




TE MANIA ANGUS
BREEDING BETTER BEEF

PROVEN PERFORMANCE





Te Mania Angus is built on a gene pool already 85 years in the making. It is a one-stop genetics shop – providing Angus bulls, semen, embryos and stud cows for the premium beef industry.

It is backed up by Team Te Mania, a coalition of over 40 herds using next-generation Te Mania Angus genetics – both as part of a progeny testing program and to fast track commercial production.

When you invest in Te Mania Angus genetics you expect the best – whether you are seeking to make your herd more commercially viable with fast-growing, high marbling steers, or you are focussed on providing a serious boost to the genetic profile of your breeding herd.

Our commitment is efficient commercial beef production. Te Mania Angus has been a pioneer of performance testing, and today our 1700 breeders are run in mobs of up to 600. This places physical pressures on the herd, acting as a giant filter to identify any uneconomic traits.

Temperament is an important part of the package. Our cattle are handled with low stress stockhandling principles, which develops a trust between the animal and its handler, and stays with the animal throughout its life

The Te Mania Angus philosophy is to breed sound, highly fertile cattle with good temperament, calving ease, high growth rate and exceptional carcass quality which will enable its clients to efficiently produce consistent lines of premium beef cattle.

We practice sustainable farming, ensuring we leave the land in good shape for generations to come. Waterways and native bush which act as shelter-belts are fenced off, and natural farm inputs are spread to nourish the soil.

Building more efficient breeding herds.

Te Mania Angus has been a pioneer of objective measurement in Australasia, and continues to play a key role in the development of new EBVs - most recently for structure and temperament. We are totally committed to continually improving the accuracy of our own figures as well as those of the wider Angus industry.

In the Te Mania Angus program short-generation interval, high-accuracy animals also give us the opportunity to make faster genetic gain, therefore improving our herd and the herds of our clients at an ever-accelerating rate.

Using our massive databank, and the vast resource of Angus Group Breedplan, we are able to keep a lid on vital traits, such as birth weight and mature cow size, while all the time pushing the high-value areas including marbling and growth rate..

Jim Green has been structurally assessing Te Mania Angus cattle since 1994, as part of an intensive structural assessment program where not only every bull is assessed, but every female is assessed prior to joining for the first three years of its breeding life. Donor cows are assessed each year, regardless of age.

All females must calve at two years of age, unassisted, and are rejoined annually, under intensive commercial grazing conditions.

Te Mania Angus also progeny tests a significant cast of sires each year – both on-property and through the Team Te Mania commercial progeny test herds spanning SA, Victoria and NSW, giving us enormous data from a range of climatic and geographic conditions.



Jim Green



These progeny test herds contribute valuable information, which further increases the accuracy of Te Mania Angus genetics through the sire line. A streamlined cattle recording system built by Sapien Technology ensures the efficient transfer of data through to the ABRI (Agricultural Business Research Institute) for analysis.

While performance testing on this scale is a time consuming and expensive program, Te Mania Angus remains committed to this principle – and its success is there for all to see, with more than twice as many Angus Group Breedplan trait leaders as any other stud.

Te Mania Angus Sales

Best of all, our clients share the power of the brand. Progeny from Te Mania Angus sires regularly bring top prices – in stud sales, direct sales and in the saleyards – and they are actively sourced by major feedlotter and backgrounders for their profitable traits.

Te Mania Angus genetics can be sourced through feature sales held on-property at Mortlake, Victoria; Walgett, New South Wales; and feature online sales.

Every bull must meet strict Te Mania Angus performance standards to be catalogued, including independent tests for fertility, structure and temperament. The large listings in our catalogues ensure a range of prices for commercial and stud cattle producers, to suit all budgets.

Stud cows, senior sires and embryos are sold in feature sales and privately.

Semen from leading Te Mania Angus sires is retailed through AI resellers, and in recent years has been distributed throughout Europe, the United Kingdom, the United States, China and New Zealand.



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Te Mania Berkley

Te Mania Berkley B1 is the highest recorded sire on Australian Angus Group Breedplan for the Angus Breeding Index and Heavy Grain Index [April 2015].

A very balanced sire with natural thickness and good length of body. He combines high growth and carcase weight with good calving ease.

Te Mania Berkley B1 has progeny recorded in 140 herds, and is registered with the American Angus Association. Semen health tested available for EU, USA, South America, South Africa.

Team Te Mania

Established in 1995, Team Te Mania is an alliance of cutting-edge Australian Angus producers working together to produce high quality beef cattle and collectively market through a nationally recognised brand.

Team Te Mania members have access to the latest Te Mania Angus genetics through a bull-leasing program and discounted artificial insemination. The bull leasing is backed by a 48-hour replacement guarantee. Focusing on efficient management practices and industry-leading genetics, Team Te Mania cattle are highly sought after by backgrounders and the feedlot industry.

Large lines of females are sold in Team Te Mania sales through AuctionsPlus, creating opportunities for breeders to purchase consistent and high quality cows from the one bloodline. The quality and volume of Team Te Mania differentiates it from any other line of cattle.

Team members work together to genetically fast-track the fertility and performance of their herds, achieving more cattle reaching commercial targets, in a shorter period of time from conception to turn off. In turn, Te Mania Angus – the nucleus herd – benefits from vital production feedback used to further finetune the genetic program.

Targeted genetics are multiplied through consistent commercial production by Team Te Mania herds, ensuring a premium product for the commercial cattle producer, the processor and the retailer.

The Team program is based on the eventual exclusive use of Te Mania Angus genetics in Team herds. There is a phase-in period while bulls in each member's herd are gradually replaced with Team Te Mania lease bulls and/or subsidised semen. All male progeny must be castrated.

Benefits of the Team Te Mania program

- Development of premium female breeding herds
- Higher numbers of steers reach market specifications
- Market awareness from a strong and recognised brand
- Use of proven Angus genetics at commercial rates
- Guaranteed replacement of lease bulls within 48 hours - no back-up bulls required
- Lease payments are tax deductible – no capital outlay
- Te Mania Angus consultants and directors assist with genetic and management decisions
- Sharing ideas with dynamic group of commercial cattle producers



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