



Annual Production Sale

Thursday, February 21, 2013

Lunch 12:00 pm • **Auction 1:00 pm**

At the Ranch • 11 miles South of Mandan on Hwy. 6

Celebrating 30 Years
of Breeding Gelbvieh Seedstock



DDGR Gold Rush 73Z



DDGR All That 95Z



DDGR Oil Patch 67Z



DDGR Golden Spike 140Z

The Gustin Crew ...



Dennis and Sherry Gustin
Jessica and Sarah Gustin
Steve and Katie Stensgard



Peggy and Al Gustin

This picture was taken November 30, 2012, as Al retired after 45 years as a radio and television farm broadcaster. He's looking forward to spending more time at the ranch.



Steve and Kim Barnhardt
Brittany, Bailey, Bradley
and Bellany

A special thanks to Steve Barnhardt who has been a Gustin's Diamond D Gelbvieh team member for the past two years. Steve does a great job with the cattle as well as trucking, repair work and general chores around the ranch. We appreciate his talents and dedication.

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Thank you for your interest in our program and welcome to our annual production sale. We have been breeding Gelbvieh cattle for 30 years now and continue to be thankful for the great people that we have been associated with in this business.

Our goal continues to be to provide you with the best Gelbvieh and Balancer genetics available, with calves sired by top AI sires and National Champion bulls. We also are firm believers in balanced trait selection, putting emphasis on many different areas, including, disposition, calving ease, performance, maternal traits, structural soundness, eye appeal, EPD's and carcass traits. We believe the Gelbvieh breed offers the best combination of disposition, maternal excellence and growth of any breed. This year we are again offering both purebred Gelbvieh and Balancer bulls, along with ten Balancer bred heifers.

After last year's mild winter, our birth weights were lower this spring. We continue to not creep feed the calves in the summer, allowing us to better select our replacement females and feel we are on the right track as our first calf heifers continue to put a larger number of high quality calves in the sale each year. We continue to feed a total mixed ration of homegrown feeds and distillers grain for a moderate rate of 3.25-3.5 average daily gain after weaning that will keep the bulls sound and maintain longevity.

Watch for dams of merit and distinction in the footnotes. These are high producing cows identified by the AGA. Less than 5% of Gelbvieh cows achieve dam of merit status and less than 1% achieve dam of distinction status.

Due to the changes in the EPD's, there is an explanation of the new format to help you compare the animals cataloged. The AGA now has the same format as the Simmental and Red Angus associations. which will make comparisons easier.

Bulls numbered 300 to 341 are share cattle raised by our cooperating herd of Matt and Lisa Rebenitsch. They are out of our cows and under similar management during calving and the summer and are fed here with the other bulls after weaning. Matt and Lisa do a great job with the cattle.

The sale schedule will run the same as last year. At 10:30 a.m. the bulls will be penned for viewing and the complimentary lunch will be served at noon. The sale will be at 1:00 p.m. in the heated sale barn, with telephone bidding available for those unable to attend.

Our policy regarding keep of the bulls will be to take \$50 dollars off of each bull hauled away sale day; or pay half on sale day and we will feed the bulls free until April 1st. After April 1 there will be a \$2/day feed charge.

Complete Igenity DNA profiles, homozygous black information, yearling weights and scrotal measurements will be available online and on sale day. Videos of each sale lot will also be posted on our website after Feb 1st as they were last year. Please call or come early to select your bulls. We enjoy visiting with you about your program and will do our best to assist you in making your selections. As always, we guarantee satisfaction on all sight unseen purchases. Please call if we can assist you with these services.

Again, thank you for your continued interest and confidence in our breeding program. Give us a call, visit our website at www.gustinsdiamondd.com or e-mail us at gustindd@wildblue.net for information or a catalog.

We look forward to seeing you on sale day.

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REFERENCE SIRES



DCSF Post Rock Granite 200P2

A

DCSF POST ROCK GRANITE 200P2

Black Gelbvieh Polled Sire
BD: 9/15/04 BW: 80 Adj. WW: 711 Adj. YW: 1216

BTI GRANITE 2135M

BTI EXTRA 2106K ET
BTI ELECTRA B 2001H

DCSF POST ROCK TWILA 223M2

MRCO NEW DIRECTION 905
DCSF POST ROCK TWILA 3F2

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
9	0.8	73	108	32	68	5	7	0.05	35	0.18	-0.20	0.00

A very popular AI sire that had several top sellers in last year's sale. He sires excellent calving ease with moderate frames and excellent thickness.

B

OZZ EXT GOVERNOR 3N

Black Gelbvieh Polled Sire
BD: 1/14/03 BW: 73 Adj. WW: 778 Adj. YW: 1211

FHG VVFG FLYING H EXCLUSIVE

MLLC M/L ADVANTAGE
FHG FLYING H CADISISTER 95E

OZZ CHA MICHELL 74L

DHW MR A34033E
OZZ MIDNIGHT SINGER 65H

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
8	0.4	76	122	37	74	10	16	-0.22	43	0.71	0.17	-0.06

An AI sire we have used for several years. We like his calving ease, great EPD profile, and the very productive daughters he has sired.

C

VRT LAZY TV POWERHOUSE X554

Black Gelbvieh Polled Sire
BD: 3/2/10 BW: 78 Adj. WW: 603 Adj. YW: 1270

DVE DAVIDSON POWERHOUSE 13U

STON SECRET WEAPON 6S
DVE DAVIDSON MS JIM 13P

EGL N020 ET

XXB DREW 565K
EGL GRETA J043 ET

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
4	3.3	60	90	32	63	4		-0.07	28	0.36	-0.13	-0.01

Our pick of the purebred bulls at Thorstenson's 2011 production sale. A performance sire, his calves are consistently growthy, thick and eye appealing.



DCSF Post Rock Silver 233U1

D

DCSF POST ROCK SILVER 233U1

Black Gelbvieh Polled Sire
BD: 10/22/08 BW: 92 Adj. WW: 707 Adj. YW: 1384

DMRS SARGE 635S

BDCG UPPER LIMITS 14M
JCGR BAR GT MS 24N

DCSF POST ROCK WILMA 261P1 ET

BTI GRANITE 2135M
DCSF POST ROCK WILMA 147H ET

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
2	6.8	96	150	20	68	5	2	-0.08	68	0.59	-0.35	-0.05

We purchased a syndicate share in this powerful sire. His calves are top performers with a lot of muscle mass and are larger framed.

E

RLFG RANGE LINE COCOA

Black Gelbvieh Polled Sire
BD: 2/11/08 BW: 89 Adj. WW: 847 Adj. YW: 1522

TLR COCOA 35C

BEA POLLED MIDNIGHT
TLR MISS KAISER 449Y

RLFG MISS SUGAR BUCK

GKT BUCK 19L
RLFG MISS SUGAR PIE

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
3	4.1	89	134	29	73	7	4	-0.07	55	0.35	-0.12	-0.06

A larger framed, high growth, square hipped sire we purchased at the Golden Rule sale from Gross Range Line Farms. He sired the top selling bull in last year's sale.

F

JKGF W95

Black Gelbvieh Polled Sire
BD: 2/24/09 BW: 84 Adj. WW: 779 Adj. YW: 1268

JKGF TRENDSETTER 55R ET

KCF BENNETT KINGPIN K403
RAG MISS KARA ET

JKGF 95N

SPUR KINGS RANSOME 901J ET
JKGF G16 NIGHT TRAIN

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
5	4.7	81	114	28	68	7		-0.16	43	0.48	-0.17	-0.06

We purchased this sire from J&K Gelbvieh in Illinois. This is his second set of calves and we are pleased with his progeny as they are medium framed with excellent performance and thickness.

REFERENCE SIRES



JDPD Astro 407S

G

JDPD ASTRO 407S

Red Gelbvieh Polled Sire
BD: 3/2/06 BW: 88 Adj. WW: 808 Adj. YW: 1439

JDPD ROLEX 151M

HAD SLEEP TIGHT ET
VTG VISTA MS FREEDOM 0151K

HAD PRINCESS OF ALOT 407P

HAD LANCELOT 795L
HAD 140 L

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
3	0.8	67	103	31	65	11		0.05	32	0.00	-0.03	-0.02

A very popular red AI sire that is homozygous polled and diluter free. His calves were well received around the country last year and are consistent, thick and have great eye appeal.



SINK Full Throttle 27T

H

SINK FULL THROTTLE 27T

Red Gelbvieh Polled Sire
BD: 2/20/07 BW: 80 Adj. WW: 790 Adj. YW: 1302

KIT TABASCO J26 ET

TLR COCOA 35C
BETZ MAGIC MUFFIN F64

SINK TRINA 027R

MAC MR VALHALLA 539M ET
MOEL TRINA 027K

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
3	3.8	66	83	34	67	2	3	-0.15	24	0.27	-0.33	-0.05

A thick-made moderate framed Tabasco son we purchased from Randy Sienknecht in Iowa. He sired the top seller two years ago and had several high sellers last year. His calves are thick and deep sided with nice eye appeal.

