

Black Angus Bull Sal

March Monday 1:00 p.m.

at the farm - Radville, SK



Welcome to the 19th Annual

Finally! The grassroots of the beef industry is seeing some serious profit margin. All indicators suggest the low North American cow inventory will keep prices at record levels for the foreseeable future. We are greatful for all the optimism in the industry.

2012 marks our 19th Annual Bull Sale and 28 years in the Angus business. Thank you to all our customers for your continued support. Our focus continues to be serving your needs with sound and predictable herdbulls.

With those goals in mind, the bull offering is as strong and deep as ever. They have been developed in a 20 acre paddock with plenty of exercise. As always, you can expect to find sound footed, eye appealing bulls with lots of hair and good dispositions.

In the anticipation of re-building of the North American cow herd, we are offering a larger group of low birth weight bulls that should be suitable for use on heifers. They offer some fresh new genetics for our commercial customer.

Whether you need a power bull seeking pure payweight, a maternal bull to raise females, or a no hassle calving ease bull for your heifer pen, you can be assured that we have not sacrificed function for form. The bulls, sires, and

dams are all selected to be maternally sound with a history of quality udders, good feet, fertility, and lots of capacity. We invite your inspection of the cow herd at any time.

Let's celebrate the good times this business has to offer, join us sale day for some hospitality. If you need any assistance we are only a phone call or email away and we would gladly help you, or feel free to contact any of our capable sales staff.

We are here for you, that is our commitment. Your visit is welcome.

Trent, Janelle, Macy, Garrett & Carson

Emile & Sandra Carles



Macy & Emmy









MERIT CATTLE CO.





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BLACK ANGUS BULL SALE

1:00 p.m. • Monday Please join us for lunch Sale Day

March 26, 2012

at the Farm - Radville, SK (see map pg 2)

- Sale Day	v Phones -
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Trent's Cell	(306) 869-7207
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Doug's Cell	(306) 631-1209
or call any of the Sale Staff cell phones	

On Offer ...

50 Black Angus Yearling Bulls

- Sale Staff -

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Sale Accomodations:

Downloadable catalogue, in color, online at: www.meritcattleco.com

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Important Information

Semen Test & Scrotal Measurements

All bulls in the sale have passed a semen test and breeding soundness evaluation by a licensed veterinarian and have been issued a Semen Evaluation Certificate. Scrotal Measurement information will be available sale day.

Delivery:

Free delivery will be provided up to 200 miles on purchases totalling \$2500.00 or more. Purchases less than \$2500.00 will be delivered at cost. We will deduct \$50.00 from the purchase price if you trailer them directly from the sale.

Board and Pick Up Program:

We will keep your bulls and look after them for you up to a maximum of 30 days at no cost to you. You will be responsible for picking up the bull(s) any time prior to, but no later than May 1, 2012. *Insurance protection is mandatory* for this option. After May 1, a feed charge of \$2.00/day will apply.

Right to Semen:

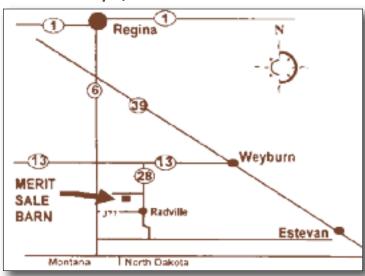
MERIT Cattle Co. retains the right to draw semen on any bull sold in this sale for our in-herd use only

Gate Guarantee:

If you are not able to attend our sale but are interested in our bulls, we can facilitate your order. Call to discuss your cow herd, your program and your specifications. We will select a bull that meets your requirements/specifi cations. The bull delivered to your gate is "satisfaction guaranteed" or we take him home - no hassle. You may also rely upon the sale representatives to bid and act on your behalf in a confidential manner.

<u>Lot #'s Correspond</u> with Bulls' <u>Eartag ID Numbers</u>

Map & Directions to Sale Site



Directions to Sale Site:

From Radville: 3 kms N, 3 kms W, 1 km S

From Jct. of Hwy 13 & 28: 16 kms S on Hwy 28, 3 kms W, 1 km S

From U.S. Border: Regway Port of Entry: Hwy 6 N to Hwy 377, then East on Hwy 377 to Radville. Follow directions on map from Radville.

Portal Port of Entry: To Weyburn, then West on Hwy 13 to Hwy 28. Follow directions above from Hwy 13 & 28

NEW for 2012!!



NEW - Calving Ease Scores!

Calving ease is often related to birth weight of a bull. This is partly true but there are other factors that influence calving ease:

- The dam and her management are at least 50% of calving ease.
- Also, the consistency of the birth weights of the sire and the dam should be considered.
- Nutrition, gestation and environment all influence birth weight.

We have rated each bull in the sale based on all the information we have.

- ★★★ Should produce minimal problems when bred to moderate size first calf heifers
 - ★★ Recommend for second calvers or smaller framed cows 1100 lbs to 1300 lbs.
 - ★ Recommend for mature cows 1400 lbs, plus

NEW Insurance Program!

Because we want our customers to have the best deal possible, this year we felt that **Stockmans Insurance** offered better rates than we could and we were assured that customer service would be a priority.

Our local agent, **Byron Vermeulen**, will be representing Stockmans' Insurance sale day and he will help you find what fits your needs.



- PLEASE NOTE -

Once, again the sale will be a "Power Point" sale.

Bulls will be in pens at Merit Sale site for your appraisal.

This concept is stress free for the bulls and the sale moves quicker saving you time as well.







GDAR INSIGHT 7201

Reference Sire

Male IMP 7201T February 19 2007 Owned by Merit, Rambur and GDAR #1467581

SIRE: SITZ INSIGHT 4794 CAF (1385315) MGS: GDAR SVF ROYCE 176G

Insight is siring sons with true Angus character, muscle, eye appeal, additional scrotal and good temperaments in a moderate package. His sons, well received by our commercial and purebred customers alike, were the "buzz" at our 2011 bull sale, averaging \$4155 on 17 sons. The first group of Insight daughters are now in production, they all did a good job on their calves. Insight daughters have excellent udder type as well. Insight's dam,

2012	EPD's
BW	+4.5
ww	+70
YW	+111
Milk	+29
TM	+64

granddam, and great-granddam are all Pathfinder designated females in the American registry. We are not all about numbers, but it's hard to overlook Insight's EPD's. **He is in the top 1% for weaning, yearling, milk and scrotal!** He is an easy calving bull that we have used with success on our heifers.





BEVERLY HILLS VISA 734 Reference Sire

Male TCSC 734T February 09 2007 BW: 98 lbs Adj 205D: 746 lbs Adj 365D: 1315 lbs Owned by Merit and Beverly Hills Angus

SIRE: GEIS MAXIMUM 80'01 (1051070) MGS: GDAR QUANTUM 963

We purchased this proven herdsire from Shane and family in the fall of 2009. Visa and his sons are hard muscled and smooth made with superior hoof structure. His sons are very uniform in their kind which is a true testament to a great breeding bull. Visa progeny are very well balanced, eye appealing and functional. Visa has a super disposition and he has passed this invaluable quality on to his progeny.

