



# Pastoral Market Update

## Live Cattle Exports via Darwin Port – **OCTOBER 2011**

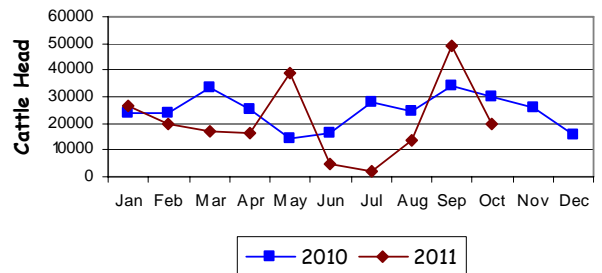
# Please note that the "NT CATTLE" figures are NT cattle exported through the Port of Darwin only, some NT cattle are exported through interstate ports.

| Destination  | TOTAL CATTLE (including interstate) |                |                    |                |               |                |                | # NT CATTLE    |                |                    |                |               |                |                |
|--------------|-------------------------------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|
|              | 2009                                | 2010           | Last year 31/10/10 | YTD 31/10/11   | 1-31 OCT      | Previous Month | Difference     | 2009           | 2010           | Last year 31/10/10 | YTD 31/10/11   | 1-31 OCT      | Previous Month | Difference     |
| BRUNEI       | 3,131                               | 2,853          | 2,271              | 4,163          | 1,546         | 0              | +1,546         | 2,681          | 2,853          | 2,271              | 4,163          | 1,546         | 0              | +1,546         |
| INDONESIA    | 330,433                             | 273,396        | 236,607            | 184,192        | 17,217        | 38,368         | -21,151        | 288,887        | 250,540        | 213,751            | 169,272        | 13,687        | 34,468         | -20,781        |
| PHILIPPINES  | 10,422                              | 12,784         | 11,288             | 10,750         | 0             | 5,154          | -5,154         | 10,422         | 12,784         | 11,288             | 10,750         | 0             | 5,154          | -5,164         |
| SABAH        | 1,410                               | 982            | 692                | 0              | 0             | 0              | 0              | 910            | 982            | 692                | 0              | 0             | 0              | 0              |
| SARAWAK      | 0                                   | 1,615          | 1,615              | 1,197          | 1,197         | 0              | +1,197         | 0              | 1,615          | 1,615              | 1,197          | 1,197         | 0              | +1,197         |
| W-MALAYSIA   | 1,918                               | 3,975          | 1,275              | 920            | 0             | 0              | 0              | 1,918          | 3,975          | 1,275              | 920            | 0             | 0              | 0              |
| VIETNAM      | 0                                   | 0              | 0                  | 945            | 0             | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0                  | 945            | 0             | 0              | 0              |
| EGYPT        | 0                                   | 0              | 0                  | 5,363          | 0             | 5,363          | -5,363         | 0              | 0              | 0                  | 5,363          | 0             | 5,363          | -5,363         |
| <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>347,314</b>                      | <b>295,605</b> | <b>253,748</b>     | <b>207,530</b> | <b>19,960</b> | <b>48,885</b>  | <b>-28,925</b> | <b>304,818</b> | <b>272,749</b> | <b>230,892</b>     | <b>192,610</b> | <b>16,430</b> | <b>44,985</b>  | <b>-28,555</b> |
|              |                                     |                |                    | <b>-46,218</b> |               |                |                |                |                |                    | <b>-38,282</b> |               |                |                |

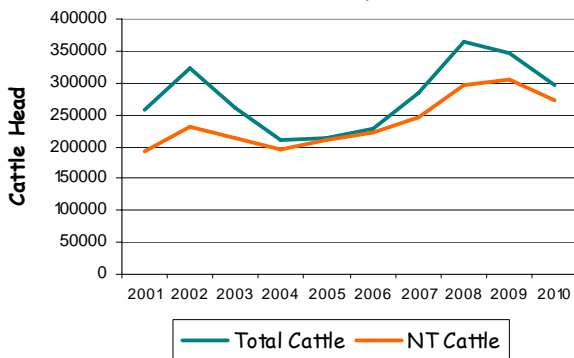
### October at a glance

- 19,960 head of cattle through the Port of Darwin during October. 28,925 less than September and 10,042 less than October last year.
- 2011 total cattle figures indicate 40,218 head less than last year. NT cattle 38,282 less than last year.
- 873 buffalo and 610 goats were exported.