I

GRW 7 BAR J 1004X

Black Gelbvieh Polled Sire
BD: 1/26/10 BW: 82 Adj. WW: 712 Adj. YW: 1277

BABR RID ROOSTER COGBURN 854U

BABR WHO HOTT 552R
GDY 464P

RID 7 BAR J MS MARY 809U

JCGR BAR GT LOUIE 2J
GRW 7 BAR J MS MARY 601S

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
14	-1.6	66	89	16	49	10		-0.20	19	0.30	-0.14	-0.06

High-selling bull at the Jumping Cow sale in Colorado in 2011. We purchased him for his calving ease and he has not disappointed. His calves come easy and have exceptional length.

J

DVE DAVIDSON MR DAKOTA 151X

Red Gelbvieh Polled Sire
BD: 3/11/10 BW: 80 Adj. WW: 762 Adj. YW: 1349

DCHD GOLDEN BUCKLE GELV 003U

DCHD GOLDEN BUCKLE GELV 117S
DCHD GOLDEN BUCKLE GELV 003N

DVE DAVIDSON MS MARK 99U

DVE DAVIDSON PLD MARK 194P
DVE DAVIDSON MS RED WRAP 91P

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
6	2.6	47	67	42	66	5		-0.18	14	0.18	-0.19	-0.06

High selling bull at the 2011 Davidson sale in Canada. He has super phenotype in a moderate framed package. His calves are long bodied, wide topped and heavy quartered.

K

DDGR HOME RUN 35W

Red Gelbvieh Polled Sire
BD: 3/4/09 BW: 92 Adj. WW: 706 Adj. YW: 1245

RID R COLLATERAL 2R

JCGR BAR GT FLASHBACK 410M ET
JCGR BAR GT LONI 27N ET

DDGR COOKIE 62R

JRI PLD FREE AGENT 125J3
DDGR SHAMROCK 82F

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
10	0.5	65	92	29	61	5	4	-0.13	25	0.13	-0.06	-0.06

A Collateral son of the 62R dam that we raised here and owned in partnership with Miller Gelbvieh Farms. His calves are eye appealing, high-performance cattle with extra extension and larger frame.

L

TC FREEDOM 104

Black Angus Polled Sire
BD: 1/18/01 BW: 58 Adj. WW: 723 Adj. YW: 1432

CONNELLY FOREFRONT

CONNELLY FRONTLINE
EILEEN HEARTLAND CONANGA6443

T C RUBY 909S

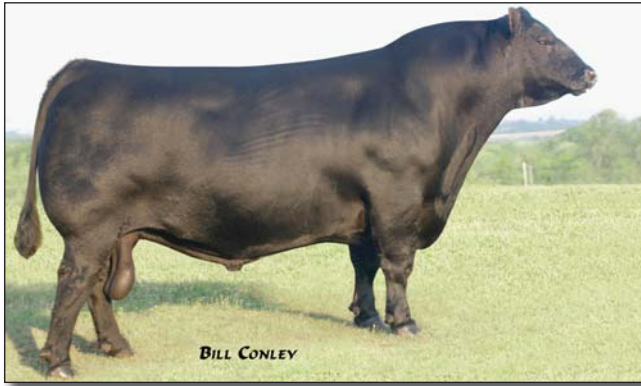
TC STOCKMAN 365
TC RUBY 4068

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
15	-0.1	61	110	30	60	12		-0.03	36	0.32	0.37	-0.02

A proven Angus AI sire we have used for several years that sires growthy, wide-topped, high-performance Balancers. We especially appreciate their great dispositions and large scrotal measurements.



REFERENCE SIRES



BC Matrix

M

B C MATRIX 4132

Black Angus Polled Sire
BD: 1/12/02 BW: 85 Adj. WW: 805 Adj. YW: 1338

O C C EMBLAZON 854E

D H D TRAVELER 6807
DIXIE ERICA OF C H 1019

CAF PURE PRIDE EXT 99

N BAR EMULATION EXT
GIBBET HILL PURE PRIDE CF 90

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
14	-0.8	70	121	16	51	7		-0.06	41	0.51	0.34	-0.01

An AI Angus sire that is known for producing great females. His sons and daughters are deep sided and will improve maternal traits in your herd and improve udder quality.

N

LT BANDWAGON 9178

Black Angus Polled Sire
BD: 3/11/09 BW: Adj. WW: Adj. YW:

L T BANDWAGON 3105

LEACHMAN RIGHT TIME
L T MS VIKINGS VALUE 0256

L T ELITE LADY 2086

CONNELLY DATELINE
MARCYS 96 ELITE LADY 52-6

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
10	3.8	51	90	26	52	8		0.05	30	0.07	0.37	-0.01

A high performance Angus sire we purchased from the Lindskov-Thiel program. His progeny have excellent length and thickness.

O

BIEBER BOONE 10696

Red Red Angus Polled Sire
BD: 5/29/06 BW: 92 Adj. WW: 723 Adj. YW: 1140

BIEBER BOONE 8000

BIEBER BOONE 6927
BIEBER QUE 6007

BIEBER EULCA 8969

LCHMN TOP BILLING 1854F
BIEBER EULCA 7445

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
12	-2.7	53	78	27	53	7		0.14	12	0.06	0.17	0.06

Our natural service Red Angus sire we purchased from the Bieber program in South Dakota to produce red Balancers. His calves have been thick made, square topped and well received in previous sales.



ACTIVE GELBIEH SIRES' AVERAGE EPDS

CE	BW	WW	YW	MK	TM	CED	ST	YG	CE	REA	MB	FT
8	2.0	65	91	26	59	5.0	5	-0.16	25	0.29	-0.13	0.06

ACTIVE BALANCER SIRES' AVERAGE EPDS

CE	BW	WW	YW	MK	TM	CED	ST	YG	CE	REA	MB	FT
10.4	0.6	62	97	24	55	6.6	4	-0.8	28	0.33	0.27	-0.02



All of the bulls have been DNA profiled by IGENITY. We will post the results of their profile, homozygous black status, yearling weights and scrotal measurements on our website, www.gustinsdiamond.com, as soon as they are available. We will also have them available on sale day.



YEARLING BULLS



1Z

DDGR CHICO 1Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 2/20/12 BW: 76 Adj. WW: 693

DCSF POST ROCK GRANITE 200P2

BTI GRANITE 2135M
DCSF POST ROCK TWILA 223M2

DDGR FAITH 127X

MSH MY SEASON ET
DDGR COUNTESS 66R

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
10	0.7	63	87	34	65	6	7	-0.06	22	0.21	-0.20	-0.02

A son of the Granite sire that has a very good birth-to-weaning spread. His calving ease, milk and total maternal EPDs are in the top 25%. Granddam was a Dam of Merit. Possible heifer bull. Homo black

2Z

DDGR MACHO MAN 2Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 2/21/12 BW: 78 Adj. WW: 705

DCSF POST ROCK GRANITE 200P2

BTI GRANITE 2135M
DCSF POST ROCK TWILA 223M2

DDGR QUEEN OF SPADES 77X

HYEK BLACK IMPACT 3960N
DDGR MOONBEAM 94J

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
10	0.9	70	102	31	66	5	7	-0.02	31	0.26	-0.12	-0.01

A low-birth, high-growth bull that goes back to the 94J cow that produced herdbulls for Kal-Kota Ranch and Miller Gelbvieh Farm. Excellent EPDs on this bull. Granddam was a Dam of Distinction. Homo Black.

7Z

DDGR HEAVY DUTY 7Z

Black Balancer 75% Polled Bull

BD: 2/23/12 BW: 76 Adj. WW: 648

DCSF POST ROCK GRANITE 200P2

BTI GRANITE 2135M
DCSF POST ROCK TWILA 223M2

DDGR FOXY LADY 41X

MYTTY IN FOCUS
DDGR GWEN 109K

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
11	0.5	67	101	28	61	8		0.02	30	0.15	0.15	-0.01

This bull should work on heifers yet pass on the meat and muscle typical of the Granite calves. Also, his moderate frame will hold down mature cow size. His granddam was a Dam of Merit.

9Z

DDGR TOP GUN 9Z

Black Balancer 50% Scurred Bull

BD: 2/24/12 BW: 69 Adj. WW: 623

S A V FINAL ANSWER 0035

SITZ TRAVELER 8180
S A V EMULOUS 8145

DDGR ELVIRA 92X

000 U823
DDGR SHE'S ALL THAT 47S

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
15	-1.7	63	94	25	57	9		-0.05	23	0.36	0.24	0.00

Heifer bull candidate here. Use these Final Answer sons with confidence to keep your cattle moderate framed and thick.

10Z

DDGR BIG TIME 10Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 2/24/12 BW: 77 Adj. WW: 667

DCSF POST ROCK GRANITE 200P2

BTI GRANITE 2135M
DCSF POST ROCK TWILA 223M2

DDGR VICTORIA 208X

ELK CK RIMFIRE 173S
DDGR MAVIS 175U

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
11	-0.1	64	88	31	63	9	7	-0.12	21	0.25	-0.19	-0.04

The dam of this Granite son is out of one of our past heifer bulls, giving this bull excellent calving ease and the potential to be used on heifers. Homo Black.