Maternally Visa is from a proven and predictable cow family, the Rosebuds. His third dam, 43Z, is also the third dam of Main Event 6H





MERIT 8808

Reference Sire #1471487

> 2012 EPD's BW +3.1

ww +47

YW +87

Milk +29

TM +53

Male CRSN 8808U March 10 2008 BW: 88 lbs. Adj 205D: 744 lbs. WI: 116 Owned by Glendor Angus

SIRE: ROYAL FORTE DRCC 5138R (1294568) MGS: DWAJO DUTCH 65P

8808 was a feature and one of the high sellers at our 2009 bull sale. Just a March born bull, he had a scrotal measurement of 39 cm. and was one of the heaviest, best haired bulls in the offering. Glen says he moves like a cat and can really cover ground.

His dam may very well be our best Dutch daughter. He's been used on heifers in both herds with great success. 8808 is above breed average for growth traits, milk and scrotal.

His first daughters are now in production at Glendor. They are very pleased with volume, femininity, and udder type of 8808's daughters.



Royal Forte DRCC 5136R - Sire of Merit 8808



Merit Countess 6087 - Dam of Merit 8808





BAD LANDS IMAGE MAKER 65W Reference Sire Male CDS 65W April 04 2009 #1502379

Act. BW: 78 lbs, WR 106, YR 106 Life Ratio: 110

SIRE: H A IMAGE MAKER 0415 AMF CAF NHF (1195032) MGS: BAD LANDS DAQUANTAE 26L

• Dam Elite • Sire Elite • Avg BW - Bulls: 76 lbs.; Heifers: 68 lbs. Since meeting Chad Sewall at the Grasslands sale a few years back, it became apparent we shared a common critical eye for cattle. I knew their breeding philosophy would mesh with our cows. "Hoo Doo" was subsequently selected from Bad Lands Angus as a herdsire to use on heifers.

His progeny are born easily with loads of vigor. They are stout, soft made and moderate in frame. He should leave some hellish females with HA Image Maker and Daquante 26L (daughters are awesome at Sewalls) in his tabulation.





MERIT LUKE 3120

Male TJL 3120N February 13 2003 BW: 82 lbs. Adj 205D: 618 lbs. Adj 365D: 1128 lbs. Owned by Merit, Minburn and Ringstead

SIRE: LUKENS 9440 SCOTCH CAP L463 (892601) MGS: GLENNIE SOCO RE 7E

A Calving Ease Specialist without sacrificing muscle and performance, Luke is in the top 5% for low birth weights and milk. His progeny exhibit "true" Angus character with his daughters being hardy and having excellent hoof structure, well balanced, tiddy udders.

Luke, very moderate in stature, has traditionally been our reliable "go to" bull for heifers and at 8 years of age he's very athletic and super sound. He has been used to cover females for Merit's early calving and Ringstead's later calving program.

2012 EPD's

BW |+1.3

WW +53

YW +90

Milk +27

TM +54





MERIT SUMMIT 3139

#1182070

Male TJL 3139N February 17 2003 BW: 93 lbs. Adj 205D: 669 lbs. Adj 365D: 1279 lbs. Owned by the Doud Ranch

SIRE: APEX STOCKMAN 061 (749012) MGS: EBON HILL EQUALIZER 117'97 2012 EPD's
BW +2.2
WW +37
YW +71
Milk +16
TM +35

Summit was one of the featured Apex Stockman sons in our '04 sale. He combines the highly predictable maternal strength of Equalizer and the Socialite cow family. Summit adds great hair, length and eye appeal to his progeny.

We use Summit for his calving ease and cow making ability. His sons are admired by our commercial customers.



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MERIT 6323 aka "Viking"

#1363010

BW +3.3

YW +83

Milk +23

2012 EPD's

Male TJL 6323S April 15 2006 BW: n/a Adj 205D: 693 lbs. Adj 365D: 1252 lbs.

SIRE: LOOKOUT VIKING 392N (1167654) MGS: LUKENS 9440 SCOTCH CAP L463

"Viking", as we call him, has been used at Merit for his overall balance of phenotype, EPD's, and most importantly his maternal heritage. Our Viking 392N daughters are very "milky"with good udders. The positive influence of L463, Equalizer, and Socialite 19B can be seen throughout this catalogue and our herd. 6323 gives us another opportunity to line breed those agonatics and look in those valuable traits. Viking 6323 has

these genetics and lock in those valuable traits. Viking 6323 has left us some very nice females, including the dams of lot 1159 and Lot 1200 bulls.

The lot # 1117 son is exceptional!!

TM +46







COLE CREEK BLACK CEDAR 46P Reference Sire Male IMP 46N February 16 2003 #1605479

SIRE: C H QUANTUM 6247 (12687606) MGS: A A R WINDY RIDGE 523

Black Cedar was chosen as an outcross calving ease alternative. His progeny are definitely calving ease, moderate, and easy fleshing.

Black Cedar is a well balanced breeding bull with a proven outcross pedigree and the milking daughters are the talk of Montana. The Cole Creek program is well respected – the cattle are forced to work in some extremely harsh conditions.

US '12	EPD's
BW	+2.4
ww	+47
YW	+92
Milk	+14
TM	+36





CROWFOOT EQUATION 5793R Reference Sire

Male CFCC 5793R January 26 2005 BW: 104 lbs. Adj 205D: 663 lbs. Adj 365D: 1190 lbs.

SIRE: O C C LEGACY 839L (1193688) MGS: TOMWALL PIED PIPER 413

I found Equation while wondering the pens at Crowfoot in the fall of 2005. He was the stoutest, most powerful calf in the crop.

When I finally saw his pedigree I was excited to see OCC Legacy, Pied Piper and AAR Optima in his tabulation. We secured a non-possession 1/3 interest with an agreement that no semen would be sold.

Equation has consistently sired extra capacity in his daughters and high performing sons with large scrotals.





MERIT 7260

Reference Sire #1423879

Male **ECEE 7260T** February 26 2007 BW: 102 lbs. Adj 205D: 599 lbs. Adj 365D: 1186 lbs.

SIRE: CROWFOOT EQUATION 5793R (1254914)

MGS: FREYS EXTRA PROFIT

7260 has the character and muscle of Equation himself. His dam was a smaller cow with tremendous barrel and loads of milk. She produced in the herd until 13 years of age and was a primary producer of bull calves.

7260 sons have length and loads of hair.

2012	EPD's
BW	+6.0
ww	+35
YW	+64
Milk	+18
TM	+36



S A F CONNECTION

Reference Sire

Male (ET) IMP 0097K January 24 2000 #1083690 AMF CAF NHF

TRAVELER 124 G D A R SVF GDAR 216 LTD (1415028) G D A R FOREVER LADY 718

BON VIEW BANDO 598 AMF CAC S A F ROYAL QUEEN 5084 CAF (12326215)
S A F ROYAL QUEEN 9022

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QASTRAVELER 23-4 AMF CAF NHF RACHEL RITO 813 G D A R BALDRIDGE OSCAR LTFOREVER LADY 395 GDAR

TEHAMA BANDO 155 AMF CAF NHF SAF ROYAL QUEEN 7001

2012	EPD's
BW	+0.2
ww	+46
YW	+83
Milk	+23
TM	+46



How to use one of the most powerful tools available...

