

Final Drive for DNA Marker Validation

Editor's Note: ASA has been accumulating a DNA database to help us size up the usefulness of DNA marker panels. To do so we have run a list of sires in the e-news throughout the spring and summer that have been identified as having high enough accuracy EPDs for the project. Breeders have responded resoundingly, donating semen on over 90 bulls. However, there are several bulls we still need. Below is a list of the bulls we could use. If you have semen on them and would be willing to donate it for this important project please contact Wade Shafer. As you will see, most of the bulls on the list are not in use anymore;

but, we suspect many of them are still taking up space in your tanks. Besides spurring you to check and clean your tanks, you will be helping us develop tools for making better cattle. Also, we will reimburse you for shipping and provide you with written verification of your donation, which you may be able to write off as a charitable donation on your taxes. Shipping is quite easy, as the semen only needs to be secured between pieces of cardboard (to avoid damage by the sorting machines the post office uses) and slipped into an envelope (it is sent thawed).

ASA #	Bull's Name	ASA #	Bull's Name	ASA #	Bull's Name
760099	2J POLL SIEGFRIED N75	11	FLORIAN	398812	POLARIS
1594241	ALR MR LINCOLN	1958404	GW LUCKY BREAK 047G	6089	PRAIRIE BOY
613074	ANTONIUS	1749492	GW MR. MATERNAL 057D	1764766	PTL CUTTING EDGE D209
216	BEAT	1765824	GW PASQUE 182D	339547	RED EYE
2	BISMARCK	1505032	GW TAILOR MADE 515A	772	RENZ
1138189	BLACK KNIGHT U2	1599844	HARTS BLACK CASINO B408	1935657	SF BIG SKY BOLD F643
1078957	BLACK MAX	39436	HCB CAUFI 02C	146340	SIEGFRIED
60447	BOLD	1838	HELD	634411	SMOOTH VELVET M306
328719	C&B WESTERN	727599	HIGH INTEREST	15324	SOLEIL
7	CAPITAINE	76934	KING ARTHUR	1470274	SRS Y6 BLACK MAX
17672	CEZON	1503939	KLONDIKE ARNIE GNM 250Z	520599	STEELMAN
1442045	CHARLES PRIDE	509215	L-7 MR BIG-N-TALL	753717	STOUGH'S COAL TRAIN
66300	COPPER KING	767774	LANDRIDGE JET BLACK	4	SULTAN
289194	CSV ACHILLES SUPERSTAR	1704719	LCHMAN LUCKY BUCK 7049C	57236	SV BAVARIAN 7C
1877954	DS LEACHMAN 600U 371E	849254	LIGHTNING	1680096	SV RED CHARLIE
1473366	DSR BLACK POWDER Z-13	9	LOHNER	652846	SWITZ POL BIG BUD
380812	EAGLE	1443628	MEYERS BLACK DAKOTA	1011210	T N T MR T
5337	EIGER-50-	5315	MILORD	57230	TATTENHALL ACHILLES
1628626	ER MAX63T 560B	1732084	ML BLACK IRON MAN 390C	1846028	TNT BLACK AMERICAN E127
6084	EXTRA	3	PACIFIC	477	TONI
561210	EXTRA BLACK	580391	PASSPORT	1812644	WLE POWER STROKE
1434584	F NICHOLS BLACKADVANTAGE	691552	PATTERNS DESIGN 137M	332958	ZT ZAZOU 50F ♦
8	FIRN	764145	PERFORMER		