11Z

DDGR TURF 11Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 2/24/12 BW: 71 Adj. WW: 655

DCSF POST ROCK GRANITE 200P2

BTI GRANITE 2135M
DCSF POST ROCK TWILA 223M2

DDGR MANDY 245X

ELK CK RIMFIRE 173S
DDGR FANCY 183N

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
11	-0.1	61	86	32	62	9	7	-0.14	21	0.33	-0.26	-0.04

Another Rimfire-Granite combination with nice calving ease and growth. This bull has extra length of body and his granddam was a Dam of Merit. Homo Black.

12Z

DDGR TOUCHDOWN 12Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 2/24/12 BW: 86 Adj. WW: 709

DCSF POST ROCK GRANITE 200P2

BTI GRANITE 2135M
DCSF POST ROCK TWILA 223M2

DDGR SWEET PEA 219X

MSH MY SEASON ET
DDGR SHEBA 39S

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
8	1.3	62	86	34	65	4	7	-0.06	22	0.20	-0.20	-0.02

A higher performing Granite son with nice balance that is really coming on since weaning. He is thick made, longer bodied and will add performance to his calves. Homo Black.



... reserves a
1/3 semen interest
in each bull in the offering.

YEARLING BULLS



15Z

15Z DDGR FIELD GOAL 15Z

Black Balancer 75% Polled Bull
 BD: 2/25/12 BW: 92 Adj. WW: 759

DCSF POST ROCK GRANITE 200P2 BTI GRANITE 2135M
 DCSF POST ROCK TWILA 223M2
 DDGR DAISY 8X TPLR ROUSE CHATEAU S37
 DDGR UPBEAT 200U

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	2.2	70	99	30	65	4		0.00	31	0.26	0.01	0.00

Tremendous job by this first-calf heifer weaning this bull off at 759 lbs. without creep. Moderate frame, lots of thickness and a nursing ratio of 110. Excellent bull and he is Homo Black.

23Z DDGR FANTASY 23Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
 BD: 2/27/12 BW: 86 Adj. WW: 676

DCSF POST ROCK GRANITE 200P2 BTI GRANITE 2135M
 DCSF POST ROCK TWILA 223M2
 DDGR COCOA PUFF 126X RLFGR RANGE LINE COCOA
 DDGR LUCKY 19N

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
8	2.0	68	101	31	65	7		-0.06	32	0.25	-0.06	-0.03

The calving book notation said, "Perfect udder," on this calf's first-calf dam. This is a strong genetic package and check out the EPDs. Granddam was a Dam of Merit and dam of the 99Z bull. Homo Black.

25Z DDGR TWISTER 25Z

Black Balancer 75% Scurred Bull
 BD: 2/28/12 BW: 89 Adj. WW: 653

ZJC HOSS 30W ET JBOB CAROLINA FORTUNE 2564JET
 BRNK MISS EMMA 213
 DDGR KAYLEE 243X RLFGR RANGE LINE COCOA
 DDGR BLOSSOM 119S

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	2.9	65	102	35	67	5		-0.12	35	0.42	0.10	-0.04

The Hoss sire was new to us this year and uniformly held down frame size while adding depth and thickness. Very strong EPDs on this calf. Homo Black.

29Z DDGR BIG MAC 29Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull
 BD: 3/1/12 BW: 63 Adj. WW: 701

BWF BRANDYWINE WINTHROP 957W LCBK BCC HOTSHOT 45H
 BWF BRANDYWINE THERA 758T
 DDGR SUPERSTAR 97X SINK FULL THROTTLE 27T
 DDGR PETUNIA 76P

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
14	-3.4	54	69	34	61	9		-0.27	5	0.30	-0.22	-0.07

This moderate-framed Winthrop son has excellent thickness with a super birth-to-weaning spread. EPDs indicate he should be a heifer bull, as was his sire. Calving ease EPDs in the top 5% of the breed.

31Z DDGR FRISCO 31Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
 BD: 3/2/12 BW: 75 Adj. WW: 774

DCSF POST ROCK GRANITE 200P2 BTI GRANITE 2135M
 DCSF POST ROCK TWILA 223M2
 DDGR CLAIRE 81X RED FORTUNATE 681
 DDGR SIERRA 145T

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
10	0.4	69	102	33	67	6	6	-0.05	30	0.22	-0.13	-0.03

One of the strongest calves at weaning with a 774-lb. 205-day-weight on a first-calf heifer that goes back to the Carolina Fortune sire. Nursing ratio of 113 on this larger framed Granite son. Homo Black.



33Z

33Z DDGR SLAM DUNK 33Z

Black Balancer 50% Polled Bull
 BD: 3/2/12 BW: 80 Adj. WW: 719

B C MATRIX 4132 O C C EMBLAZON 854E
 CAF PURE PRIDE EXT 99
 DDGR ARIANNA 162X 000 U823
 DDGR SUNNY 113S

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
9	1.8	77	120	20	58	7		-0.04	44	0.35	0.10	-0.03

Our Matrix-bred heifers have "brood cow" written all over them. Use this deep-bodied and long-sided son to keep some excellent replacements. His growth EPDs are in the top 25% of the breed. Homo Black.



YEARLING BULLS



34Z

DDGR MAC ATTACK 34Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 3/2/12 BW: 89 Adj. WW: 704

DCSF POST ROCK GRANITE 200P2

BTI GRANITE 2135M
DCSF POST ROCK TWILA 223M2

DDGR SHEBA 170X

RED FORTUNATE 681
DDGR LADYBUG 24R

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	2.2	68	102	30	64	4	6	-0.02	33	0.22	-0.08	-0.02

Another Red Fortunate daughter that did a great job, weaning this calf with over a 700 lb. 205-day-weight without creep. His granddam is the dam of the 85Z bull. Homo Black.



38Z

36Z

DDGR HAT TRICK 36Z

Black Gelbvieh Scurred Bull

BD: 3/3/12 BW: 73 Adj. WW: 749

OZZ EXT GOVENOR 3N

FHG VVFG FLYING H EXCLUSIVE
OZZ CHA MICHELL 74L

DDGR GRACE 234X

MSH MY SEASON ET
DDGR 92S

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
8	0.7	74	105	33	70	10	11	-0.19	32	0.47	-0.02	-0.06

This bull's data is hard to beat. Low birth, high growth and EPDs that are hard to fault. Add to that he has eye appeal and thickness and we feel he has excellent potential. Homo Black.

38Z

CMR RUGER 38Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 3/5/12 BW: 67 Adj. WW: 775

OZZ EXT GOVENOR 3N

FHG VVFG FLYING H EXCLUSIVE
OZZ CHA MICHELL 74L

CMR DEBBIE 217X

MSH MY SEASON ET
WVR MISS MARPLE 260M

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
11	-1.0	62	89	40	71	9	10	-0.23	21	0.50	0.06	-0.05

An excellent calving-ease sire with strong performance. Very good birth-to-weaning spread and his first-calf dam came in with a 112 nursing ratio. His milk and maternal EPDs are in the top 5%. Granddam is a Dam of Merit. Homo Black.

39Z

CMR JOURNEY 39Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 3/5/12 BW: 89 Adj. WW: 643

OZZ EXT GOVENOR 3N

FHG VVFG FLYING H EXCLUSIVE
OZZ CHA MICHELL 74L

CMR LORI 198X

RED FORTUNATE 681
CMR LACEY 2L

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	1.4	69	107	33	68	6	11	-0.20	35	0.52	0.02	-0.06

Our Governor daughters have been excellent producers, and this bull has milk and growth EPDs that are well above average. Check out his carcass EPDs also.



2012 Sale Day

47Z

CMR ROCK SOLID 47Z

Black Balancer 25% Polled Bull

BD: 3/9/12 BW: 75 Adj. WW: 720

S A V FINAL ANSWER 0035

SITZ TRAVELER 8180
S A V EMULOUS 8145

CMR FREE SPIRIT 43W

TC FREEDOM 104
WVR MISS MARPLE 260M

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
18	-2.6	64	103	30	62	11		-0.04	27	0.40	0.46	0.01

Moderate framed and exceptionally thick with an excellent EPD profile, he was one of our favorites this summer and will make steers that will be "feedlot favorites." His granddam is a Dam of Merit. Homo Black.

48Z

DDGR BIG TIME 48Z

Red Gelbvieh Scurred Bull

BD: 3/10/12 BW: 85 Adj. WW: 669

JDPD ASTRO 407S

JDPD ROLEX 151M
HAD PRINCESS OF ALOT 407P

DDGR COOKIE 62R

JRI PLD FREE AGENT 125J3
DDGR SHAMROCK 82F

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
6	0.3	62	90	32	63	9		-0.05	23	0.01	-0.13	-0.05

The 62R dam has consistently put her calves at or near the top of our sales. She has a son working at Chimney Butte Ranch and two sons at the Eslinger Brothers in Elgin, N.D. This bull is moderate framed and thick.



