

## CHARTERS TOWERS PRIME AND STORE SALE

Wednesday – 18<sup>th</sup> September, 2013

Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of **1062 Cattle**.  
Consisting of **708 Prime Cattle** and **354 Store Cattle**.

**Prime Cattle yarded:** 440 Bullocks, 25 Heifers, 207 Cows and 36 Bulls.

**Store Cattle yarded:** 223 Steers and 125 Heifers & 6 Cows & 5 Calves

Prime Cattle comprised of a large line of northern Bullocks, and a small amount of well finished local Ox & Cows. The yarding was drawn from Belyando, Richmond, Hughenden, Pentland, Hervey's Range, Burketown, Cloncurry, Basalt, Coastal & Local areas.

Bullocks were unchanged; Heifers were 1 -2¢ dearer, Cows were 2 -4¢ dearer and Bulls were 2-4¢ easier on last week's rates.

### Prime Quotes:

Description	Category	Wt. Range	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
<b>Heifers</b>	Medium	Up to 440kg	24	75.2	84.6	113.2
	Heavy	Over 440kg	0	0	0	0
<b>Cows</b>	Medium	Up to 400kg	88	30.0	77.2	100.0
	Heavy	Over 400kg	122	80.0	105.1	119.2
<b>Steers &amp; Bullocks</b>	Medium	Up to 500kg	339	50.0	132.9	149.2
	Heavy	Over 500kg	95	110.2	150.2	156.2
<b>Bulls</b>	Heavy	Over 450kg	29	60.0	92.8	118.0

- Bullocks topped at 156.2¢/kg for 5 good Bullocks sold on A/c AJ Paine & Son, "Torver Valley" Station that weighed 572kg to return \$893 per head.
- 342 Ox sold on A/c EJT Camp, "Floraville" Station, Burketown made 142.3¢/kg averaged 469.3kg to return \$667.69 per head.
- Best priced Trade Heifers were presented on A/c Paul Minuzzo, Charters Towers, making 100.0¢/kg to weigh 371kg and return \$371 per head.
- The top Pen of Cows were sold on A/c Closemaster Pty Ltd, "Yambungan Station" Cloncurry, for 119.2¢/kg, weighed 461kg to return \$549 per head.
- Bulls sold on A/c D & R Morris, topped at 118¢/kg and weighed 885kg to return \$1044 per head.

### Store Quotes:

Store Cattle were of mixed quality, with most lines being consigned from the west. Most Store Cattle are showing the effects of the season, except local Weaners straight off Cows

Description	Wt. Range	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
<b>Steers</b>	Up to 200	17	60.2	102.3	108.2
	200 – 320	164	65.2	110.5	134.2
	320 – 400	27	85.0	104.2	117.2
	Over 400	12	119.2	119.2	119.2
<b>Heifers</b>	Up to 200	29	50.0	96.5	113.2
	200 – 320	71	30.0	85.6	100.2
	320 – 370	22	65.0	87.4	91.2
	Over 370	0	0	0	0

- A pen of 23 Steers A/c Henderson Group, "Lassie Creek", Charters Towers, made 134.2¢/kg weighed 218kg and realised \$293 per head.
- A good pen of 8 Heifers sold on A/c Henderson Group, "Lassie Creek", Charters Towers, made 113.2¢/kg weighed 198kg and returned \$224 per head.

**NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY 25th SEPTEMBER 2013**

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