

QSL Weekly Update

25 January 2024



Self-Managed Harvest Contract available to Tully growers

QSL is pleased to advise that our Self-Managed Harvest Contract (SMHC) will be available to growers in the Tully region from the 2024 Season.

QSL's SMHC allows growers to take full control of their pricing by managing their own production risk. Under this pricing option, growers price all of their QSL Harvest Pool allocation, with the final 20% of this tonnage used as a production buffer that is priced after delivery. This means that growers can use the SMHC to price up to 98% of their GEI Sugar each season – that's everything except their share of the highly lucrative US Quota Pool.

Growers in the Tully region who are interested in using the SMHC should get in touch with their local team.

QSL values your feedback: survey closing soon

Growers are encouraged to give their feedback to help us deliver the best possible service and products by completing QSL's Annual Grower Survey.

Issued via email to QSL Pricing Managers and primary contacts in non-QSL Direct regions, the survey only takes a few minutes to complete. If you have not received a copy of the survey, please get in touch with your local QSL team.

The survey closes **5pm Saturday 3 February 2024**.

Celebrating a century of service



Pictured: A tractor pulling a plough through a cut cane field in the Ingham area, ca 1922. Approximately 100km north of Townsville, it's reported that sugar cane was first planted in the Herbert River region as early as 1868. Soon after large plantations were established, including Gairloch, Bemerside and Macknade, with the first local sugar mill

constructed in 1872 on the Gairloch property. Photo courtesy of the State Library of Queensland.

Grower Benefits: exclusive discounts on tech

QSL Direct Pricing Managers can take advantage of a number of back-to-school discounts on the latest tech from Dell Technologies, JB Hi-Fi and more!

Just click on the **BENEFITS** button in the bottom right hand corner of our app to check out the latest offers.



2023-Season US Quota allocation increase

QSL growers may notice a small adjustment has been made to their 2023-Season Harvest Pool and Self-Managed Harvest Pool allocation. This change reflects a recent increase in Australia's US Quota and subsequent increase in exposure to the QSL 2023-Season US Quota pool.

More information about QSL's US Quota pool is available by [clicking here](#).

2024-Season pricing commitments

In light of weather events across Far North Queensland last month, any QSL growers who are concerned about their ability to meet their 2024-Season pricing commitments should contact their local team to discuss their options.

Contact details of your local team can be found by [clicking here](#).

QSL Daily Price

Subscribe to the Daily Prices Tracker in the QSL App to stay up to date with daily market movements.

Don't have the QSL App?

Head to the 'Tools' section of the App, select 'Daily Prices Tracker' and hit the 'Subscribe' button at the top of the screen. Just make sure you have notifications switched on in your phone's settings.

For assistance, contact your local QSL team.

Key Dates 2024

20 February 2024

Last day to price 2023-Season Target Price Contract tonnage before the pricing window is automatically extended and roll adjustments apply.

MSF Sugar Milling Districts: Last day to complete 2023-Season Target Pricing, unless your miller has granted you an extension. Any unpriced

tonnage remaining after this date will be priced by QSL at the next market opportunity.

20 February 2024

Last day to achieve or roll pricing allocated to the March 2024 ICE 11 contract through the Individual Futures Contract or Self-Managed Harvest Contract.

MSF Sugar Milling Districts: Also the May 2024 ICE 11 Contract Pricing Completion Date unless your miller has granted you an extension. Any unpriced tonnage remaining after this date will be priced by QSL at the next market opportunity.

30 April 2024

Last day to nominate tonnage to QSL's 2024-Season Actively Managed Pool, Guaranteed Floor Pool, Individual Futures Contract and Target Price Contract.

QSL Pool Prices

Indicative pool prices and
Shared Pool values

Daily Sugar Prices

The latest market data

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