EPDS (Expected Progeny Difference)

EPD's are specific to each breed and cannot be compared across different breeds. Not only do they incorporate the performance of individual animals, but also the performance of all of its relatives. If you want to stress a specific trait, select the breed that offers that trait, and then select individuals within the breed. EPDs indicate a probable variance above or below the breed average for that trait for a given bull's progeny. EPDs are the best tool available to use as a guide to the direction you want your herd to go.

BW EPD: The actual birth weights in pounds adjusted for age of the dam are utilized in the analysis of this trait. The procedure provides a prediction of differences between sires for progeny birth weights free of the effects of contemporary group (or herd) and age of dam. Birth weight is of economic importance because to some degree it refl ects calving ease. A minus value relects probable birth weights below the breed average. A plus value refl ects a probable birth weight above breed average.

WW EPD: (Adjusted 205 Day Weaning Weight): Weaning weight EPDs should be used to compare the weaning weight growth of progeny of two bulls of the same breed and relative to the

breed average weaning weight in pounds. Higher weaning EPDs predict higher weaning weights.

YW EPD: (Adjusted 365 Day Weights): This trait is of economic importance since it is more indicative of growth potential through market weights taken early in the animal's life. It is also associated with efficiency of gain and pounds of trimmed retail boneless beef.

Black Angus Breed Average EPD's for Calves Born in 2011: BW +2.8 WW +42 YW +74 MILK +17





MERIT 1003





February 04 2011

#1642989

BAD LANDS ANNE 4015P **ROYAL FORTE DRCC 5138R** MERIT ANNIE K 9516 (1507722) MERIT ANNIE K 7038 BAD LANDS ANNE 69K

PAPA FORTE 1921 ROYAL PERSEPHONE DRC 3110N MERIT LUKE 3120 MERIT ANNIE K 5142

1003 boasts a 70 lb. birth weight and one of the heaviest weaning weights at 818lbs. Quite an accomplishment for a first calf heifer.

Nice combination of performance and calving ease.

BW: 70 lbs Nov. 10/11: 818 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +2.2 ww +52 YW +90 Milk +27 TM +52



MERIT 1025

Male TJL 1025Y

February 11 2011

*** #1643009

BW: 70 lbs

APEX STOCKMAN 061 MERIT SUMMIT 3139 (1182070) MERIT SOCIALITE 019K

MERIT LUKE 3120 MERIT PRIDE 9580 (1507731) MERIT PRIDE 6203 TC STOCKMAN APEXETTE O PRIDE 6058 EBON HILL EQUALIZER 117'97 HOLLBROOK SOCIALITE 19B

LUKENS 9440 SCOTCH CAP L463 GLENNIE LADY ANN 23J **DWAJO DUTCH 65P** MERIT PRIDE 3052

Here's a calving ease Summit son out a beautiful Luke 2 year old. A maternal sister to 1025's mother is a 2012 4-H heifer project.

Really nice set of numbers on this guy!

Nov. 10/11: 654 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +2.6

> ww +37

YW +70 Milk +20 +38 TM



MERIT 1028 Male ECEE 1028Y

February 12 2011

#1653340

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APEX STOCKMAN 061 MERIT SUMMIT 3139 (1182070) MERIT SOCIALITE 019K

CROWFOOT EQUATION 5793R MERIT SOCIALITE 9609 (1507739) MERIT SOCIALITE 1118

TC STOCKMAN APEXETTE O PRIDE 6058 EBON HILL EQUALIZER 117'97 HOLLBROOK SOCIALITE 19B

O C C LEGACY 839L CROWFOOT FORKS 755K PAT TEX 118F MERIT SOCIALITE 8054

1028 displays that "Summit" length and eye appeal. He is line bred to the Socialite family so you know he will be highly maternal.

BW: 93 lbs Nov. 10/11: 690 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +5.6 WW +43 ΥW +71 +16 Milk +38



Garrett's Entry in the Canadian Junior Angus Showdown 2011 **Graphics Competition**

Junior Champion in that Category!!!

Way to go, Garrett!





MERIT STUBBY

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Male CRSN 1030Y February 12 2011

#1643015 BW: 92 lbw

SITZ INSIGHT 4794 CAF GDAR INSIGHT 7201 (1467581) GDAR QUEEN CARY 3233

MERIT COUNTESS 1017 (1080681)
MERIT COUNTESS 9041

MERIT COUNTESS 9041 EBON HILL EQUALIZER 117'97

WOODHILL FORESIGHT AMF CAF NHF SITZ EVERELDA ENTENSE 1751 GDAR SVF ROYCE 176G GDAR QUEEN CARY 069

BELVIN BLACK MAGIC 42'92 MERIT COUNTESS 4089

His name says it all with his short ears and tail, however, he has way too much to offer to cull him for frozen ears and a tail that was stepped on. Major performance, length of body and a super disposition. Stubby was the heaviest bull at weaning produced by Carson's foundation cow who is also the grand-dam of Lot 1117 and Merit 8808.

Nov. 10/11: 947 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.8 ww +52 ΥW +84

> Milk +20

+46 TM



MERIT 1031

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Male TJL 1031Y

February 12 2011

H A IMAGE MAKER 0415 AMF CAF NHF HERO 6267 OF R R 2418

BAD LANDS IMAGE MAKER 65W (1502379) HAR RITO BLACKCAP 9038

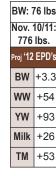
BAD LANDS ANNE 4015P **BAD LANDS ANNE 69K**

ROYAL FORTE DRCC 5138R MERIT ROSILLA 9758 (1507751) MERIT ROSILLA 3216

BAD LANDS ANNE 4015P

PAPA FORTE 1921 ROYAL PERSEPHONE DRC 3110N MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K ROSILLA OF PEAK DOT 770G

1031 is a low birth weight "Hoo Doo" son with lots of rib shape and hip. Solid performance numbers and raised by a heifer. His great-granddam is an "Elite" female





MERIT 1034

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Male MSL 1034Y

February 12 2011

#1626225

H A IMAGE MAKER 0415 AMF CAF NHF BAD LANDS IMAGE MAKER 65W (1502379) BAD LANDS ANNE 4015P HERO 6267 OF R R 2418 H A RITO BLACKCAP 9038 BAD LANDS DAQUANTAE 26L BAD LANDS ANNE 69K

CROWFOOT EQUATION 5793R MERIT MISS ROSE 9637 (1507764)

MERIT MISS ROSE 4070

O C C LEGACY 8391 **CROWFOOT FORKS 755K** BAR-E-L QUANTUM 124L KBJ MISS ROSE 490M

Stout made, sound and moderate in a calving ease package, these low birth weight, vigorous Hoo Doo progeny have exceeded our expectations for performance. Maternally they should shine and we eagerly anticipate getting his daughters into production.





MERIT 1039 TJL 1039Y

February 13 2011

#1626241 BW: 96 lbs

ROYAL FORTE DRCC 5138R MERIT 8808 (1471487)

MERIT COUNTESS 6087

Male

PAPA FORTE 1921 ROYAL PERSEPHONE DRC 3110N DWAJO DUTCH 65P MERIT COUNTESS 1017

CRESCENT CREEK MAIN EVENT 6H

Nov. 10/11: 803 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +2.8 WW +43

> YW +73

Milk +19

+40

MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT PRIDE 4185 (1244636) MERIT PRIDE 7125 MERIT LADY FANNY 4070 SUNNY GROVE EXTRA 2E PJT PRIDE 84S

Herdbull Material! Great length of body, balance, and real muscle over his top that is characteristic of the 8808 sons, 1039 ia out of a moderate Main Event daughter with volume and an excellent udder. His great-granddam is "the" foundation female at Merit, purchased 28 years ago and she still is up front in the paper work! The Prides pass down excellent udder type, superior foot structure and are just honest to goodness Angus cows.





