

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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COLX Gracemere

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Yarding 3744
 Change -149

comparison date 15/11/2019

COLX Gracemere vendors penned a slightly smaller yarding of 3,744 head - down 150 head on last week. Cattle were mostly drawn from local areas around central Queensland however drafts came from Kynuna in the west, north to Sarina and south to Taroom. Cattle were very mixed, with increasing numbers of light conditioned cattle being presented as well as increasing numbers of poorly bred stock. There was the normal buying panel with one processor from last week not present and another taking their place. This could not maintain values for slaughter cattle at last sale rates and values eased for most descriptions. Drops of between 9c and 20c/kg were commonplace although some declines were due to variations in the quality and condition of the cattle.

Vealer steers sold to 272c with best bred steers averaging 261c/kg. Vealer heifers saw sales to 208c returning averages from 165c to 188c/kg. Light yearling steers averaged 265c for a good sample of well bred steers - medium weights averaged 270c and the best heavy weight yearling steers sold to 296c to average 292c/kg. Yearling heifers in the light and medium range returned quality related averages from 152c to 262c with well bred, forward conditioned pens to feed making to 274c to average 250c to 260c and those to the trade making to 262c/kg.

Feeders paid to 306c for a good quality offering of grown steers to feed to average 292c/kg. A few 4 score steers made 298c/kg. Well bred, grown heifers consistently made from 263c to 274c/kg. Cows eased across the board with 2 scores making to 199c occasionally to average between 161c and 173c/kg. Heavy 4 score cows sold to 240c, averaging 231c/kg. Heavy bulls averaged 259c to live export and 238c/kg to processors.

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	22	140.0	170.0	159.5	-20	-	210	289	247			
	FD	D	2	3	140.0	210.0	166.7	-6	-	168	378	257			
	PR	D	2	3	180.0	202.0	194.0	N/Q	346	388	373	252	384	312	
	RS	C	2	9	192.0	220.0	207.6	-15	-	288	429	366			
	RS	D	1	7	130.0	148.0	145.4	-25	-	200	215	202			
	RS	D	2	43	168.0	190.0	176.1	-19	-	276	342	303			
				87	130.0	220.0			346	388	168	429			
Vealer Steer															
200-280	FD	C	2	3	220.0	250.0	230.0	N/Q	-	506	663	558			
	FD	D	2	26	180.0	220.0	213.5	29	-	362	462	443			
	PR	C	2	17	210.0	220.0	218.2	-8	404	423	420	462	495	468	
	RS	C	2	33	240.0	272.0	260.9	14	-	482	680	615			
	RS	D	2	74	180.0	260.0	239.3	N/Q	-	362	570	502			
				153	180.0	272.0			404	423	362	680			
Vealer Heifer															
0-200	FD	D	2	8	160.0	160.0	160.0	-16	-	296	296	296			
	RS	D	1	1	126.0	126.0	126.0	N/Q	-	227	227	227			
	RS	D	2	34	130.0	204.0	187.5	N/Q	-	228	398	346			
200-280	FD	C	2	8	170.0	170.0	170.0	-6	-	391	391	391			
	FD	D	2	22	156.0	170.0	164.5	-20	-	322	374	353			
	PR	C	2	3	208.0	208.0	208.0	N/Q	400	400	400	499	499	499	
	PR	D	2	3	175.0	190.0	180.3	-34	337	365	347	359	418	394	
	RS	D	2	83	150.0	192.0	168.1	-33	-	310	396	354			
				162	126.0	208.0			337	400	227	499			

