

Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle  
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**Charters Towers (Dalrymple)**

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Numbers were similar to last sale with 2,585 mostly prime cattle presented this week with more than 2,600 booked for a store sale on Friday. Some very good lines of prime cows and bullocks were presented along with increased numbers of heavy bulls. All regular processors were in attendance and operating, supported by two live exporters and feeder buyers operating at increased rates on last sale. Bullocks improved by 7c, heavy cows lifted by 11c to 20c and heavy bulls improved by 5c to 8c/kg. Cattle were drawn from Mt Isa, Normanton, Richmond, Pentland, Ingham, Townsville, Belyando, local and coastal areas.

A small number of heavy vealer steers to feed made 360.2c and vealer heifers to processors sold to 380.2c to average 366c/kg. Yearling heifers to feed sold firm to 20c dearer, topping at 338.2c to average 334c and grown heifers to feed also made 338.2c to average 294c/kg. Grown heifers to the trade sold to 324.2c to average 276c/kg. Limited numbers of yearling steers to feed sold to 365.2c/kg. Grown steers to live export sold to 339.2c to average 328c and heavy steers above 400kg to feed topped at 365.2c to average 355c/kg. Heavy bullocks to live export topped at 345.2c to average 340c and processor lines averaged 341c/kg.

Medium weight 2 score cows lifted 3c, selling to 266c to average 248c and 3 scores sold to 290.2c to average 266c/kg. Prime heavy weight cows sold to 280.2c to average 278c/kg. Increased numbers of heavy bulls to live export topped at 342.2c, with most sales from 330c to 338c/kg. Feeder weight males to feed destined for live export averaged from 280c to 320c/kg.

Category	Sale Weight	Muscle Prefix	Fat Score*	Head	Live Weight c/kg				Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg*			Estimated \$/Head		
					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
<b>Vealer Steer</b>														
<b>200-280</b>														
	FD	E	2	2	330.0	330.0	330.0	N/Q	-	0	842	842	842	
<b>280-330</b>														
	FD	C	2	15	360.0	360.0	360.0	20	-	0	1134	1134	1,134	
	FD	D	2	1	280.0	280.0	280.0	N/Q	-	0	812	812	812	
				18	280.0	360.0			0	0	812	1134		
<b>Vealer Heifer</b>														
<b>200-280</b>														
	FD	C	2	6	336.0	336.0	336.0	N/Q	-	0	890	890	890	
				6	336.0	336.0			0	0	890	890		
<b>Yearling Steer</b>														
<b>200-280</b>														
	FD	D	2	8	308.0	308.0	308.0	N/Q	-	0	816	816	816	
<b>280-330</b>														
	RS	D	2	1	250.0	250.0	250.0	N/Q	-	0	738	738	738	
<b>330-400</b>														
	FD	C	2	32	365.0	365.0	365.0	44	-	0	1241	1351	1,296	
	FD	D	2	2	332.0	346.0	339.0	-21	-	0	1195	1263	1,229	
				43	250.0	365.0			0	0	738	1351		
<b>Yearling Heifer</b>														
<b>280-330</b>														
	FD	C	2	3	336.0	336.0	336.0	-2	-	0	1092	1092	1,092	
	FD	D	2	4	332.0	332.0	332.0	22	-	0	1046	1046	1,046	
<b>330-400</b>														
	FD	D	2	26	320.0	331.0	326.8	20	-	0	1142	1223	1,168	
	PR	C	2	17	334.0	334.0	334.0	N/Q	642	642	642	1236	1236	1,236

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
400+														
	FD	C	2	5	332.0	332.0	332.0	N/Q	-	0	1361	1361	1,361	
	FD	C	3	28	330.0	338.0	336.6	N/Q	-	0	1337	1403	1,391	
	PR	C	3	2	296.0	300.0	298.0	N/Q	566	569	568	1243	1,289	
	PR	D	3	1	310.0	310.0	310.0	N/Q	596	596	596	1302	1,302	
				86	296.0	338.0			566	642		1046	1403	
Grown Steer														
0-400														
	FD	D	1	2	270.0	270.0	270.0	N/Q	-	0	878	878	878	
	FD	D	2	3	336.0	336.0	336.0	72	-	0	1226	1226	1,226	
	LE	C	2	12	339.0	339.0	339.0	N/Q	-	0	1305	1305	1,305	
	LE	D	1	1	310.0	310.0	310.0	N/Q	-	0	1132	1132	1,132	
	LE	D	2	5	328.0	328.0	328.0	25	-	0	1296	1296	1,296	
400-500														
	FD	C	2	48	348.0	365.0	354.9	N/Q	-	0	1530	1610	1,575	
	LE	C	2	20	310.0	326.0	312.4	N/Q	-	0	1364	1402	1,370	
	LE	D	3	1	328.0	328.0	328.0	-2	-	0	1410	1410	1,410	
500-600														
	LE	D	3	34	345.0	345.0	345.0	N/Q	-	0	1863	1880	1,872	
				126	270.0	365.0			0	0		878	1880	
Grown Heifer														
0-540														
	FD	C	2	10	255.0	338.0	318.3	49	-	0	1058	1284	1,228	
	FD	D	2	103	210.0	310.0	256.0	-49	-	0	777	1148	961	
	PR	C	2	7	310.0	310.0	310.0	N/Q	596	596	596	1271	1,271	
	PR	C	3	1	290.0	290.0	290.0	-7	558	558	558	1320	1,320	
	PR	D	1	2	180.0	210.0	195.0	N/Q	367	429	398	558	584	
	PR	D	2	19	224.0	294.0	271.6	10	448	565	540	741	1,024	
	PR	D	3	13	255.0	324.0	280.4	-5	500	623	544	956	1,121	
				155	180.0	338.0			367	623		558	1320	
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540														
	PR	C	3	1	342.0	342.0	342.0	6	633	633	633	1813	1,813	
	PR	D	2	1	290.0	290.0	290.0	-22	558	558	558	1334	1,334	
	PR	D	3	42	220.0	341.0	328.6	29	423	650	620	1188	1,685	
540+														
	PR	C	3	18	344.0	346.0	345.9	7	625	641	640	2059	2,071	
	PR	D	3	25	330.0	344.0	337.3	29	611	637	625	1955	2,025	
	PR	D	4	1	328.0	328.0	328.0	N/Q	586	586	586	2493	2,493	
				88	220.0	346.0			423	650		1188	2493	
Cows														
0-400														
	FD	D	1	49	194.0	234.0	211.3	13	-	0	640	854	732	
	FD	D	2	60	218.0	246.0	234.5	N/Q	-	0	737	898	850	
	PR	D	1	22	168.0	220.0	183.5	-17	373	489	412	519	586	

