

Welcome

Welcome from all of us in the Dakota Power group. We are truly grateful for your interest in our programs and the opportunity to present to you an exciting set of Simmental genetics.

As a group we work together to offer you a set of bulls that are functional. It is a pleasure to work together as a group and bring you a set of cattle that are similar in type and kind, as our philosophies in raising cattle are on the same track. We aim to please, our goal is to offer you the best set of cattle, numbers and genetics available at one place at one time.

This is the most powerful set of bulls we have ever offered. As a group, each and every year we expect to offer you a set bulls superior to those before.

This set of bulls will have what you are looking for. If your need is a heifer bull, growth bull, carcass bull, or just a good one, you will find it here. Look through the offering, find what you like and give any of us a call to discuss your needs. We are always happy to lend a hand in finding the right bull and genetics that will fit your operation.

We are very excited about this 2011 offering. On February 14th, we will bring 3 great groups of bulls to offer you a superior set of genetics.

We thank you, for your interest in our programs and genetics.

Dakota Power Group



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Selling

66 Powerful Bulls

Blacks, Reds, Percentage and Purebred

Monday, February 14, 2011 at 1:00 pm CST Lunch at 11:30 before the sale.

Sale location

Winter Show Building in Valley City, ND South Building

Viewing Bulls

View bulls on Saturday, February 12. Also, view bulls all day Sunday and Monday view bulls from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm.

Sale Headquarters

American Inn 280 Winter Show Road Valley City, ND 58072 701-845-5551

Auctioneer

Bill Begger, Wibaux, MT 406-796-2326

Publication Representative

the Register - Kelly Schmidt 406-599-2395 Sisseton Livestock Rep - Richard Hanson 605-880-8995 Lee A. Sagvold, Mcleod, North Dakota 701-680-9459

Sale Terms

All cattle sell under the recommended Sale Terms and Conditions of the American Simmental Association and are available by request.

Delivery

Free delivery within the state or central points. We will provide free keep on the bulls until March 15, 2011. After March 15, 2011, there will be a charge of \$2.00 per day.

Payment Plan

We require half the purchase price at time of sale and the balance upon delivery.

Guarantee

Bulls will be 100% guaranteed to semen test and breed. If bulls are taken home to feed until March 15, 2011, risk is at the buyer's expense. It is suggested that all bulls be insured.



Sale Day phone: 701-845-4546



Lot 1





Lot 3



This Red Caesar calf will add some frame and maintain a balanced set of epd's. 0062x is out of a six year old Green Light cow that consistently brings home a good one.



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THSR SURE BET X003 Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS • Blk 3/4 Simmental

ASA# 2549743

Tattoo: X003 • Birthdate: 1/6/10 • Adj. BW: 72 lbs. • Adj. WW: 788 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 Ibs

TJ 57J THE GAMBLER	EPDs	CW: 0
Sire: DIKEMANS SURE BET	CE:	YG: 0.14
MEGAN 9M	BW: -3.3	MB: 0.94
	WW: 37.8	BF: 0.11
ES BLACK LEGEND PK26	YW: 71.3	REA: 0.44
Dam: SYS LEGEND T701	MCE:	API: 161
	MM: 1	TI: 95
SYS BANDO R508	MWW: 19.9	

This Sim-Angus bull is very stout, deep and thick made. His dam is in the top 1% of the breed for marbling and ribeye area. Just check out his numbers light birth weight at 70 lbs and weaned off the cow at 908 lbs. You will have to look a long time to find a bull with EPD's like his they are hard to beat across the board. We will have ultra sound data by sale day and he will be tested for Homo Polled and Homo Black.

2	BTS FULL FIGURES 05 Owned by: BLACK TIE SIMMENTA			# 2547200 Purebred
Tattoo: 0052X • Bi Adj. YW: 1230 lbs.	irthdate: 1/9/10 • Adj. BW: 90 lbs. •	Adj. WW:	741 lbs.	
Sire: 3C FULL F	EMMONS BLACK HERCULES IGURES C288 BLK 3C DANMARKA 0922 BLKZ CNS DREAM ON L186 LE DREAM 635U THSR SASHA S635	CE: BW: WW:	0.1	CW: -22.2 YG: -0.02 MB: 0.36 BF: 0.01 REA: -0.09 API: 114 TI: 62

Black heifer bull prospect. Full Figures calf out of a Dream on. 0052x will add length and maintain a moderate frame. Homo Black Test Pending



THSR SURE BET X009 Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS • Blk 5/8 Simmental

ASA# 2549749

Tattoo: X009 • Birthdate: 1/11/10 • Adj. BW: 84 lbs. • Adj. WW: 782 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 lbs.

TJ 57J THE GAMBLER Sire: DIKEMANS SURE BET - MEGAN 9M

EPDs	CW:	-0.5
CE:	YG:	0.19
BW: -1.5	MB:	0.48
WW: 33	BF:	0.05
YW: 65.5	REA:	-0.17
MCE:	API:	119
MM: 2.1	TI:	71
MWW: 18.6		

-RDDS PREF BEEF 1502P Dam: RDDS MSPBEEF 1502P 1004T - SCC BARBARA 3801

We purchased X009's dam from the Deiter Brothers dispersition sale in SD and this young cow is quickly moving to the top. He is another Sure Bet son that will add value to your calves. He is Homo Black and Homo Polled.



-KS MISS MACKFRID F645

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THSR GUNNER X023 ASA# 2549763

Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS • Red Purebred

Tattoo: X023 • Birthdate: 1/15/10 • Adj. BW: 88 lbs. • Adj. WW: 817 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 lbs.

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RC STINGER 072K	EPDs	CW: 2.5
Sire: TNT GUNNER N208	CE: 8.2	YG: 0.05
	BW: -0.6	MB: 0.14
	WW: 37.1	BF: 0.03
SRS J914 PREFERRED BEEF	YW: 68.7	REA: 0.07
	MCE: 3.4	API: 109
Dam: THSR REGINA R510	MM: 1.3	TI: 66
HSR MISS IRISH H821	MWW: 19.8	

Here is a solid red non-diluter son of TNT Gunner out of a solid black very productive Preferred Beef daughter. This bull weaned off the cow at 918 lbs and continues to grow. His mother has had several bulls in the sale over the years. He will be test for Homo Polled.

