

RLX Market Report

CQLX Prime & Store Cattle Sale – Wednesday 30th April 2025

Total Yarding: 3132 (+1437)

Vendors penned a larger yarding of 3123 head at CQLX Gracemere sale -up 1437 on last week's wet sale. Cattle came to hand from all the usual local and coastal areas along with one large draft from Longreach. Quality was mixed, although condition was good store to forward on most of the offering. The processor and feeder buying panels were both missing a couple of operators and this, along with the mixed offering saw prices ease in most categories.

Vealer steers made to 445c/kg to average 414c to 427c/kg. Vealer heifers reached a top of 331c/kg to average 305c to 314c/kg for the best.

Light weight yearling steers topped at 447c/kg to average 341c to 402c/kg for the well-bred pens to restockers. Medium weight pens averaged 333c to 382c/kg for well-bred lines topping at 425c/kg. Light weight pens of yearling heifers sold to 363c/kg, averaging 282c to 310c/kg for the best-bred lots. Best bred lines in medium weight lots sold to 341c/kg, with averages from 260c to 294c/kg.

Best finished grown steers to processors sold to 341c/kg. Feeder steers made to 381c/kg with averages in feeder and restockers pens of 325c to 354c/kg common. Trade weight heifers eased generally, selling to 309c/kg to average 294c/kg.

Prime, four score cows topped at 281c/kg to average 276c/kg. Heavy bulls averaged 236c/kg to processors. Good average quality cows and calves sold for \$1,360c to \$1,760 per unit. Reporter: Richard Thomson

Sex	Weight Range	Head	c/Kg			\$/Head		
			Min	Avg	Max	Min	Avg	Max
COW & CALF								
\$/Head	Unweighed	34	0.00	0.00	0.00	800.00	1,530.00	1,760.00
Total COW & CALF		34	0.00	0.00	0.00	800.00	1,530.00	1,760.00
Total Sold \$/Head		34	0.00	0.00	0.00	800.00	1,530.00	1,760.00
BULL								
c/kg	330-400	1	240.20	240.20	240.20	924.77	924.77	924.77
	400-500	5	220.00	229.51	240.20	977.61	1,033.24	1,114.53
	500-600	10	230.00	246.56	268.20	1,246.60	1,361.77	1,531.42
	600+	25	214.20	245.24	274.20	1,379.45	1,795.66	2,131.88
Total BULL		41	214.20	244.11	274.20	924.77	1,575.61	2,131.88
COW								
c/kg	200-280	2	60.00	60.00	60.00	156.00	156.00	156.00
	280-330	1	186.20	186.20	186.20	595.84	595.84	595.84
	330-400	8	222.20	236.88	256.20	794.36	871.41	995.34
	400-500	81	172.20	264.36	280.20	725.82	1,227.64	1,356.34
	500-600	162	248.20	273.51	285.20	1,284.20	1,479.00	1,657.66
	600+	38	252.20	274.12	280.20	1,636.88	1,739.50	1,855.02
Total COW		292	60.00	269.75	285.20	156.00	1,414.44	1,855.02
Total COW								
c/kg								

Commentary by NLRs

(Average: 80% of Yarding price recorded)

Price Data Tables by AgriNous

(100% of Yarding price recorded)

Sex	Weight Range	Head	c/Kg			\$/Head		
			Min	Avg	Max	Min	Avg	Max
HEIFER c/kg	0-200	33	224.20	298.73	330.20	352.44	516.44	601.40
	200-280	411	200.00	287.85	362.20	426.39	694.18	952.86
	280-330	211	202.20	287.96	332.20	604.58	847.07	950.60
	330-400	287	240.00	278.87	318.20	880.12	997.28	1,174.43
	400-500	247	246.20	285.35	340.20	1,030.96	1,235.98	1,474.20
	500-600	24	281.20	296.54	304.20	1,524.51	1,541.26	1,588.77
Total HEIFER c/kg		1213	200.00	285.25	362.20	352.44	914.74	1,588.77
MICKEY BULL c/kg	0-200	4	356.20	381.66	400.00	648.28	731.82	796.00
	200-280	47	180.00	323.65	398.20	498.60	785.16	853.83
	280-330	10	240.00	280.66	328.20	723.75	820.36	943.58
	330-400	28	250.00	306.37	328.20	962.50	1,104.90	1,191.02
	400-500	21	270.00	304.57	316.20	1,169.10	1,282.95	1,486.17
	500-600	2	280.20	285.19	290.00	1,409.41	1,460.15	1,510.90
Total MICKEY BULL c/kg		112	180.00	310.42	400.00	498.60	971.72	1,510.90
STEER c/kg	0-200	36	260.00	382.16	428.20	382.20	694.37	845.70
	200-280	542	200.00	373.33	444.20	400.00	911.80	1,228.33
	280-330	206	150.00	331.29	424.20	441.00	1,001.40	1,276.14
	330-400	345	202.20	329.09	424.20	685.46	1,182.24	1,492.65
	400-500	181	250.00	325.80	380.20	1,013.31	1,421.19	1,816.81
	500-600	83	272.20	327.15	374.20	1,385.50	1,734.06	1,997.96
Total STEER c/kg	600+	1	200.00	200.00	200.00	1,224.00	1,224.00	1,224.00
Total Sold c/kg		3052	60.00	307.11	444.20	156.00	1,058.90	2,131.88

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