

Poplar Road Limited Partnership, Ashburton

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Contour/Soil Type	Flat																											
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Policies	Twice a day milking Spring Calving																											
Mating	Start Date: October 15 th – 25 th December. 5 Weeks AI, 11 weeks full mating. Heifers are put to a Jersey Bull for 10 weeks.																											
Calves	150 heifer replacement calves																											
Animal Health	Animal Health plan – as set with Vets																											
Herd	Cross breed herd – aiming for an F10J6 composition																											
Current Staffing	1 Contract Milker 2x Full-time staff 1x Calf Rearer from August - October																											
Grazing Policies	2100KgDM at 31 st May																											
Feeding Systems	Up to 1 TonneDM/Cow of Supplementary feed. Made up of approx. 200T Barley, 70T Maize Silage, 450 Bales, 150T PKE/Meal, Straw and 27T of Molasses																											
Infrastructure	54-bale Rotary shed with Protrack drafting in-shed feeding 7-bay and 2-bay calf barn with workshop.																											
Water	658m part-circle pivot, 616m part-circle pivot with corner arm. 9ha K-line and lateral, 5ha of fixed grid. 100,000 cubic metre Irrigation storage pond fed by MHL enough to water 182ha. 2x Wells Soil moisture monitoring																											

Fertiliser	Best practice as per Balance – 190kg of Nitrogen applied regularly.
Machinery	Tractor, Feed-out Wagon, Generator, Heavy Roller, Meal Feeders, Diesel Tank, Bale Forks, Silage Grabs, EID stick, Topping Mower
Housing	4-bedroom brick homestead with double glazing, double garage and carport 3-bedroom cottage with double garage and carport 3-bedroom cottage with single garage
Schooling	Hinds Playcentre, Leap Ahead Early Childhood Centre, Hinds School (Years 1-8) and Ashburton College