

CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE

Wednesday – 18th September 2019

Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 2355 cattle consisting of 1037 Prime Cattle and 1318 Store Cattle. The Prime Cattle consisted of 250 Bullocks, 93 Heifers, 585 Cows and 109 Bulls.

Store Cattle consisted of 428 Steers, 227 Mickeys, 656 Heifers and 7 Cows & Calves.

Good lines of Prime Cows dominated the Prime section of the yarding by 60% while the balance of 40% consisted of Bullocks, Heifers and Bulls. The yarding was drawn from Burketown, Cloncurry, Einasleigh, Georgetown, Forsayth, Croydon, Mt Garnet, Richmond, Murray Upper, Collinsville as well as local and coastal areas.

Prime Quotes:

Bullocks were quoted 5-10¢ dearer, Heifers were 2-5¢ easier, Cows were 2-5¢ easier and Bulls were 2-8¢ easier on last week's rates.

Description	Category	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers & Bullocks	Medium	Up to 500kg	155	141	257	289
	Heavy	Over 500kg	95	100	276	298
Heifers	Medium	Up to 440kg	71	120	189	241
	Heavy	Over 440kg	22	200	227	245
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	219	30	115	199
	Heavy	Over 400kg	366	50	190	223
Bulls	Medium	Up to 450kg	164	53	185	274
	Heavy	Over 450kg	56	100	233	289

- Bullocks topped at 298.2¢/kg for 10 Brahman Ox sold on a/c P & L Fryer, "Tabletop Station", Herveys Range that weighed 568kg to return \$1694 per head.
- Best priced Trade Heifers were presented on a/c Philipson Holdings, Charters Towers that sold for 245¢/kg and weighed 445kg to return \$1091 per head.
- The top pen of Cows were sold by MR & KJ Stanger, "Tomato Springs", Mingela for 223¢/kg weighing 402kg to return \$897 per head.
- Bulls sold on a/c Closemaster Pty Ltd, "Yambungan Station", Cloncurry topped at 289.2¢/kg and weighed 634kg to return \$1834 per head.

Store Quotes:

Store cattle were in plentiful supply in both Feeder Steers and Feeder Heifers. Lacklustre buyer support saw values drop to a large correction in the market in line with Southern markets caught up in the negative flow-on effect from the dry condition covering a large area in the Eastern states.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200kg	138	60	225	258
	200 – 320kg	203	40	207	270
	320 – 400kg	87	120	227	270
	Over 400kg	0	0	0	0
Mickeys	Up to 400kg	227	0	193	287
Heifers	Up to 200kg	113	34	124	158
	200 – 320kg	415	20	137	172
	320 – 370kg	78	140	144	164

- A pen of 13 steers a/c Nardoo Pastoral NQ made 270¢/kg and weighed 233kg, returning \$629 per head.
- A good pen of Heifers a/c Nardoo Pastoral NQ made 169.2¢/kg, weighed 230kg returning an average of \$389 per head.
- There were insufficient Cows and Calves to quote.

NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY, 25th SEPTEMBER 2019

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