

CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE

Wednesday – 26th April 2017

Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 2119 Cattle consisting of 1103 Prime Cattle and 1016 Store Cattle. The Prime Cattle consisted of 93 Bullocks, 67 Heifers, 893 Cows and 50 Bulls. The Store Cattle consisted of: 468 Steers, 500 Heifers and 48 Cows & Calves.

The Prime Section of the Sale consisted mostly of Prime Cows which varied in quality. There was good competition from Meat Works and Feedlots across all lines. The yarding was drawn from Gumlu, Ingham, Townsville, Prairie, Woodstock, Torrens Creek, Georgetown, Townsville, Ayr, Croydon, Chillago, Cloncurry, Richmond, Bowen and Local and Coastal areas. Bullocks were quoted 5¢ easier, Heifers were 5-10¢ easier with Cows selling to similar rates as last week.

Prime Quotes:

Description	Category	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
Heifers	Medium	Up to 440kg	39	189.2	223.3	283.2
	Heavy	Over 440kg	28	203.2	244.3	282.2
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	215	34.2	175.1	239.2
	Heavy	Over 400kg	678	80.0	214.5	240.2
Steers & Bullocks	Medium	Up to 500kg	44	226.2	267.8	303.2
	Heavy	Over 500kg	49	225.0	261.8	277.2
Bulls	Heavy	Over 450kg	27	150.0	257.5	293.2

- Bullocks topped at 272.2¢/kg for 5 Ox sold on a/c RB & DA Von Wald that weighed 594kg to return \$1616 per head.
- Best priced Trade Heifers were presented on a/c RC Flute, "Chatfield", Richmond which made 282.2¢/kg to weigh 455kg and return \$1284 per head.
- The top pen of Cows were sold by Pajingo Pastoral Company, "Pajingo", Charters Towers for 234.2¢/kg and weighed 564kg to return \$1322 per head.
- Bulls sold on a/c DJ & SM Hartwell, topped at 293.2¢/kg and weighed 480kg to return \$1407 per head.
- A pen of 5 Feeder Steers a/c WPX & JS Ryan, "Scoria", Mt Garnett, weighed 446kg making 303.2¢/kg and return \$1352 per head.

Store Quotes:

Store cattle consisted of good lines of young Steers and good quality Heifers in very good condition. Steers up to 320kg increased in value this week along with Heifers over 320kg while Steers over the 320kg and younger Heifers under 320kg saw slight decreases in value.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200kg	43	206.2	359.5	368.2
	200 – 320kg	297	150.0	321.0	356.2
	320 – 400kg	88	232.2	284.8	307.2
	Over 400kg	15	240.0	284.3	294.2
Heifers	Up to 200kg	52	180.0	280.0	298.2
	200 – 320kg	349	180.0	270.9	292.2
	320 – 370kg	63	170.2	261.3	283.2
	Over 370kg	11	274.2	274.2	274.2

- A line of 15 Steers a/c R Colls, Gumlu, topped at 368.2¢/kg and weighed 143kg and realised \$527 per head.
- A good pen of 21 Heifers a/c R Colls, Gumlu made 298.2¢/kg, weighed 146kg & returned a good average of \$437 per head.
- 12 Cows & Calves sold on a/c LA Young, "Lone Gully", Georgetown, returned \$1320 per unit.

NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS NOW BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY, 3rd MAY 2017

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