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CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS

PRIME AND STORE SALE MARKET REPORT
Wednesday – 21st October 2026

Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 2,516 cattle, consisting of 1,291 prime cattle & 1,225 store cattle. The Prime cattle consisted of 306 Bullocks, 94 Heifers, 621 Cows and 270 Bulls. The Store section consisted of 749 Steers, 472 Heifers and 4 Cows & Calves.

Cattle comprised a relatively mixed-quality yarding however, the market responded positively recording a considerable lift across the board. All regular processors were in attendance and operating competitively.
The yarding was drawn from Normanton, Winton, Mt Isa, Richmond, Hughenden, Georgetown, Einasleigh as well as local and coastal areas.

Prime Quotes: Bullocks were quoted 5¢ Dearer, Heifers were 12¢ Dearer, Cows were 10¢ Dearer, and Bulls were 10¢ 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	248	350	415	450
	Heavy	Over 500kg	71	384	436	458
Heifers	Medium	Up to 400kg	117	260	380	418
	Heavy	Over 400kg	16	382	399	426
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	233	210	344	390
	Heavy	Over 400kg	332	302	381	406
Bulls	Medium	Up to 400kg	75	350	385	420
	Heavy	Over 400 kg	203	280	384	412

- Bullocks topped at 456¢/kg on A/c Scott McClymont that weighed 579kg to return $2,641 per head.
- Best Priced trade Heifers were presented on A/c Bluff Holdings that sold for 426¢/kg and weighed 507kg to return $2,161per head.
- The top pen of Cows were sold by A/c Bluff Holdings for 406¢/kg, weighing 631kg to return $2,563 per head.
- Bulls sold on A/c Peter Bucknell topped at 412¢/kg and weighed 740kg, to return $3,050 per head.

Store Quotes: Store cattle followed a similar trend to the prime market, with a mixed-quality yarding on offer. Selected lines of Feeder and Weaner Steers attracted strong competition from an active buying panel, including some southern buyers. Heifers also experienced a substantial lift in values, recording considerable price gains based on the previous week's market.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200kg	109	250	481	596
	200 – 320kg	291	150	457	596
	320 – 400kg	87	295	453	466
Mickeys	Up to 400kg	207	245	408	480
Heifers	Up to 200kg	219	205	374	462
	200 – 320kg	273	200	386	462
	320-400 kg	31	396	411	428

- A pen of Droughtmaster Feeder Steers A/c Bluff Holdings made 466¢/kg and weighed 374kg to return $1,746 per head.
- A run of 96 Droughtmaster Steers A/c Julago Livestock made 596¢/kg and weighed 186kg, returning an average of $1,110 per head.
- A pen of Feeder Heifers A/c Pak Ag Contracting, Mareeba made 428¢/kg and weighed 312kg to return $1,338 per head.
- A good pen of Droughtmaster Heifers on A/c Julago Livestock made 462¢/kg and weighed 233kg, returning $1,078 per head.
- Small consigments of Cows & Calves sold from multiple vendors returned between $1,275 & $1,550 per unit.

THE NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY, 28 OCTOBER 2026

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