8 BTS 187 066X Owned by: BLACK TIE SIMMENTALS	-	A# 2547144 /2 Simmental
Tattoo: 0066X • Birthdate: 1/16/10 • Adj. BW: 91 lbs. • A Adj. YW: 1454 lbs.		
SITZ ALLIANCE 6595 Sire: KMK ALLIANCE 6595 187 G A R EXT 916	EPDs CE: 0 BW: 0.1 WW: 48.9	CW: 16.1 YG: 0.34 MB: 0.33 BF: 0.08
GA PRIME RIB N341 Dam: KSR HARMONY 694R KSR MISTY MORNING 323M	YW: 90 MCE: 0 MM: 0.9 MWW: 25.4	REA: -0.22 API: 111 TI: 75

1/2 blood herd bull \ldots High growth with very modest birth weight. 888 actual weaning weight. Gain on 60 day test 4.5 lbs per day. Homo Polled and Homo Black test pending. AM, NH and CA free

9 BTS POWER 065X		A# 2547130	
Owned by: BLACK TIE SIMMENTALS	5 • Bik Polled	Purebred	
Tattoo: 0065X • Birthdate: 1/16/10 • Adj. BW: 88 lbs. • Adj. WW: 816 lbs. Adj. YW: 1313 lbs. Hetero Black			
HC POWER DRIVE 88H	EPDs	CW: 0.6	
Sire: KENCO/MF POWERLINE 204L	CE: 0	YG: 0.02	
SAFN GLAMOUR 11J	BW: 0.4 WW: 36.3	MB: 0.16 BF: 0.05	
BDV TRUE CHOICE 21L	YW: 63.3	REA: 0.31	
Dam: KSR DIVIDEND 612R	MCE: 0	API: 105	
	MM: 1.1 MWW: 19.3	TI: 65	
Powerline son that offers great performance (Actual we			

Powerline son that offers great performance (Actual weaning weight of 848) and maintains reasonable birth weight. 0065x is very long made and will stretch out his calves and add weight to them. Hetero Black.

10 THSR 740T X031	AS	A# 2549771
Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS	Red Pureb	red
Tattoo: X031 • Birthdate: 1/16/10 • Adj. BW: 96 lbs. • Ad Adj. YW: lbs.	j. WW: 877 lbs.	
THSF FREEDOM 300N Sire: WHEATLAND BULL 740 T WHEATLAND LADY 442P	EPDs CE: 7 BW: 0.5 WW: 33.3	CW: -3.5 YG: 0.02 MB: -0.07 BF: 0
Dam: KS CINNAMON J893 KS MISS MACKFRID F645	YW: 56.3 MCE: 2.6 MM: 2.2 MWW: 18.9	REA: -0.09 API: 87 TI: 57

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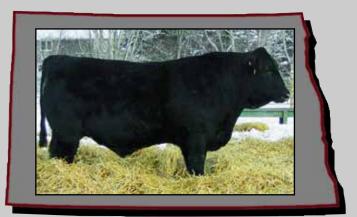
THSR SUPERIOR X026 ASA# Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS • Blk Purebred

ASA# 2549766

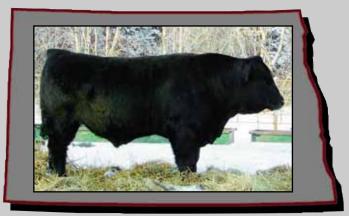
Tattoo: X026 • Birthdate: 1/15/10 • Adj. BW: 89 lbs. • Adj. WW: 663 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 lbs. Homo Black

ELLINGSON LEGACY M229	EPDs	CW: 4.4
Sire: MR NLC SUPERIOR S6018 EBS JOKERS CAREN	CE: 7.2 BW: 1.4 WW: 32.5	YG: -0.08 MB: 0.02 BF: 0
Dam: NPS MS GOOD FORTUNE 500 HOIBYS MISS STATS F672	YW: 66.2 MCE: -0.8 MM: 9.3 MWW: 25.5	REA: 0.29 API: 104 TI: 60

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Lot 8



Lot 9







Lot 11



ASA# 2547121

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Dam: THSR U865

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14 Owned by: BLACK TIE SIMMENTALS • Blk Polled 1/2 Simmental

Tattoo: 0070X • Birthdate: 1/17/10 • Adj. BW: 79 lbs. • Adj. WW: 675 lbs. Adj. YW: 1294 lbs. Duuble Black FDDe

BTS 187 070X

BF 0K34 DAYTONA

- GS MISS LEGEND G726

- SITZ ALLIANCE 6595 Sire: KMK ALLIANCE 6595 187 - G A R EXT 916

Dam: BTS WISKEY GIRL P411

LIDS	CVV: -3
CE: 0	YG: 0.2
BW: -1.5	MB: 0.2
WW: 29.9	BF: 0.0
YW: 61.2	REA: -0.1
MCE: 0	API: 104
MM: 2.1	TI: 63
MWW: 17	

1/2 blood I87 son out of a Daytona mother that has been a very consistent producer in our program. Homo Black. AM, NH and CA free



Lot 16



THSR SUPERIOR X030

ASA# 2549770

API: 114

TI: 73

Tattoo: X030 • Birthdate: 1/16/10 • Adj. BW: 94 lbs. • Adj. WW: 791 lbs. Adj. YW: Ibs. Homo Black

ELLINGSON LEGACY M229	EPDs	CW: 4.4
Sire: MR NLC SUPERIOR S6018	CE: 7.2	YG: -0.08
EBS JOKERS CAREN	BW: 1.4	MB: 0.02
LDS JOKEKS GAREN	WW: 32.5	BF: 0
SRS FORTUNE 500	YW: 66.2	REA: 0.29
•	MCE: -0.8	API: 104
Dam: NPS MS GOOD FORTUNE H60	MM: 9.3	TI: 60
HOIBYS MISS STATS F672	MWW: 25.5	

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12	THSR OUT BACK X028	Blk ASA# 2549768
	Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS •	Purebred
Tattoo: X028 • Bir Adj. YW: 0 Ibs.	thdate: 1/16/10 • Adj. BW: 84 lbs. • Adj. V	VW: 829 lbs.