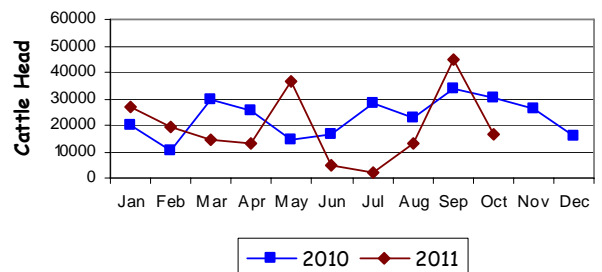
**TOTAL Live Cattle Exports thru Port of Darwin 2010 v 2011**



**Live Cattle Exports thru the Port of Darwin (last 10 years)**



**NT Live Cattle Exports thru Port of Darwin 2010 v 2011**



PREVIOUS 8 YEARS

| Total Cattle, Port of Darwin |         |         |         |         |         |         |         | NT Cattle, Port of Darwin |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 2003                         | 2004    | 2005    | 2006    | 2007    | 2008    | 2009    | 2010    | 2003                      | 2004    | 2005    | 2006    | 2007    | 2008    | 2009    | 2010    |
| 260,618                      | 211,042 | 212,616 | 229,654 | 283,046 | 364,944 | 347,314 | 295,605 | 212,520                   | 205,205 | 210,558 | 225,413 | 247,281 | 295,539 | 304,818 | 272,749 |




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## OTHER LIVESTOCK EXPORTS VIA DARWIN PORT (includes NT and Interstate Stock)

| Destination  | Buffalo      |             |            | Camels   |          |          | Goats        |            |            | Horses   |          |          | Sheep    |          |          | Pigs     |          |          |
|--------------|--------------|-------------|------------|----------|----------|----------|--------------|------------|------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
|              | 2010         | 2011        | 1-31 OCT   | 2010     | 2011     | 1-31 OCT | 2010         | 2011       | 1-31 OCT   | 2010     | 2011     | 1-31 OCT | 2010     | 2011     | 1-31 OCT | 2010     | 2011     | 1-31 OCT |
| BRUNEI       | 312          | 470         | 420        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 1,605        | 610        | 610        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| INDONESIA    | 2,126        | 1371        | 453        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0            | 0          | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| PHILIPPINES  | 0            | 0           | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0            | 0          | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| W-MALAYSIA   | 0            | 0           | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0            | 0          | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| SABAH        | 103          | 0           | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0            | 0          | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| SARAWAK      | 0            | 0           | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 280          | 0          | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>2,541</b> | <b>1841</b> | <b>873</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>1,885</b> | <b>610</b> | <b>610</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> |

