

## CHARTERS TOWERS PRIME AND STORE SALE MARKET REPORT

**Wednesday – 29<sup>th</sup> May 2013**

Charters Towers combined agents yarded a total of **225 Cattle**.

Consisting of **174 Prime Cattle** and **41 Store Cattle** at this week's Sale.

**Prime Cattle Consisted Of:** 56 Bullocks, 58 Heifers, 48 Cows and 12 Bulls.

**Store Cattle Consisted Of:** 37 Steers and 4 Heifers.

Cattle comprised of small lines of finished to plainer types on a very reduced yarding due to the large Store sale conducted last Friday. The yarding was drawn from mostly local areas with some sourced from the coastal and northern districts. Bullocks were quoted the same as last week, Heifers were 10¢ dearer, and Cows were 5¢ dearer on last week's rates.

Description	Category	Wt. Range	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
Heifers	Medium	Up to 440kg	36	102.2	108.5	112.2
	Heavy	Over 440kg	35	108.2	118.6	130.2
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	15	40.0	77.0	93.2
	Heavy	Over 400kg	20	50.0	90.8	102.2
Steers and Bullocks	Medium	Up to 500kg	44	60.0	108.4	147.2
	Heavy	Over 500kg	12	140.2	142.8	152.2
Bulls	Heavy	Over 450kg	9	95.0	106.0	120.2

- Bullocks topped at 147.2¢/kg for 7 Bullocks sold on A/c Fig Tree Cattle Co, "Hillsborough Station" Ravenswood, that weighed 500kg to return \$736 per head.
- Best priced trade Heifers were presented on A/c Blue Grass Cattle Co, Charters Towers, which made 130.2¢/kg to weigh 473kg and return \$616 per head.
- The top pen of Cows were sold A/c Blue Grass Cattle Co, "Amarra" Charters Towers, for 102.2¢/kg to weigh 421.4kg and return \$430.70 per head.
- Bulls sold on A/c Lyons Family, topped at 120.2¢/kg and weighed 635kg to return \$763.20 per head.

### Store Quotes:

Store Cattle were in short supply with a total of only 41 Cattle presented.

	Wt. Range	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	200 – 320kg	12	110.2	121.2	122.2
	320 – 400kg	25	120.2	122.2	123.2
	400 – 500kg	0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Heifers	Up to 200kg	0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	200 – 320kg	4	75	92.2	106.2
	320 – 370kg	0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Over 370kg	0	0.0	0.0	0.0

- A pen of 8 Steers sold on A/c AJ & HF Bryant, Charters Towers, made 122.2¢/kg weighed 263.8kg and realised \$322.30 per head.
- A good pen of 2 Heifers sold on A/c SD Bonanno & Sons, Homehill, made 106.2¢/kg and weighed 320kg returned \$339.84 per head.

**NEXT PRIME AND STORE SALE IS BOOKED FOR  
WEDNESDAY 5<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2013**

**GEANEY'S SPECIAL STORE SALE FRIDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2013**  
**BOOKINGS RECOMMENDED**  
**\*2200\* CATTLE ALREADY BOOKED \*2200\***

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