LAZY S RED SHOCKER 226L EPDs CI	W: 9.9
Sire: DRS J91 OUTBACK 604S CE: 5.3 Y	'G: 0.08
DRS MICKS BLK SABEL J91	IB: 0.12
DRS WICKS BLK SADEL JYT WW: 43.4 B	3F: 0.02
WHF DESPERADO 212G YW: 78.8 RE	A: 0.06
MCE: 5 A	PI: 108
Dam: THSR PLATNIUM P416 MM: 2.9	TI: 68
NPS MS GOOD FORTUNE H60 MWW: 24.6	

Here is a powerful son out of DRS Outback and P416 an H60 daughter. The Outback calves have been very impressive, they are extremely deep made and easy fleshing with plenty of muscle. Check out the EPDs and performance on this bull. He will be tested for polled and color. Don't forget to find this one on sale day.

15 THSR SURE BET X032	AS	A# 2549772	
Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS	 Blk 1/2 Sir 	mmental	
Tattoo: X032 • Birthdate: 1/17/10 • Adj. BW: 88 lbs. • Adj. WW: 812 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 lbs.			
TJ 57J THE GAMBLER	EPDs	CW: 7.6	
Sire: DIKEMANS SURE BET	CE: 8.3	YG: 0.07	
MEGAN 9M	BW: 0.2	MB: 0.39	
MEGAN /M			
ES DAKOTA NK68			
	WW: 43.9 YW: 75.8	BF: 0.04 REA: 0.16	

This Sim-Angus bull is out of first calf Dakota daughter that has done a supper job on her first calf. Check out the birth to weaning spread on this individual. This bull is has plenty of capacity and deep sided with a really big hip. X032 is Homo Polled and Homo Black.



NICHOLS LEGACY G151	EPDs	CW: 11.1
Sire: ELLINGSON LEGACY M229	CE:	YG: 0.03 MB: 0.44
ELLINGSON MS PSTOCK K58	BW: 0.8 WW: 39.4	BF: 0.03
WOODHILL FORESIGHT Dam: THSR MISS U832	YW: 79.1 MCE:	REA: 0.28 API: 117
	MM: 6.4 MWW: 26.1	TI: 74

This Olie son out of a Woodhill Foresight daughter has a really nice set of EPD's. He is very long made and will stretch out his calves and add weight to them. He is Homo Polled and Homo Black. We think this Sim-Angus bull will work for a lot of people.

BTS RANCH 072X

ASA# 2547149

REA: 0.29 API: 104

TI: 60

Owned by: BLACK TIE SIMMENTALS • Blk Polled 3/4 Simmental Tattoo: 0072X • Birthdate: 1/18/10 • Adj. BW: 75 lbs. • Adj. WW: 699 lbs.

Adj. YW: 1242 lbs.

WHEATLAND BULL 131L	EPDs	CW: -18.7
Sire: SAND RANCH HAND	CE: 0	YG: -0.05
SAND LUCKY CHARMER	BW: -4.6	MB: 0.24
Shind Ebolki on himmer	WW: 21.6	BF: 0.02
KMK ALLIANCE 6595 187	YW: 42.7	REA: 0.11
Dam: BTS PT MS SWEET 187 804U	MCE: 0	API: 129
BDV GKM SWEET SURPISE P4	MM: 7.5	TI: 69
DDV GRIVI SWEET SURFISE P4	MWW: 18.3	

3/4 blood heifer bull prospect. Actual birth weight of 74 lbs. with a 732 actual weaning weight. Homo Polled and Homo Black test pending. AM, NH and CA free

18	THSR SUPERIOR X035	AS	A# 2549775
	Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS	Blk Purebr	ed
Tattoo: X035 • Birthdate: 1/18/10 • Adj. BW: 97 lbs. • Adj. WW: 901 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 lbs. Homo Black			
I	ELLINGSON LEGACY M229	EPDs	CW: 4.4
Sire: MR NLC S	JPERIOR S6018 EBS JOKERS CAREN	CE: 7.2 BW: 1.4 WW: 32.5	YG: -0.08 MB: 0.02 BF: 0

SRS FORTUNE 500 MCF · -0.8 Dam: NPS MS GOOD FORTUNE H60 MM 9.3 - HOIBYS MISS STATS F672 MWW: 25.5

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19 THSR WINCHESTER X03 Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS		SA# 2549778 pred
Tattoo: X038 • Birthdate: 1/18/10 • Adj. BW: 89 lbs. • Adj. Adj. YW: 0 lbs.		
CNS DREAM ON L186 Sire: WINCHESTER HR P8315 HS REFLECTIONS J34	EPDs CE: 11.6 BW: -1.3 WW: 36.5	CW: -5.1 YG: -0.09 MB: 0.09 BF: 0.02
Dam: THSR MISS U805 THSR MISS MISS MAUREEN M212	TNT GUNNER N208 YW: 58.5 MCE: 2.6 MM: 1	REA: 0.36 API: 114 TI: 66

If you are looking for a bull that will calve easy and continue to grow look no further. X038 is sired by Winchester out of a very good first calf Gunner daughter. The dam of this bull is headed to our donor pen very soon. She is about as picture perfect of a cow as you will find. X038 will be tested for polled by sale day.

20 THSR 740T X037		A# 2549777	
Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS	Red Pureb	ored	
Tattoo: X037 • Birthdate: 1/18/10 • Adj. BW: 94 lbs. • Adj. WW: 874 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 lbs.			
THSF FREEDOM 300N Sire: WHEATLAND BULL 740 T WHEATLAND LADY 442P NLC GOOD A NUFF 33G Dam: KS CINNAMON J893 KS MISS MACKFRID F645	EPDs CE: 7 BW: 0.5 WW: 33.3 YW: 56.3 MCE: 2.6 MM: 2.2 MWW: 18.9	CW: -3.5 YG: 0.02 MB: -0.07 BF: 0 REA: -0.09 API: 87 TI: 57	

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Lot 17



Lot 18



Lot 20



Dam: NPS MS GOOD FORTUNE H60 -HOIBYS MISS STATS F672

API: 104 -0.8 9.3 TI: 60 MM: www

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This Powerline calf is out of a 10 year old cow that consistently brings home a heavy calf in the fall. 0073x will be a bull that will add frame and pounds to his future calves. Hetero Black.



Lot 26



THSR DREAM ON X034 Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS • Blk Purebred

ASA# 2549774

CW: -5.9 YG: -0.09

MB: 0.17

BF: 0.02

REA: 0.37

API: 115

TI: 65

EPDs

CE: 9.6 BW: -1.1

WW: 31.8

YW: 56

MCE: 7.7

MM: 0.9

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Tattoo: X034 • Birthdate: 1/18/10 • Adj. BW: 89 lbs. • Adj. WW: 801 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 lbs.

