



Welcome to your weekly overview of key QSL news and information.

QSL Weekly Updates & QSL Market Updates will close from Dec 21 - Jan 7

QSL 2018 Grower Satisfaction Survey

How are we doing?

As an industry-owned service organisation, QSL is committed to providing the best possible products and services to Queensland cane growers and millers. Your opinion matters to us, so please take a few minutes to share your thoughts by completing the short survey available by [clicking here](#).

MSF Growers: Marketing nominations close 31 December, 2018

If you're a supplier to an MSF Sugar mill, don't miss your chance to market with QSL in 2019. Growers in the MSF Sugar milling districts who want to use QSL pricing and marketing services next year will need to nominate QSL as a marketer by the end of the year. Marketing nominations for next season will close on 31 December 2018. To talk with your local QSL Grower Representative Officer, Daniel Messina, please call 0429 660 238 or email Daniel.Messina@qsl.com.au

James is QSL's new 'go to' representative in the Herbert River



This week QSL's new Grower Support Officer James Formosa began work at Ingham for QSL Herbert River.

James has a Bachelor of Agribusiness degree (University of Queensland, Gatton Campus) and has experience working in broadacre cropping enterprises.

James, who is from the Innisfail/Cairns districts originally, is looking forward to building a career within the agribusiness sector of the sugar industry with QSL.

Advance rates for January 2019 and February 2019 approved by QSL Board earlier this month, are as follows:

	Jan 2019	Feb 2019
Pool value date	28 Dec 2018	25 January 2019
Payment	23 January 2019	20 February 2019
Percentage	80% (5% increase)	82.5% (2.5% Increase)

Current indicative pool prices

To access our latest indicative 2018-Season pool prices and the Shared Pool applicable to your milling district, please click on the relevant link below:

- [Bundaberg Sugar milling districts](#)
- [Isis Central Sugar Mill milling districts](#)
- [Mackay Sugar milling districts](#)
- [MSF Sugar milling districts](#)
- [Tully Sugar milling districts](#)
- [Wilmar milling districts](#)

QSL Market Update

The raw sugar market remained fairly neutral mainly trading sideways over the past week, in a 60 point range. Initial talks around easing of trade tensions and OPEC productions cuts triggered bounces across commodities early in the week, with sugar

holding at the 13 cent level. However, confusion around the tariff terms & conditions and OPEC cuts not going to plan erased any rally.

[Click here to read our full update](#)

[Today's sugar prices](#)

[Click here to read our latest Daily Market Snapshot](#)

Mackay Sugar Growers Marketing Choice

QSL is hopeful an On-Supply Agreement (OSA) will soon be signed with Mackay Sugar Limited. Once this occurs, Mackay Sugar growers can exercise their right to choose who markets their GEI (Grower Economic Interest) Sugar. When an announcement is made we'll be sending you a Nomination Form. You will be able to fill this in online, in hardcopy or you can visit the new QSL office at Mackay and we'll help you with this initial step to choosing QSL as your industry-owned preferred marketer. When visiting the Mackay office we'll be asking you to also bring in one of your Mackay Sugar cane payment statements and/or RTCI (Recipient Created Tax Invoice). In the meantime - if you'd like to discuss this process or you have any queries please call the Mackay QSL Office on 4967 4618 or Sonia Ball on 0418 978 120.

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