

## **CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE** **Wednesday – 15<sup>th</sup> June 2016**

Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 1231 Cattle consisting of 701 Prime Cattle and 530 Store Cattle. The Prime Cattle consisted of 63 Bullocks, 14 Heifers, 561 Cows and 63 Bulls. Store Cattle yarded: 332 Steers, 179 Heifers and 19 Cows & Calves.

Prime Cattle again this week comprised of mostly Meatworks Cows with very few Bullocks and Trade Cattle yarded with all descriptions of Prime Cattle dearer than last week with Bullocks selling at 293.2¢/kg, Prime Cows at 252.2¢/kg and Bulls selling at 271.6¢/kg. The yarding was drawn from Gumlu, Rita Island, Ayr, Burketown, Croydon, Einasleigh, Millaroo, Collinsville, Woodstock, Hughenden and local areas. Bullocks were quoted 10-12¢ dearer, Heifers were 6-10¢ dearer, Cows were 10-12¢ dearer and Bulls were 10-20¢ 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 440kg	15	120.0	216.0	243.0
	Heavy	Over 440kg	0	0	0	0
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	213	80.0	180.0	223.0
	Heavy	Over 400kg	348	170.0	230.0	252.0
Steers & Bullocks	Medium	Up to 500kg	59	150.0	238.0	293.0
	Heavy	Over 500kg	4	163.0	229.0	275.0
Bulls	Heavy	Over 450kg	59	140.0	230.0	303.0

- Bullocks topped at 293.2¢/kg for Brahman Cross sold on a/c Springfield Partnership, "Springfield Station", Mt Surprise that weighed 470kg to return \$1378 per head.
- Best priced Trade Heifers were presented on a/c Brian J Beveridge, Charters Towers which made 243.2¢/kg to weigh 406kg and return \$989 per head.
- The top pen of Cows were sold by CA & EA Gough, "Swans Lagoon", Millaroo for 252.2¢/kg and weighed 574kg to return \$1449 per head.
- 5 Bulls sold on a/c M & F Mugica, Cromaty averaged 271.6¢/kg and weighed 838kg to return \$2275 per head.

### **Store Quotes:**

Store cattle were made up of smaller lines and mixed quality cattle but were still met with a strong panel of buyers which sold to similar and dearer rates than last week.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200kg	58	100.0	294.0	337.0
	200 – 320kg	167	156.0	265.0	309.0
	320 – 400kg	37	240.0	300.0	308.0
	Over 400kg	0	0	0	0
Heifers	Up to 200kg	32	90.0	254.0	276.0
	200 – 320kg	117	158.0	226.0	278.0
	320 – 370kg	22	245.0	246.0	247.0
	Over 370kg	0	0	0	0

- A line of 10 Steers a/c Stewart & Wilcox Tin Services, Mt Surprise made 337.2¢/kg and weighed 149kg and realised \$502 per head.
- A good pen of 6 Heifers a/c Claraville Station Pty Ltd, Croydon made 272.2¢/kg, weighed 221kg & returned a good average of \$603 per head.
- 12x12 Cows & Calves sold on a/c GA & GG Cody, Rita Island returned \$1300 per unit.

**NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS NOW BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY, 22<sup>nd</sup> JUNE 2016**

**\* APPROX. 2250 TOTAL HEAD BOOKED \***

**\* 400 PRIME – 1120 STORE STEERS – 730 STORE HEIFERS ALREADY BOOKED! \***

**\*\* PLEASE NOTE:** Don't forget to check your NVD/Waybill before consigning your cattle. To ensure full competition on your Stock, you need edition **C0413**. You can order a new NVD book from [www.mla.com.au](http://www.mla.com.au) or call the LPA NVD Hotline [1800 683 111](tel:1800683111)

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