



Beef Cattle Production Manager – Esperance Region, Western Australia

We are seeking a motivated and enthusiastic person to lead a beef cattle breeding and grazing operation in the Esperance region of WA.

The 1600 ha property is in a high rainfall region 40Kms east of Esperance town site and is predominantly a cattle operation based on intensive grazing in conjunction with a medium sized feedlot. The property is currently carrying 1100 cattle including 600 high quality breeders. This role will lead the delivery of our strategy which is to maximise grazing efficiency utilising industry best practice to drive kgs of beef produced per hectare.

The position will concentrate on the daily operations of an intensive grazing operation and will require an understanding of all facets of beef production including cattle nutrition, grazing management, pasture production and grazing production benchmarking.

The beef production manager will assist in developing standard operating procedures (SOPs) that will guide the operation and will provide relevant and timely detailed operational reports to the General Manager.

On a day to day basis the manager will be required to exhibit skills in:

1. Animal handling, assessment and general livestock capabilities to handle differing classes of cattle
2. Knowledge of cattle reproductive systems and technologies
3. Management of an intensive rotational grazing system
4. Routine property maintenance
5. Pasture management, assessment etc.
6. Infrastructure development and maintenance to facilitate the above (electric fence, waters etc.)
7. Communication and reporting

Our systems rely on quality and timely record keeping and reporting. The successful applicant will understand the value of information and analysis of data as a key component in benchmarking performance and informed decision making.

The property has excellent cattle handling facilities and fencing and water assets are well developed. A quality 3X2 home is available on the property.

This senior management role will suit those that have well developed skills and capacities in beef cattle production and property management and aspire to a higher level of responsibility and autonomy within a progressive and innovative organisation.

The successful applicant will be rewarded with an attractive salary package and will become part of a small team driving innovation and excellence in beef production in Australia.

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