



## **BLACKALL FAT AND STORE SALE REPORT** **7<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2015**

2273 Fat and Store cattle were yarded this week at the Blackall Saleyards.

Cattle were drawn from the Winton, Longreach, Barcaldine, Jericho, Isisford, Tambo and Blackall districts. The quality of the yarding given the seasonal conditions was good. There was a big yarding of cows with almost 1000 yarded. There was strong buyer support in all the processor grades with the addition of two southern processors in the market increasing competition across all lines. Buyer support from re-stockers came from the Tambo, Augathella, Springsure, Roma and Wandoan districts. All feeder classes were once again very strong with up to five major feedlots active within the market. The much talked about shortage of supply is now a reality across so many descriptions of cattle. Watch this space for some truly incredible results over the upcoming weeks.

Description	No	Av c/kg	Max c/kg	Av \$/hd	Max \$/hd
<b>STRS to 220kg</b>	16	200	234	411	480
220 to 280kg	139	223	254	572	705
280 to 350kg	228	227	246	721	828
350 to 400kg	99	217	238	799	891
400 to 500kg	220	215	250	944	1172
Over 500kg	5	206	224	1211	1415
<b>HFRS to 220kg</b>	59	173	200	340	432
220 to 280kg	172	191	216	494	558
280 to 350kg	235	178	220	566	655
350 to 450kg	189	176	220	707	865
Cows 300-400kgs	121	141	155	530	603
Cows 400-500kg	483	162	194	721	943
<b>Cows 500kg+</b>	192	193	206	1056	1271
<b>Bull -450kg</b>	22	194	210	513	701
<b>Bull 450kgs+</b>	49	188	224	1381	1898
<b>Cows and Calves</b>	141			\$711	\$830

**SALE HIGHLIGHTS 07/05/2015**

**DB and FM Nicholson of "Wongan", Winton** sold Santa cows to a top of 186c/kg weighing 615kg to return \$1145 per head. Their Charolais cross heifers topped at 186c/kg weighing 459kg to return \$855 per head. Brahman feeder steers from the same vendor topped at 222c/kg weighing 440kg to return \$977 per head. The Charbray and Brahman cross cows and calves topped at \$850. **Home Creek Pastoral Trust of "Home Creek", Barcaldine** sold Santa bulls to a top of 201c/kg weighing 875kg to return \$1760, their Santa Cows topped at 182c/kg weighing 503kg to return \$917 per head, Droughtmaster cross heifers topped at 206c/kg weighing 409kg to return \$843 per head and their store steers topped at 254c/kg weighing 270kg to return \$686 per head. **WG Britton of "Sandilla", Winton** sold Hereford cross steers to a top of 253c/kg weighing 278kg to return \$705 per head. He also sold hereford cross heifers to a top of 200c/kg weighing 278kg to return \$558 per head. **Andrew Hardie of "Dumfries", Blackall** sold Droughtmaster cross steers to a top of 230c/kg weighing 346kg to return \$797 per head. **Phillip Hart of Isisford** sold Santa bulls to a top of 198c/kg weighing 675kg to return \$1337 per head. Santa feeder steers from the same vendor sold to a top of 226c/kg weighing 430kg to return \$972 per head. Santa and Santa cross cows and calves sold to a top of \$750 per unit. **A & C Adams, Allo Omer, Blackall** sold a consignment of Brahman Cows to a top of 195c/kg to weigh 461kg returning \$1,095. **The Enniskillen Past Co, Boongoondoo, Jericho** sold Santa Cows 541kg to 188c/kg and No 3 Santa Heifers to top at 196c/kg weighing 441kg. **J & K Hall, Longreach** sold Brahman Cows to 155c/kg weighing 418kg returning \$648. **Roman Czubak, Boulia** sold Santa Cows to 193c/kg weighing 557kg to return \$1077. **KAB Contracting, Boulia** sold Santa X Steers 450kg to top at 242c/kg and their 315kg Steers realised a top of 230c/kg returning \$725. **Humphries Grazing, Dotswood, Muttaburra** sold a line of Braford Steers to a top of 240c/kg to weigh 440kg realising \$1056 while their lighter steers weighing 272kg made 234c/kg. The **Dotswood** heifer portion sold to 212c/kg for 259kg heifers with their heifer consignment averaging 203c/kg for 232kg average weight. **Strathmore Trust, Longreach** sold Santa Heifers 283kg to top at 220c/kg, while **Bilby Haulage, Boulia** sold a pen of Santa/Charl X Cows & Calves for \$730 per unit. **Rich Enterprises of "Boorara", Blackall**, topped the heavy cow market with a well-covered line of Charolais X cows weighing 616kgs to 206c to return \$1271. They also topped the steer run at 224c for Brahman steers weighing 555kgs \$1244. **H & S Glasson of "Greenlaw" Yaraka**, had a good result on quality Brahman cows weighing 473kgs to 190c to return \$899. **J T**

**Parkinson of "Newhaven", Yaraka**, topped the steers 220-280kgs at 246c weighing 228kgs returning \$562. **RTK & SP Smith "Depot Glen", Stonehenge**, sold very good quality Brahman steers to 208c weighing 680kgs topping the sale at \$1415. **Mundurin Grazing "Mundurin" Winton** sold quality Charolais cross feeder steers for 250.2c/kg weighing 415 kg returning \$1038 per head and also sold heavy Droughtmaster cross cows for 185 c weighing 625 kg returning \$1156 per head. **MJ & SE Cameron "Romulus", Blackall** sold Shorthorn cows for 181.2 c weighing 522 kg returning \$945 per head. **Prince Holdings Pty Ltd "Mudgeacca" Boulia** sold a large line of fat and store Brahman cross cows topping at 186.2 c weighing 504 kg returning \$938 per head with the store cows selling to 157.2 c weighing 443 kg returning \$697 per head and also sold Angus cross feeder steers for 242.2 c weighing 418 kg returning \$1014. **Adams & Son "Darracourt", Blackall** sold Santa heifers for 190.2 c weighing 522 kg returning \$992 per head. **Shadyside Grazing Co "Shadyside", Longreach** sold Droughtmaster cross steers for 232.2 c weighing 428 kg returning \$994 per head. **Jamie Spark "Iona", Blackall** sold Angus heifers for 208.2 c weighing 250 kg returning \$522 per head. **RV & MF Little Muttaburra** sold Santa heifers for 190.2 c weighing 265 kg returning \$504 per head.

NEXT BLACKALL SALE: 14<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2015