

## MARKET REPORT CHARTERS TOWERS SALE SPECIAL PRIME AND STORE SALE Friday 30<sup>th</sup> March 2012

Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of **2136 Cattle**.  
Consisting of **342 Prime Cattle** and **1794 Store Cattle** and **28 calves**.  
**Prime Cattle yarded:** 56 Bullocks, 26 Heifers, 235 Cows and 23 Bulls.  
**Store Cattle yarded:** 422 Steers, 1344 Heifers and 28 & 28 Cows & Calves.

### Prime Quotes:

Cattle consisted of small lines of local cattle predominately lighter and plainer types. The yarding was drawn from Cooktown, Townsville, Ingham, Tablelands and Local and Coastal areas. The market was consistent with local quotes. Bullocks were 6¢ easier, Heifers unchanged and Cows 5-7¢ easier than last week.

Description	Category	Wt. Range	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
Heifers	Medium	Up to 440kg	0	0	0	0
	Heavy	Over 440kg	17	111	130	163
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	117	80	93	113
	Heavy	Over 400kg	115	85	122	140
Steers & Bullocks	Medium	Up to 500kg	42	101	133	149
	Heavy	Over 500kg	14	133	158	163
Bulls	Heavy	Over 450kg	20	110	112	114

- Bullocks topped at 163.2¢/kg for A/c Camm Cattle Co, Victoria Downs, Charters Towers weighing 609 kg to return \$994 per head
- Top priced Trade Heifers were presented on A/c Tracy Furber, Charters Towers, making 146.2¢/kg to weigh 421kg and return \$616 per head
- The top pen of Cows were sold on A/c RC & JJ Lawrie, Powthalanga, Charters Towers for 138¢/kg to weigh 454kg and return \$627 per head
- Bulls sold on A/c D Jackson & Son, topped at 122¢/kg and weighed 675kg to return \$823 per head

### Store Quotes:

Store cattle were drawn from Greenvale, Mt Garnet, along with local and coastal areas. The market was particularly strong for the Heifer portion which sold up to 10¢ better.

Description	Wt. Range	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Heifers	Up to 200	394	103	181	196
	200 – 320	844	110	174	200
	320 – 370	57	111	151	169
	Over 370	30	135	146	148
Steers	Up to 200	62	150	181	199
	200 – 320	193	126	174	211
	320 - 400	147	133	166	192

- A pen of No 1 Brahman Steers A/c O & D Roeser, Charters Towers, made 211¢/kg weighed 223kg and realised \$472 per head
- A good pen of Euro Cross Heifers A/c Glen Allyn Grazing, Malanda, made 200.2¢/kg to weigh 202kg to Return \$404
- A line of 560 No 1 Brahman X Heifers sold on A/c Blue Range, made 181¢/kg to weigh 222kg to average \$402
- Cows and Calves sold on A/c A Galeo of Selheim returned \$675 per unit

**The next Prime & Store Sale is booked for Wednesday  
4<sup>th</sup> April 2012 commencing at 8.00am**