MERIT 1040

TJL 1040Y

February 13 2011

#1626242

ROYAL FORTE DRCC 5138R MERIT 8808 (1471487) MERIT COUNTESS 6087

MERIT MATADOR 4190

Male

PAPA FORTE 1921 **ROYAL PERSEPHONE DRC 3110N DWAJO DUTCH 65P** MERIT COUNTESS 1017

MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT MATADOR 4190
MERIT COUNTESS 8781 (1471690)
MERIT COUNTESS 7067
MERIT COUNTESS 7067
MERIT SOCIALITE 122K
SUNNY GROVE EXTRA 2E
PR COUNTESS 35B

Another 8808 son with extra length of body and great hair. Should sire the kind of angus steers order buyers are searching for. His mother is a past 4-H project of Macy's and his granddam was in production until 13 years of age.

BW: 72 lbs Nov. 10/11: 766 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.4 ww +41 YW +76 +19 Milk TM +39

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MERIT 1041

Male TJL 1041Y

February 13 2011

#1626243

LUKENS 9440 SCOTCH CAP L463

MERIT LUKE 3120 (1182059)

GLENNIE LADY ANN 23J

EASTONDALE WINDY 43'05
MERIT JILT 9830 (1507709)
MERIT JILT 4233

R R SCOTCHCAP 9440 AMF NHF G D A R FOREVER LADY 9163 GLENNIE SOCO RE 7E GLENNIE LADY ANN 44C

AAR REALLY WINDY 1205 AMF CAF NHF EASTONDALE HEROINE 38'03 MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT JILT 47K

Luke has been used in our program now for 8 years as a calving ease sire. He is currently in the top 1% of Angus sires for calving ease and top 2% for low birth weights.

BW: 72 lbs
Nov. 10/11:
756 lbs.
Proj '12 EPD's
BW +0.7
WW +36
YW +69
Milk +23
TM +41



1044

MERIT 1044

Male TJL 1044Y

February 14 2011

#1626245

ROYAL FORTE DRCC 5138R MERIT 8808 (1471487) MERIT COUNTESS 6087

EBON HILL EQUALIZER 117'97
MERIT PRIDE 9010 (980850)
MERIT PRIDE 7125

PAPA FORTE 1921 ROYAL PERSEPHONE DRC 3110N DWAJO DUTCH 65P MERIT COUNTESS 1017

BELVIN BLACK MAGIC 42'92 EBON HILL PRIDE 17'88 SUNNY GROVE EXTRA 2E PJT PRIDE 84S

Smaller framed and stout. Again we see the foundation 84S female. His dam 9010 is one of our favorite cows. His gem of a maternal sister sold to Carruthers' Livestock at Frenchman Butte.

BW: 8	
Nov. 725	10/11 lbs.
Proj '12	EPD's
BW	+2.3
ww	+37
YW	+65
Milk	+20
TM	+38



MERIT 1049

Male TJL 1049Y

February 14 2011

#1626247

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LOOKOUT VIKING 392N MERIT 6323 (1363010) MERIT SOCIALITE 1024

MERIT SUGAR RAY 7051

MERIT HEROINE 9574 (1507658)

MERIT HEROINE 9172

CRESCENT CREEK GERONIMO 42L WILLABAR EBA 45D LUKENS 9440 SCOTCH CAP L463 MERIT SOCIALITE 9901

MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K HOLLBROOK SOCIALITE 19B EBON HILL EQUALIZER 117'97 MERIT HEROINE 6108

1049 is very maternally oriented. He is linebred to the Socialite family with a stacked pedigree for udder type and longevity. He'll be a cow maker. BW: 84 lbs
Nov. 10/11:
722 lbs.
Proj '12 EPD's
BW +3.9
WW +39
YW +72
Milk +20
TM +39







MERIT 1054

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Male TJL 1054Y February 15 2011

#1626249

GEIS MAXIMUM 80'01 BEVERLY HILLS VISA 734 (1370977) CRESCENT CREEK ROSEBUD 155M

EBON HILL EQUALIZER 117'97

MERIT BLACKBIRD 2040 (1114036)

MERIT BOSTA BLACKBIRD 128K

GLENNIE BOOTE STATES 1284

GEIS MAXIMUM 26'95 GEIS RUBY 185'96 GDAR QUANTUM 963 CRESCENT CREEK ROSEBUD 86K

GLENNIE BOSTA BLACKBIRD 19Z

Here's a Visa son, short on ears but long on style. Smooth made and long topped. Excellent foot structure and great disposition. His 10 year old dam is still in production and has an excellent udder.

BW: 85 lbs Nov. 10/11: 777 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.1 ww +33 ΥW +59 Milk +16 +32 TM





MERIT 1063

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Male TJL 1063Y

February 15 2011

#1626251

ROYAL FORTE DRCC 5138R MERIT 8808 (1471487) MERIT COUNTESS 6087

MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT HEROINE 5158 (1286486) MERIT HEROINE 9172 PAPA FORTE 1921 **ROYAL PERSEPHONE DRC 3110N DWAJO DUTCH 65P** MERIT COUNTESS 1017

CRESCENT CREEK MAIN EVENT 6H MERIT LADY FANNY 4070 EBON HILL EQUALIZER 117'97 MERIT HEROINE 6108

This is a stout, soggy rascal out of one of our favorite Main Event daughters. The Main Event bull has had tremendous positive influence in our herd. 1063's granddam has earned Elite status. Here is another bull with a super disposition.

BW: 88 lbs Nov. 10/11: 736 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.1 ww +42 YW +73 Milk +23

> TM +44

Merit Cattle Co.





MERIT 1065

#1626252

Male TJL 1065Y

> PAPA FORTE 1921 **ROYAL PERSEPHONE DRC 3110N DWAJO DUTCH 65P**

February 16 2011

MERIT COUNTESS 1017 SITZ INSIGHT 4794 CAF **GDAR QUEEN CARY 3233**

MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT HEROINE 9114

MERIT HEROINE 9755 (1522504)
MERIT HEROINE 4147 Wow! 1065 is out of a first calf heifer with a low birth weight and is near the top of the pen for weaning. A great testament to

ROYAL FORTE DRCC 5138R

MERIT 8808 (1471487) MERIT COUNTESS 6087

GDAR INSIGHT 7201

BW +3.1 ww +49 ΥW +83 Milk +25 +49 TM

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BW: 77 lbs

Nov. 10/11:

812 lbs.

Proj '12 EPD's



MERIT 1066

Male TJL 1066Y

the production of our Insight daughters. Proven maternal heritage of Main Event and "Elite" sire, Equalizer. 1065 has tremen-

dous length of body, strong loin and hip with loads of hair.

