

MARKET REPORT CHARTERS TOWERS SALE

Wednesday – 9th November, 2011

Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of **1567 Cattle**.

Consisting of **740 Prime Cattle** and **827 Store Cattle**.

Prime Cattle: 113 Bullocks, 91 Heifers, 462 Cows and 74 Bulls.

Store Cattle: 350 Steers, 313 Heifers, 22 Cows & Calves and 142 Mickey Bulls.

Prime Quotes:

Cattle consisted of a mixture of finished bullocks and cows with few lines of cattle being presented.

The yarding was drawn from Mt Garnet, Chillagoe, Mt Surprise, Belyando, Hughenden, Julia Creek, Einasleigh, Local and Coastal areas. Bullocks were 3 - 5¢ easier, Heifers were unchanged and Cows 2 - 3¢ easier than last week.

Description	Category	Wt. Range KG	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
Heifers	Medium	Up to 440kg	91	95.2	125.3	156.2
	Heavy	Over 440kg	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	311	94.2	125.3	145.2
	Heavy	Over 400kg	151	111.0	140.0	158.2
Steers & Bullocks	Medium	Up to 500kg	107	90.0	156.2	168.2
	Heavy	Over 500kg	6	129.2	161.0	171.2
Bulls	Heavy	Over 450kg	74	80.0	121.3	145.2

- Bullocks sold at 169.2¢/kg presented on A/c NA & NG Angus, "Plain Creek" Belyando, weighing 570kg to return \$964 per hd.
- Top price Trade Heifers were presented on A/c EJ & SM McCoy, "Rowena" Richmond, making 156.2¢/kg to weigh 331kg and return \$517 per hd.
- The top pen of Cows were sold A/c B & J Epple, "Alstonvale" Hughenden, for 158.2¢/kg and weighed 548kg to return \$867 per hd.
- Bulls sold on A/c H & M Andrews, "Rocknstraw" Charters Towers, topped at 129.2¢/kg and weighed 635kg to return \$820 per hd

Store Quotes:

Store Cattle were made up of mostly mixed pens for both Steers and Heifers with few lines on offer. Competition was strong across all categories.

Description	Wt. Range KG	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200	84	100.0	211.9	223.2
	200 – 280	101	76.0	149.7	185.2
	280 – 330	163	130.0	155.2	172.2
Heifers	Up to 200	2	110.0	110.0	110.0
	200 – 280	193	64.2	167.3	190.0
	280 – 330	120	80.0	149.4	188.2
Mickey Bull	Up to 450	142	54.2	141.7	197.2

- A pen of 32 Steers A/c LW & CJ Curley, "Burlington" Mt Surprise, made 223.2¢/kg weighed 192.2kg and realised \$429 per hd.
- A good pen of 27 Heifers A/c Hann Pastoral Pty Ltd, made 190.0¢/kg, weighed 140kg returning a good average of \$266 per hd.
- Cows & Calves sold A/c J Wharton, "Red Rock" Einasleigh, returned \$675 per unit.

NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE ~ WEDNESDAY 16th NOVEMBER, 2011

MAGS 10th Anniversary Sale

Sunday 13th Gala 'On Screen' Stud Heifers Night Sale at RSL
Monday 14th November Bull Sale at Charters Towers Saleyards