NICHOLS LEGACY G151 Sire: CNS DREAM ON L186 CNS SHEEZA DREAM K107W	
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Here is a Hetero Black, Homo Polled son out of Dream On and a first calf heifer by Power Line. This bull will make some great replacement females and calves that will grow. He is another bull that has a very good spread from birth to weaning.



THSR 740T X039	ASA# 2549779

Tattoo: X039 • Birthdate: 1/19/10 • Adj. BW: 92 lbs. • Adj. WW: 816 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 lbs.

THSF FREEDOM 300N	EPDs	CW: -3.5
Sire: WHEATLAND BULL 740 T	CE: 7	YG: 0.02
WHEATLAND LADY 442P	BW: 0.5	MB: -0.07
	WW: 33.3	BF: 0
NLC GOOD A NUFF 33G	YW: 56.3 MCE: 2.6	REA: -0.09 API: 87
Dam: KS CINNAMON J893	MCE: 2.6 MM: 2.2	TI: 57
KS MISS MACKFRID F645	MWW: 18.9	11. 07

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SITZ ALLIANCE 6595	EPDs	CW: -8
Sire: KMK ALLIANCE 6595 187	CE: 0	YG: 0.24
G A R EXT 916	BW: -1.4	MB: 0.35
O A R EAT 710	WW: 30	BF: 0.09
KS DEXTER L691	YW: 53.2	REA: -0.16
Dam: TTC MS DEX 731S	MCE: 0	API: 110
	MM: 2.9	TI: 65
KSR AWERICAN CHUICE 43 IN	MWW: 17.9	

This I87 bull is out of a young no miss Dexter daughter that has done it all for us. 731s has a weaning weight ratio on three calves of 110%. 0076x had a gain on 60 day test of 4.5 lbs per day. Moderate frame with above average grow. Homo Black. AM, NH and CA free



This Sim-Angus bull is out of first calf Woodhill Foresight daughter that has done a supper job on her first calf. Check out the birth to weaning spread on this individual. This bull is has plenty of capacity and deep sided with a really big hip. He is Homo Polled and Homo Black.

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BTS POWER 084X

ASA# 2547131 Owned by: BLACK TIE SIMMENTALS • Red Polled Purebred

Tattoo: 0084X • Birthdate: 1/26/10 • Adj. BW: 99 lbs. • Adj. WW: 797 lbs. Adj. YW: 1376 lbs.

- HC POWER DRIVE 88H Sire: KENCO/MF POWERLINE 204L - SAFN GLAMOUR 11J

-WLE OVERLOAD Dam: KSR AMERICAN LEGACY 620R - GSR MS LEGACY 119N

EPDs CW: 10.6 YG: -0.03 MB: 0.16 CE: 4.3 BW: 2.4 BF: 0.03 WW: YW: 74.2 REA: 0.47 MCE: 1.5 API: 97 3.8 MM: TI: 63

API: 102

TI: 62

MM 2.1

21 1 MW/W/

If you are looking to add volume and mass this moderate framed red bull will be your ticket....Make sure to take a look at 0084x on sale day..... Gain on 60 day test 4.9 lbs per day.

28	THSR GUNNER X048	AS	A# 2549788
20	Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS	Red Pureb	red
Tattoo: X048 • Birthdate: 1/26/10 • Adj. BW: 98 lbs. • Adj. WW: 817 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 lbs.			
۹ ۴	RC STINGER 072K	EPDs	CW: 1.8
Sire: TNT GUNN		CE: 8.2	YG: 0.13
T	INT MISS HONEY L9	BW: 1.5	MB: 0.09
		WW: 38	BF: 0.05 REA: -0.04
	ER BLACK CISCO 532C	YW: 62.9	ADI: 102

X048 is a very well put together Gunner son out of a Cisco daughter. He is extremely deep sided with a big square hip. He is a non-diluter and will be test for polled. If you are looking for new herd sire here he is. Make sure you put him on your short list.

— ROCKY HILLS HEART THROB



Dam: ROCKY HILL LUCY

BTS WIN 085X ASA# 2547110

Owned by: BLACK TIE SIMMENTALS • Red Polled Purebred

Tattoo: 0085X • Birthdate: 1/27/10 • Adj. BW: 80 lbs. • Adj. WW: 725 lbs. Adj. YW: 1272 lbs.



Bull that should be able to do it all....Fill the replacement pen and generate a great pay weights. Long bodied with plenty of muscle.

30 BTS DAKOTA 088X	AS	A# 2547117	
Owned by: BLACK TIE SIMMENTALS	5 • Blk Polled	Purebred	
Tattoo: 0088X • Birthdate: 1/28/10 • Adj. BW: 89 lbs. • Adj. WW: 736 lbs. Adj. YW: 1401 lbs. Homo Black			
SRS J914 PREFERRED BEEF Sire: ES DAKOTA NK68 LESK68	EPDs CE: 2.5 BW: 1.9 WW: 37.8	CW: 8.3 YG: -0.03 MB: -0.03 BF: 0.01	
PVF-BF BF26 BLACK JOKER Dam: BTS AMERICAN IDOL N310 HF/GFI BRENDA G011	YW: 72 MCE: 0.6 MM: 3.9 MWW: 22.8	REA: 0.31 API: 101 TI: 59	

Dakota son that is sure to add pounds to your calf crop. High growth bull with a moderate frame and a nice balance on his EIPS's. If you are in need of a bull with capacity and power take a look at 0088x. Homo Black.



Lot 27



Lot 28









Lot 31



Lot 32



Lot 33



Lot 34



BTS I87 087X

Owned by: BLACK TIE SIMMENTALS • Blk Polled 1/2 Simmental Tattoo: 0087X • Birthdate: 1/28/10 • Adj. BW: 87 lbs. • Adj. WW: 800 lbs.