February 16 2011

#1626253 BW: 88 lbs

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GEIS MAXIMUM 80'01 **BEVERLY HILLS VISA 734 (1370977)** CRESCENT CREEK ROSEBUD 155M

GEIS MAXIMUM 26'95 GEIS RUBY 185'96 GDAR QUANTUM 963 CRESCENT CREEK ROSEBUD 86K

MERIT LUKE 3120 MERIT SOCIALITE 5237 (1286513)
MERIT SOCIALITE 3029

LUKENS 9440 SCOTCH CAP L463 GLENNIE LADY ANN 23J SITZ ALLIANCE 6595 AMF NHF MERIT SOCIALITE 1024

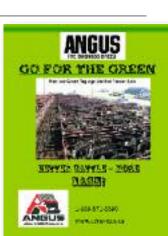
A Visa son with loads of style, and character out of a hard working Luke daughter that produced a herd bull for Smart Farms. The Socialite cow family speaks for itself. The life ratio for is dam on bull calves is 107.

Visa sons have excellent feet, just like their old man!

Nov. 10/11: 813 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +2.2 WW +37 ΥW +69 Milk +22 +40

Carson's Entry in the Canadian Junior Angus Showdown 2011 **Graphics Competition**

Good Job, Carson!









MERIT 1068

#1626254

February 17 2011 GEIS MAXIMUM 26'95

BW: 79 lbs Nov. 10/11:

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BEVERLY HILLS VISA 734 (1370977) GEIS RUBY 185'96 CRESCENT CREEK ROSEBUD 155M GEIS MAXIMUM 80'01

CRESCENT CREEK ROSEBUD 86K

EASTONDALE WINDY 43'05 MERIT PRIDE 8705 (1471675) MERIT PRIDE 7125 AAR REALLY WINDY 1205 AMF CAF NHF EASTONDALE HEROINE 38'03 SUNNY GROVE EXTRA 2E PJT PRIDE 84S

723 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.1 ww +37 ΥW +67

> +32 TM

Milk +14

Visa has consistently stamped his sons with muscle, character, superior hoof structure and great dispositions. 1068's granddam is the foundation 84S cow - she adds

longevity and functionality to the equation.





MERIT 1070

Male (TWIN) TJL 1070Y February 17 2011 #1626256

GEIS MAXIMUM 80'01 **BEVERLY HILLS VISA 734 (1370977)** CRESCENT CREEK ROSEBUD 155M

MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT HEROINE 5043 (1286484) **MERIT HEROINE 9037**

GEIS MAXIMUM 26'95 GEIS RUBY 185'96 GDAR QUANTUM 963 CRESCENT CREEK ROSEBUD 86K

CRESCENT CREEK MAIN EVENT 6H MERIT LADY FANNY 4070 EBON HILL EQUALIZER 117'97 MERIT HEROINE 7155

Even though 1070 is a twin, performance was not sacrificed. Another Visa son here that's easy to look at with a great hair coat and quiet disposition

BW: 74 lbs Nov. 10/11: 758 lbs.

Proj '12 EPD's BW +4.8

ww +43 YW +75

+14 Milk TM +35





MERIT 1071

T.II 1071Y February 17 2011 #1626257

SVF GDAR 216 LTD

S A F CONNECTION AMF CAF NHF (1083690)

S A F DOVAL QUIEN 5084 CAE

BON VIEW BANDO 598 AMF CAC S A F ROYAL QUEEN 5084 CAF

ROYAL FORTE DRCC 5138R MERIT HEROINE 9517 (1507641) MERIT HEROINE 7029

S A F ROYAL QUEEN 9022

PAPA FORTF 1921 ROYAL PERSEPHONE DRC 3110N MERIT SUMMIT 3139 MERIT HEROINE 5261

The only son of highly acclaimed SAF Connection in the bull offering with a great set of EPD's. Turn 1071 out with a group of heifers and you can assure a good nights rest come next springs calving season.

BW: 62 lbs Nov. 10/11: 625 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's +0.6 BW ww +45 YW +82 Milk +24 TM +47





MERIT GENESIS

TJL 1077Y Male

February 17 2011

#1626260

BW: 91 lbs

Nov. 10/11:

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GEIS MAXIMUM 80'01 **BEVERLY HILLS VISA 734 (1370977)** CRESCENT CREEK ROSEBUD 155M

STEVENSON MONEYMAKER R185 AMF CAF NHF MERIT SOCIALITE 8687 (1471674)

MERIT SOCIALITE 5084

GEIS MAXIMUM 26'95 GEIS RUBY 185'96 GDAR QUANTUM 963 CRESCENT CREEK ROSEBUD 86K

BOYD ON TARGET 1083 AMF CAC NHF STEVENSON CLOVA PRIDE L888 AMF NHF MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT SOCIALITE 019K

809 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +4.6 ww +45 If you have been scour-YW +84 ing the continent for an Milk +17 honestly stout, structurally sound herdbull +40 with an outcross pedi-

Another view of Lot #1077



135X - Mat. Brother to Lot #1077

gree, your search ends here! 1077 is massive bodied, deep sided and wide based with a powerful hip. He possesses all the tools, large testicles, perfect feet, masculinity and a gentle disposition, all backed by the proven Socialite cow family. His granddam, 5084, produced 77X, our high selling Insight son last year to Ringstead and Right Cross Ranch. We will be collecting semen on 1077 before he goes to his new home. 1077 will be a major component of our breeding program. All the homework has been done. 1077 is worth the trip. You will be

impressed!





One of the best looking cows on the place - 1080's dam, 2156!!



MERIT 1080 TJL 1080Y

February 18 2011

#1642996

SITZ INSIGHT 4794 CAF GDAR INSIGHT 7201 (1467581) GDAR QUEEN CARY 3233

Male

WOODHILL FORESIGHT AMF CAF NHF SITZ EVERELDA ENTENSE 1751 GDAR SVF ROYCE 176G GDAR QUEEN CARY 069

MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT SOCIALITE 2156 (1114057) MERIT SOCIALITE 8054

CRESCENT CREEK MAIN EVENT 6H MERIT LADY FANNY 4070 SUNNY GROVE EXTRA 2E MERIT SOCIALITE 4075

Pounds, Pounds, Pounds plus incredible length of body is how we describe 1080 who was one of the heaviest calves at weaning. His dam is a solid producing Main Event/Socialite and his maternal twin brothers last year made quite an impression both were purchased by Trent and Glenda Walter and family.

BW: 102 lbs Nov. 10/11: 857 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +5.2 ww +60 ΥW +98 Milk +20 +50 TM



Crowfoot Equation 5793R - Maternal Grandsire to Lot #1082



MERIT 1082

February 18 2011

#1626261

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ROYAL FORTE DRCC 5138R

MERIT 8808 (1471487) MERIT COUNTESS 6087

Male TJL 1082Y

PAPA FORTE 1921 **ROYAL PERSEPHONE DRC 3110N DWAJO DUTCH 65P** MERIT COUNTESS 1017

O C C LEGACY 839L CROWFOOT FORKS 755K

CROWFOOT EQUATION 5793R MERIT PRIDE 9731 (1507689) MERIT PRIDE 4185

MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT PRIDE 7125

1082 is a long sided, growthy bull produced by a first calf heifer. He is a 34 brother in the sale to the feature Lot # 1039.

BW: 95 lbs Nov. 10/11: 626 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.5 ww +43 YW +79 Milk +23 TM +44

Merit Cattle Co.







