

## CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE

**Wednesday – 13<sup>th</sup> April, 2016**

**Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 1552hd.**

**Cattle consisting of 855 Prime Cattle and 697 Store Cattle.**

**The Prime Cattle consisted of 265 Bullocks, 95 Heifers, 459 Cows and 36 Bulls.**

**Store Cattle consisted of 466 Steers, 218 Heifers and 13 Cows & Calves.**

Cattle comprised of an overall better quality yarding in all lines, especially in the Bullocks. The yarding was drawn from Croydon, Forsayth, Belyando, Ingham, Bowen and Local areas. Bullocks were quoted 5¢ dearer, Heifers were 5¢ dearer and Cows were 15¢ dearer, on last week's rates.

**Prime Quotes:**

Description	Category	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
<b>Heifers</b>	Medium	Up to 440kg	88	167.2	214.8	235.2
	Heavy	Over 440kg	9	207.2	214.9	220.0
<b>Cows</b>	Medium	Up to 400kg	155	80.0	162.7	199.2
	Heavy	Over 400kg	302	143.2	201.5	225.0
<b>Steers &amp; Bullocks</b>	Medium	Up to 500kg	215	150.0	246.3	266.2
	Heavy	Over 500kg	50	150.0	244.7	260.2
<b>Bulls</b>	Heavy	Over 450kg	29	130.0	191.4	229.0

- A pen of 18 Crossbred Bullocks a/c Mt Douglas Pastoral Co, "Mt Douglas", Clermont made 264.2c/kg to weigh 488.3kg and averaged \$1,290 per head.
- Bullocks topped at 266.2¢/kg for 9 Bullocks sold on a/c Mt. Douglas Pastoral Co, "Mt Douglas", Clermont that weighed 391.1kg to return \$1,041 per head.
- Best priced Trade Heifers were presented on a/c Pedracini Grazing Trust, "Scartwater", Charters Towers which made 235.2¢/kg to weigh 370.4kg and return \$871 per head.
- The top pen of Cows were sold by Department of Agriculture & Fisheries for 225.0¢/kg and weighed 530kg to return \$1,192 per head.
- Bulls sold on a/c AJ & MA Spurdle topped at 229.0¢/kg and weighed 613.3kg to return \$1,404 per head.

**Store Quotes:**

Store Cattle also better with good lines of quality Steers and Heifers.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
<b>Steers</b>	Up to 200kg	37	70.0	281.2	288.2
	200 – 320kg	353	100.0	265.9	286.2
	320 – 400kg	0	0	0	0
	Over 400kg	53	130.0	235.1	271.2
<b>Heifers</b>	Up to 200kg	72	30.0	214.2	238.2
	200 – 320kg	103	80.0	233.3	256.2
	320 – 370kg	27	200.2	211.5	249.2
	Over 370kg	0	0	0	0

- A pen of 26 Steers a/c RJ & AG Christensen, "One Mile", Ravenswood made 288.2¢/kg and weighed 173.1kg and realised \$498 per head.
- A good pen of 10 Heifers a/c RD & AB Johnston, Charters Towers made 249.2¢/kg, weighed 237kg & returned a good average of \$590 per head.
- Cows & Calves sold on a/c S & R Gough returned \$760 per unit.

**NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS BOOKED ~ WEDNESDAY 20<sup>th</sup> April, 2016**

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