Adj. YW: 1370 lbs. Homo Black EPDs CW: 6.8 SITZ ALLIANCE 6595

JIL ALLIANCE 0070		CVV. 0.0
Sire: KMK ALLIANCE 6595 187	CE: 0	YG: 0.28
G A R EXT 916	BW: -1	MB: 0.38
G A K EXT 910	WW: 40.3	BF: 0.09
HC HUMMER 12M	YW: 76.8	REA: -0.09
•	MCE: 0	API: 115
Dam: NPS SATIN	MM: 4.4	TI: 72
HSR MISS PREFERRED BEEF	MWW: 24.5	

1/2 blood I87 out of a Hummer...High growth with a negative birth weight. Homo Black. AM, NH and CA free

32 BTS POWER 089X Owned by: BLACK TIE SIMMENTALS		A# 2547119 Purebred
Tattoo: 0089X • Birthdate: 1/29/10 • Adj. BW: 87 lbs. • A Adj. YW: 1408 lbs. Hetero Black		
HC POWER DRIVE 88H Sire: KENCO/MF POWERLINE 204L SAFN GLAMOUR 11J	EPDs CE: 5.4 BW: 1.5 WW: 38.4	CW: 11.2 YG: -0.05 MB: -0.03 BF: 0.02
WHF DESPERADO 212G Dam: BTS MUSTANG SALLY N320 SHOESTRING H&E E4	YW: 77.5 MCE: 2.4 MM: 1.7 MWW: 20.9	REA: 0.5 API: 94 TI: 61

Three full brothers have sold in this sale with an \$3250 average. BTS Mustang Sally has done it again! 0089x is a moderate framed meat wagon. Gain on 60 day test 5.1 Ibs per day. Hetero Black.



BTS DAKOTA 090X

ASA# 2547133

ASA# 2547187

Owned by: BLACK TIE SIMMENTALS • Blk Polled Purebred

Tattoo: 0090X • Birthdate: 2/2/10 • Adj. BW: 96 lbs. • Adj. WW: 776 lbs. Adj. YW: 1413 Ibs. Hetero Black

SRS J914 PREFERRED BEEF	EPDs	CW: 9.4
Sire: ES DAKOTA NK68	CE: 3.3	YG: -0.04
ESK68	BW: 2.5	MB: 0.14
20100	WW: 39.3	BF: -0.01
KS DEXTER L691	YW: 72.6	REA: 0.15
Dam: KSR LEGACY 637R	MCE: 2.9	API: 105
	MM: 1.1	TI: 63
GSR MS LEGACY 137N	MWW: 20.8	

0090x is a very well put together Dakota son out of a Dexter daughter. He is extremely deep sided with a big square hip. Gain on 60 day test 5.2 lbs per day. He should sire moderate framed calves with great pay weight. Hetero Black.



CNS DREAM ON L186	EPDs	CW: 6.7
Sire: WINCHESTER HR P8315	CE: 12.5	YG: -0.07
HS REFLECTIONS J34	BW: 1.4	MB: 0.08
H5 KEI EEGHONS 334	WW: 43.8	BF: 0
BTS NIGHT RIDER H817	YW: 71.6	REA: 0.34
Dam: BTS MICHELLE M215	MCE: 3.5	API: 127
	MM: -1.3	TI: 67
RIV KENDRA 6630F	MWW: 20.6	

0097x is a Hetro Black Winchester son that is out of a Night Rider daughter that never seems to miss....Great set of balanced EPS that will ensure his claves make the front pen.

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THSR LUCKY MAN X054 ASA# 2549832

EPDs

BW: -3.1 WW: 32.3

YW: 69.2

CF

MCE:

MM: 11

CW: -0.5 YG: 0.16

MB: 0.56

BF: 0.05 REA: -0.08

API: 132

TI: 77

Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS • Blk 1/2 Simmental

Tattoo: X054 • Birthdate: 2/7/10 • Adj. BW: 71 lbs. • Adj. WW: 790 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 lbs.

GW LUCKY CHARM 665K Sire: GW LUCKY MAN 644N GW MISS 600U 964J
MOHNEN PIONEER 1945 Dam: DF GLITTER 702

This Sim-Angus bull in out of a Spickler bred cow that we purchase a couple years back. She has done a great job for us. This bull was born easy but has continued to grow very well he is Homo Polled and Homo Black.



Here is another really good Outback out of a Gambler daughter. He will add length and dimension to his calves and will add pay weight for your bottom line. Homo Black.



1/2 blood Winchester son. Winchester was added to our program two years ago and his calves remain consistent...moderate framed with a ton of middle all with a very reasonable birth weight. 0100x will work on red or black cows. Homo Polled and Hetro Black

40 THSR GUNNER X058		A# 2549796
Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS	Blk Purebre	ed
Tattoo: X058 • Birthdate: 2/12/10 • Adj. BW: 91 lbs. • Ad Adj. YW: 0 lbs.	j. WW: 761 lbs.	
RC STINGER 072K Sire: TNT GUNNER N208 TNT MISS HONEY L9	EPDs CE: 8 BW: 0.4 WW: 28.7	CW: -6.5 YG: 0.1 MB: 0.15 BF: 0.05
DCR MR RIBEYE N138 Dam: WS MISS RIBEYE S135 WS MISS DESTINY M71	YW: 51.2 MCE: -0.5 MM: 8 MWW: 22.4	REA: -0.03 API: 114 TI: 60

This is a black son of Gunner out of a Mr. Rib eye daughter that we purchased from the Wilkenson Simmental program. He is very long sided and heavy muscled he is hetero black.



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37 BTS WIN 099X	AS	A# 2547184
Owned by: BLACK TIE SIMMENTALS	5 • Blk Polled	Purebred
Tattoo: 0099X • Birthdate: 2/10/10 • Adj. BW: 92 lbs. • A Adj. YW: 1355 lbs.	dj. WW: 824 lbs	
CNS DREAM ON L186 Sire: WINCHESTER HR P8315 HS REFLECTIONS J34	EPDs CE: 10.5 BW: -0.3 WW: 27.9	CW: -12.1 YG: -0.08 MB: 0.09 BF: 0
TNT ON TARGET J94 Dam: NPS MISS T786 NPS MISS N386	YW: 43.9 MCE: 2.7 MM: 6 MWW: 20	REA: 0.12 API: 116 TI: 60

Hetro Black Winchester son that is out of a great young TNT on Target cow. Adj weaning weight of 824 with a negative birth weight epd.



- HS REFLECTIONS J34 BF: 0 WW: 35.6 REA: 0.06 YW: 53.9 -SARGE F6039 API: 115 MCE: 3.4 Dam: KSR MYSTIC 700R МИЛ 1.8 TI: 63 KSR PRETTY WOMAN 777F MWW: 19.6

Hetro Black son out of Winchester out of a Big Sky daughter. Low birth weight EPD with good calving ease and doing all this without sacrificing growth..... 821 adj weaning weight. 0105x will make some great replacement females and calves that will grow.









