

## **CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE** **Wednesday – 6<sup>th</sup> March 2019**

**Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 1478 Cattle consisting of 532 Prime Cattle and 946 Store Cattle. The Prime Cattle consisted of 110 Bullocks, 33 Heifers, 315 Cows and 74 Bulls. Store Cattle consisted of 652 Steers, 279 Heifers and 15 Cows & Calves.**

Cattle comprised of smaller lines of well finished Cows and Bullocks with the rest of the yarding made up of plainer type Cattle. The yarding was drawn from Gracemere, Belyando, Einasleigh, Mt Garnet and local and coastal areas.

### Prime Quotes:

This week's Prime Cattle can be compared to the Southern Market due to the dry conditions in the South with large numbers of Cattle hitting the market. However, the Store Cattle compared strong to Southern and Central markets.

Description	Category	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers & Bullocks	Medium	Up to 500kg	71	84.2	188.8	240.0
	Heavy	Over 500kg	39	200.0	234.8	250.2
Heifers	Medium	Up to 440kg	33	68.2	140.0	170.0
	Heavy	Over 440kg	-	-	-	-
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	150	40.0	103.5	148.2
	Heavy	Over 400kg	165	60.0	126.2	161.2
Bulls	Medium	Up to 450kg	58	96.2	151.8	245.2
	Heavy	Over 450kg	16	82.2	190.7	232.2

- Bullocks topped at 250¢/kg sold on a/c E & H Matthews, that weighed 660kg to return \$1650 per head.
- Best priced Trade Heifers were presented on a/c Danny Duell, that sold for 170¢/kg and weighed 386kg to return \$656 per head.
- The top pen of Cows was sold by Mt Douglas Pastoral Co, for 161¢/kg weighing 673kg to return \$1084 per head.
- Bulls sold on a/c Hewitt Pastoral, topped at 230¢/kg and weighed 690kg to return \$1587 per head.

### Store Quotes:

Store Cattle comprised of larger runs of Crossbred and Brahman Steers from the South with the Brahman Cattle selling well. However, the Crossbred Cattle eased throughout the market. Heifers consisted of good light Cattle with Brahmans selling strong once again.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200kg	108	226.2	279.9	300.2
	200 – 320kg	428	60.0	212.2	270.2
	320 – 400kg	114	170.0	217.9	240.0
Mickeys	Up to 400kg	-	-	-	-
Heifers	Up to 200kg	77	120.2	188.1	226.2
	200 – 320kg	190	52.2	156.2	216.2
	320 – 370kg	9	140.0	143.1	166.2

- A pen of 15 Steers a/c NE & RM Hughes, made 300¢/kg and weighed 180kg, returning an average of \$540 per head.
- A good pen of 6 Heifers a/c BW & MI Landsberg, made 216¢/kg, weighed 298kg returning \$644 per head.
- 5 x 5 Cows and Calves sold on a/c BW & MI Landsberg, returned \$1150 per unit.

**NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY, 13<sup>th</sup> March 2019**

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