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Yearling Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	16	210.0	252.0	226.6	-57	-	-	-	473	680	557
	FD	D	1	7	160.0	184.0	170.0	N/Q	-	-	-	322	451	370
	FD	D	2	22	172.0	220.0	196.7	-53	-	-	-	396	572	500
	PR	D	2	10	200.0	232.0	226.4	N/Q	385	446	435	440	650	609
	RS	C	2	249	230.0	280.0	264.8	-2	-	-	-	593	767	688
	RS	D	1	11	176.0	226.0	207.6	N/Q	-	-	-	378	531	467
	RS	D	2	275	180.0	282.0	250.9	2	-	-	-	369	778	636
280-330	FD	C	2	8	278.0	278.0	278.0	N/Q	-	-	-	917	917	917
	FD	D	2	9	266.0	266.0	266.0	8	-	-	-	878	878	878
	PR	C	2	9	240.0	248.0	247.1	N/Q	462	477	475	744	756	755
	RS	C	2	29	242.0	276.2	266.0	-19	-	-	-	690	884	848
	RS	D	2	85	249.0	276.0	270.4	-12	-	-	-	722	911	836
330-400	FD	C	2	49	240.0	296.2	280.9	-19	-	-	-	852	1170	1,027
	FD	D	2	61	244.0	292.0	281.7	4	-	-	-	842	993	960
	RS	C	2	8	260.2	260.2	260.2	-43	-	-	-	924	924	924
	RS	D	2	29	206.0	276.0	273.2	13	-	-	-	690	946	931
400+	FD	C	2	21	280.0	296.0	292.0	-19	-	-	-	1134	1210	1,189
				898	160.0	296.2			385	477		322	1210	
Yearling Heifer														
0-200	FD	E	1	6	160.0	160.0	160.0	N/Q	-	-	-	280	280	280
200-280	FD	C	2	22	214.0	216.0	215.5	-13	-	-	-	572	605	598
	FD	D	1	37	140.0	170.0	153.5	-18	-	-	-	336	400	367
	FD	D	2	199	150.0	202.0	171.7	-12	-	-	-	368	566	429
	PR	C	2	40	204.0	224.0	218.0	-15	392	431	419	514	610	582
	PR	D	2	57	160.0	242.0	198.8	-23	308	465	382	392	641	536
	RS	C	2	95	170.0	232.0	204.1	-11	-	-	-	396	626	523
	RS	D	1	35	128.0	186.0	155.2	5	-	-	-	339	456	383
	RS	D	2	159	162.0	222.0	196.4	-4	-	-	-	405	583	503
280-330	FD	C	2	42	216.0	258.0	235.7	-13	-	-	-	659	851	737
	FD	C	3	6	268.0	268.0	268.0	N/Q	-	-	-	884	884	884
	FD	D	2	105	180.0	246.0	212.7	-27	-	-	-	513	787	648
	FD	D	3	20	238.0	238.0	238.0	N/Q	-	-	-	762	762	762
	PR	C	2	7	200.0	206.0	202.1	-48	385	396	389	610	637	628
	PR	C	3	7	240.0	240.0	240.0	N/Q	462	462	462	768	768	768
	PR	D	2	14	216.0	222.0	216.9	-1	415	427	417	616	677	624
	RS	C	2	12	262.0	262.0	262.0	3	-	-	-	838	838	838
	RS	D	2	9	214.0	214.0	214.0	-9	-	-	-	674	674	674
330-400	FD	C	2	62	192.0	268.0	252.8	-18	-	-	-	653	978	888
	FD	C	3	75	256.0	274.0	259.5	-19	-	-	-	877	960	930
	FD	D	2	11	220.0	250.0	236.2	N/Q	-	-	-	759	883	826
	PR	C	3	43	220.2	260.0	250.4	N/Q	423	491	474	760	936	892
	PR	D	3	12	204.0	222.0	218.0	-21	392	419	414	683	755	738

