

CFOC – Mulga Graze investment under Sustainable Ag
Reporting period 3 : July to Dec 2014

ARDGOUR PROJECT

Rhett and Alison Mobbs from Bulloo Lakes have completed 7.2km of fencing for Stage 1 of their Suzannah Paddock Rotational Grazing Project with the remaining 5km of fence line cleared and ready for erection. The project would have been more advanced however due to approximately 6 inches of rainfall through December, work on the fence has had to put on hold. The material for the remain 5km of fence line is on site and will be installed as soon as it dry enough to operate the machinery needed to install the rest of the fence.

Photo 1: The new fence line under construction. Photo 2: Heavy machinery on site.



Due to the rainfall the photo sites that where established on the initial property inspection t are showing significant increase in ground cover. This is partly due to the rainfall as well as the management decision to destock the paddock until the ground cover percentage increases.

The rainfall that the property got was well received, the way that the rain fell was also beneficial. It was slow steady rain with minimum droplet impact and low run off rate, this is allows a large percentage of the rainfall to penetrate the soil and creates subsoil moisture profile which leads to longer growth time.

Photo Site 1 on Bulloo Lakes. 55J 253579 m E, 7171616 m S.





Below: A map of the project at Bulloo Lakes, showing the location of the planned fences lines.

