

CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE

Wednesday – 29th November 2023

Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 2,525 cattle, consisting of 515 Prime cattle & 2,010 Store cattle. The Prime cattle consisted of 165 Bullocks, 43 Heifers, 224 Cows and 83 Bulls. The Store section consisted of 711 Steers, 268 Mickeys, 1,016 Heifers and 15 Cow & Calves.

Good, generalised rainfall across the area has contributed to a significant lift in the market with an increased yarding from previous sales and a mixed quality yarding in general. Majority of the prime cattle consisted of store conditioned cattle with some isolated pens of heavy and export slaughter cattle which sold to a strong buying panel. The yarding was drawn from Mareeba, Mt Garnett, Ingham, Croydon, Normanton, Einasleigh, Cloncurry, Mt Isa, Richmond, as well as local and coastal areas.

Prime Quotes: Bullocks were quoted 35-40¢ dearer, Heifers were 30-40¢ dearer, Cows were 35-40¢ dearer, and Bulls were 40-50¢ dearer on last week's rates.

Description	Category	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers & Bullocks	Medium	Up to 500kg	132	134	250	272
	Heavy	Over 500kg	33	220	246	255
Heifers	Medium	Up to 540kg	43	160	217	246
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	122	40	168	224
	Heavy	Over 400kg	102	108	230	256
Bulls	Medium	Up to 450kg	57	70	231	265
	Heavy	Over 450kg	26	106	228	260

- Bullocks topped at 255¢/kg for 4 Ox sold on a/c Paul Minuzzo, Charters Towers that weighed 720kg to return a \$1,837 per head.
- Best Priced trade Heifers were presented on a/c Bill Matton that sold for 240¢/kg and weighed 453kg to return \$1,087 per head.
- The top pen of Cows were sold on a/c CP & NA Ferguson, Charters Towers for 256¢/kg, weighing 517kg to return \$1,323 per head.
- Bulls sold on a/c Gipsy Plains Cattle Co, Cloncurry sold at 250¢/kg and weighed 790kg, to return \$1,976 per head.

Store Quotes: Store cattle consisted of isolated runs of brahman weaners and suitable boat specs cattle.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200kg	207	100	284	345
	200 – 320kg	395	130	266	310
	320 – 400kg	92	180	255	268
	Over 400kg	17	170	253	262
Mickeys	Up to 400kg	268	120	234	334
Heifers	Up to 200kg	483	50	218	298
	200 – 320kg	459	68	215	254
	320 – 370kg	74	150	233	254

- A pen of 13 Steers a/c Cattle JV, Muttonhole averaged 336¢/kg and weighed 146kg, returning an average of \$490 per head.
- A good pen of 13 steers a/c GC & SM Shephard averaged 262¢/kg and weighed an average of 406kg and returned \$1,064 per head.
- A run of 88 Heifers on a/c Cunningham Cattle Company averaged 260¢/kg weighed 144kg returning \$374 per head.
- 15 x 15 Cows & Calves sold from \$500 to \$825 per unit.

NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY, 6TH DECEMBER 2023
(Subject to Weather & Numbers)

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**Market Report**

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Fat & Store Sale Cattle Wednesday, 29 November 2023 (1)**Dalrymple Saleyards****Live Weight**

Category	Weight Range	Fat and Muscle	Head	Cents per Kilogram			Dollars per Head		
				Min.	Av.	Max.	Min.	Av.	Max.
Steers	Up To 400	D2	62	134.2	240.7	266.2	\$375.76	\$820.30	\$1,038.18
Steers	400 To 500	D2	70	228.2	259.3	272.2	\$981.26	\$1,145.28	\$1,273.95
Steers	500 To 600	D2	21	130.0	242.1	252.2	\$715.00	\$1,283.25	\$1,351.79
Steers	600 To 750	D2	13	240.2	245.2	255.2	\$1,531.94	\$1,625.94	\$1,837.44
Heifers	Up To 540	D2	43	160.2	217.2	246.2	\$435.21	\$798.17	\$1,107.90
Cows	Up To 400	D2	122	40.0	168.7	224.2	\$120.00	\$561.77	\$885.59
Cows	400 To 520	D2	88	108.2	222.6	256.2	\$551.82	\$998.19	\$1,323.70
Cows	Over 520	D2	14	240.2	240.2	240.2	\$1,370.86	\$1,370.86	\$1,370.86
Bulls	Up To 450	D1	326	70.0	233.7	334.2	\$166.66	\$581.92	\$1,041.41
Bulls	450 To 600	D1	16	160.0	226.7	260.2	\$816.00	\$1,184.38	\$1,501.20
Bulls	Over 600	D1	11	106.2	228.2	260.2	\$754.02	\$1,611.59	\$1,976.58
Feeder Steers	Up To 200		207	100.0	284.4	345.2	\$165.00	\$472.27	\$611.26
Feeder Steers	200 To 320		395	130.2	266.8	310.2	\$312.48	\$681.20	\$842.41
Feeder Steers	320 To 400		92	180.0	255.5	268.2	\$666.00	\$909.70	\$967.94
Feeder Steers	400 To 500		17	170.2	253.5	262.2	\$697.82	\$1,034.69	\$1,064.53
Feeder Heifers	Up To 200		483	50.0	218.6	298.2	\$92.50	\$347.65	\$460.17
Feeder Heifers	200 To 320		459	68.2	215.7	254.2	\$170.20	\$531.79	\$775.04
Feeder Heifers	320 To 370		51	150.0	239.2	254.2	\$555.00	\$789.75	\$897.44
Feeder Heifers	Over 370		23	150.0	226.4	230.0	\$600.00	\$863.09	\$875.05
Total Liveweight Yarding			2513						
Average C/KG			235.03						
Average \$ / Head			\$619.04						

Open Auction

Category	Head	Dollars per Head		
		Min.	Av.	Max.
COWS AND CALVES	15	\$500.00	\$705.00	\$825.00

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