

## Detailed Saleyard Report - Cattle

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### Charters Towers (Dalrymple)

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Recent rain across much of the supply area saw numbers reduced to 1057 mixed quality cattle. Prime cattle consisted mostly of forward store cows, with several lines of northern store heifers also on offer. Most regular processors operated at increased rates, particularly for heavier lines, while one live exporter and several backgrounders operated throughout the sale. Cattle were drawn from Burketown, Einasleigh, Georgetown, Mt Surprise, Ingham, Collinsville, local and coastal areas.

Small lines of vealer steers eased by up to 4c, while young heifers improved by up to 7c/kg. Minimal numbers of yearling steers sold firm, while better quality yearling heifers returning to the paddock improved by up to 11c/kg. Grown heifers to processors increased by up to 20c, while heavy prime cows improved by 15c and lighter store cows improved by 9c/kg.

Steer calves sold to 271c and vealer steers to restockers sold to 258c to average 252c, with heavier types to live export reaching 263c/kg. A large sample of young heifers to restockers sold to 196c to average 166c/kg. Yearling steers to live export made to 259c averaging 257c with yearling heifers returning to grass and backgrounders making to 188c to average 175c/kg. A small number of grown steers to live export made 259c and there were insufficient numbers of bullocks to quote. Heavy prime cows to processors sold to 206c to average more than 200c/kg, while heavy 2 score cows also reached 206c to average 183c/kg. Medium weight 2 score cows to slaughter sold to 169c to average 153c and plainer types returning to grass made to 153c to average 144c/kg. Heavy bulls to live export made to 274c/kg.

Category Weight	Sale Prefix	Muscle Score	Fat Score	Head	Live Weight c/kg				Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg			Estimated \$/Head					
					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg			
Calves																	
80+	RS	C	2	75	150.0	-	271.0	224.1	N/Q	-			272	-	569	434	
	RS	D	2	60	102.0	-	252.0	211.6	N/Q	-			99	-	490	304	
				135	102.0	-	271.0			0	0		99	-	569		
Vealer Steer																	
200-280	FD	C	2	9	240.0	-	250.0	247.8	N/Q	-			672	-	675	674	
	RS	C	2	35	250.0	-	260.0	252.9	N/Q	-			650	-	663	654	
	RS	D	2	15	248.0	-	256.0	255.5	N/Q	-			608	-	666	662	
280-330	FD	C	2	20	250.0	-	252.0	251.8	N/Q	-			781	-	788	782	
	RS	C	2	19	246.0	-	264.0	254.5	N/Q	-			787	-	805	796	
				98	240.0	-	264.0			0	0		608	-	805		
Vealer Heifer																	
200-280	FD	D	2	8	110.0	-	110.0	110.0	N/Q	-			226	-	226	226	
	RS	C	2	4	166.0	-	166.0	166.0	N/Q	-			465	-	465	465	
	RS	D	2	136	144.0	-	196.0	165.9	N/Q	-			338	-	519	409	
280-330	PR	C	2	6	188.0	-	188.0	188.0	N/Q	362	-	362	362	573	-	573	573
	PR	D	2	2	166.0	-	166.0	166.0	N/Q	319	-	319	319	473	-	473	473
	RS	C	2	24	174.0	-	194.0	180.7	N/Q	-			496	-	631	541	
330+	RS	C	2	10	180.0	-	180.0	180.0	N/Q	-			684	-	684	684	
				190	110.0	-	196.0			319	362		226	-	684		
Yearling Steer																	
280-330	FD	E	2	1	110.0	-	110.0	110.0	N/Q	-			341	-	341	341	
	LE	D	2	14	255.0	-	259.0	257.3	N/Q	-			803	-	855	833	
	RS	D	2	4	172.0	-	266.0	242.5	N/Q	-			507	-	838	755	
330-400	LE	C	2	3	250.0	-	250.0	250.0	N/Q	-			888	-	888	888	
				22	110.0	-	266.0			0	0		341	-	888		