YEARLING BULLS



52Z

DDGR THUNDAR 52Z

Black Balancer 50% Polled Bull

BD: 3/13/12 BW: 77 Adj. WW: 668

TC FREEDOM 104

CONNEALY FOREFRONT
T C RUBY 9095

DDGR NUTMEG 40W

HYEK BLACK IMPACT 3960N
DDGR BOOTS 61J

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
15	-1.4	56	89	31	59	9		-0.14	20	0.34	0.10	-0.03

The TC Freedom cattle have been very well received and have great dispositions. This son has a wide top and super depth with excellent calving ease EPDs. Homo Black.



54Z

53Z

DDGR SAM ADAMS 53Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 3/13/12 BW: 89 Adj. WW: 712

JRI FULLY LOADED 282M81

JRI PLD FREE AGENT 125J3
JRI MS PLD PACIFIC 282D71

DDGR BUTTERCUP 159R

BNC L185
DDGR ZSA ZSA 22M

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
9	2.3	68	103	23	57	7	5	-0.12	34	0.23	-0.21	-0.06

This is a larger framed Fully Loaded son out of a really strong dam. He was one of the fastest gainers and one of the heaviest calves at the end of December.

54Z

DDGR DARIUS 54Z

Black Balancer 50% Scurred Bull

BD: 3/14/12 BW: 91 Adj. WW: 627

ZJC HOSS 30W ET

JBOB CAROLINA FORTUNE 2564JET
BRNK MISS EMMA 213

DDGR BLACK EYED SUSAN 63W

TC FREEDOM 104
DDGR SHANIA 198N

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
11	1.7	60	101	32	63	6		-0.09	33	0.37	0.26	-0.03

Great eye appeal on this moderate-framed Hoss son. He is really coming on since weaning and has been one of the fastest gainers. His granddam was a Dam of Merit.



55Z

55Z

DDGR BOULEVARD 55Z

Red Balancer 50% Polled Bull

BD: 3/14/12 BW: 66 Adj. WW: 703

RAB BIEBER BOONE 10696

RAB BIEBER BOONE 8000
RAB BIEBER EULCA 8969

DDGR MARILYN 124T

EGL MIGUEL R056 ET
DDGR HANNAH 2N

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	1.6	70	103	23	57	4		0.01	33	0.16	-0.05	-0.02

This twin calf has been our favorite red Balancer this year. Excellent length and thickness along with great eye appeal.



63Z

63Z

DDGR BIG SHOT 63Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 3/15/12 BW: 72 Adj. WW: 675

JDPD ASTRO 407S

JDPD ROLEX 151M
HAD PRINCESS OF ALOT 407P

DDGR REBA 8T

JRI HEAVY EQUIPMENT 125M3
DDGR KRYSTAL 70R

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
6	1.1	67	99	30	63	10		-0.01	30	0.03	-0.12	-0.04

Another twin calf, this Astro son has a super mom with a lifetime nursing ratio of 106. Her bull calf last year went to the Swenson Ranch at Belfield, N.D. His dam is a Dam of Merit.



YEARLING BULLS



65Z

DDGR LIGNITE 65Z

Black Balancer 50% Polled Bull

BD: 3/16/12 BW: 90 Adj. WW: 638

TC FREEDOM 104

CONNELLY FOREFRONT
T C RUBY 9095

DDGR SHADOW 137L

KKC GRAND SLAM 20F
DDGR MISS ROLLS 40A

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
12	1.3	60	93	28	58	12		-0.22	27	0.74	0.02	-0.03

This TC Freedom son should make great females that are easy to handle. He has a wide top with excellent length and balance. His REA EPD is in the top 5% of the breed.

67Z

DDGR OIL PATCH 67Z

Black Balancer 50% Polled Bull

BD: 3/16/12 BW: 87 Adj. WW: 722

TC FREEDOM 104

CONNELLY FOREFRONT
T C RUBY 9095

DDGR ROSE 165S

GSBR 89P
DDGR SNOWFLAKE 28N

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
12	0.5	68	105	25	59	10		-0.10	33	0.30	0.10	-0.04

One of our favorites. It is always nice when the bull looks and performs as well as he reads on paper. This bull has a lot of depth and style to go with his excellent numbers. Homo Black. Homo Polled.

70Z

DDGR TRIPLE PLAY 70Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 3/16/12 BW: 90 Adj. WW: 701

DCSF POST ROCK SILVER 233U1

DMRS SARGE 635S
DCSF POST ROCK WILMA 261P1 ET

DDGR BELLE 49S

BTI 2134P
DDGR ANDREA 147N

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
5	4.7	77	118	22	61	7		-0.07	46	0.31	-0.29	-0.05

The Silver calves have strong performance and the 49S dam produced a herd bull for Gross Range Line Farms two years ago and a State Sale heifer last year. Great genetic package.



67Z



73Z

73Z

DDGR GOLD RUSH 73Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 3/18/12 BW: 96 Adj. WW: 777

JDPD ASTRO 407S

JDPD ROLEX 151M
HAD PRINCESS OF ALOT 407P

DDGR SHAMROCK 50M

HHF GOALTENDER A46
DDGR MISS RENO 107X

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
2	3.5	71	103	30	66	5		-0.06	36	0.22	-0.16	-0.04

This bull puts it all together – eye appeal, thickness, performance, strong EPDs and a great dam. She never misses, with several top-selling sons and a nursing ratio of 104 on 7 calves. Herd bull here. Hetero Polled.

80Z

DDGR DOUBLE SHOT 80Z

Red Gelbvieh Bull

BD: 3/19/12 BW: 100 Adj. WW: 684

JDPD ASTRO 407S

JDPD ROLEX 151M
HAD PRINCESS OF ALOT 407P

DDGR DAFFODIL 65P

JCGR BAR GT LOUIE 2J
DDGR NAOMI 142L

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
4	2.9	71	100	23	59	8		-0.07	33	0.22	-0.16	-0.04

Another excellent Astro son that is doing great since weaning. The Astro sons have been very strong for us and the Astro daughters have excellent depth and eye appeal.

82Z

DDGR FULL THROTTLE 82Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 3/19/12 BW: 90 Adj. WW: 687

JDPD ASTRO 407S

JDPD ROLEX 151M
HAD PRINCESS OF ALOT 407P

DDGR BELLE 42P

KIT TABASCO J26 ET
DDGR HANNAH 90L

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
4	1.1	66	94	31	64	6		-0.09	27	0.14	-0.19	-0.05

The 42P dam sold one of our top bulls to the Eslinger Brothers at Carson, N.D. two years ago, and has a yearling index of 109. Combine that with the consistency of the Astro sons and this bull should be a top performer.



YEARLING BULLS



83Z

DDGR PREMIER 83Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 3/19/12 BW: 97 Adj. WW: 762

DCSF POST ROCK SILVER 233U1

DMRS SARGE 635S
DCSF POST ROCK WILMA 261P1 ET

DDGR SABRINA 180T

MSH MY SEASON ET
DDGR POPPY 11M

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
4	3.9	80	119	27	66	6		-0.11	46	0.45	-0.22	-0.05

This large framed Silver son had a nursing ratio of 111 and keeps coming on as he was the heaviest calf in the pen at our December weighing. Exceptional growth EPDs on this bull.



86Z

85Z

DDGR ROUGH NECK 85Z

Black Balancer 50% Polled Bull

BD: 3/19/12 BW: 90 Adj. WW: 720

S A V NET WORTH 4200

S A V 8180 TRAVELER 004
S A V MAY 2410

DDGR LADYBUG 24R

XXB DREW 565K
DDGR FAITH 111N

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
9	1.1	66	106	29	62	8		0.02	34	0.36	0.40	0.01

This bull exhibits the depth and length of body that the Net Worth calves are noted for. Nursing ratio of 105. Homo Black.

86Z

DDGR BRUTUS 86Z

Black Gelbvieh Scurred Bull

BD: 3/19/12 BW: 105 Adj. WW: 759

DCSF POST ROCK SILVER 233U1

DMRS SARGE 635S
DCSF POST ROCK WILMA 261P1 ET

DDGR HELGA 148N

DDGR STOCKMAN 315L
DDGR RUBY 152J

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
1	6.7	88	134	29	73	7		-0.07	58	0.31	-0.28	-0.07

Tremendous muscle and growth in this Silver son. His dam had our top red Balancer two years ago, is a consistent top producer and a Dam of Merit. Homo Polled.



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88Z

DDGR BLUE MOON 88Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 3/20/12 BW: 82 Adj. WW: 694

VRT LAZY TV POWERHOUSE X554

DVE DAVIDSON POWERHOUSE 13U
EGL N020 ET

DDGR SNICKERS 233W

MKT S#10
DDGR FANCY 183N

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
6	2.3	61	89	31	62	7		-0.14	25	0.39	-0.19	-0.04

This bull is diluter free and has above-average performance and a moderate birthweight. He is clean fronted with an attractive head. His granddam is a Dam of Merit.



