



## How more clover was grown in Flinders Island pastures

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In 2018, David Bellinger, a Flinders Island based pastoralist, provided some feedback to his fertiliser supplier, Agrifert.

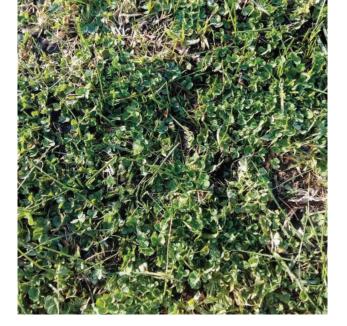
David has been trying to achieve balance in his 1,150ha pasture enterprise for many years, where he currently runs 2,000 head of Angus and Angus cross cattle.

In 2017 he met Nick Barnes at a Flinders Island growers' day. Nick runs Agrifert, a fertiliser distribution company based in Somerset, Tasmania who also services the Flinders Island and King Island areas.

After that meeting, David decided to move to using BioAg's *BioAgPhos®* as the main component of his pasture fertiliser program.



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David's resulting program consisted of:

BioAgPhos (P:12.7, Ca:35, S:1)

*BioAgSoP*<sup>™</sup> (K: 41.5, S:18)

Copper, Boron, Zinc, Magnesium, Cobalt

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Part of David Bellinger's 1,150 ha pasture on Flinders Island.

## More about Agrifert

Agrifert is a fertiliser distribution company based in Somerset, Tasmania, servicing farmers in Tasmania, Flinders Island and King Island.

David and Nick Barnes started Agrifert in 1995 after the pair saw a need to supply farmers with fertilisers and other nutritional products that suited the sustainable agricultural market in the area.

Agrifert is now a leading supplier of natural and sustained release fertilisers, sourcing the best quality inputs from around the world based on scientific results.

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