

Livestock Supervisor Cataby, Western Australia

About us

Central Agri Group is a unique national business, strategically located across three Australian states. We are the owners and operators of several Abattoirs, farms, feedlots, live export depot's and quarantine facilities in Victoria, Western Australia and the Northern Territory.

We are seeking to appoint a highly dedicated, experienced and energetic Livestock supervisor to contribute to our growing National business. The Livestock Supervisor will have extensive knowledge and experience in the management of the day to day Livestock operation in a large intensive feedlot and backgrounding environment. The applicant will be given an opportunity to demonstrate their skills and abilities as a leader of our livestock team, supervising all Livestock areas across our Iconic operation.

Central Agri Group's Joanna Plains farm, feedlot and Backgrounding facility spans across 9,000ha and is located 170km north of Perth in Cataby, Western Australia. At Joanna Plains we have the capacity to lot feed and background 13,400hd of Cattle year-round.

The Livestock Supervisor will report to the Operations Manager and company General Manager.

About the role

The Livestock Supervisor role is critical to ensuring all our cattle handling, treatment, processing and movement is undertaken safely, effectively and to the highest possible standards of animal health and animal welfare best practice. Each day will present a variety of new challenges as you coordinate livestock with your team of stock persons. You will be required to keep up to date with industry regulations, compliance requirements and maintain a careful watch over the health and welfare of all livestock, treating them as required. The person we are looking for must be a team player who will have meticulous attention to detail, have a passion for working with cattle and the ability to handle stock in a quiet and calm manner. The role requires a person who will effectively plan, oversee and manage the day to day livestock operation at our farm, feedlot and live export depot.

Daily duties will include but not be limited too;

- Manage all aspects of cattle handling and observation from induction, health management, movements and dispatch
- Management of incoming/outgoing cattle destined for Live export
- Drive team & individual performance through effective people management & supervision
- Developing others through coaching, mentoring & training
- Maintaining industry best standards & quality across health & safety, animal welfare & environment
- Ensuring accurate data and information capture, recording and reporting
- Utilise livestock data systems and technology daily
- Inventory control & stocktaking of all livestock related products
- Ensure all livestock working areas, facilities, cattle yards, cattle handling equipment and tools are always kept clean and maintained.
- Collaborate & provide positive contributions to the Operations Manager and General Manager of the business

Required Experience

The successful applicant will bring an energetic approach along with the required experience as set out below:

- Experience working in a feedlot, live cattle export depot and quarantine facilities
- Highly developed livestock handling and management skills including all aspects of cattle management, from receival to dispatch.
- Must be computer literate and have had extensive experience and be proficient in managing all livestock administration including but not limited too; NLIS transfers, NVD management, MSA requirements and documentation, management of cattle processing scan and data files, maintaining stock movement advice's and all livestock related movement records.
- Ability to run cattle induction's, draft cattle into required lines and provide hospital treatments to cattle as required.
- Experienced in preparing cattle for live export and the various country protocol requirements Experience in any of the following country protocol requirements is not essential but would be extremely advantageous (Indonesia, Vietnam, Israel and China)
- Experience using livestock data applications and technology
- Livestock staff supervision
- Confident and collaborative interpersonal approach and communication
- Demonstrated ability to lead others
- Proven ability to work under pressure
- Proven high level of communication
- Ability to communicate with customers, agents and all industry stakeholders as part of you role as required

To be eligible for this role you will have a minimum **5 years livestock experience** within an intensive feedlot/live export depot environment, be currently working within the industry and be able to demonstrate experience in all areas as stipulated under <u>Required Experience</u>. You will also need to provide at least three contactable industry references.

The successful candidate will share our passion for cattle, be a committed team player who takes full ownership and accountability in their role as well as an uncompromising approach to working safely and ensuring quality results. You will be a hands-on leader who can successfully build and maintain a high performing livestock crew.

Remuneration

On offer is an attractive remuneration that will be negotiated to reflect skills and experience and will also include;

- Private Homestead (Suitable for a family) located onsite
- Work vehicle
- Phone allowance

For applicants with families, a school is located 20km away and the workplace is within a school bus pickup location

This role is with one of Australia's fastest-growing agribusinesses and there will be great long-standing career prospects and professional growth opportunities on offer for candidates as we continue our growth. If you feel you are suitably qualified with the required experience and are interested in applying for this role then please send in your current resume and a brief cover letter too;

recruitment@centralagrigroup.com.au

All applications will be reviewed and treated as confidential.