91Z

91Z

DDGR WOMANIZER 91Z

Black Balancer 50% Polled Bull

BD: 3/20/12 BW: 108 Adj. WW: 804

TC FREEDOM 104

CONNEALY FOREFRONT
T C RUBY 909S

DDGR MISTY 201S

SEGA PUNCHLINE 203P
DDGR ANGEL 98K

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	4.6	76	120	28	66	6		0.00	48	0.21	0.05	-0.04

This calf was our heaviest weaning weight bull and had a nursing ratio of 114. His dam has a lifetime weaning ratio of 109 and is a Dam of Merit. This guy will add performance with yearling weight and REA EPDs in the top 5%. Homo Black. Homo Polled.



YEARLING BULLS



93Z

93Z

DDGR BIG SHOT 93Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 3/20/12 BW: 81 Adj. WW: 684

JDPD ASTRO 407S

JDPD ROLEX 151M
HAD PRINCESS OF ALOT 407P

DDGR 105R

EGL FOSTERS L017 ET
DDGR RED MAGIC 171F

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
6	1.1	54	79	37	64	9		-0.07	18	0.07	-0.07	-0.04

The 105R cow is a Dam of Merit and has been a very consistent producer. She had a top bull in last year's sale and has a son working at Thorstenson Gelbvieh in S.D. Milk EPD in the top 5%. Be sure to look him up on sale day. Homo Polled.



2012 Sale Day

94Z

DDGR REMMINGTON 94Z

Black Balancer 50% Polled Bull

BD: 3/21/12 BW: 89 Adj. WW: 701

LT BANDWAGON 9178

L T BANDWAGON 3105
L T ELITE LADY 2086

DDGR LADYBIRD 83W

MSH MY SEASON ET
DDGR WYNONA 58M

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	3.8	57	85	31	60	6		-0.04	26	0.15	0.12	-0.03

The 83W female had one of our nicest heifers last year and has a weaning weight ratio of 105 on her first 2 calves. Granddam is a Dam of Merit.



95Z

95Z

DDGR ALL THAT 95Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 3/21/12 BW: 93 Adj. WW: 770

VRT LAZY TV POWERHOUSE X554

DVE DAVIDSON POWERHOUSE 13U
EGL N020 ET

DDGR RUBY 269W

MSH MY SEASON ET
DDGR NANCY 12N

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
5	3.8	65	90	34	67	5		-0.10	28	0.34	-0.16	-0.03

This young My Season daughter is doing quite a job. Last year's heifer went to the Golden Rule sale and this is one of our top bulls this year. She has a nursing ratio of 112 on her first two calves. Granddam is a Dam of Merit.



2012 Sale Day

99Z

DDGR BLACKJACK 99Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull

BD: 3/21/12 BW: 85 Adj. WW: 713

HYEK BLACK IMPACT 3960N

HYEK BLACK IMPULSE 1296L
HYEK BLACK RUBY 9604J

DDGR LUCKY 19N

VRT LAZY TV BEETHOVEN K278
DDGR DAFODIL 46L

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
11	0.9	65	92	28	61	3	7	-0.17	25	0.39	0.06	-0.05

The 19N dam is super deep bodied and is the granddam of the 23Z bull this year. She has put several top-producing daughters in our herd and is a Dam of Merit. Excellent maternal genetics here. Homo Black.



YEARLING BULLS



101Z

101Z CMR TRIUMPH 101Z

Black Gelbvieh Scurred Bull
BD: 3/21/12 BW: 97 Adj. WW: 715

DCSF POST ROCK SILVER 233U1

DMRS SARGE 635S
DCSF POST ROCK WILMA 261P1 ET

CMR TYRA 52T

OZZ EXT GOVENOR 3N
CMR RHONDA 205R

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
5	3.8	79	121	29	68	7		-0.16	47	0.55	-0.11	-0.06

A high performance son of the Post Rock Silver sire. He is well balanced with a great rear quarter and above-average carcass numbers. His moderate-framed, highly efficient dam has a nursing ratio of 109 on four sons.

106Z DDGR BULLETPROOF 106Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/22/12 BW: 85 Adj. WW: 713

JKGF W95

JKGF TRENDSETTER 55R ET
JKGF 95N

DDGR 285W

ELK CK RIMFIRE 173S
DDGR CENTERFOLD 49P

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	2.4	71	94	28	64	10		-0.21	28	0.39	-0.18	-0.07

The Rimfire daughters have worked very well in our herd. This bull has the extra length of body that will add payweight to your calves.

107Z DDGR MR. GOODBAR 107Z

Red Balancer 75% Polled Bull
BD: 3/22/12 BW: 75 Adj. WW: 685

LWM 105T

LWM 25R
LWM 25J

DDGR SASHA 52X

JHL LCC FIELD DAY A614N
DDGR RUBY 34R

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
13	-0.6	64	87	31	63	5		-0.18	20	0.30	-0.09	-0.05

Definitely a calving-ease bull here. This Balancer's dam was our deepest sided bred heifer this year and has great eye appeal. We believe she has a great future and did a super job with this calf.

108Z DDGR NIGHT RIDER 108Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/22/12 BW: 95 Adj. WW: 735

GRW 7 BAR J 1004X

BABR RID ROOSTER COGBURN 854U
RID 7 BAR J MS MARY 809U

DDGR DAWN 124X

RLFG RANGE LINE COCOA
DDGR WYNONA 58M

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
6	3.0	76	106	23	61	7		-0.13	36	0.28	-0.13	-0.06

Another calf with great length and performance out of a first-calf heifer. Weaning weight ratio of 107 on this strong calf. Growth EPDs in the top 25%. Granddam was a dam of Merit.



107Z

110Z DDGR TORNADO 110Z

Black Gelbvieh Scurred Bull
BD: 3/22/12 BW: 77 Adj. WW: 731

JKGF W95

JKGF TRENDSETTER 55R ET
JKGF 95N

DDGR QUEEN OF SPADES 190W

RED FORTUNATE 681
DDGR AMBER 71S

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
9	1.4	72	102	29	65	5		-0.16	32	0.36	-0.10	-0.06

We are very happy with the sons of the J&K sire. This bull is more moderate framed and has excellent length of body. His dam had one of our State Sale entries this past year. Homo Black.

111Z DDGR BLACK THUNDER 111Z

Black Balancer 63% Polled Bull
BD: 3/22/12 BW: 94 Adj. WW: 759

JCB LAZY TV ANSWER W280

S A V FINAL ANSWER 0035
LJCB 097K

DDGR MOCHA 93R

VRT LAZY TV LINEBACKER N452
DDGR POLLYANNA 26M

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
10	0.1	68	97	27	61	8		-0.11	27	0.29	0.20	-0.04

If you need to add frame and length to your calf crop, this bull will do it. He has loads of extension and is gaining very well since weaning.



New Generation AGA EPDs

The American Gelbvieh Association's (AGA) January 2013 EPDs are based on a new collaborative national cattle evaluation (NCE) with the American Simmental Association (ASA). Below is a summary of some of the enhancements to the AGA new generation EPDs, followed by trait averages and percentile charts.

Gelbvieh and Balancer® Share a Common Base with Simmental and Red Angus

Gelbvieh and Balancer EPDs are now on the same base with Simmental and Red Angus, which means that EPDs for each trait (except stayability) are directly comparable to ASA and Red Angus Association of America (RAAA) EPDs. This was a huge, progressive decision by the AGA Board of Directors, made to simplify bull selection for commercial producers.

Calving Ease and Calving Ease Daughters EPDs Converted to Industry Standard Terminology

For over 25 years, the AGA calving ease (CE) and calving ease daughter (CED) EPDs were reported in the form of a ratio. They are now reflected as percentages. Higher CE values equal fewer unassisted births from sires when mated to first-calf heifers. Higher CED EPDs indicate less calving difficulty from a sire's own first-calf daughters.

Multi-Breed EPDs Provide More Complete Balancer EPDs

The true multi-breed EPD NCE conducted by the ASA enables the inclusion of more progeny data from Red Angus and Angus sires, especially for the carcass traits.

Growth Traits are More Reliable

The new EPDs for weaning weight (WW), yearling weight (YW) and carcass weight (CW) are more reliable because the new statistical process accepts a wider age window for weaning weight. This is especially beneficial for breeders that wean calves early due to drought. Historically, weights from early-weaned calves were not included in the NCE.

Carcass Traits are Standardized

In recent years, Gelbvieh and Balancer carcass traits were adjusted to a fat end-point instead of an age endpoint like the rest of the industry. AGA's transition to age-adjusted carcass EPDs will eliminate the gaps in the U.S. Meat Animal Research Center's carcass EPD breed comparisons. This change also means that the days-to-finish (DtF) EPD is replaced by a fat (FT) EPD. A yield grade (YG) EPD is also new. For both FT and YG, lower EPDs are typically more favorable.

For questions or more information contact the AGA at 303-465-2333 or visit www.gelbvieh.org.