If you are looking for a Red bull that will calve easy and continue to grow ... 0112x should be one to look at. 0112x is a Winchester out of a Quorum cow that has continued to bring home a calf at the top every year. Great replacement female maker without sacrificing growth.



BDV JENNY J105

Hetro Black son out of a young Dakota daughter. 0117x was born easy and has continued to grow very well. His calves will add pay weight to your bottom line.

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THSR LUCKY MAN X059 Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS • Blk 1/2 Simmental

ASA# 2549797

Tattoo: X059 • Birthdate: 2/13/10 • Adj. BW: 85 lbs. • Adj. WW: 792 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 lbs.

GW LUCKY CHARM 665K	EPDs	CW: 3.4
Sire: GW LUCKY MAN 644N	CE:	YG: 0.2
GW MISS 600U 964J	BW: -1.5	MB: 0.45
GW 11135 0000 7015	WW: 32.6	BF: 0.06
STEVENSON MAXIMUM 42C	YW: 71.5	REA: -0.1
Dam: SILVERCRKMAXIMUM42C H208	MCE:	API: 117
	MM: 9.2	TI: 71
SILVERCLAUSDUTCHESSSUPME	MWW: 25.5	

Check out the numbers on this homo polled homo black son of Lucky Man out of one of our best Angus cows. His maternal sister was the top selling female a couple years back at the ND Simmental Classic Sale going to Clearwater Simmentals in Indiana and is now in their donor program. This bull is one of the stoutest made bulls that we will be offering this year. He will need to be on your short list.

43 THSR SUPERIOR X061 Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS		A# 2549799 ed
Tattoo: X061 • Birthdate: 2/18/10 • Adj. BW: 89 lbs. • A Adj. YW: 0 lbs.	dj. WW: 776 lbs. EPDs	014 0 0
Sire: MR NLC SUPERIOR S6018 EBS JOKERS CAREN	CE: 5.1 BW: 0.8 WW: 29.6	CW: 0.3 YG: 0.03 MB: 0.06 BF: 0.04
TNT ON TARGET J94 Dam: THSR ROCHELLE R527 THSR F1 L114	YW: 60.8 MCE: -1.4 MM: 2 MWW: 16.8	REA: 0.21 API: 93 TI: 58

This Superior son out of a TNT On Target daughter will add pounds to your calves. He is very long made with a big hip. His mother has been a very consistent producer in our program. He is Homo Polled and Homo Black by pedigree.



BTS FOCUS FORWARD 013X ASA# 2547113 Owned by: BLACK TIE SIMMENTALS • Blk Polled 1/2 Simmental

Tattoo: 013X • Birthdate: 2/25/10 • Adj. BW: 89 lbs. • Adj. WW: 803 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 lbs.

S A F FOCUS OF E R	EPDs	CW: 15.5
Sire: MYTTY IN FOCUS	CE: 0 BW: 0.3	YG: 0.29 MB: 0.51
	WW: 45.5 YW: 88.1	BF: 0.05 REA: -0.31
Dam: BTS MS MIRANDA M214	MCE: 0	API: 117
	MM: 3.2 MWW: 26	TI: 77

1/2 blood In Focus son, with tremendous growth, note his 47 and 90 growth EPD's. 013x was the highest indexing bull in his group with a weaning weight of 803 pounds with a 106 index. His mother is a Night Rider daughter who has done a superb job over the years. On 7 calves she has an average index of 106 on weaning weight and yearling weight. See Picture on Back Cover



This Sim-Angus bull is out of another very good Spickler bred Angus cow. This is her second calf and she has done a very good job. X071 is a very good looking bull that will add eye appeal and class to his calves. He will work weather you are selling steers by the pound or keeping replacement heifers to put back into the herd. He is homo polled and hetero black.

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BTS THE FORCE 017X

ASA# 2562929 Owned by: BLACK TIE SIMMENTALS • Red Polled Purebred

EPDs

58.5 YW:

CE: 12.7 BW: -1.7

WW: 32.2

MCE-5.7 6.5 MM:

CW: -5.2 YG: -0.06

MB: 0.38

BF: 0.03

REA: 0.37 API: 133

TI: 72

Tattoo: 017X • Birthdate: 2/26/10 • Adj. BW: 90 lbs. • Adj. WW: 713 lbs. Adi, YW: 0 lbs

NICHOLS LEGACY G151 Sire: HOOKS SHEAR FORCE 38K	
KBHR PAY DIRT S004 Dam: BTS MS THAT 873U BTS SHES ALL THAT M210	

Here is a nondiluter red Shearforce out of a first calf heifer. This red Shearforce has the potential to be a calving ease candidate, with his 13 CE and -1.7 BW EPD's. His API and TI are in the top 5% coming in at 133 and 72.



A super Shearforce bull out of a first calf heifer. Will be an easy calving bull that will sire some great replacement females. Exceptional balanced EPD's all the way across on this calf. He has a 128 API and 68 TI.



Take note here everyone, this Beefmaker son has it all. Flawless EPD's with 11 CE, -1 BW with considerable above average growth at 41 and 67 WW and YW EPD's. On top of that his API and TI are both in the top 1%. This is no fluke as Power Beef's mother goes back to one of our most prolific cow families. His mother is a full sister by blood to the \$10,000 State Sale heifer going to Pearl Valley Simmentals.

50 PSR 191X	AS	A# 2556233
Owned by: PHERSON SIMMENTALS	Polled Pur	ebred
Tattoo: 191X • Birthdate: 2/27/10 • Adj. BW: 89 lbs. • Ad Adj. YW: 0 lbs.	j. WW: 787 lbs.	
HTP SVF IN DEW TIME Sire: LRS BIG COUNTRY TIME 82U LRS MS BIG COUNTRY 948J	EPDs CE: 9.6 BW: 3.3 WW: 51.7	CW: 18.4 YG: 0.06 MB: 0.2 BF: 0.01
ER BLACK CISCO 532C Dam: PSR MISS BRISTO 191R PSR FAST TRACK 125N	YW: 86.6 MCE: 5.1 MM: -2.6 MWW: 23.3	REA: 0.15 API: 119 TI: 71

This black big country time son is a stunning individual. He comes out of a black Cisco daughter that gets better every year. Her calves are in the top of the class



Shear Force – Sire of Lots 47 & 48



Lot 48



Lot 49



These Outback bull keep impressing us more and more each day by the way they are born and how they keep getting better each day. His mother was bred in the Spickler program also and is becoming a very good cow. He is homo polled and homo black.



