

Operations Manager | Beef | Woolnorth, TAS

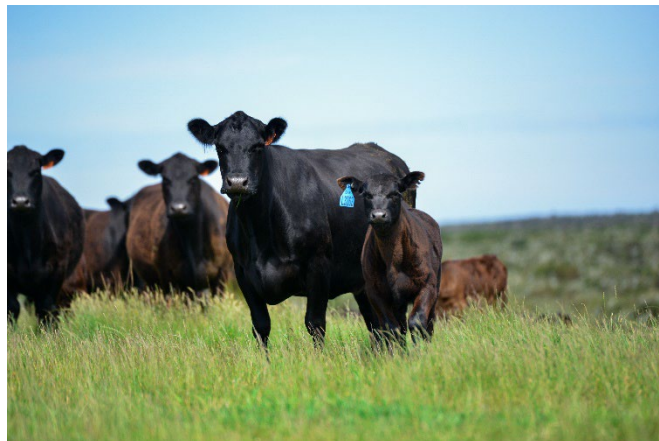
Transform one of Tasmania's finest properties. Build a breeding legacy.



About the Role

TRT Pastoral Group is seeking an exceptional Operations Manager- beef to lead a landmark transition at our unique Woolnorth property in NW Tasmania — converting a highly productive backgrounding operation into a **3,500-head Angus breeding enterprise**.

Woolnorth is **9,600 acres of some of the best pastoral country in Australia** — highly reliable rainfall, outstanding pasture growth, and already running **8,000–9,000 backgrounding cattle**. The foundation is exceptional. The opportunity is to redirect that productive capacity into a premium Angus breeding program using genetics from the TRT Pastoral breeding herd.



You'll have the resources, the land, and the backing of a 30-year family business behind you. What's needed is the right leader to make it happen.

A **family home on the property** is included, and this is genuinely a role where your before-and-after results will speak for themselves — infrastructure upgrades, pasture renovations, fencing improvements, new stockyards, and a world-class breeding herd built from the ground up.

What You'll Be Driving

Operational Transition — Lead the strategic shift from backgrounding to a 3,500-head Angus breeding operation, managing the logistical, infrastructural, and livestock challenges that come with a change of this scale.

Genetics & Herd Development — Introduce and integrate premium Angus genetics from the TRT Pastoral bloodline, establishing a high-performance, self-replacing breeding herd.

Infrastructure & Property Development — Deliver property improvements including fencing upgrades, water infrastructure, new stockyard construction, and pasture renovations suited to a breeding operation.

Pasture & Land Management — Optimise one of Tasmania's most reliable rainfall regions for pasture production, designing rotational grazing systems to support 3,500 breeders and their progeny.

Livestock Operations — Oversee all animal husbandry, low-stress stock handling, health management, and welfare standards across the full operation.

Team Leadership — Build and lead an on-property team, fostering a strong safety culture and high-performance work environment.



Who We're Looking For

You're a proven beef cattle leader who understands both the commercial realities of large-scale operations and the nuances of running a high-performance breeding program. You can hit the ground running on a property that's already performing — and take it somewhere new.



To be considered, you will bring:

- A minimum of **5–8 years of experience** in beef cattle/ dairy operations, with demonstrated leadership responsibility
- Experience with **breeding herd management** and Angus production systems
- Proven ability to manage **large-scale property transitions or development projects**
- Strong understanding of **pasture management and land improvement**
- Ability to manage budgets, plan projects, and report on outcomes
- A current **Driver's Licence** (Motorcycle Licence preferred)
- Australian work rights
- Low stress stock handling
- Certificate III in Agriculture or higher preferred, though experience and leadership capability will carry significant weight

Why This Role Stands Out

TRT Pastoral Group has been a family-owned agricultural leader for nearly 30 years, with holdings across three regions. We offer the scale and resources of a major enterprise with the values of a business that genuinely invests in its people.

Woolnorth is a remarkable property — highly reliable rainfall, outstanding country, and serious productive capacity already proven at scale. The transition to a 3,500-head breeding operation represents one of the most exciting projects in Australian agriculture right now, and we're looking for the right person to own it.

Remuneration and package details will be discussed with shortlisted candidates and reflect the seniority of the position.

How to Apply

Email: Send your CV and cover letter to careers@trtgroup.com.au

Enquiries: Call our Melbourne office on **03 9087 8401** for a confidential discussion.

Only shortlisted applicants will be contacted.