New EPD Averages for Active Sires

	CE	BW	WW	YW	MK	TM	CED	ST	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
Gelbvieh	8.0	2.0	65	91	26	59	5.0	5	-0.16	25	0.29	-0.13	0.06
Balancer	10.4	0.6	62	97	24	55	6.6	4	-0.08	28	0.33	0.27	-0.02

Gelbvieh EPD Percentile Chart

Percentile	CE	BW	WW	YW	MK	TM	CED	ST	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
5	13	-1.4	83	120	37	71	10	11	-0.29	46	0.58	0.10	-0.09
25	10	0.9	72	102	31	64	8	7	-0.21	34	0.39	-0.05	-0.07
50	8	2.1	65	91	26	59	6	5	-0.16	26	0.27	-0.14	-0.06
75	5	3.3	58	80	22	53	4	3	-0.11	19	0.18	-0.21	-0.05
95	2	5.0	46	61	14	45	0	0	-0.02	6	0.02	-0.32	-0.03

Balancer EPD Percentile Chart

Percentile	CE	BW	WW	YW	MK	TM	CED	ST	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
5	16	-2.8	80	128	34	67	11	9	-0.26	49	0.71	0.63	-0.06
25	13	-0.6	69	109	28	60	9	5	-0.15	36	0.47	0.38	-0.04
50	10	0.7	63	97	24	55	7	4	-0.08	28	0.32	0.25	-0.03
75	8	1.9	55	84	20	50	5	2	-0.01	20	0.18	0.13	-0.01
95	5	3.7	44	67	14	44	1	-1	0.09	7	-0.02	-0.01	0.02



YEARLING BULLS



120Z DDGR BRAXTON 120Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/24/12 BW: 81 Adj. WW: 690

VRT LAZY TV POWERHOUSE X554

DVE DAVIDSON POWERHOUSE 13U
EGL N020 ET

DDGR SHANIA 178S

SEGA PUNCHLINE 203P
DDGR POLLYANNA 26M

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	1.2	59	86	34	63	7		-0.09	22	0.20	-0.20	-0.04

This dam has consistently held down birthweight while having a nursing ratio of 106 on her first four calves. She did a great job on this larger framed, longer bodied Powerhouse son. Homo Black.

122Z DDGR JACKPOT 122Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/24/12 BW: 96 Adj. WW: 756

VRT LAZY TV POWERHOUSE X554

DVE DAVIDSON POWERHOUSE 13U
EGL N020 ET

DDGR SABRINA 151S

KCF BENNETT PREMIER Z104
DDGR SAHARA 186L

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
6	4.1	69	97	30	64	7		-0.07	33	0.31	-0.12	-0.03

This dam had one of the most powerful sons in the sale two years ago and came back with this high-performing, thick-made bull this year.

127Z DDGR KEYSTONE 127Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/24/12 BW: 83 Adj. WW: 751

SINK FULL THROTTLE 27T

KIT TABASCO J26 ET
SINK TRINA 027R

DDGR WANDA 177W

LWM 105T
DDGR HOPSCOTCH 134N

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	1.6	67	86	32	66	5		-0.17	22	0.27	-0.26	-0.06

A Full Throttle son that exhibits his sire's thickness and moderate frame. Excellent birth-to-weaning spread on this bull. Milk EPD in the top 25%.

131Z DDGR BANKNOTE 131Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/25/12 BW: 85 Adj. WW: 738

JKGF W95

JKGF TRENDSETTER 55R ET
JKGF 95N

DDGR FOXY LADY 230W

RED FORTUNATE 681
DDGR SNOWFLAKES 58S

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	3.2	75	107	29	66	5		-0.15	37	0.39	-0.15	-0.06

Another moderate-birth, high-growth bull that we really liked all summer. The Red Fortunate daughters are doing a super job. Growth EPDs in the top 25%.



140Z

140Z DDGR GOLDEN SPIKE 140Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/27/12 BW: 80 Adj. WW: 718

SINK FULL THROTTLE 27T

KIT TABASCO J26 ET
SINK TRINA 027R

DDGR MAGGIE 225S

BTI 2134P
DDGR DAFODIL 92J

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
6	2.6	66	88	27	60	6		-0.09	25	0.12	-0.29	-0.05

A cherry-red, moderate-framed bull with a lot of eye appeal and muscle. This bull has been a standout all summer and has a beautiful dam.

142Z DDGR WIZARD 142Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/27/12 BW: 92 Adj. WW: 696

VRT LAZY TV POWERHOUSE X554

DVE DAVIDSON POWERHOUSE 13U
EGL N020 ET

DDGR KRYSTAL 193T

GSRB 89P
DDGR TWIZZLER 49K

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	2.0	60	84	32	61	5		-0.10	22	0.24	-0.08	-0.03

The Powerhouse sire put a high percentage of his calves in the bull pen. Nice balance and thickness in this son and a milk EPD in the top 25%. Homo Black.

143Z DDGR JUMPSTART 143Z

Red Balancer 50% Polled Bull
BD: 3/28/12 BW: 87 Adj. WW: 672

RAB BIEBER BOONE 10696

RAB BIEBER BOONE 8000
RAB BIEBER EULCA 8969

DDGR NIKKI 102W

LWM 105T
DDGR SARA 188T

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
12	-0.8	56	80	27	55	6		-0.07	16	0.19	-0.04	-0.02

This cherry-red bull could be used to moderate birthweight on cows or be used on well-developed heifers. His dam is by the 105T sire and has excellent calving ease. BW EPD in the top 25%.



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145Z DDGR CRUSADER 145Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/28/12 BW: 101 Adj. WW: 715

JKGF W95

JKGF TRENDSETTER 55R ET
JKGF 95N

DDGR SIERRA 145T

MSH MY SEASON ET
DDGR MOONBEAM 161L

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
4	4.4	70	95	30	65	8		-0.16	32	0.36	-0.17	-0.06

A higher performance son of the J&K sire, this bull has come on nicely since weaning. This bull has excellent depth of body and is Homo Black.



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162Z DDGR DUKE 162Z

Black Balancer 50% Polled Bull
BD: 3/31/12 BW: 107 Adj. WW: 713

LT BANDWAGON 9178

L T BANDWAGON 3105
L T ELITE LADY 2086

DDGR NAOMI 175R

WVR WEAVER NORDIC 195N
DDGR ANGEL 98K

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
5	5.5	64	96	31	63	7		-0.04	35	0.18	0.06	-0.04

The Bandwagon son we purchased from Lindskovl-Thiel was very long bodied and passed that on to his sons. Milk and TM EPDs in the top 5%. Dam is a Dam of Merit. Homo Black.

154Z DDGR HOTSTUFF 154Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/29/12 BW: 82 Adj. WW: 660

DVE DAVIDSON MR DAKOTA 151X

DCHD GOLDEN BUCKLE GELV 003U
DVE DAVIDSON MS MARK 99U

DDGR BUTTERSCOTCH 113R

BNC L185
DDGR PRAIRIE ROSE 65K

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	1.0	50	71	37	62	7		-0.22	13	0.27	-0.17	-0.06

A very moderate-birthweight son of the Mr Dakota bull that has excellent length and thickness, with a wide top that carries down into his quarter. Milk EPD in the top 5%. His granddam was a Dam of Distinction.

156Z DDGR RED OAK 156Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/30/12 BW: 89 Adj. WW: 751

DVE DAVIDSON MR DAKOTA 151X

DCHD GOLDEN BUCKLE GELV 003U
DVE DAVIDSON MS MARK 99U

DDGR FARRAH 84W

JCGR BAR GT LOUIE 2J
DDGR 102N

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
6	3.2	63	87	34	66	5		-0.19	25	0.30	-0.20	-0.07

This young dam had one of our top bred heifers last year and came back with an outstanding bull here. Excellent weaning weight, excellent thickness and excellent eye appeal make this a calf to check out on sale day. Milk EPD in the top 25%.

158Z DDGR BLACK VELVET 158Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/30/12 BW: 98 Adj. WW: 695

VRT LAZY TV POWERHOUSE X554

DVE DAVIDSON POWERHOUSE 13U
EGL N020 ET

DDGR UPBEAT 200U

MSH MY SEASON ET
DDGR GWEN 109K

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
2	4.9	64	88	31	63	4		-0.08	29	0.30	-0.11	-0.03

We sold a son from this dam to the Rogstad ranch at Menoken last year and she came back with this excellent Powerhouse son this year. Granddam is a Dam of Merit. Homo Black.

166Z DDGR ROY ROGERS 166Z

Black Balancer 50% Scurred Bull
BD: 4/1/12 BW: 89 Adj. WW: 660

LT BANDWAGON 9178

L T BANDWAGON 3105
L T ELITE LADY 2086

DDGR 259W

MSH MY SEASON ET
DDGR DAWN 128R

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	3.6	54	81	30	57	8		-0.08	23	0.21	0.08	-0.03

The 259W dam sold a super deep and thick Matrix son to Levi Rue of Sheyenne, N.D., last year on her first calf, and has a nursing ratio of 105 on her first two calves. Homo Black.