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	PR	D	2	113	140.0	256.0	228.0	11	304	557	496	476	934	837
	PR	D	3	17	230.0	249.0	243.4	11	479	541	523	840	971	932
	PR	E	1	7	175.0	175.0	175.0	-3	398	398	398	464	464	464
	PR	E	2	26	162.0	200.0	170.2	-23	360	444	379	487	690	541
	RS	D	1	48	126.0	248.0	213.2	22	-	-	0	353	942	785
	RS	D	2	22	184.0	244.0	232.2	-1	-	-	0	681	952	895
	RS	E	1	6	120.0	138.0	123.0	-27	-	-	0	336	400	347
	RS	E	2	8	144.0	182.0	158.3	N/Q	-	-	0	446	555	487
400-520														
	FD	D	2	7	224.0	246.0	227.1	N/Q	-	-	0	930	1021	943
	PR	C	2	9	261.0	261.0	261.0	N/Q	544	544	544	1083	1083	1,083
	PR	C	3	27	274.0	290.0	282.5	22	548	569	559	1302	1465	1,429
	PR	D	2	159	225.0	266.0	247.3	3	479	566	527	964	1214	1,044
	PR	D	3	258	230.0	280.0	264.1	13	438	579	550	955	1456	1,175
	RS	D	2	1	240.0	240.0	240.0	4	-	-	0	996	996	996
	RS	E	1	1	196.0	196.0	196.0	N/Q	-	-	0	823	823	823
520+														
	PR	C	2	1	334.0	334.0	334.0	N/Q	619	619	619	2138	2138	2,138
	PR	C	3	13	278.0	278.0	278.0	19	556	556	556	1487	1487	1,487
	PR	C	4	6	280.0	280.0	280.0	N/Q	528	528	528	1806	1806	1,806
				860	120.0	334.0			304	619		336	2138	
Bulls														
0-450														
	FD	C	2	9	343.0	343.0	343.0	1	-	-	0	1098	1098	1,098
	FD	D	1	1	250.0	250.0	250.0	N/Q	-	-	0	950	950	950
	FD	D	2	45	310.0	328.0	325.0	5	-	-	0	822	918	886
	LE	C	2	6	325.0	334.0	331.0	26	-	-	0	1303	1349	1,318
	LE	C	3	1	320.0	320.0	320.0	N/Q	-	-	0	1408	1408	1,408
	LE	D	1	31	270.0	290.0	278.4	N/Q	-	-	0	864	1146	920
	LE	D	2	105	160.0	330.0	280.1	-3	-	-	0	688	1460	991
	PR	D	1	1	200.0	200.0	200.0	N/Q	392	392	392	770	770	770
	PR	D	2	6	248.0	248.0	248.0	-92	477	477	477	1066	1066	1,066
	PR	E	2	1	100.0	100.0	100.0	N/Q	196	196	196	245	245	245
	RS	D	1	30	170.0	354.0	341.7	184	-	-	0	584	604	585
	RS	D	2	24	160.0	358.0	296.3	-9	-	-	0	594	859	713
450-600														
	FD	D	2	4	242.0	282.0	255.5	-9	-	-	0	1183	1424	1,282
	LE	C	2	17	330.0	339.0	334.5	8	-	-	0	1730	1971	1,917
	LE	C	3	3	330.0	341.0	337.3	2	-	-	0	1782	2012	1,935
	LE	D	2	27	280.0	338.0	322.9	-7	-	-	0	1316	1798	1,603
	LE	D	3	2	330.0	330.0	330.0	16	-	-	0	1749	1749	1,749
	PR	D	2	8	255.0	272.0	265.9	N/Q	490	513	506	1250	1472	1,361
	PR	D	3	5	269.0	269.0	269.0	N/Q	498	498	498	1332	1332	1,332
600+														
	LE	C	2	11	328.0	342.0	340.7	N/Q	-	-	0	2086	2274	2,173

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	LE	C	3	15	330.0	- 342.0	340.5	5	-		0	2086	- 2523	2,133
	PR	C	2	1	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	415	- 415	415	1408	- 1408	1,408
	PR	C	3	1	268.0	- 268.0	268.0	N/Q	487	- 487	487	2037	- 2037	2,037
				354	100.0	358.0			196	513		245	2523	

DA - Dairy, FD - Feeder, GF - Grainfed, PR - Processor, LE - Live Export, PC - Pastoral Cattle, PT - PTIC, RS - Restocker

\* Fields populated with N/A indicate the unavailability of animal assessment at the time of publishing

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