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400+	RS	C	2	8	216.0	216.0	216.0	N/Q	-	-	-	724	724	724
	PR	C	3	13	250.0	264.0	261.8	N/Q	472	498	494	1063	1109	1,102
				1096	128.0	274.0			308	498		280	1109	
Grown Steer														
0-400	FD	C	2	64	250.0	302.0	289.4	-0	-	-	-	800	1088	1,007
	FD	D	2	55	256.0	302.0	297.1	N/Q	-	-	-	884	1133	1,063
400-500	PR	D	2	1	220.0	220.0	220.0	N/Q	423	423	423	627	627	627
	RS	D	2	4	220.0	220.0	220.0	-26	-	-	-	737	737	737
	RS	E	2	3	180.0	180.0	180.0	N/Q	-	-	-	531	531	531
	FD	C	2	122	260.0	302.0	291.8	-1	-	-	-	1053	1426	1,286
	FD	D	2	34	260.0	302.0	279.5	-9	-	-	-	1096	1253	1,173
500-600	LE	D	2	1	246.0	246.0	246.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1193	1193	1,193
	RS	D	2	3	198.0	198.0	198.0	N/Q	-	-	-	822	822	822
	FD	C	3	5	306.0	306.0	306.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1637	1637	1,637
	FD	D	2	1	240.0	240.0	240.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1296	1296	1,296
	LE	C	3	10	296.0	300.0	296.8	N/Q	-	-	-	1584	1635	1,594
	PR	C	3	2	297.0	297.0	297.0	-8	550	550	550	1663	1663	1,663
	PR	C	4	3	296.0	301.0	297.7	-20	548	557	551	1520	1554	1,543
			308	180.0	306.0			423	557		531	1663		
Grown Heifer														
0-540	FD	C	2	50	190.0	266.0	244.7	-25	-	-	-	675	1051	901
	FD	C	3	11	258.0	274.0	260.9	-14	-	-	-	1084	1165	1,098
	FD	D	1	1	220.0	220.0	220.0	N/Q	-	-	-	726	726	726
	FD	D	2	38	168.0	250.0	230.7	5	-	-	-	613	1050	829
	FD	D	3	9	238.0	238.0	238.0	-7	-	-	-	762	762	762
	FD	E	1	1	140.0	140.0	140.0	N/Q	-	-	-	462	462	462
	PR	C	3	10	214.0	272.0	256.0	-3	412	513	485	728	1156	1,051
	PR	C	4	11	240.0	266.0	262.8	-10	444	493	488	996	1144	1,087
	PR	D	2	19	150.0	220.0	195.4	-5	341	423	399	488	874	733
	PR	D	3	49	188.0	266.0	219.7	-1	362	502	415	639	1144	811
	PR	E	2	7	188.0	188.0	188.0	N/Q	409	409	409	677	677	677
	RS	C	2	32	218.0	266.0	254.0	N/Q	-	-	-	774	984	878
	RS	D	1	5	140.0	160.0	152.0	N/Q	-	-	-	413	488	458
	RS	D	2	13	150.0	190.0	179.5	18	-	-	-	419	580	537
				256	140.0	274.0			341	513		413	1165	
Cows														
0-400	FD	D	1	41	100.0	148.0	124.4	-16	-	-	-	335	540	451
	FD	D	2	27	120.0	184.0	161.2	-18	-	-	-	432	727	608
	PR	D	1	15	90.0	120.0	102.0	-56	205	286	237	324	408	358
	PR	D	2	35	130.0	178.2	170.2	-14	295	387	374	501	686	634
	RS	D	1	15	164.0	164.0	164.0	15	-	-	-	590	590	590
	RS	D	2	3	130.0	130.0	130.0	N/Q	-	-	-	455	455	455
	400-520	FD	D	2	31	142.0	188.0	168.0	-27	-	-	-	611	865

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						Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
		PR	D	2	59	140.0	199.0	173.2	-31	304	433	378	616	945	757
		PR	D	3	35	180.0	229.0	202.8	-27	375	471	416	801	1175	943
		PR	D	4	13	204.0	239.0	230.5	-22	408	478	461	1040	1243	1,197
520+		FD	D	3	1	196.0	196.0	196.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1029	1029	1,029
		PR	D	3	7	209.0	209.0	209.0	-20	435	435	435	1108	1108	1,108
		PR	D	4	126	218.0	238.0	231.0	-25	436	470	455	1188	1392	1,283
		PR	D	5	1	220.0	220.0	220.0	N/Q	458	458	458	1243	1243	1,243
		PR	E	4	2	195.0	195.0	195.0	N/Q	406	406	406	1034	1034	1,034
					411	90.0	239.0			205	478		324	1392	
Bulls															
0-450		FD	D	1	7	150.0	160.0	157.1	-5	-	-	-	322	345	328
		FD	D	2	8	150.0	206.0	196.0	-4	-	-	-	225	865	543
		LE	C	2	10	248.0	266.0	262.6	N/Q	-	-	-	694	1109	839
		LE	C	3	6	230.0	230.0	230.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1001	1001	1,001
		LE	D	1	1	216.0	216.0	216.0	N/Q	-	-	-	702	702	702
		LE	D	2	6	248.0	250.0	249.3	N/Q	-	-	-	756	1013	896
		PR	C	2	5	210.0	234.0	214.8	N/Q	404	450	413	452	527	467
		PR	D	2	3	212.0	212.0	212.0	-19	400	400	400	943	943	943
		RS	C	2	8	254.0	266.0	264.5	17	-	-	-	838	1130	875
		RS	D	2	4	178.0	242.0	209.0	-34	-	-	-	267	653	511
450-600		FD	D	2	1	194.0	194.0	194.0	-36	-	-	-	931	931	931
		LE	C	3	4	240.0	250.0	245.0	-27	-	-	-	1236	1325	1,281
		PR	D	2	4	194.0	200.0	197.0	N/Q	366	377	372	902	1060	981
600+		LE	C	3	4	245.0	290.0	258.5	-31	-	-	-	1624	2175	1,871
		PR	C	3	8	214.0	253.0	237.9	-40	389	460	433	1359	2281	1,948
					79	150.0	290.0			366	460		225	2281	

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