YEARLING BULLS



168Z

168Z DDGR BACKTRACK 168Z

Black Balancer 75% Polled Bull
BD: 4/2/12 BW: 98 Adj. WW: 789

RLFG RANGE LINE COCOA

TLR COCOA 35C
RLFG MISS SUGAR BUCK

DDGR TANYA 22T

L T 598 BANDO 9074
DDGR DUSTY ROSE 37R

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
4	4.1	88	137	26	70	8		0.12	57	0.14	0.23	-0.01

The 22T dam has been a super producer, with her first four calves having all been in the bull pen with an average yearling weight of 1370 lbs.. Last year's son went to Scott Bradac of Marmarth, N.D. Growth EPDs in the top 5%.



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169Z DDGR WINSTON 169Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 4/2/12 BW: 90 Adj. WW: 658

VRT LAZY TV POWERHOUSE X554

DVE DAVIDSON POWERHOUSE 13U
EGL N020 ET

DDGR DAWN 128R

RTC ATLAS 712G
DDGR JENNA 4F

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
5	3.3	66	93	29	62	6		-0.15	29	0.40	-0.20	-0.04

This Atlas dam has two daughters in the herd and both are top producers. The maternal influence should carry through on this bull also.



170Z

170Z DDGR WINDSOR 170Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 4/3/12 BW: 98 Adj. WW: 769

JKGF W95

JKGF TRENDSETTER 55R ET
JKGF 95N

DDGR PEPPERMINT PATTY 32U

HYEK BLACK IMPACT 3960N
DDGR TIARA 117S

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
5	3.7	78	110	25	64	4		-0.10	40	0.38	-0.13	-0.05

A very eye-appealing son of the J&K sire. This bull has a nursing ratio of 112 and his Black Impact dam is one of our favorite young cows. Growth EPDs in the top 25%. Homo Black. Homo Polled.



172Z

172Z DDGR YUKON 172Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 4/3/12 BW: 90 Adj. WW: 717

JKGF W95

JKGF TRENDSETTER 55R ET
JKGF 95N

DDGR SAHARA 141U

SEGA PUNCHLINE 203P
DDGR WYNONA 58M

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
5	3.7	71	100	29	65	5		-0.11	34	0.27	-0.20	-0.05

If you are looking to add depth and muscle mass to your calves, check this bull out. He has come on strong since weaning and is a pen favorite. Strong growth EPDs on this bull. Granddam was a Dam of Merit. Homo Black. Homo Polled.



YEARLING BULLS



174Z DDGR ROSCOE 174Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 4/4/12 BW: 92 Adj. WW: 709

DVE DAVIDSON MR DAKOTA 151X

DCHD GOLDEN BUCKLE GELV 003U
DVE DAVIDSON MS MARK 99U

DDGR 94S

COL COL MR 418 CK XTRA
WVR 115L

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	2.7	59	81	32	62	4		-0.16	21	0.27	-0.08	-0.05

Another thick-made son of the Mr Dakota sire with above-average performance to weaning. Check out the Milk EPDs on the Mr. Dakota sons –top 25% on this bull.



188Z

184Z CMR CMR SCOUT 184Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 4/6/12 BW: 94 Adj. WW: 729

JKGF W95

JKGF TRENDSETTER 55R ET
JKGF 95N

CMR SUZIE 270W

RED FORTUNATE 681
CMR LACEY 2L

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
5	3.8	77	110	28	67	5		-0.15	40	0.41	-0.16	-0.06

This is our second crop of calves out of the W95 bull from J&K Gelbvieh. Like his other sons, this bull is nicely balanced and has good thickness throughout. His weaning and yearling EPDs are in the top 25%. Homo Black.

188Z DDGR KING 188Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 4/7/12 BW: 98 Adj. WW: 758

DVE DAVIDSON MR DAKOTA 151X

DCHD GOLDEN BUCKLE GELV 003U
DVE DAVIDSON MS MARK 99U

DDGR CARMEL 181S

DDGR ENFORCER 79P
DDGR LADY PRIMROSE 218J

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
4	4.7	73	103	41	78	4		-0.11	37	0.19	-0.21	-0.07

The 181S cow has a nursing ratio of 111 on her first four calves and had the high-selling red bull two years ago selling to Moe Gelbvieh of Walcott, N.D. This bull is moderate framed and extra deep bodied. Milk EPD in the top 5%. Granddam was a Dam of Distinction.



Trailing cows

195Z DDGR BLACK MAX 195Z

Black Balancer 75% Polled Bull
BD: 4/9/12 BW: 93 Adj. WW: 698

VRT LAZY TV POWERHOUSE X554

DVE DAVIDSON POWERHOUSE 13U
EGL N020 ET

VVGR MISS 881P

BUCK 'S CAROLINA ROCK'N 251L
EGL L881

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
9	0.9	62	92	27	59	6		-0.13	25	0.39	0.05	-0.03

A long-bodied, thick, 75% Balancer by one of Sarah's favorite cows. This bull is heavy muscled with great depth. The Powerhouse mating worked well with this Dam of Merit cow. Homo Black.

200Z DDGR MR CLEAN 200Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 4/11/12 BW: 76 Adj. WW: 696

DDGR RAINMAKER 90W

OZZ EXT GOVENOR 3N
DDGR FOXY ROXY 40T

DDGR ANNIE 117T

BTI 2134P
DDGR RUBY 39P

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
9	1.3	68	105	29	63	9		-0.10	34	0.27	-0.04	-0.05

A twin calf by the Rainmaker sire that has excellent depth, thickness and performance for a twin. One of the fastest gainers in the pen.

205Z DDGR FAST AND FURIOUS 205Z

Black Gelbvieh Bull
BD: 4/12/12 BW: 76 Adj. WW: 675

JKGF W95

JKGF TRENDSETTER 55R ET
JKGF 95N

DDGR DUSTY ROSE 37R

BTI EXTRA 2106K ET
DDGR GINGER 10N

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
5	5.0	79	109	22	61	6		-0.02	41	0.23	-0.16	-0.03

Another twin calf, this bull's dam is also the dam of the 22T cow that has been such a strong producer for us. Growth EPDs in the top 5%. Homo Black.



YEARLING BULLS



207Z DDGR 207Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 4/12/12 BW: 92 Adj. WW: 702

VRT LAZY TV POWERHOUSE X554

DVE DAVIDSON POWERHOUSE 13U
EGL N020 ET

DDGR 253U

LLJ CORPORAL R505
RRTO MISS DOUBLE FREIGHT

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
3	4.5	80	113	25	65	7		-0.09	42	0.39	-0.15	-0.04

The 253U dam had a high-indexing bull calf as a heifer, a heifer that we retained as her second calf, and brought in this very nice, long-sided Powerhouse son this year.

225Z DDGR LIGHTHOUSE 225Z

Black Gelbvieh Scurred Bull
BD: 4/23/12 BW: 105 Adj. WW: 753

VRT LAZY TV POWERHOUSE X554

DVE DAVIDSON POWERHOUSE 13U
EGL N020 ET

DDGR CHOCOLATE CHIP 182R

ELK CK BLACK ANSWER 702L
DDGR SAHARA 4J

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
2	5.1	72	96	33	69	7		-0.10	33	0.27	-0.17	-0.05

This young calf has a lot of potential. His dam's last calf sold to Allen Entzie of Lehr, N.D., and had a yearling weight of 1479 lbs. His dam's nursing ratio is 109.

229Z DDGR BEACON 229Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 4/28/12 BW: 105 Adj. WW: 720

SINK FULL THROTTLE 27T

KIT TABASCO J26 ET
SINK TRINA 027R

DDGR MARIGOLD 55T

WVR WEAVER NORDIC 195N
DDGR DAWN 128R

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
2	4.9	69	88	32	66	3		-0.16	28	0.31	-0.31	-0.06

Look for strong calves by this dark red son of the Full Throttle sire. He is the youngest calf in the sale, and for his age he is thick made and deep bodied. His strong Milk EPD indicates excellent maternal in his calves.

304Z DDGR SLEEP NIGHTS 304Z

Red Gelbvieh Scurred Bull
BD: 3/3/12 BW: 69 Adj. WW: 703

DCHD GLDN BKL 030W WINCHESTER

DCH HILLE R126 ROY
DCHD GOLDEN BUCKLE GELV 030L

DDGR AUTUMN 82X

LWM 105T
DDGR COURTNEY 170U

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
14	-2.8	58	79	26	55	6		-0.23	12	0.37	-0.23	-0.05

Heifer bull buyers, check this bull out. He has calving ease on both sides of his pedigree and has calving ease EPDs in the top 5%.



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306Z DDGR MR STOUT 306Z

Black Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/18/12 BW: 94 Adj. WW: 769

THUL X159

BNC CADILLAC JACK T717
THUL P403

DDGR HONEYSUCKLE 96U

ELK CK RIMFIRE 173S
DDGR KRYSTAL 110N

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	2.4	80	105	27	67	9		-0.11	34	0.25	-0.13	-0.06

This young Rimfire dam has a lifetime weaning weight ratio of 107, and weaned this calf off at 769 lbs. without creep. A strong-topped, long-bodied bull.

