

CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE

Wednesday – 3rd APRIL 2024

Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 1,024 cattle, consisting of 286 prime cattle and 738 store cattle. The Prime cattle consisted of 57 Bullocks, 43 Heifers, 93 Cows and 93 Bulls. The Store section consisted of 563 Steers, 18 Mickeys, 149 Heifers and 8x8 Cows & Calves.

Cattle comprised of a mix yarding, with isolated pens of heavy export slaughter cattle. All the usual Buyers were in attendance, as well as one Exporter operating and reduced Restocker activity. The yarding was drawn from Weipa, Ingham, and Richmond, as well as local and coastal areas.

Prime Quotes: Bullocks were quoted 5c dearer, Heifers were unchanged, Cows were 5-10c dearer, and Bulls were unchanged on last Sale's rates.

Description	Category	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers & Bullocks	Medium	Up to 500kg	47	140	268	276
	Heavy	Over 500kg	10	230	261	266
Heifers	Medium	Up to 540kg	43	100	218	250
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	13	50	149	230
	Heavy	Over 400kg	80	176	220	230
Bulls	Medium	Up to 450kg	69	60	241	276
	Heavy	Over 450kg	24	200	243	270

- Bullocks topped at 276¢/kg sold on a/c WF Prichard, Charters Towers that weighed 484kg to return \$1,336 per head.
- A pen of trade Heifers were presented on a/c Smith Pastoral, Torrens Creek that sold for 238¢/kg and weighed 413kg to return \$983 per head.
- The top pen of Cows was sold on a/c TN & MA Carr, Charters Towers for 230¢/kg, weighing 620kg to return \$1,427 per head.
- Bulls sold on a/c Pedracini Grazing, Scartwater topped at 270¢/kg and weighed 476kg, to return \$1285 per head.

Store Quotes: Store cattle consisted of a mixed yarding with better quality isolated pens drawing the attention of Buyers.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200kg	59	128	130	180
	200 – 320kg	384	90	212	325
	320 – 400kg	120	174	232	282
	Over 400kg	NQ	NQ	NQ	NQ
Mickeys	Up to 400kg	18	60	187	250
Heifers	Up to 200kg	1	116	116	116
	200 – 320kg	135	50	204	246
	320 – 370kg	13	146	159	220

- A pen of 7 steers a/c Kate Hodgetts, Charters Towers made 325¢/kg and weighed 263kg, returning an average of \$854.81 per head.
- A good pen of 12 Heifers on a/c D & A Forster, Pentland made 246¢/kg, weighed 214kg, returning \$526 per head.
- 8 Cows & Calves ranged from \$500 - \$800 per unit.

NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY, 10th APRIL 2024

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Market Report



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Fat & Store Sale Cattle Wednesday, 3 April 2024 (1)

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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	8	140.0	217.9	238.2	\$476.00	\$792.46	\$889.28
Steers	400 To 500	D2	39	252.2	268.9	276.2	\$1,123.44	\$1,236.90	\$1,336.38
Steers	500 To 600	D2	10	230.2	261.8	266.2	\$1,312.14	\$1,345.59	\$1,415.88
Heifers	Up To 540	D2	43	100.0	218.1	250.0	\$280.00	\$826.39	\$1,231.00
Cows	Up To 400	D2	13	50.0	149.4	238.2	\$115.00	\$502.32	\$928.98
Cows	400 To 520	D2	58	176.2	215.0	228.2	\$784.09	\$983.29	\$1,163.82
Cows	Over 520	D2	22	210.2	225.2	230.2	\$1,156.10	\$1,269.35	\$1,427.24
Bulls	Up To 450	D1	87	60.0	241.6	276.2	\$162.00	\$867.36	\$1,022.15
Bulls	450 To 600	D1	14	200.0	253.9	270.2	\$980.00	\$1,271.45	\$1,452.58
Bulls	Over 600	D1	10	200.0	235.0	260.2	\$1,240.00	\$1,823.54	\$2,129.90
Feeder Steers	Up To 200		59	128.2	130.3	180.0	\$188.71	\$222.32	\$342.00
Feeder Steers	200 To 320		384	90.0	212.7	325.2	\$187.88	\$527.76	\$854.81
Feeder Steers	320 To 400		120	174.2	232.0	282.2	\$592.28	\$828.30	\$1,023.45
Feeder Heifers	Up To 200		1	116.2	116.2	116.2	\$185.92	\$185.92	\$185.92
Feeder Heifers	200 To 320		135	50.2	203.9	246.2	\$115.46	\$512.33	\$646.44
Feeder Heifers	320 To 370		12	146.2	195.7	218.2	\$482.46	\$693.06	\$792.79
Feeder Heifers	Over 370		1	220.2	220.2	220.2	\$880.80	\$880.80	\$880.80
Total Liveweight Yarding			1016						
Average C/KG			214.48						
Average \$ / Head			\$689.24						

Open Auction

Category	Head	Dollars per Head		
		Min.	Av.	Max.
COWS AND CALVES	9	\$500.00	\$717.78	\$800.00
Total Open Auction Heads		9		
Average \$ / Head		\$717.78		

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