

CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE

Wednesday – 16th October 2019

Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 1,604 head. Cattle consisted of 1,113 Prime Cattle and 491 Store Cattle. The Prime Cattle consisted of 144 Bullocks, 201 Heifers, 635 Cows and 133 Bulls. Store Cattle consisted of 82 Steers, 409 Heifers and 3 Cows & Calves.

Cattle consisted of large runs of Prime Cows varying in quality, including a good run of Store Cows and a substantial increase in Prime Heifer numbers on last week's sale. The yarding was drawn from Tennant Creek, Cloncurry, Julia Creek, Richmond, Hughenden, Belyando, Collinsville, Burketown, Croydon, Ingham, Local & Coastal areas.

Prime Quotes:

Heavy Bullocks were 15-30¢ dearer, Heifers were firm despite an increase in numbers, Cows were firm to 10c dearer, and Bulls 5-20¢ dearer compared to last week's rates.

Description	Category	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers & Bullocks	Medium	Up to 500kg	64	155.0	267.4	309.2
	Heavy	Over 500kg	80	260.0	301.2	308.2
Heifers	Medium	Up to 440kg	196	135.0	203.1	266.2
	Heavy	Over 440kg	5	260.0	268.2	275.2
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	336	20.0	151.9	208.2
	Heavy	Over 400kg	298	145.2	223.2	246.2
Bulls	Medium	Up to 450kg	19	180.0	223.6	280.0
	Heavy	Over 450kg	38	100.2	265.3	305.2

- Bullocks sold on a/c Fletchervale Pastoral Co, Charters Towers sold for 308.2c/kg, weighing 650kg to return \$2003.30 per head.
- A pen of 6 grain finished Bullocks a/c D&T Stephens sold for 309.2c/kg, weighing 495kg to return \$1530.54 per head.
- Best priced Trade Heifers were presented on a/c Lawrie Grazing Trust, "Powlathanga Station", Balfes Creek that sold for 275.2c/kg and weighed 490kg to return \$1348.48 per head.
- The top pen of Cows were sold by Mount Douglas Pastoral Co, "Mt Douglas", Clermont for 245.2c/kg and weighed 675kg to return \$1,655.10 per head.
- Top priced Cows were for a pen of 20 Cows a/c GA &WL Collins, Prairie for 246.2c/kg and weighed 554kg to return \$1362.72 per head.
- Bulls sold on a/c Loudon Bros Pty Ltd, "Eveleigh Station", Mt Surprise topped at 305.2c/kg and weighed 790kg, to return \$2411.08 per head.

Store Quotes:

Store Cattle consisted of varying quality and type. Steers were limited in numbers but there were good lines of Heifers presented. The better prices were reflected on the High Grade Brahman types. Limited competition on weaner cattle due to the season.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200kg	42	210.2	254.8	264.2
	200 – 320kg	38	140.2	256.6	290.2
	320 – 400kg	2	249.2	249.2	249.2
Heifers	Up to 200kg	96	90.0	190.3	204.2
	200 – 320kg	303	54.2	186.3	230.0
	320 – 370kg	10	105.2	190.7	230.0

- A pen of 8 Steers a/c WJ Carr made 290.2c/kg and weighed 216kg, to return an average of \$627.56 per head.
- A good pen of 7 Heifers on a/c JG & CY Dale, Woodstock made 230c/kg, weighed 330kg returning an average of \$759 per head.
- Insufficient numbers to quote on Cow & Calves.

M.A.G.S. Droughtmaster Sale – Friday, 8th November 2019

NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY, 23rd OCTOBER 2019

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