

## **CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE** **Wednesday – 13<sup>th</sup> May, 2015**

**Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 1948. Cattle consisted of 1386 Prime Cattle and 562 Store Cattle. Prime Cattle consisted of 298 Bullocks, 121 Heifers, 870 Cows and 97 Bulls. Store Cattle: 240 Steers, 273 Heifers, 49 x 49 Cows & Calves**

Prime Cattle comprised of well finished lines of Prime Bullocks and Prime Cows selling to very good rates on a strong market. The yarding was drawn from Burketown, Belyando, Einasleigh, Hughenden local and coastal areas.

All meat processors were in attendance backed up by strong support from 2 Live Exporters.

Bullocks were 10 cents dearer, Heifers unchanged, and cows 10 cents dearer on last week's rates.

### **Prime Quotes:**

Description	Category	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
Heifers	Medium	Up to 500kg	16	156	156	156
	Heavy	Over 500kg	113	140	160	174
Cows	Medium	Up to 440kg	249	30	135	158
	Heavy	Over 440kg	610	103	156	185
Bullocks & Steers	Medium	Up to 400kg	239	125	199	212
	Heavy	Over 400kg	66	150	205	217
Bulls	Heavy	Over 450kg	68	140	194	212

- Top pen of Cross Bred bullocks made 215¢/kg sold on account Mt Douglas Past Co, "Mt Douglas", Clermont that weighed 543 kg to return \$1168 per head.
- Best Bullock made 217¢/kg on A/c Julianne Green that weighed 620kg to return \$1346.
- Best priced Trade Heifers were presented on A/c Lauretta Rebgetz, Charters Towers which made 174c/kg to weigh 430kg and return \$749/hd.
- The top pen of Cows were sold by Cargo Pty Ltd for 180c/kg and weighed 525 kg to return \$947/hd.
- Best Cow made 185¢/kg on A/c AG & TM Sibson, "Bundabaroo", Charters Towers that weighed 580kg to return \$1074.
- Bulls sold on A/c EJT Camp, topped at 212c/kg and weighed 600 kg to return \$1274/hd.

### **Store Quotes:**

Store cattle were represented well across the board with an increase of 10 cents overall on all lines to last week's yarding.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200kg	83	104	194	204
	200 – 320kg	80	158	190	198
	320 – 400kg	67	135	156	202
	Up to 450kg	3	50	128	167
Heifers	Up to 200kg	36	90	133	150
	200 – 320kg	220	100	145	165
	320 – 370kg	4	131	141	150
	Over 370kg	-	-	-	-

- A pen of 28 steers on A/c RJ & AG Christensen, "One Mile", Ravenswood made 204¢/kg & weighed 183 kg and realized \$374 per head.
- A pen of 8 steers on A/c RJ Lavery, "Springvale", Charters Towers made 202 ¢/kg and weighed 353kg and realized \$715 per head.
- Best heifers on A/c Wade & Jodie Ryan, "Scoria", Mt Garnet made 165¢/kg, weighed 270kg & returned a good average of \$446/hd.
- A Good Quality Pen of Grey Brahman Cows & Calves sold on A/c EJ Mathews, "Monarch View", Charters Towers for \$840 per unit.
- Several Lines of Cows & Calves sold from \$400 - \$760 per unit.

**NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY 20th MAY, 2015.**

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