## NATIONAL CATTLE PRICES - W/E 28/10/2011

| HEAVY STEER                               |        |     |           |                            |        |     |           |     | MEDIUM STEER   |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |     |    |           |
|---|--------|-----|-----------|----------------------------|--------|-----|-----------|-----|--|-----|-----------|-----|-----------|-----|-----------|-----|-----|----|-----------|
| Estimated dressed weight price (cents/kg) |        |     |           |                            |        |     |           |     | Estimated dressed weight price (cents/kg)  |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |     |    |           |
| SALEYARDS                                 |        |     |           | O.T.HOOKS                  |        |     |           |     | SALEYARDS  |     |           |     | O.T.HOOKS |     |           |     |     |    |           |
| NSW                                       | QLD    | SA  | AV (Aust) | NSW                        | QLD    | SA  | AV (Aust) | NSW | QLD  | SA  | AV (Aust) | NSW | QLD       | SA  | AV (Aust) | NSW | QLD | SA | AV (Aust) |
| This week                                 | 342    | 355 | 337       | 349                        | 351    | 358 | Nq        | 345 | This week  | 356 | 349       | 324 | 351       | 342 | 358       | Nq  | 343 |    |           |
| Last week                                 | 360    | 356 | 343       | 356                        | 348    | 360 | Nq        | 345 | Last week  | 365 | 338       | 297 | 343       | 338 | 358       | Nq  | 342 |    |           |
| Year ago                                  | 319    | 325 | 307       | 324                        | 313    | 312 | nq        | 315 | Year ago   | 326 | 321       | 329 | 324       | 306 | 306       | nq  | 313 |    |           |
| MEDIUM COW                                |        |     |           |                            |        |     |           |     | TRADE STEER  |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |     |    |           |
| Estimated dressed weight price (cents/kg) |        |     |           |                            |        |     |           |     | Estimated dressed weight price (cents/kg)  |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |     |    |           |
| SALEYARDS                                 |        |     |           | O.T.HOOKS                  |        |     |           |     | SALEYARDS  |     |           |     | O.T.HOOKS |     |           |     |     |    |           |
| NSW                                       | QLD    | SA  | AV (Aust) | NSW                        | QLD    | SA  | AV (Aust) | NSW | QLD  | SA  | AV (Aust) | NSW | QLD       | SA  | AV (Aust) | NSW | QLD | SA | AV (Aust) |
| This week                                 | 316    | 293 | 299       | 303                        | 306    | 338 | 275       | 299 | This week  | 300 | 391       | 359 | 392       | 349 | 347       | nq  | 346 |    |           |
| Last week                                 | 327    | 286 | 301       | 304                        | 299    | 338 | 275       | 298 | Last week  | 399 | 373       | 362 | 382       | 346 | 347       | nq  | 346 |    |           |
| Year ago                                  | 290    | 280 | 271       | 282                        | 273    | 271 | 263       | 272 | Year ago   | 371 | 371       | 314 | 348       | 319 | 302       | 305 | 315 |    |           |
| LIVE EXPORT QUOTES                        |        |     |           |                            |        |     |           |     | <p>Prices courtesy of<br/>Meat &amp; Livestock Australia</p>  <p>www.mla.com.au</p> |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |     |    |           |
| Estimated live weight price (cents/kg)    |        |     |           |                            |        |     |           |     |  |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |     |    |           |
| LIGHT STEERS (260-350 kg)                 |        |     |           | LIGHT HEIFERS (260-350 kg) |        |     |           |     |  |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |     |    |           |
| Darwin                                    | Broome |     |           | Darwin                     | Broome |     |           |     |  |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |     |    |           |
| This week                                 | nq     | nq  |           | nq                         | nq     |     |           |     |  |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |     |    |           |
| Last week                                 | nq     | nq  |           | nq                         | nq     |     |           |     |  |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |     |    |           |
| Year ago                                  | 195    | nq  |           | 175                        | nq     |     |           |     |  |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |     |    |           |

## CURRENCY EXCHANGE RATES

| Key Currencies<br>1AUD = | Current<br>2.11.2011 | Previous month<br>1.10.2011 | 3 months ago<br>1.8.2011 | 1 Year ago<br>1.11.2010 | Pre-devaluation<br>01.07.1997 |
|--------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Brunei Dollar            | 1.29887              | 1.27541                     | 1.34838                  | 1.30096                 | 1.076                         |
| Indonesian Rupiah        | 9,305.34             | 8,740.14                    | 9,386.81                 | 8,806.67                | 1830                          |
| Philippine Peso          | 45.0646              | 42.28171                    | 46.57504                 | 42.58700                | 19.84                         |
| Malaysian Ringgit        | 3.25338              | 3.10955                     | 3.25320                  | 3.07540                 | 1.9                           |
| Euro                     | 0.75560              | 0.72279                     | 0.76956                  | 0.71335                 | N/A                           |
| US Dollar                | 1.05897              | .96666                      | 1.01295                  | 0.99614                 | 0.752                         |

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