MERIT 1093

BW: 77 lbs

TJL 1093Y Male

February 20 2011 WOODHILL FORESIGHT AMF CAF NHF #1642997

SITZ INSIGHT 4794 CAF GDAR INSIGHT 7201 (1467581) GDAR QUEEN CARY 3233

SITZ EVERELDA ENTENSE 1751 GDAR SVF ROYCE 176G GDAR QUEEN CARY 069 **GDAR DUTCH 1508**

Nov. 10/11: 694 lbs.

DWAJO DUTCH 65P MERIT SOCIALITE 6232 (1360617) MERIT SOCIALITE 1039

DWAJO QUEEN GEM 43J PAT TEX 118F HOLLBROOK SOCIALITE 19B Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.2 ww +51 YW +83

> Milk +27

TM +52

Chunky, stylish and hairy. This Insight son is backed by the proven Socialites and is a Heifer Bull Prospect.





MERIT 1098 TJL 1098Y

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ROYAL FORTE DRCC 5138R

February 21 2011

#1626268 BW: 96 lbs

MERIT 8808 (1471487) MERIT COUNTESS 6087

MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K
MERIT COUNTESS 5072 (1286467)
MERIT COUNTESS 5072 (1286467)
PEAK DOT DILLINGER 672Z MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT COUNTESS 4089

Male

PAPA FORTE 1921 ROYAL PERSEPHONE DRC 3110N DWAJO DUTCH 65P MERIT COUNTESS 1017

Nov. 10/11:

CRESCENT CREEK MAIN EVENT 6H PR COUNTESS 31W

One really has to appreciate the capacity and sogginess 1098 possesses. He has that great 8808 length of body. His dam 5072 is a high volume Main Event daughter







MERIT 1105 Male TJL 1105Y

February 23 2011

#1626271

BW: 95 lbs.

Nov. 10/11:

774 lbs.

Proj '12 EPD's

+44

+75

+11

+32

BW +3.7

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GEIS MAXIMUM 80'01

BEVERLY HILLS VISA 734 (1370977)

CRESCENT CREEK ROSEBUD 155M

MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K

MERIT CHRISTINE 2115 (1114045)

FOXBURY CHRISTINE FN 32F

GEIS MAXIMUM 26'95 **GEIS RUBY 185'96 GDAR QUANTUM 963** CRESCENT CREEK ROSEBUD 86K

CRESCENT CREEK MAIN EVENT 6H MERIT LADY FANNY 4070 VALLEYHILLS TRADEMARK 50C FOXBURY CHRISTINE FN 17A

ww 1105 has ΥW tremendous depth of body Milk and muscular TM hind quarters.

His mother is a powerful Main Event daughter with an excellent udder and foot, she always grabs visitors attention!

His granddam is an "Elite" cow and is the mother of Merit Advantage 27K.

1105 suffered an infection from his ear tag as a calf, as a result he has a drooping ear. Don't let this be a deterrent sale day as he is a genetic powerhouse with a lot to offer!



Christine 2115 - Dam to Lot #1105



Maternal Sister to Lot #1105



MERIT 1108

Male TJL 1108Y

February 24 2011

#1643001

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LUKENS 9440 SCOTCH CAP L463 MERIT LUKE 3120 (1182059) GLENNIE LADY ANN 23J

EASTONDALE WINDY 43'05
MERIT SOCIALITE 9854 (1507760) MERIT SOCIALITE 2156

R R SCOTCHCAP 9440 AMF NHF GDAR FOREVER LADY 9163 GLENNIE SOCO RE 7E GLENNIE LADY ANN 44C

AAR REALLY WINDY 1205 AMF CAF NHF **EASTONDALE HEROINE 38'03** MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT SOCIALITE 8054

Here is a highly maternal prospect. Our Luke daughters are ideal range cows with fertility and excellent udders. Add Windy and 2156 and you'll want to keep all the daughters.

BW: 84 lbs Nov. 10/11: 650 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +1.8 ww +39 YW +74 Milk +22 TM +41

Merit Cattle Co.





MERIT 1109

** #1643002

BW: 84 lbs

Nov. 10/11:

750 lbs.

Proj '12 EPD's

BW +1.8

Male

R R SCOTCHCAP 9440 AMF NHF

February 24 2011

G D A R FOREVER LADY 9163 GLENNIE SOCO RE 7E **GLENNIE LADY ANN 44C**

AAR REALLY WINDY 1205 AMF CAF NHF EASTONDALE HEROINE 38'03 MERIT DIESEL 8041 MERIT SOCIALITE 1039

EASTONDALE WINDY 43'05 MERIT SOCIALITE 7087 (1425862)
MERIT SOCIALITE 4049

MERIT LUKE 3120 (1182059) GLENNIE LADY ANN 23J

LUKENS 9440 SCOTCH CAP L463

ww +35 ΥW +70 Milk +22

1109 is a Luke son with a great hip and loads of eye appeal. His Windy mother has a beautiful udder and his full sister is a real gem. He should be a great replacement female maker.



Full Sister to Lot #1109

QUALITY STARTS HERE!

It has been said, "The role of the ourebred breeders is to improve the genetic quality of the seedstock cattle that they sell to commercial beef producers."

We take this responsibility seriously, and we are committed to it.

MERIT CATTLE CO.









MERIT MAVERICK 1117

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Male CRSN 1117Y

February 25 2011 CRESCENT CREEK GERONIMO 42L #1626220

LOOKOUT VIKING 392N MERIT 6323 (1363010) MERIT SOCIALITE 1024

WILLABAR EBA 45D LUKENS 9440 SCOTCH CAP L463 MERIT SOCIALITE 9901

DWAJO DUTCH 65P DWAJO DUTCH 65P

MERIT COUNTESS 6087 (1360538)

MEDIT COUNTESS 4017

EBON HILL EQUALIZER 117'97 **MERIT COUNTESS 1017**

GDAR DUTCH 1508 MERIT COUNTESS 9041

BW: 92 lbs Nov. 10/11: 848 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.6 ww +41 ΥW +75 Milk +24 TM +45

TERMS TO BE ANNOUNCED SALE DAY!!

"Maverick" is a herdbull that puts all the essentials together. His eye appeal and character set him apart. His sire, 6323 "Viking", combines some highly predictable maternal and growth genetics. His dam, Countess 6087, is a proven producer, being the dam of Merit 8808, herdsire for Glendor Angus and Merit.

We believe Maverick's future is unlimited. We will be collecting semen on him this spring.

Here is your opportunity to be a part of a potential breed impact sire!!





MERIT 1118

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TJL 1118Y

February 25 2011

PAPA FORTE 1921

#1626275 BW: 97 lbs.

Nov. 10/11:

773 lbs

ROYAL FORTE DRCC 5138R MERIT 8808 (1471487) MERIT COUNTESS 6087

MERIT COUNTESS 76K

MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K

MERIT COUNTESS 1017 CRESCENT CREEK MAIN EVENT 6H MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K
MERIT COUNTESS 6147 (1355040)
BEON HILL EQUALIZER 117'97 PR COUNTESS 31C

ROYAL PERSEPHONE DRC 3110N DWAJO DUTCH 65P

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Another powerhouse of an 8808 son. Tremendous length of body and backed by the maternal strengths of Main Event and "Elite" sire, Equalizer.

Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.6 +45 YW +80 Milk +21 TM +43





MERIT 1119

Male TJL 1119Y

February 25 2011

#1643013

APEX STOCKMAN 061

MERIT SUMMIT 3139 (1182070)

MERIT SOCIALITE 019K

APEXETTE O PRIDE 6058 EBON HILL EQUALIZER 117'97 HOLLBROOK SOCIALITE 19B O C C LEGACY 839L

TC STOCKMAN

CROWFOOT EQUATION 5793R

MERIT HEROINE 9601 (1507663)

MERIT HEROINE 5261

O C C LEGACY 839L CROWFOOT FORKS 755K MERIT ADVANTAGE 27K MERIT HEROINE 6108

1119, sired by Calving Ease Specialist, Summit, has good performance and great hair with a super front end and that signature Summit length and eye appeal.

BW: 80 lbs Nov. 10/11: 755 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +2.0 WW +37 YW +70 Milk +18 TM +36





MERIT 1123

Male TJL 1123Y

February 26 2011

#1626277

H A IMAGE MAKER 0415 AMF CAF NHF BAD LANDS IMAGE MAKER 65W (1502379) BAD LANDS ANNE 4015P

H A RITO BLACKCAP 9038 BAD LANDS DAQUANTAE 26L BAD LANDS ANNE 69K

HERO 6267 OF R R 2418

MERIT LUKE 3120

MERIT COUNTESS 9660 (1507677)

MERIT COUNTESS 5100

LUKENS 9440 SCOTCH CAP L463 GLENNIE LADY ANN 23J MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT COUNTESS 76K

Here's a Calving Ease Prospect from a first calf 'Luke'-daughter. This one will be a cowmaker as well.

BW: 75 lbs.
Nov. 10/11:
726 lbs.
Proj '12 EPD's
BW +1.5
WW +45
YW +80
Milk +24

TM | +46





MERIT 1124 T.II 1124Y

February 26 2011

#1626278

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SITZ INSIGHT 4794 CAF **GDAR INSIGHT 7201 (1467581)**GDAR QUEEN CARY 3233

HERO 6267 OF R R 2418

MERIT HEROINE 5102 (1286510)

MERIT HEROINE 2134

WOODHILL FORESIGHT AMF CAF NHF SITZ EVERELDA ENTENSE 1751 GDAR SVF ROYCE 176G GDAR QUEEN CARY 069

RR HFRO 6267 R R EVERELDA ENTENSE 0413 MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K CRESCENT CREEK HEROINE 43D

Wow, here's an Insight son that will definitely grab your attention on performance and eye appeal, muscle and mass! His dam has earned "Elite" status and was an awesome Hero female with a tidy, balanced udder, moderate framed, easy fleshing and feminine. Unfortunately we lost her last spring.

BW: 97 lbs Nov. 10/11: 905 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +2.2 ww +59 YW +90 Milk +28 TM +57



MERIT 1125

T.II 1125Y Male

February 26 2011

#1642183

BW: 78 lbs

C H QUANTUM 6247 COLE CREEK BLACK CEDAR 46P (1605479) AAR WINDY RIDGE 523

CROWFOOT EQUATION 5793R MERIT HEROINE 9549 (1507649) MERIT HEROINE 9037 C H QUANTUM 3330 C H BLACKBIRD 0136 COLE CREEK CLOVA JUANADA 811

O C C LEGACY 839I CROWFOOT FORKS 755K EBON HILL EQUALIZER 117'97 MERIT HEROINE 7155

1125 is a wide based, super hairy, moderate Black Cedar son out of a first calf heifer. The Black Cedar bull was used strictly as an outcross calving ease line.

This one will sire some fancy calves!

Nov. 10/11: lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.2 ww | +40 ΥW +82 +15 Milk TM +35



MERIT 1129

ECEE 1129Y

February 28 2011

*** #1653343

APEX STOCKMAN 061 MERIT SUMMIT 3139 (1182070) MERIT SOCIALITE 019K

MERIT LUKE 3120 MERIT LADY 8793 (1471624) MERIT LADY 3171 TC STOCKMAN APEXETTE O PRIDE 6058 EBON HILL EQUALIZER 117'97 HOLLBROOK SOCIALITE 19B

LUKENS 9440 SCOTCH CAP L463 GLENNIE LADY ANN 23J MERIT DIESEL 8041 LADY OF PEAK DOT 438D

Here is a Calving Ease Prospect with a low birth weight heritage. His dam was born at 58 lbs. With Summit and Luke in his pedigree you can be assured of excellent uddered daughters.

BW: 70 lbs Nov. 10/11: 650 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW -1.7 ww +28

> +17 Milk TM +41

YW +66





MERIT 1130 Male TJL 1130Y

February 28 2011

#1643006

NHF SITZ INSIGHT 4794 CAF
GDAR INSIGHT 7201 (1467581)
GDAR QUEEN CARY 3233

MERIT LUKE 3120 MERIT PRIDE 8652 (1472251) MERIT PRIDE 6203 WOODHILL FORESIGHT AMF CAF SITZ EVERELDA ENTENSE 1751 GDAR SVF ROYCE 176G GDAR QUEEN CARY 069

LUKENS 9440 SCOTCH CAP L463 GLENNIE LADY ANN 23J **DWAJO DUTCH 65P** MERIT PRIDE 3052

Insight's progeny were very popular last year in both the bull and female sales and for good reason - they have all the credentials, calving ease, performance, style and hair!

BW: 78 lbs Nov. 10/11: 722 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.7 ww +54 ΥW +90 Milk +27 +53 TM



MERIT 1134

Male TJL 1134Y

February 28 2011

 $\star\star$ #1642972

O C C LEGACY 839L O C C ECHELON 857E

CROWFOOT EQUATION 5793R (1254914) O C C DIXIE ERICA 960E

TOMWALL PIED PIPER 413 CROWFOOT FORKS 755K

MERIT ADVANTAGE 27K MERIT ROSILLA 6135 (1355037) MERIT ROSILLA 1093 **GLADWALL B REV ERICA 7289**

TC ADVANTAGE AMF CAF NHF FOXBURY CHRISTINE FN 32F MERIT DIESEL 8041 ROSILLA OF PEAK DOT 770G

1134 is a powerful direct son of Equation, with lots of loin and hip. His dam is a powerhouse of a Merit Advantage daughter that is super deep with a great udder and exceptional foot.

BW: 89 lbs Nov. 10/11: 731 lbs.

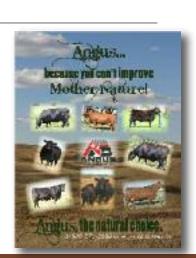
Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.3 ww +41 ΥW +81

> TM +37

Milk +16

Macy's Entry in the Canadian Junior Angus Showdown 2011 **Graphics Competition**

Nice Work, Macy!







MERIT 1135 Male TJL 1135Y

March 01 2011

#1643008

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ROYAL FORTE DRCC 5138R MERIT 8808 (1471487) MERIT COUNTESS 6087

PAPA FORTE 1921 **ROYAL PERSEPHONE DRC 3110N** DWAJO DUTCH 65P MERIT COUNTESS 1017

MFA FORTUNE 21H
MERIT LADY MCHENRY 124K (1018122)
WICKLOW MISS BLACKBIRD 59Z
BATSCHOL LAD 9U
BATSCHOL LAD 9U HILOW LADY MCHENRY 15A

STEVENSON FORTUNE 425C AMF CAF NHF HILOW LADY MCHENRY 50M

Here is a moderate, stout 8808 son out of a maternal sister to Merit Diesel who is 12 years of age this spring.