310Z DDGR WATCHMAN 310Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/20/12 BW: 79 Adj. WW: 702

DDGR HOME RUN 35W

RID R COLLATERAL 2R
DDGR COOKIE 62R

DDGR REBA 51U

JRI TOP SECRET 253M75 ET
DDGR MULAN 192M

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
13	-1.1	58	82	26	55	6		-0.20	17	0.17	-0.16	-0.07

A low birthweight Home Run son with excellent birth to weaning spread in an attractive package. Add extension to your calves with this attractive bull. BW EPD in the top 25% and CE EPD in the top 5%.



YEARLING BULLS



315Z DDGR FREE SPIRIT 315Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/21/12 BW: 108 Adj. WW: 703

DCHD GLDN BKL 030W WINCHESTER

DCH HILLE R126 ROY
DCHD GOLDEN BUCKLE GELV 030L

DDGR HEATHER 5P

ELK CK BRONCO 411G
DDGR BROWN SUGAR 47M

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	3.5	80	114	17	56	6		-0.12	42	0.38	-0.24	-0.05

This Winchester son has very strong growth EPDs that are in the top 25% of the breed.

321Z DDGR WARRIOR 321Z

Red Gelbvieh Scurs Bull
BD: 3/27/12 BW: 98 Adj. WW: 754

DDGR HOME RUN 35W

RID R COLLATERAL 2R
DDGR COOKIE 62R

DDGR GOLDEN GIRL 116P

GAR GAUGLER RANCH 678K
DDGR MISS SUMMIT 111D

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
9	2.1	63	90	32	63	5		-0.13	26	0.12	-0.08	-0.07

One of our favorite Homerun calves with excellent thickness. He had a nursing ratio of 110 and his dam has produced several other thick-made sons in past years.

324Z DDGR TITANIUM 324Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 2/28/12 BW: 94 Adj. WW: 619

DDGR HOME RUN 35W

RID R COLLATERAL 2R
DDGR COOKIE 62R

DDGR HOPSCOTCH 134N

LJSA GET SHOCKED
DDGR CINNAMON 19H

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
7	2.1	65	88	29	61	5		-0.13	25	0.17	-0.14	-0.06

Another nice son of the Homerun sire. This bull's dam is the granddam of the 127 bull. He has very balanced EPDs.

326Z DDGR RED POWER 326Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/29/12 BW: 106 Adj. WW: 742

DDGR HOME RUN 35W

RID R COLLATERAL 2R
DDGR COOKIE 62R

DDGR NAOMI 130T

BTI 2134P
DDGR ZSA ZSA 22M

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
5	4.4	76	111	22	60	6		-0.03	42	0.10	-0.13	-0.06

This bull had a nursing ratio of 108. Use these Homerun sons to add size and extension to your calf crop. His growth EPDs are in the top 25% and his granddam is a Dam of Distinction.

330Z DDGR CHALLENGER 330Z

Red Gelbvieh Polled Bull
BD: 3/31/12 BW: 90 Adj. WW: 695

DDGR HOME RUN 35W

RID R COLLATERAL 2R
DDGR COOKIE 62R

DDGR TEQUILA 196S

DDGR HOSS 75N
DDGR NUTMEG 70K

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
9	1.3	65	88	28	60	6		-0.16	23	0.18	-0.11	-0.07

This calf is longer bodied and good haired. His dam is a moderate-framed, thick-made cow. His granddam is a Dam of Merit.

341Z DDGR MUSTANG 341Z

Black Balancer 75% Polled Bull
BD: 4/8/12 BW: 76 Adj. WW: 739

THUL X159

BNC CADILLAC JACK T717
THUL P403

DDGR MOONBEAM 57U

G A R PREDESTINED
DDGR MOONBEAM 161L

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
12	-1.1	70	100	29	64	12		-0.13	27	0.37	0.29	-0.04

Excellent birth-to-weaning spread on this Balancer calf. His EPDs indicate he could possibly be used on heifers.



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121Z SHWN COOPER

Red Balancer 75% Polled Bull
BD: 2/11/12 BW: 102 Adj. WW: 716

JRI HEAVY EQUIPMENT 125M3

SLC FREEDOM 178F ET
JRI MS PLD GRAND PRIX 125G3

SHWN EMMA

BTK MLK CRK CUB 722
DDGR MELODY 308L

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
6	2.6	64	95	26	58	6		-0.04	30	0.05	-0.12	-0.05

This is a large-framed red Balancer by the Heavy Equipment sire. He should give his calves more frame and extension. His granddam was purchased by Justin Berger for a 4-H project as a bred heifer.



BRED HEIFERS



Our N.D. State Sale consignment –
Half sister to the Matrix daughters we are offering.

16Y

DDGR 16Y

Black Balancer 50% Polled Cow

BD: 2/24/11 BW: 75 Adj. WW: 638

S A V FINAL ANSWER 0035

SITZ TRAVELER 8180
S A V EMULOUS 8145

DDGR SUNNY 172W

LWM 105T
DDGR QUEENY 137J

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
14	-0.5	69	104	30	65	8		-0.05	31	0.34	0.25	-0.02

The Final Answer females have excellent calving ease and thickness. Calving ease EPD in the top 25% of the breed. Her granddam was a Dam of Distinction. Due with a heifer on March 9 by the KHR 08W calving-ease sire.

34Y

DDGR 34Y

Red Balancer 75% Polled Cow

BD: 3/1/11 BW: 77 Adj. WW: 642

JRI FULLY LOADED 282M81

JRI PLD FREE AGENT 125J3
JRI MS PLD PACIFIC 282D71

DDGR GWEN 176W

JKRA KUHN'S RED HEMMI
DDGR LILY 144P

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
10	1.3	68	105	24	58	5		-0.01	34	0.14	-0.07	-0.03

The only red heifer we are offering as we sent a group to Mexico last year. This Fully Loaded female is larger framed and her granddam is a Dam of Merit. Due March 29 with a heifer by our new red, calving-ease sire FIR River Ted 489Y.

74Y

DDGR 74Y

Black Balancer 50% Polled Cow

BD: 3/17/11 BW: 89 Adj. WW: 652

LT BANDWAGON 9178

L T BANDWAGON 3105
L T ELITE LADY 2086

DDGR SABRINA 182P

KKC EXTRA 86L
DDGR QUEENIE 169L

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
9	2.7	59	89	26	55	9		-0.09	27	0.23	0.08	-0.04

A moderate-framed heifer that had a strong weaning weight, typical of the Bandwagon calves. Due April 12 to the GRW 1004X sire.

6Y

DDGR 6Y

Black Balancer 50% Polled Cow

BD: 2/21/11 BW: 76 Adj. WW: 616

B C MATRIX 4132

O C C EMBLAZON 854E
CAF PURE PRIDE EXT 99

DDGR DAWN 152W

RED FORTUNATE 681
DDGR SAPPHIRE 167P

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
11	0.5	65	106	22	54	6		-0.11	34	0.40	0.13	-0.04

These Matrix daughters are really deep and feminine. Very nice EPDs in an eye-appealing female out of a first-calf heifer. Due March 9 with a heifer by PLA Big Dog.

25Y

DDGR 25Y

Red Balancer 50% Polled Cow

BD: 2/27/11 BW: 83 Adj. WW: 634

B C MATRIX 4132

O C C EMBLAZON 854E
CAF PURE PRIDE EXT 99

DDGR FARRAH 84W

JCGR BAR GT LOUIE 2J
DDGR 102N

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
10	1.9	70	108	22	57	6		-0.14	37	0.47	0.06	-0.04

A heifer that Chris Mitchell wanted for the Golden Rule sale. Her dam had the 156Z bull in this year's sale and her dam is a Dam of Merit. Due March 9 with a heifer by the PLA Big Dog sire.

38Y

DDGR 38Y

Black Balancer 50% Polled Cow

BD: 3/3/11 BW: 77 Adj. WW: 588

B C MATRIX 4132

O C C EMBLAZON 854E
CAF PURE PRIDE EXT 99

DDGR SPICE 7W

GJH PATRIOT'S MINUTE MAN
DDGR KRISTINA 67T

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
13	0.1	65	101	18	51	6		-0.11	30	0.28	0.01	-0.04

Another deep-sided Matrix heifer that has a calving ease EPD in the top 25% of the breed. Due April 15 to our heifer bull from Jumping Cow Gelbvieh GRW 1004X.

112Y

DDGR 112Y

Black Balancer 50% Polled Cow

BD: 3/25/11 BW: 92 Adj. WW: 670

LT BANDWAGON 9178

L T BANDWAGON 3105
L T ELITE LADY 2086

DDGR SABRINA 151S

KCF BENNETT PREMIER Z104
DDGR SAHARA 186L

CE	BW	WW	YW	M	TM	CED	St	YG	CW	REA	MB	FT
9	4.3	64	97	27	59	8		-0.02	33	0.16	0.13	-0.03

The 151S dam did a super job with the 122Z bull this year and has been a top producer. This female should be a great mama cow. Due March 27 to the GRW 1004X sire.



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