	587	587	587	1918	1918	1,918
				140	180.0	322.0			473	608		558	1918	
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	2	48	240.0	292.0	271.0	9	-	-	-	838	1095	956
	FD	C	3	8	268.0	280.0	278.5	11	-	-	-	844	1022	1,000
	FD	D	2	31	186.0	254.0	245.2	13	-	-	-	539	889	813
	FD	D	3	4	276.0	276.0	276.0	N/C	-	-	-	952	952	952
	PR	C	3	4	262.0	301.0	271.8	22	494	568	513	983	1339	1,072
	PR	D	2	4	210.0	242.0	221.0	41	404	465	425	693	833	751
	PR	D	4	3	287.0	298.0	291.7	2	531	552	544	1363	1565	1,440
	RS	C	2	1	248.0	248.0	248.0	N/Q	-	-	-	880	880	880
	RS	D	2	3	210.0	210.0	210.0	N/C	-	-	-	725	725	725
540+	PR	C	4	1	302.0	302.0	302.0	N/Q	559	559	559	1691	1691	1,691
				107	186.0	302.0			404	568		539	1691	
Cows														
0-400	FD	D	2	12	184.0	214.0	186.5	N/Q	-	-	-	672	738	677
	PR	D	1	14	150.0	172.0	159.3	5	357	410	379	545	629	554
	PR	D	2	17	178.0	210.0	195.8	19	405	468	438	659	824	729
400-520	FD	D	2	7	194.0	198.0	194.6	N/C	-	-	-	805	842	810
	PR	D	2	36	155.0	220.0	205.0	9	352	478	453	636	970	851
	PR	D	3	18	232.0	265.0	252.1	40	483	552	525	1142	1267	1,233
	PR	D	4	1	266.0	266.0	266.0	N/Q	532	532	532	1170	1170	1,170
	RS	E	1	1	176.0	176.0	176.0	N/Q	-	-	-	722	722	722
520+	PR	D	3	17	240.0	274.0	264.7	46	500	571	551	1308	1452	1,408
	PR	D	4	56	268.0	291.0	285.0	56	536	582	560	1526	1688	1,612
	PR	D	5	1	251.0	251.0	251.0	N/Q	502	502	502	1418	1418	1,418
				180	150.0	291.0			352	582		545	1688	
Bulls														
0-450	FD	C	2	3	252.0	252.0	252.0	-5	-	-	-	680	680	680
	FD	D	2	18	160.0	220.0	183.3	-31	-	-	-	360	495	417
	LE	D	2	1	262.0	262.0	262.0	37	-	-	-	1087	1087	1,087
	PR	C	2	1	244.0	244.0	244.0	18	469	469	469	622	622	622
	RS	C	2	1	260.0	260.0	260.0	-10	-	-	-	780	780	780
	RS	D	2	34	240.0	276.0	250.6	16	-	-	-	511	846	625
450-600	PR	C	3	3	296.0	317.0	309.3	54	558	576	569	1376	1733	1,612
	PR	D	2	1	270.0	270.0	270.0	31	509	509	509	1391	1391	1,391
600+	PR	C	3	3	282.0	323.0	302.7	36	513	587	550	1819	2907	2,353
				65	160.0	323.0			469	587		360	2907	

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