Lot 52



Lot 53



- PSR MISS 243K

A red Mr Amigo son out of a Crockett first calf heifer. With a 82 lb. birth WT 89 ADJ will work well on first calf heifers.

53 THSR OUT BACK X080 Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS		A# 2549817 ed
Tattoo: X080 • Birthdate: 3/3/10 • Adj. BW: 94 lbs. • Adj. Adj. YW: 0 lbs. Hetero Black	WW: 852 lbs.	
LAZY S RED SHOCKER 226L Sire: DRS J91 OUTBACK 604S DRS MICKS BLK SABEL J91	EPDs CE: 5.5 BW: 1.6 WW: 47.9	CW: 14.5 YG: 0.06 MB: 0.23 BF: 0.02
Dam: WCS MSCONNECTION747T WCS MSCONNECTION747T WCS MS CLASS ACT 258M	YW: 83.9 MCE: 6.3 MM: 3.2 MWW: 27.2	REA: 0.16 API: 112 TI: 72

X080 posted our number one adj 205 weight. He is sire by Superior and his dam was purchased from the ND Simmental Classic Sale when she was an open heifer. Just check out his EPD's he has very good numbers across the board. This bull is very long made with a big middle. Hetero Black.



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BTS RED RIB 132X ASA# 2547214 Owned by: BLACK TIE SIMMENTALS • Red Polled Purebred

Tattoo: 0132X • Birthdate: 3/5/10 • Adj. BW: 96 lbs. • Adj. WW: 716 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 lbs.

IPU BLACK STEAKHOUSE 34H	
Sire: R PLUS RED RIBEYE 1134L	
SOUTHHOLDEN MISSRED 2H	
HART GENTLE BEN F314	
Dam: SRS KLARA	
SRS C-21	

EPDs	CW: 11.4
CE: 3.7	YG: 0.01
BW: 3.8	MB: 0.17
WW: 38.3	BF: 0
YW: 72.4	REA: 0.14
MCE: 0.2	API: 95
MM: -2.2	TI: 62
WW: 16.9	

TI: 71

MM: -0.2

One of the younger bulls in the offering but what a pound maker.....Gain on 60 day test 5.3 lbs per day. Stout made cow bull here!



Lot 55



This son of big country time will add muscle and power to your program. 7x has great eye appeal, his momma goes back to the great Blk Irish Kansas.

MWW

-PSR MISS IRISH 13F

THSR OUT BACK X086

Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS • Blk 1/2 Simmental

EPDs

YW: 62.1

CE

BW: -0.3

WW: 33.4

MCE MM: 2.4

MWW 19

MW/W/ 23 1

ASA# 2549823

CW: -0.9

YG: 0.2

MB: 0.38

BF: 0.06

REA: -0.15 API: 107

TI: 66

Tattoo: X086 • Birthdate: 3/5/10 • Adj. BW: 88 lbs. • Adj. WW: 801 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 Ibs. Homo Black

LAZY S RED SHOCKER 226L	
Sire: DRS J91 OUTBACK 604S	
L DRS MICKS BLK SABEL J91	
Dam: H1	

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Here is a very good son of DRS Outback, you won't find another bull with more mid-dle. This Sim-Angus bull is put together very good and will add weight to his calves. Homo Black.



Look no more....loaded with growth (775 adj weaning weight) and maternal traits to spare...Freedom out of the SRS Kit cow. If you are looking for a bull with growth and to keep replacements this bull is the ticket. Homo Polled Test Pending



Heavy bone and Heavy muscled calf....830 lbs adj weaning weight....Deep sided with a big square hip...Great Red calf to put on your red cows if you sell your steers by the pound!

PSR 60X	AS	A# 2556228
Owned by: PHERSON SIMMENTALS	• Polled Pur	ebred
Tattoo: 60X • Birthdate: 3/7/10 • Adj. BW: 78 lbs. • Adj. WW: 675 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 lbs.		
CNS DREAM ON L186 Sire: GCF MR AMIGO GCF MISS MT-ZEL	EPDs CE: 8.3 BW: -1.1 WW: 39.9	CW: 1.9 YG: 0 MB: 0.16 BF: 0
Dam: PSR MISS LIZZY 60L MISS 177 38D	YW: 69.4 MCE: 0.9 MM: -1 MWW: 19	REA: 0.07 API: 118 TI: 69

Here comes a solid red son of Mr Amigo. Look at that bw epd(-1.1) you can rest easy in calving season by using 60x. It is very likely he is homo polled.



Lot 56



Lot 57



Lot 58



PSR 49x is a red son PSR63S (a black gemaco son) His dam will be 15 this spring, longevity runs deep in this pedigree. He got a small scuried on one side. Has low birth wt and high 205 wt.





This black half blood is a calving ease specialist. At 76# birth, he grew into a big soggy frame with a smooth muscle. Homo polled and black



If you are looking for a red heifer bull prospect be sure to take a look! He is out of two of the best calving ease bulls in the breed...weaning weight ratio of 119%. Easy calving (80 lbs actual birth weight) with performance second to nonebe sure to look at his 877 adj weaning weight.

66 PSR 158X	AS	A# 2556231
Owned by: PHERSON SIMMENTALS	• Polled Pur	ebred
Tattoo: 158X • Birthdate: 4/3/10 • Adj. BW: 90 lbs. • Adj. Adj. YW: 0 lbs.	. WW: 687 lbs.	
PSR GEMACO 97L Sire: PSR63S PSR MISS LENA 63L	EPDs CE: 5.8 BW: 2.3 WW: 39.4	CW: 7.1 YG: 0.02 MB: -0.04 BF: 0
Dam: PSR MISS GO GIRL 158P	YW: 69.4 MCE: 4.3 MM: 6.6 MWW: 26.3	REA: 0.03 API: 95 TI: 60

PSR158X is a red (son of PSR63S) out of a black Branded Beef daughter. This april 3 son is deep bodied and wide topped.



