

BLACKALL MARKET REPORT

13th MARCH 2025

Blackall combined agents yarded 1318 head at their fat and store sale. In what can be best described as a very mixed quality yarding, good quality fat and backgrounder cattle were firm in line with all other Queensland centres. The disruption caused in the processor and feedlot market by Cyclone Alfred did affect the numbers of feeder and fat cattle penned. The next Blackall sale will be held on the 27th of March. This will be a Weaner, Store and Fat sale.

NEXT SALE – BLACKALL WEANER & STORE SALE 27th MARCH 2025 8:00 AM AUCTION START

| Category | QTY | Average c/kg | High c/kg | AV \$ | High \$/hd |
|--------------------|-----|-----------------|--------------|---------|---------------|
| Bull 0 - 450kg | | C/ Kg | C/ Kg | | φ γ πα |
| Bull 450kg+ | 5 | 139 | 230 | \$1,064 | \$1,530 |
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| Cow 0 – 300kg | - | - | - | - | - |
| Cow 300 - 400kg | 23 | 242 | 242 | \$928 | \$928 |
| Cow 400 - 500kg | 95 | 242 | 270 | \$1,083 | \$1,288 |
| Cow 500kg+ | 45 | 266 | 275 | \$1,687 | \$2,040 |
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| Heifer 0 – 220kg | 24 | 165 | 202 | \$343 | \$421 |
| Heifer 220 - 280kg | 124 | 236 | 312 | \$637 | \$792 |
| Heifer 280 - 350kg | 330 | 235 | 288 | \$711 | \$889 |
| Heifer 350 - 450kg | 130 | 242 | 280 | \$972 | \$1,155 |
| Heifer 450kg+ | 33 | 291 | 302 | \$1,060 | \$1,530 |
| Feeder Heifers | 24 | 165 | 202 | \$343 | \$421 |
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| Steer 0 - 220kg | 25 | 345 | 430 | \$595 | \$725 |
| Steer 220 - 280kg | 66 | 243 | 414 | \$656 | \$1,130 |
| Steer 280 - 350kg | 216 | 332 | 398 | \$1,071 | \$1,377 |
| Steer 350 - 400kg | 82 | 301 | 398 | \$1,154 | \$1,501 |
| Steer 400 - 550kg | 51 | 310 | 346 | \$1,331 | \$1,468 |
| Steer 500kg+ | 38 | 278 | 314 | \$1,970 | \$2,112 |
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| Cows & Calves | 16 | | | \$1,050 | \$1,050 |



HIGHLIGHTS

DZ Cattle Company, "Pretty Plains", Jericho sold Angus Cross heifers to a top of 294 c/kg weighing 467 to return \$1374 per head. They also sold Angus cross bullocks for 314 c/kg weighing 607 kg to return \$1907 per head.

PJ and TN Cullen, *"Kyong"*, **Pentland** sold Charbray steers to a top of 330 c/kg weighing 423 kg to return \$1398 per head.

Lance Thompson, "Bauhinia Park", Blackall sold Santa cross cows to a top of 270 c/kg weighing 642 kg to return \$1736 per head.

D & A Woodhouse, *"Manfred"*, Julia Creek, sold Santa Gertrudis X steers for 346.2 c/kg weighing 420 kg for a return of \$1,454 p/hd.

ER & LM Slack-Smith, *"Gladevale"*, **Richmond**, sold Ultra-Black X steers for 336.2 c/kg weighing 381 kg for a return of \$1,282 p/hd.

MH & NK Woodhouse, *"Manfred"*, Julia Creek, sold Santa Gertrudis X steers for 326.2 c/kg weighing 404 kg for a return of \$1,317 p/hd. They had also sold Charolais X heifers for 270.2 c/kg weighing 419 kg for a return of \$1,133 p/hd.

Banks Bros, *"Duneira"*, **Blackall**, sold Simmental X cows for 271.2 c/kg weighing 580 kg for a return of \$1,572 p/hd.

RA Russell Pastoral Co, "Sumnervale", Blackall, sold Charolais X heifers for 302.2 c/kg weighing 608 kg for a return of \$1,839 p/hd. They had also sold Charolais X cows for 272.2 c/kg weighing 722 kg for a return of \$1,966 p/hd.

Heart 2 J Cattle Co, *"Strathavon",* **Blackall** sold Droughtmaster X Steers for 398.2 c/kg averaging 377 kg returning \$1,501.21/head.

S & JG Griffiths & N Hancock T/A Yapara North, *"Moonya"*, Barcaldine sold Brahman X Cows for 270 c/kg averaging 460kg returning \$1,242/head.

JJ O'Dell "Colorado", Jericho, sold Charolais Cows for 275 c/kg averaging 620 kg returning \$1,705/head.

Ambo Grazing, *"Ambo"*, Longreach, sold Angus cross mickey bulls for 232.2 c/kg weighing 350 kg to return \$813 p/head. They also sold Angus cross heifers for 270 c/kg weighing 355 kg to return \$959 p/head.

Jesse Atkinson, *"Crewkerne"*, Muttaburra, sold Charolais cross heifers for 240 c/kg weighing 319 kg to return \$766 p/head.

BF Birchley & RC Birchley "Gartmore" Tambo sold Braford bullocks for 268.2 c/kg for 787 kg to return \$2112/head.

RJ & AV Whiting "Inverurie" Jericho sold Simmental X steers for 430.2c/kg weighing 168kg to return \$725/hd.

Pathmont *"Audreystone"* **Barcaldine** sold Simmental X heifers for 234.2c/kg weighing 351kg to return \$821/hd.