



# FEEDBACK TRIAL

# Entry Form



Teams of five steers  
Free freight & Free Bovilis\*

\*conditions apply, enter before July 12 to apply  
**\$20,000** in Cash & Prizes

## Entries Close – July 17

Cattle Delivered to Jindalee Feedlot by 4pm – Wednesday August 26

Entry cost: \$242 Inc GST per team

Entry Form (Full Specifications Overleaf)

**NEW This Year**  
**ENTER BEEF 2021 CARCASE COMPETITION**  
 Simply enter as usual and for an extra \$110 per team you can enter the national carcase competition for BEEF 2021 at Rockhampton.  
 You simply enter - We do the rest  
 See fact sheet for more information  
 I would like Enter BEEF 2021 carcase Competition  
 Number of teams

Name:.....

Trading Name:.....

Address:.....

Town:.....Post Code:.....

Phone:.....Mobile:.....

Email:.....PIC:.....

I have / have not previously sold to Teys Australia (please circle one)

Breed or Cross Team 1.....Month of Birth.....

Breed or Cross Team 2.....Month of Birth.....

Breed or Cross Team 3.....Month of Birth.....

Breed or Cross Team 4.....Month of Birth.....

Teams 1 2 3 4

*Note: Maximum of four teams will be accepted*

### Payment Details

Enter Online at:

<https://www.theland.com.au/beef/beefspectacular/entry-forms/>

or Send a cheque to:

Brett Tindal, The Land Newspaper

19 Peter Street, Wagga, NSW, 2650

(make the cheque out to The Land Newspaper)

Note: EFT not available

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# Specifications

## Cattle Must be HGP FREE

The objective of this trial is to evaluate the performance of teams of five animals in achieving the commercial requirements of Teys Australia's Jindalee Feedlot grain fed beef program (targeting the branded products of Riverine Premium Beef, Teys Certified Premium Black Angus and Riverine Classic Beef).

Entrants will be evaluated on their ability to supply steers that meet feedlot entry specifications, perform well in the feedlot and produce high yielding, good eating quality carcasses that meet the market specifications.

### Feedlot Feeder Entry Specifications – 20 points/animal (100 points/team)

Animals will be assessed at induction to determine how successfully they meet the feedlot feeder entry specifications. Animals will receive maximum points if they are within the range of specifications. Animals that fall outside the specifications will have points deducted.

The feeder entry specifications are:

- |                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| • Breed                | most breeds and crosses accepted (maximum of 50% Bos indicus content) |
| • Sex                  | steers only   |
| • Live weight (shrunk) | 360-480 kg  |
| • P8 fat (scanned)     | 3-10 mm   |
| • Dentition            | milk tooth only   |
| • Frame score          | 4 to 6  |
| • Vaccination          | One shot of Bovillis-MH + IBR prior to August 10                      |



Points will be deducted for incomplete National LPA Vendor Declarations and cattle consigned from an incorrect PIC number on the NLIS database.

### Feedlot Performance – 70 points/animal (350 points/team)

Feedlot performance will be assessed based on the average daily weight gain (ADG) of each animal and the health of each animal. Animals with higher rates of gain will be awarded higher points, while points will be deducted for animals that require treatment for illness or deaths.

### Carcase Specifications – 110 points/animal (550 points/team)

Carcasses will be assessed on their meeting the carcass specifications for Teys Australia's Jindalee Feedlot grain fed beef (targeting the branded products of Riverine Premium Beef, Teys Certified Premium Black Angus and Riverine Classic). Carcasses will receive higher points if they are within the optimum range of specifications and zero points for each trait that falls outside specifications.

The carcass specifications are:

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|--------------------------------------|---|
| • Hot standard carcass weight (HSCW) | 330-420 kg, optimum 370-400 kg            |
| • P8 fat                             | 10-32 mm, optimum 12-20 mm                |
| • Dentition                          | 0-4, optimum 0-2                          |
| • Marbling                           | Aus-meat 1-9, optimum 2+ (MSA marble 400) |
| • Meat colour                        | Aus-meat 1A-3, optimum 1B-1C              |
| • Fat colour                         | Aus-meat 0-3, optimum 0-1                 |
| • Meat pH                            | 5.30-5.69                                 |

Points will be allocated for the dressing percentage, yield of saleable meat and the eating quality of each carcass, with higher points allocated for higher performing carcasses.

### Overall Point Score – 200 points/animal (1000 points/team)

Individual animals will be assessed and feedback provided to entrants on the performance of each animal in the above areas. Prizes will be awarded based on the performance of the teams of five. Should an animal die in the feedlot, the cause of the death will be investigated. If the death is found to be accidental then allowances will be made for that animal/team, however any other deaths will result in zero points for feedlot performance and carcass specifications for the animal.



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# Cattle Nomination Form

Exhibitor Name:.....

## TEAM ONE

Breeder tag	Breed or Cross	Electronic ID (RFID) eg. 951 0000 12345678	Month of Birth.....	NLIS Number eg. NB 123456LBE01001
1.....	.....	.....	or	.....
2.....	.....	.....	or	.....
3.....	.....	.....	or	.....
4.....	.....	.....	or	.....
5.....	.....	.....	or	.....

