

## CHARTERS TOWERS PRIME AND STORE SALE

**Wednesday – 23<sup>rd</sup> May, 2012**

Charters Towers combined agents yarded a total of 1363 Cattle  
Consisting of **1064 Prime Cattle** and **299 Store Cattle**.

**Prime Cattle yarded:** 297 bullocks, 87 heifers, 596 cows & 84 bulls.

**Store Cattle yarded:** 28 steers, 266 heifers & 5 cows & calves.

### Prime Quotes:

Cattle comprised of good lines of Fat Cows with a few good Bullocks and heifers.

The yarding was drawn from Tennant Creek., Hughenden, Mt Surprise, Ingham, Local & coastal areas.

Bullocks were quoted as firm, Heifers were 3¢ dearer and Cows were firm on last week's rates.

Description	Category	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
Heifers	Medium	Up to 440	50	91.2	134.9	142.2
	Heavy	Over 440	11	141.2	141.2	141.2
Cows	Medium	Up to 400	75	60	102	121.2
	Heavy	Over 400	503	83.2	122.6	131.2
Steers & Bullocks	Medium	Up to 500	210	115	142	155.2
	Heavy	Over 500	83	80	150.3	161.2

- Bullocks topped at 161.2¢/kg for 10 Brahman bullocks sold on A/c Atkinson Development that weighed 607kg to return \$980 per head.
- Best priced Trade heifers were presented on A/c RI & DA McCulloch which made 142.2¢/kg to weigh 384kg & return \$546 per head.
- The top pen of cows were sold on A/c P & L Fryer, "Tabletop Station" Harvey's Range, for 131.2¢/kg and weighed 528kg to return \$693 per head.
- Bulls sold on A/c Corrective Services Townsville topped at 141.2¢/kg and weighed 695kg to return \$981 per head.

### Store Quotes:

Store cattle - Only 28 steers yarded with not enough to quote on. Heifers were made up of good quality small young heifers from "Broadleigh Downs" to a firm panel of Buyers.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200				
	200 – 320	4	125	143.2	156.2
	320 – 400	1	135	135	135
	Over 400		-	-	-
Heifers	Up to 200	81	145.2	165.8	179.2
	200 – 320	135	120.2	164.9	179.2
	320 – 370	35	120	130.4	145.2
	Over 370	-	-	-	-

- A pen of 8 steers A/c Correctional Services, Townsville made 172.2 ¢/kg & weighed 223 kg and realized \$384 per head.
- A good pen of 38 Heifers topped at 179.2¢/kg, on A/c Bamleigh Past, "Broadleigh Downs" to weigh 243kg and return \$436
- The entire Draft from "Broadleigh Downs" was 206hd average weigh was 226kg, average Price 165¢ to returned \$375.

**SPECIAL STORE SALE IS ON THIS FRIDAY 25<sup>th</sup> MAY  
COMMENCING AT 8.00am 3400 Head Booked**

**THE NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY 30<sup>th</sup> May**