BLACKALL COMBINED AGENTS MARKET REPORT 13th October 2011

Blackall Combined Agents yarded 2664 head at their weekly Fat & Store Sale. Bullocks were fully firm on last week's rates as were cows, bulls and heavy heifers. The store market continues to be red hot! The demand from re-stockers and feedlotters was again evident yesterday with excellent prices being achieved. The cattle yarded yesterday were of a good quality and were drawn from the Barcaldine, Boulia, Winton, Tambo and Blackall districts.

Adams & Sons 'Darracourt' Blackall sold Simbrah steers to a top of 185.0c/kg weighing 548.4kg to return \$1014.56 per head, whilst the run of steers averaged 183.0c/kg weighing 465.4kg to return \$851.48 per head. Corella Pastoral Co, "Corella" Winton, sold 176 Santa steers to average 238.4c/kg to 246.9kg to return \$561.20, also selling their sisters to return 205.2c/kg to 217.4kg to return \$446. IH & PD Campbell, "Orange Downs" Barcaldine sold Droughtmaster steers for 186.2c/kg to 403.3kg returning \$751 also selling Brahman heifers for 207.2c/kg to 355kg to return \$735.56 also selling Brahman cows for 165.2ckg to 571kg to return \$944.39.Rodney & Lisa Kings, 'Inverness' Blackall sold Brahman cross steers for 226.2c/kg to 220kg to return \$497 also selling Charolais heifers for 204.2c/kg to 222.5kg to return \$454.

P & J Gardiner, 'Capella' sold a run of 110 Brahman steers to average 175.5c/kg to 378kg to return \$663.45. Killarnev Park Grazing, 'Killarnev Park' Tambo sold Santa steers for 244.2c/kg to 285kg to return \$696.78 per head. CM & JA McClelland, 'Pembroke' Aramac, sold Santa steers for 226.2c/kg to 255kg to return \$576.81 also selling Brahman heifers for 198.2c/kg to 235kg to return \$\$465.77 per head. John & Nell Cameron "Romulus" Blackall sold Charolais X Steers topping at 186c weighing 595kg returning \$1107/hd to average 187c weighing 528kg or \$990. The Birchley Family "Gartmore" Tambo sold Braford Steers topping 182c weighing 720kg making \$1312. RL & F Owens "Gydia Park" Isisford sold Poll Hereford Cows PTIC topping at 177c weighing 489kg returning \$867/hd to average 160c weighing 463kg returning \$740/hd. La Plata Grazing "La Plata" Blackall sold a line of Droughtmaster X Heifers making 209c weighing 212kg returning \$443/hd. Ballater Past Co "Ballater" Hughenden sold a draft of Hereford/Droughtmaster x Steers topping at 241c/kg weighing 233kg returning \$563/hd with their Heifers topping at 213c/kg to weigh 257kg returning \$549/hd. RL & F Owens "Gydia Park" Isisford sold Poll Hereford Cows & Calves topping at \$1060 to average \$995 per unit. The Enniskillen Pastoral Co sold Santa bullock's 186.2c/kg weighing 642kg to return \$1196/head. Baldy Bay PDT LTD sold Brahman Cross bullocks180.2c/kg weighing 590kg to return \$1063/head. Mildura Grazing Trust "Mildura" Barcaldine sold Angus cross cows to average 154.5c/kg weighing 505kg to return \$781/head. Moonbong Partnership "Chatham" Charleville sold Santa cows to 170.2c/kg weighing 607kg to return \$1033/head. While their #8 heifers went on to make 174.2c/kg weighing 490kg to return \$854/head. Ben Avery "Allendale" Blackall sold Charolais cross cows 168.2c/kg weighing 573kg to return \$964/head. Inkerman Grazing "Inkerman" Longreach sold Brahman cows to 156.2c/kg weighing 481kg to return \$752/head, for the draft to average 148.6c/kg weighing 468kg to return \$695/head. Landers Grazing Co "Dalmar" Aramac sold Santa steers 228.2c/kg weighing 255kg to return

\$583/head. Mildura Grazing Trust "Mildura" Barcaldine sold Angus cross steers to a top of 234.2c/kg weighing 209 to return \$438/head, for the draft to average 224.4c/kg weighing 240kg to return \$533/head. Inkerman Grazing "Inkerman" Longreach sold Brahman cross steers to 226.2c/kg weighing 206kg to return \$466/head, to average 203.2c/kg weighing 242kg to return \$493/head. Alderley Pastoral Co "Alderley Station" Boulia sold Charolais cross steers to a top of 235.2c/kg weighing 196kg to return \$466/head, for the draft to average 212.5c/kg weighing 218kg to return \$464/head. Inkerman Grazing "Inkerman" Longreach sold Brahman cross heifers 214.2c/kg weighing 233kg to return \$500, for the draft to average 213.8c/kg weighing 218kg to return \$468/head. Mildura Grazing Trust "Mildura" Barcaldine sold Angus cross heifers to 212.2c/kg weighing 225kg to return \$477/head, for the draft to average 206.5c/kg weighing 219kg to return \$453/head. Alderley Pastoral Co "Alderley Station" Boulia sold Charolais cross heifers to atop of 218.2c/kg weighing 222kg to return \$484/head, the draft went on to average 214.3c/kg weighing 202kg to return \$434/head. Alice Downs Blackall sold Santa Gertrudis cows for a top of 168c to weigh 627kg returning \$1054. The Shrimp family "Bellevue" Yaraka sold Brahman cross cows for a top of 172.2c to weigh 630kg or \$1084. The Hall family "Betanga" Alpha sold Charolais cross steers for 190.2c weighing 317kg or \$603. Tim & Kylie Box "Lancevale" Blackall sold Droughtmaster cross heifers for 208.2 to weigh 178kg to return \$371.

Category	Average	Max.
STEERS		
Up to 220	223.1	266.2
220 - 280	225.3	244.2
280 - 350	204.0	244.2
350 - 400	178.2	206.2
400 - 500	181.7	189.6
Over 500kg	181.2	186.2
HEIFERS		
Up to 220	200.3	220.2
220 - 280	198.8	218.2
280 - 350	155.4	192.2
350 - 450	170.8	207.2
450 - 500	170.4	175.0
Over 500kg		
COWS		
250 - 300		
300 - 400		
400 - 500	137.7	177.2
Over 500	161.0	172.2
BULLS		
0-450	154.1	190.2
450 - 600	135.6	156.2
Over 600kgs		
COWS & CALVES		\$1060.00