

Beefmaster Breeders United

Codes Reference Page



Female Inventories for Weaning Disposals Whole Herd Reporting Disposal Codes

- T Sold with Papers
- 1 Sold as Breeding Animal w/o Papers
- 2 Sold as a Feeder Calf
- 3 Died, Illness
- 4 Died, Injury
- 5 Died, Calving Difficulty
- 6 Died, Old Age
- 7 Died, Other
- 8 Culled, Inferior Production
- 9 Culled, Infertile
- 10 Culled, Illness
- 11 Culled, Injury
- 12 Culled, Poor Temperament
- 13 Culled or Died, Genetic Defect
- 14 Culled, Bad Feet
- 15 Culled, Poor Udder
- 16 Culled, Prolapsed
- 17 Culled, Eye Problems
- 18 Culled, Structurally Unsound
- 19 Culled, Old Age
- 20 Culled, Other
- M Multi Owned, No Calf
- NE Non-exposed, 1/2 Fee First Year

Disposal records for dams removed from a breeder's purebred herd but retained in his commercial operation can be handled by using either code #1 or code #20, as the breeder chooses.

For Use with Performance Worksheets

Udder Suspension

- 9 Very Tight
- 7 Tight
- 5 Intermediate/Moderate
- 3 Pendulous
- 1 Very Pendulous, Broken Floor

Teat Size

- 9 Very Small
- 7 Small
- 5 Intermediate/Moderate
- 3 Large
- 1 Very Large, Balloon-shaped

Yearling MGMT Code

- F Pasture Raised, No Feed
- G Partial Feed, On Pasture
- H Full Feed, On Pasture
- I Full Feed, In Lot
- J Other (Attach Description)

Calving Ease

- 1 No Difficulty/No Assistance
- 2 Minor Difficulty/Some Assistance
- 3 Major Difficulty/Calf Puller Used
- 4 C-Section
- 5 Abnormal Presentation
- 6 Calf Born Dead/Died Shortly after Birth
- 7 Aborted
- 8 Open
- 9 Dam Died, Calving Difficulty
- 10 ET Donor Dam, No Calf Reported
- 11 Recipient Dam, ET Calf not Reported

Age Windows

- WW 140-270 Days
- YW 320-430 Days
- Scanning 320-500 Days

Date Weighed

Date weaning weight taken or disposal code recorded if no weaning weight taken.

For Use in Registration Process

Color Code

- 1 Red A White Face
- 2 Dun B Star Face
- 3 Brindle C Mottle Face
- 4 Paint D White Underline
- 5 Brown E Mottle Underline
- 6 Black F Ring Eyed
- 7 Gray G Blaze Face
- 8 White - = Light
- 9 Roan + = Dark

*Example for using color code:
1AE = Red/White Face/Mottle Underline or +2F = Dark Dun/Ring Eyed*

Type of Calf

- 0 Natural Service
- 1 In Herd AI (Applicant owned sire at time of calf's conception)
- 2 Embryo Calf (Add \$5 if out of herd AI unless dam enrolled in WHR)
- 3 Out of herd AI (Add \$5 - Applicant did not own sire at time of calf's conception unless dam enrolled in WHR)
- 5 Clone

Name of Calf: Max of 25 Characters with Spaces

Breed of Recipient

- AN Angus
- BM Beefmaster
- BO Braford
- BR Brahman
- BN Brangus
- CH Charolais
- GV Gelbvieh
- HH Hereford
- HO Holstein
- JE Jersey
- LM Limousin
- SG Santa Gertrudis
- SS Shorthorn
- SM Simmental

Horn Status

- P Polled
- S Scurs
- H Horns

Birth Weight

Calf's actual birth weight measured within 24 hours of birth.

Birth Group

Dam's birth management group (1=group 1 or A=group 1, etc.; max. 1 character, can be letter or number). Assign a different group number or letter to each group of dams managed differently.

Weaning MGMT Code

- A Own Dam, No Creep
- B Own Dam, With Creep 6 Weeks or Longer
- C All Embryo Calves
- D Calves other than Embryo Calves Raised on Foster Dams (Receive No Ratio)
- E Other (Please Attach Description)

Weaning Group

Calf's weaning group (1=group 1 or A=group 1, etc.; max. 1 character, can be letter or number). Assign different group number or letter to each group of calves managed differently.

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