PSR 11X

ASA# 2556227

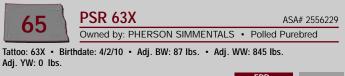
Tattoo: 11X • Birthdate: 3/11/10 • Adj. BW: 84 lbs. • Adj. WW: 691 lbs. Adj. YW: 0 Ibs

RC STINGER 072K	EPDs	CW: -0.5
Sire: TNT GUNNER N208	CE: 7.8	YG: 0.08
TNT MISS HONEY L9	BW: 0.3	MB: 0.08
	WW: 32.7	BF: 0.04
BONINA POLLD ZENITH 5006	YW: 61.2	REA: 0.01
Dam: PSR MISS ZIENITH 11K	MCE: 0.7	API: 96
	MM: 1.4	TI: 61
PSR MISS BIK 19F	MWW: 17.8	

Here is a red son out of the great TNT Gunner, polled Zienith on the bottom side. 11x is moderate frame, low birth wt(84lb) very balanced epd"s.

63 THSR OUT BACK X096 Owned by: TRIPLE H SIMMENTALS		\# 2549829 nmental
Tattoo: X096 • Birthdate: 3/13/10 • Adj. BW: 101 lbs. • A Adj. YW: 0 lbs. Homo Black	dj. WW: 809 lbs	
LAZY S RED SHOCKER 226L Sire: DRS J91 OUTBACK 604S DRS MICKS BLK SABEL J91	EPDs CE: 4.6 BW: 2.1 WW: 40.8	CW: 12.7 YG: 0.14 MB: 0.16 BF: 0.05
3C PASQUE 8773 Dam: THSR 416P H14	YW: 78.8 MCE: 4.7 MM: 6.6 MWW: 27	REA: 0.11 API: 96 TI: 64

This 3/4 blood Sim-Angus has a very good set of numbers from one end to the other. This March bull has developed very well and continues to get better every day. If you are looking for a bull that will add performance here he is. Homo Black.



ES DAKOTA NK68	EPDs	CW: 20.4
Sire: PSR SIR IMAGE 7T	CE: 5.9	YG: 0.11
PSR MISS SHADOW 7K	BW: 1.8	MB: 0.14
	WW: 52.3	BF: 0
SRS FORTUNE 500	YW: 93.2	REA: -0.05
•	MCE: 0.3	API: 112
Dam: PSR MISS LENA 63L	MM: 0.3	TI: 72
PSR MISS TINA J8	MWW: 26.4	

Out of our herd sire 7T(ES Dakota son) this hetro black son will add dollars to any program. 63x is our #1 250 ww in our herd. A late birth date, small birth wt and large wean wt. Pos. Homo polled. Add some guts



If it is frame you want78X will get it to you. 78X is a black son of herd sire 7T. Take a good look at his EPDs, you can wear out your pick-up trying to find better ones. Make sure to look him up at sale time.

QUICK GUIDE to ASA EPDs and \$ INDEXES

Expected Progeny Differences (EPDs): EPDs

are the most accurate and effective tool available for comparing genetic levels. In using EPDs, the difference between two sires' EPDs represents the unit difference expected in the performance of their progeny. For example, if sires A and B have EPDs of +10 and -5, a 15-unit difference would be expected in their progeny (moving from -5 to +10 yields 15 units). Key to using EPDs is knowing what units they are expressed in. For example, if the above case referred to weaning weight EPDs, A would be expected to sire 15-pounds more weaning weight than B. If calving ease were the trait, A would be expected to sire 15-percent more *unassisted births* in first-calf heifers; in other words, if B sired 30 assists in a group of 100 heifers, we'd expect A to require 15 assists. A percentile-ranking chart is required to determine where a bull's EPDs rank him relative to other bulls in the breed. For percentile rankings or more detailed information about EPDs and \$ indexes visit www.simmental.org. Listed below are the units ASA EPDs are expressed in

All-Purpose Index (API): Dollars per cow exposed under an all-purpose-sire scenario. (See below for more details.)

Back Fat (BF): Inches of backfat.

Birth Weight (BW): Pounds of birth weight.

Calving Ease (CE): Percent of unassisted births when used on heifers.

Carcass Weight (CW): Pounds of carcass weight.

Maternal Calving Ease (MCE): Percent of unassisted births in first-calving daughters.

Milk (MLK): Pounds of weaning weight due to milk. Marbling (MRB): Marbling score.

Maternal Weaning Weight (MWW): Pounds of weaning weight due to milk and growth.

Ribeye Area (REA): Square inches of ribeye.

Warner-Bratzler Shear Force (WBSF): Pounds of force required to shear a steak.

Stayability (STAY): Percent of daughters remaining in the cowherd at 6 years of age.

Terminal Index (TI): Dollars per cow exposed under a terminal-sire scenario. (See below for more details.)

Weaning Weight (WW): Pounds of weaning weight. Yearling Weight (YW): Pounds of yearling weight. Yield Grade (YG): Yield grade score.

- \$ Indexes: Though EPDs allow for the comparison of genetic levels for many economically important traits, they only provide a piece of the economic puzzle. That's where \$ indexes come in. Through well-conceived, rigorous mathematical computation, \$ indexes blend EPDs and economics to estimate an animal's overall impact on your bottom line. The same technology that led to the dramatic progress in swine, poultry and dairy genetics over the last several decades was used to develop the following \$ indexes:
- All-Purpose Index (API): Evaluates sires for use on the entire cow herd (bred to both Angus first-calf heifers and mature cows) with the portion of their daughters required to maintain herd size retained and the remaining heifers and steers put on feed and sold grade and yield.

Terminal Index (TI): Evaluates sire for use on mature Angus cows with all offspring put on feed and sold grade and yield.

Using API and TI: First, determine which index to use; if you're keeping replacements use API, if not, TI. Then, just as with EPDs, zero in on the unit difference between bulls. (As described above, index units are in dollars per cow exposed.) The difference can be used to determine how much a bull is worth compared to another. Or, put another way, how much you can pay for one bull compared to another. For example, when buying an all-purpose-type sire, you can quickly figure a bull scoring +100 for API is worth an extra \$6,000 over a+50 bull if both are exposed to 30 cows over 4 years (\$50 diff. x 30 hd. x 4 yr. = \$6,000). A percentile-ranking chart is required to determine where a bull's index value ranks him relative to other bulls in the breed. For percentile rankings or more detailed information about EPDs and \$ indexes

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