



BLACKALL PRIME AND STORE SALE REPORT 5th FEBRUARY 2015

Blackall Prime and Store sale took off to a phenomenal start for 2015, with 2661 head yarded to market set many new records for both prime and store cattle.

Processors were very strong with added competition from northern Queensland lifting cow prices to 228c for cows over 550kgs.

The tops of the bullocks made to 246c and the top weights earning 240c, just under \$2000. With rain filling in through the centrals and south west Queensland prices for weaner steers and heifers held firm with the southern markets experiencing strong demand. Light weight weaner steers made to 280c and medium weight yearling heifers to 236c. CxC made to \$1010.

Description	No	Av c/kg	Max c/kg	Av \$/hd	Max \$/hd
STRS to 220kg	311	265	280	530	593
220 to 280kg	238	241	270	606	731
280 to 350kg	127	230	258	708	826
350 to 400kg	45	224	256	833	951
400 to 500kg	58	216	238	1002	1247
Over 500kg	33	230	246	1497	1993
HFRS to 220kg	359	218	234	417	482
220 to 280kg	315	208	240	527	648
280 to 350kg	217	202	236	619	737
350 to 450kg	59	201	242	788	968
Cows 300-400kgs	164	169	198	622	733
Cows 400-500kg	352	192	214	857	1014
Cows 500kg+	214	216	228	1189	1417
Bull -450kg	10	169	234	664	881
Bull 450kgs+	75	227	248	1712	2340

HIGHLIGHTS 5/2/15

BLOOMFIELD PAST CO 'Bloomfield' Blackall, had a good result on 219 kg Droughtmaster steers topping at 266c returning \$584.

R & CM HALL 'Betanga' Alpha sold heavy prime cows to 194c weighing 577kgs returning \$1120.

STENT-SMITH PAST CO 'Shandon Vale' Aramac, topped the sale on medium weight heifers at 236c weighing 312kgs to return \$737.

DJ & LJ BENNETT 'Mellow' Barcaldine sold good quality Brangus steers to 256c weighing 367kgs to return \$941.

AE & JM SMITH 'Shady Downs' Tambo, had a terrific result on both Santa bullocks and bulls. The bullocks weighed 830kgs collecting 240c, topping the sale at \$1993. The bulls weighed 890kgs to 232c returning \$2066.

KOONDOO GRAZ 'Koondoo' Blackall sold an 805kg Santa bull to 235c to return \$1893.

Latrobe Graziers of "Norwood" Blackall sold Charolais Bulls to a top of 245.2c/kg to average 760kg to return \$1863/head, also selling Droughtmaster cross steers to a top of 253.2c/kg to average 280kg to return \$708/head.

MHG & JJ O'Dell of "Colorado" Jericho sold Brahman cross cows to a top of 211.2c/kg to average 546kg to return \$1154/head, also selling Charbray heifers to a top of 242.2c/kg to average 400kg to return \$968/head.

BG & JM O'Dell of "Toarbee" Jericho sold Brahman cows to a top of 205.2c/kg to average 463kg to return \$950/head.

RJ Murphy of "Everton" Aramac sold Santa cows to a top of 217.2c/kg to average 592kg to return \$1285/head, also selling Santa steers to a top of 269.2c/kg to average 191kg to return \$515/head.

Stewart Benson of Blackall sold Droughtmaster cross bullocks to a top of 215.2c/kg to average 640kg to return \$1377/head.

Supawick Pty Ltd of "Ascot Downs" Barcaldine sold Charolais cross steers to a top of 266.2c/kg to average 244kg to return \$651/head, also selling Santa cross heifers to a top of 240.2c/kg to average 233.2c/kg to return \$560/head.

AJ Smith of "Strathroy" Hughenden sold Charolais cross steers to a top of 272.2c/kg to average 205kg to return \$559/head, also selling Charolais cross heifers to a top of 234.2c/kg to average 205kg to return \$481/head.

Tim & Kylie Box, Lancevale, Blackall sold a consignment of 13 Santa Bulls to top at \$2.34c/kg to average \$219c/kg, while **Jason & Anne Sprague, Neverfail, Blackall** sold a Droughtmaster Bull to top at 226c/kg to return over \$2148, The Spragues also sold a line of Droughtmaster Cross Cows with their heavy cows over 500kg selling to 228c/kg to average \$2.16c/kg, while cows 400 to 500kg sold to 214c/kg to average 192c/kg with light cows 300 to 400kg topped at 198c/kg to average 169.2c/kg. **Clarendon Cattle Co, Blackall** sold a line of heavy cows over 500kg to top at 217.2c/kg to average 209c/kg. Heavy Steers over 550kg sold to 246.2c/kg to average 230c/kg with Neverfail, Blackall also topping the market with steers 630kg realising the top price of 246.2c/kg.

In the Store Section Weaner Steers under 220kg topped at 280c/kg to average 265.2c/kg, Steers 220 to 280kg realised a top of 270c/kg to average 241.2c/kg and Steers 280 to 350kg topped at 258.2c/kg to average 230c/kg while Feeder Steers 400 to 550kg sold to 238c/kg to average 216.8c/kg.

Russell & Angela Windsor, Innerdale, Blackall sold a line of black brangus steers topping at 262.2c/kg weighing 323kg to average 255.4c/kg.

Pathungra Properties, Boulia sold a consignment of Droughtmaster Cross Steers to 230c/kg weighing 230kg with an average of 214c/kg.

In the heifer section Pathungra Properties also offered a line of 266kg Droughtmaster Heifers selling to 193c/kg.

Zac Geltsch, Aramac sold a line of 77 Brahman Cross Heifers realising a top of 222c/kg to average 191c/kg weighing 284kg, the same vendor sold a pen of 16 Brahman Cross Cows & Calves to \$940 per head.

BF & RC Birchley 'Gartmore' Tambo Sold Braford bullocks for 244.2 c weighing 652 kg returning \$1592 and also sold Braford cows for 216.2 c weighing 517 kg returning \$1117 per head.

RH & DE Tengbom 'Waterloo' Barcaldine sold Santa cows for 228.2 c weighing 515 kg returning \$1177 per head.

ES & JB Otto 'Minnamoora' Jericho sold Brahman bulls for 235.2 c weighing 995 kg returning \$2340 per head and also sold Brahman cows for 224.2 c weighing 594 kg returning \$1332 per head with the draft of cows topping at 228.2 and averaging 224.2 for \$1179 per head.

Anthony & Julie Cole 'Geebung' Jericho sold Charolais cross steers for 233.2 c weighing 563 kg returning \$1314 per head and also sold Santa cross heifers for 231.2 c weighing 473 kg returning \$1094 per head.

Jamie Spark 'Iona' Blackall sold Angus steers for 280.2 c weighing 194 kg returning \$544 per head.

Paula J Dean 'Notus Downs' Longreach sold Hereford cross steers for 280.2 c weighing 177 kg returning \$496 per head with the draft of steers averaging 273.2 c weighing 197 kg returning \$539 per head.

JA, TF & JW Kidd 'Ourdel' Windorah sold Charbray steers for 276.2 c weighing 215 kg returning \$593 per head and also sold Charbray heifers for 232.2 c weighing 207 kg returning \$482 per head.

Loongana Pastoral CO 'Loongana' Longreach sold Droughtmaster cross steers for 267.2 c weighing 199 kg returning \$531 per head and also sold quality Droughtmaster heifers for 206.2 c weighing 289 kg returning \$597 per head

Next Prime & Store Sale : 12/2/15
Next Special Weaner and Store Sale:
26/2/15