## TEAM TWO

Breeder tag	Breed or Cross	Electronic ID (RFID) eg. 951 0000 12345678	Month of Birth.....	NLIS Number eg. NB 123456LBE01001
1.....	.....	.....	or	.....
2.....	.....	.....	or	.....
3.....	.....	.....	or	.....
4.....	.....	.....	or	.....
5.....	.....	.....	or	.....

## TEAM THREE

Breeder tag	Breed or Cross	Electronic ID (RFID) eg. 951 0000 12345678	Month of Birth.....	NLIS Number eg. NB 123456LBE01001
1.....	.....	.....	or	.....
2.....	.....	.....	or	.....
3.....	.....	.....	or	.....
4.....	.....	.....	or	.....
5.....	.....	.....	or	.....

## TEAM FOUR

Breeder tag	Breed or Cross	Electronic ID (RFID) eg. 951 0000 12345678	Month of Birth.....	NLIS Number eg. NB 123456LBE01001
1.....	.....	.....	or	.....
2.....	.....	.....	or	.....
3.....	.....	.....	or	.....
4.....	.....	.....	or	.....
5.....	.....	.....	or	.....

Bovilis MH+IBR Bottle Id: .....



# Fact Sheet



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**Entry Weight  
360 to 480kg**

Entries Close: July 17

Cattle Enter Feedlot: Wednesday August 26

### Bovilis MH + IBR

It is a requirement of the Beef Spectacular Feedback Trial to administer one vaccination of Bovilis MH + IBR by August 7. The Bovilis MH + IBR will be FREE again and a Coopers Animal Health representative will be in touch with you as soon as you enter to discuss delivery. To be eligible for the FREE Bovilis MH + IBR you must enter prior to July 17, otherwise it is up to you to supply your own.

### FREE Freight

Shanahans Livestock Transport will provide FREE Freight from central saleyard points across NSW and Victoria and up to QLD border if required and routes to be devised by trial coordinator. The routes will be organised once entries are in on July 17. To be eligible for the FREE freight you must enter your teams by July 17.

Note: You will need to deliver your cattle to the appropriate saleyard by 4pm on Tuesday August 27, for the Shanahans trucks to pick them up and transport overnight to reduce time off feed.

**NVD's** – A National Vendor Declaration must accompany your cattle with the Shanahans truck to Teys Jindalee Feedlot. The NVD must be consigned to Teys Australia Jindalee Feedlot, Stockinbingal, NSW.

Note: Even though you are dropping your cattle at saleyards and Shanahans are transporting you need to consign to Teys Australia Jindalee Feedlot, Stockinbingal NSW.

**Consigned to: Teys Australia Jindalee**  
PO Box 67  
Stockinbingal NSW 2725

**Destination: Jindalee Feedlot**  
Porters Lane  
Springdale NSW 2666

### Filling in entry forms

Entry forms must be filled in for each available space on form. Eg, Month of Birth needs to be estimated or a range – June to Aug 2012

Cattle Nomination forms do not need to be sent with entry – you can send nomination for specific cattle by August 1, but no later. This nomination form must have correct NLIS or RFID numbers for each animal and the Bovilis MH + IBR Bottle ID code on the Nomination form. Points will be deducted if not done.

### Example of RFID & NLIS numbers

Animal	Tag	RFID Number
Animal 1	1	9 5 1 0 0 0 5 0 0 5 6 5 2 4 7
Animal 2	2	
Animal 3	3	
Animal 4	4	
Animal 5	5	

Animal	Tag	NLIS ID
Animal 1	1	N B 1 2 3 4 5 6 L B E 0 1 0 0 1
Animal 2	2	
Animal 3	3	
Animal 4	4	
Animal 5	5	

## Cattle Entry

Cattle will be entered on Wednesday August 26 (Remember cattle will be trucked the night before).

Each exhibitor will be sent a management Tag with the numbers 1-5 and a team number on them. This is to allow ease of sorting as they come off trucks at the feedlot. If the Tags that we send out are not used points will be deducted accordingly. These Tags need to be married up with the cattle nomination NLIS or RFID you nominate

## Field Day

A mid-term field day will be held for you to view your cattle after 80 days on feed at Teys Australia's Jindalee Feedlot, with speakers from Australia's leading feedlot and Agricultural businesses.

## Presentation Night

A presentation dinner will be held End of January, 2021 in Wagga Wagga, where winners will be announced, awards presented and you will receive a 50+ page bound document with all the feedback comparisons of cattle in the trial from each exhibitor.

## Summary of Point Breakdown per animal

### Induction Entry Weight 360 to 480kg

	Points per animal
Live Weight (shrunk)	10
P8 fat (scanned)	5
Frame score	5
Dentition	penalties applied if not milk teeth (-5)
NVD	penalties applied if not complete correctly (-5)
Bovlis MH + IBR validation	penalties apply if not sent in with cattle nomination form (-5)
Consigned PIC	penalties applied if consigned PIC not correct (-10)
<b>Total</b>	<b>20</b>

### Feedlot Performance

	Points per animal
Average Daily Gain	70
Health treatments	penalties applied for each treatment (-5)
<b>Total</b>	<b>70</b>

### Carcase

	Points per animal
Carcase weight	20
Dressing %	15
P8 fat	10
Rib fat	-
Dentition	penalties applied if not milk or 2 teeth
Meat colour	5
Fat colour	5
Saleable meat yield	25
Marbling	15
Meat quality	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>110</b>

Overall total points per animal - 200

Overall total points per team - 1000