

## CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE

**Wednesday – 4<sup>th</sup> May 2022**

**Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 2,993 cattle, consisting of 1,320 Prime cattle & 1,673 Store cattle. The Prime cattle consisted of 180 Bullocks, 198 Heifers, 836 Cows and 109 Bulls. The Store section consisted of 942 Steers, 285 Mickeys, 446 Heifers and 44 x 44 Cows & Calves.**

Cattle comprised of very mixed quality Bullocks, a couple of smaller lines of well finished Cows and a large line of PTIC Cows in good condition. All export cattle saw good competition from all the usual processors and welcomed the return of an extra feedlot order which has been absent over the last few weeks. The market overall was firm with only quality related price changes. The yarding was drawn from Georgetown, Mt Garnet, Forsayth, Croydon, Richmond, Hughenden, Julia Creek, Cloncurry, Ayr as well as local and coastal areas.

**Prime Quotes:** Bullocks were quoted 10¢ easier, Heifers were 10-15¢ easier, Cows were firm, and Bulls were 10-15¢ dearer on last week's rates.

Description	Category	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
<b>Steers &amp; Bullocks</b>	Medium	Up to 500kg	103	275	363	400
	Heavy	Over 500kg	77	374	377	400
<b>Heifers</b>	Medium	Up to 540kg	198	200	372	426
<b>Cows</b>	Medium	Up to 400kg	252	250	284	326
	Heavy	Over 400kg	581	258	318	349
<b>Bulls</b>	Medium	Up to 450kg	34	270	359	390
	Heavy	Over 600kg	75	282	342	396

- Bullocks topped at 380¢/kg for 18 Ox sold on A/c LW & NL Miller that weighed an average of 583kg to return a \$2,214 per head.
- Best Priced trade Heifers were presented on A/c GP & LJ Cameron that sold for 366¢/kg, weighing 467kg to return \$1,708 per head.
- The top pen of Cows were sold by Condon Grazing Pty Ltd & LJ Condon, "Conjuboy", Mt Garnet for 349¢/kg, weighing 550kg to return \$1,920 per head.
- Bulls sold on A/c Cunningham Cattle, topped at 348¢/kg and weighed 683kg, to return \$2,379 per head.

**Store Quotes:** Store cattle were mostly good quality smaller lines with the exception of a couple of larger consignments, all of which continue to attract strong competition and selling 30¢ dearer on last week's rates.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
<b>Steers</b>	Up to 200kg	97	380	650	668
	200 – 320kg	770	300	560	656
	320 – 400kg	75	396	470	530
	Over 400kg	0	0	0	0
<b>Mickeys</b>	Up to 400kg	285	230	511	660
<b>Heifers</b>	Up to 200kg	163	410	526	584
	200 – 320kg	232	300	487	578
	320 – 370kg	51	324	393	440

- A pen of 19 #1 Steers A/c Rapisarda Enterprise made 530.2¢/kg and weighed 355kg, returning an average of \$1,880 per head.
- A line of 429 #1 Steers A/c Rapisarda Enterprises sold to 630.2¢/kg to average 563.1¢/kg and weighed 276.7kg to average \$1,558 per head.
- A line of 95 #2 Steers A/c Condon Grazing Pty Ltd & LJ Condon, "Conjuboy", Mt Garnet sold to a top of 656.2¢/kg to average 641.9¢/kg and weighed 243.3kg, returning an average of \$1,561 per head.
- A good pen of 19 #0 Heifers on A/c GP & LJ Cameron made 426.2¢/kg weighed 341kg returning \$1,453 per head.
- A line of 208 Heifers A/c Condon Grazing Pty Ltd & LJ Condon, "Conjuboy", Mt Garnet made 559.6¢/kg to weigh 205.9kg and return \$1,152 per head.
- 39 x 39 Cows & Calves sold on A/c Priestley Family, Georgetown returned \$2,520 per unit.

**NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY, 11<sup>th</sup> MAY 2022**

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