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Yearling Heifer																	
200-280	FD	D	2	70	124.0	-	151.0	149.7	N/Q	-			329	-	408	404	
	RS	D	2	43	130.0	-	164.0	159.1	N/Q	-			351	-	443	431	
280-330	FD	D	2	7	128.0	-	144.0	132.6	N/Q	-			410	-	422	419	
330-400	FD	C	2	1	132.0	-	132.0	132.0	N/Q	-			502	-	502	502	
	PR	C	2	30	160.0	-	250.0	187.3	N/Q	308	-	481	360	584	-	888	651
	RS	C	2	3	182.0	-	182.0	182.0	N/Q	-			673	-	673	673	
	RS	D	2	36	139.0	-	188.0	175.1	N/Q	-			500	-	714	628	
400+	PR	C	2	19	181.0	-	249.0	192.0	N/Q	348	-	479	369	733	-	1008	780
	RS	C	2	1	170.0	-	170.0	170.0	N/Q	-			697	-	697	697	
				210	124.0	-	250.0			308	-	481		329	-	1008	
Grown Steer																	
0-400	FD	D	2	2	120.0	-	120.0	120.0	N/Q	-			408	-	408	408	
	LE	D	2	10	259.0	-	259.0	259.0	N/Q	-			971	-	971	971	
400-500	PR	D	2	3	257.0	-	257.0	257.0	N/Q	494	-	494	494	1067	-	1067	1,067
	PR	D	3	5	262.0	-	262.0	262.0	N/Q	504	-	504	504	1114	-	1114	1,114
				20	120.0	-	262.0			494	-	504		408	-	1114	
Grown Heifer																	
0-540	PR	C	3	2	220.0	-	220.0	220.0	N/Q	423	-	423	423	1012	-	1012	1,012
	PR	D	2	1	209.0	-	209.0	209.0	N/Q	410	-	410	410	878	-	878	878
	PR	D	3	2	252.0	-	252.0	252.0	N/Q	485	-	485	485	1071	-	1071	1,071
	RS	C	2	22	148.0	-	148.0	148.0	N/Q	-			548	-	548	548	
	RS	D	2	1	141.0	-	141.0	141.0	N/Q	-			550	-	550	550	
				28	141.0	-	252.0			410	-	485		548	-	1071	
Manufacturing Steer																	
0-540	PR	D	2	2	289.0	-	289.0	289.0	N/Q	545	-	545	545	1329	-	1329	1,329
	PR	D	3	8	200.0	-	289.0	266.8	N/Q	377	-	545	503	970	-	1532	1,391
					10	200.0	-	289.0			377	-	545		970	-	1532
Cows																	
0-400	PR	D	2	108	126.0	-	169.0	152.5	N/Q	274	-	360	328	441	-	659	573
	RS	D	1	82	100.0	-	147.0	136.2	N/Q	-			315	-	573	505	
	RS	D	2	124	128.0	-	153.0	143.9	N/Q	-			461	-	543	506	
400-520	PR	C	3	42	186.0	-	206.0	200.5	N/Q	380	-	420	405	856	-	989	961
	PR	D	2	224	150.0	-	206.0	183.1	N/Q	326	-	438	389	615	-	845	759
	PR	D	3	94	156.0	-	205.0	196.8	N/Q	325	-	434	408	663	-	949	868
	RS	D	2	12	132.0	-	158.0	136.3	N/Q	-			554	-	656	571	
				686	100.0	-	206.0			274	-	438		315	-	989	
Bulls																	
0-450	FD	D	2	13	140.0	-	244.0	207.1	N/Q	-			486	-	720	640	
	LE	C	2	5	230.0	-	260.0	248.0	N/Q	-			794	-	1118	983	
	LE	D	2	2	249.0	-	249.0	249.0	N/Q	-			872	-	872	872	
	PR	D	2	2	139.0	-	196.0	167.5	N/Q	267	-	377	322	542	-	745	643
	RS	C	2	1	223.0	-	223.0	223.0	N/Q	-			591	-	591	591	

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450-600	RS	D	2	18	70.0	- 220.0	206.1	N/Q	-			158	- 561	526
	FD	D	3	1	242.0	- 242.0	242.0	N/Q	-			1307	- 1307	1,307
	LE	C	2	3	252.0	- 268.0	257.3	N/Q	-			1285	- 1394	1,321
	LE	C	3	1	274.0	- 274.0	274.0	N/Q	-			1534	- 1534	1,534
600+	LE	D	3	1	246.0	- 246.0	246.0	N/Q	-			1525	- 1525	1,525
				47	70.0	274.0			267	377		158	1534	

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

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