He is deep bodied and stout hipped, with great 8808 hair.

BW: 99 lbs Nov. 10/11: 770 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.5 ww +37ΥW +67 Milk +18 +36 TM





MERIT 1143

TJL 1143Y

March 03 2011

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#1626280

HAIMAGE MAKER 0415 AMF CAF NHF HERO 6267 OF R R 2418 H A IMAGE MAKER 0415 AMF CAF NHF H A RITO BLACKCAP 9038

BAD LANDS IMAGE MAKER 65W (1502379)
BAD LANDS ANNE 40159
BAD LANDS ANNE 40159 BAD LANDS ANNE 4015P

BAD LANDS ANNE 69K

ROYAL FORTE DRCC 5138R MERIT PRIDE 9793 (1507703) MERIT PRIDE 7131 PAPA FORTE 1921 ROYAL PERSEPHONE DRC 3110N **DWAJO DUTCH 65P** MERIT PRIDE 100K

Here's a 'Hoo Doo'son with a great profile, loads of hip and character. He benefits from the solid maternal foundation of the Pride cow family. These 'Hoo Doo' sons are really soggy and easy fleshing, a combination not often found with most popular calving ease lines.

BW: 67 lbs Nov. 10/11: 700 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.4 ww +49 YW +87 Milk +27

> TM +51

Merit Cattle Co.





MERIT 1147 Male TJL 1147Y

March 04 2011

#1626281

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GEIS MAXIMUM 80'01

BEVERLY HILLS VISA 734 (1370977)

CRESCENT CREEK ROSEBUD 155M

CRESCENT CREEK ROSEBUD 86K

CRESCENT CREEK GERONIMO 42L

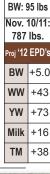
Nov. 10/11: 787 lbs. Proj **'12 EPD'**s BW +5.0

LOOKOUT VIKING 392N MERIT PRIDE 6295 (1363009) MERIT PRIDE 2074

WILLABAR EBA 45D MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT PRIDE 8179

1147 is a bull you will like more every time you look at him tons of hair, style and performance in a super sound package. His mother is a beautiful daughter of the original Viking

bull. In the right hands 1147 would be a serious show ring contender.







MERIT 1149 TJL 1149Y

March 04 2011

*** #1642186

C H QUANTUM 6247 COLE CREEK BLACK CEDAR 46P (1605479) COLE CREEK CLOVA JUANADA 67

Male

C H QUANTUM 3330 C H BLACKBIRD 0136 A A R WINDY RIDGE 523 COLE CREEK CLOVA JUANADA 811

MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT PRIDE 5091 (1286481) MERIT PRIDE 9010

Trent's favorite females at Merit.

CRESCENT CREEK MAIN EVENT 6H MERIT LADY FANNY 4070 EBON HILL EQUALIZER 117'97 MERIT PRIDE 7125

This is a chunk of a Black Cedar. 1149 is a wide based bull with a strong top and pleasing profile. His mother is one of

A maternal brother is a herdsire for Merrill's Bar Double M.

BW: 82 lbs Nov. 10/11: 737 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.0 ww +43 YW +75 +12 Milk TM +33







Male TJL 1159Y

March 07 2011

#1626285

H A IMAGE MAKER 0415 AMF CAF NHF BAD LANDS IMAGE MAKER 65W (1502379) BAD LANDS ANNE 4015P

HERO 6267 OF R R 2418 HARITO BLACKCAP 9038 BAD LANDS DAQUANTAE 26L BAD LANDS ANNE 69K

MERIT 6323 MERIT PRIDE 9514 (1507639) MERIT PRIDE 7110

LOOKOUT VIKING 392N MERIT SOCIALITE 1024 CROWFOOT EQUATION 5793R MERIT PRIDE 4032

These 'Hoo Doo' sons have exceeded our expectations. 'Hoo Doo' was selected as a calving ease bull to walk with our heifers and for maternal enhancement.

1159 is stout, deep, soft sided with that great "Angus" look.

BW: 80 lbs Nov. 10/11: 670 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.1 ww +51 ΥW +88 Milk +25 +50 TM





MERIT 1167

Male MSL 1167Y

March 10 2011

#1642182 BW: 81 lbs

C H QUANTUM 6247

COLE CREEK BLACK CEDAR 46P (1605479)
COLE CREEK CLOVA JUANADA 67

COLE CREEK CLOVA JUANADA 811

C H QUANTUM 3330 C H BLACKBIRD 0136

MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT MISS ROSE 5255 (1286520)
KBJ MISS ROSE 490M

KBJ MISS ROSE 490M

KBJ MISS ROSE 490M

CRESCENT CREEK MAIN EVENT 6H MERIT LADY FANNY 4070 KBJ MISS ROSE 353F

This mid-March son of Black Cedar has lots of hip and great character in a smooth made package. His Main Event mother is moderate, with plenty of rib and a tidy udder. Lot #1167 is a 34 brother to Lot #1168.

Nov. 10/11: 696 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +1.2 ww +45 YW +83 +8 Milk

> TM +31





MERIT 1168

TJL 1168Y

March 10 2011

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COLE CREEK CLOVA JUANADA 67

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MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K

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CRESCENT CREEK MAIN EVENT 6H MERIT LADY FANNY 4070

MERIT FLORA 4105 (1244622) PR FLORA 48C PEAK DOT DILLINGER 672Z WHITESHORE FLORA 35N 1168 is a 34 brother to the previous lot, Lot #1167. He is

one deep, soggy rascal with a very moderate birth weight. The strength of the Main Event influence in our cowherd is

evident throughout the offering. 1168 is an attention getter and will catch your eye Sale Day - really wished we had pictured him for the catalogue.

BW: 77 lbs Nov. 10/11: 737 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's **BW** +0.9 ww +39 YW +70 +14 Milk TM +33





MERIT 1171

TJL 1171Y Male

March 13 2011

#1642980

SITZ INSIGHT 4794 CAF GDAR INSIGHT 7201 (1467581) GDAR QUEEN CARY 3233

CROWFOOT EQUATION 5793R MERIT LADY 7095 (1423842) MERIT LADY 3171

WOODHILL FORESIGHT AMF CAF NHF SITZ EVERELDA ENTENSE 1751 **GDAR SVF ROYCE 176G GDAR QUEEN CARY 069**

O C C LEGACY 839L CROWFOOT FORKS 755K MERIT DIESEL 8041 LADY OF PEAK DOT 438D

Herdsire material, with presence, performance, calving ease and maternal strength. His dam is one of our best Equation daughters and his maternal sister is a real sweetheart, now residing at Nu- Horizon Angus.





202X - Maternal Sister to Lot #1171





MERIT 1173 TJL 1173Y

March 14 2011

#1642982

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CROWFOOT EQUATION 5793R MERIT 7260 (1423879) LADY OF PEAK DOT 438D

DWAJO DUTCH 65P MERIT PRIDE 8751 (1471613) MERIT PRIDE 3052 O C C LEGACY 839L CROWFOOT FORKS 755K FREYS EXTRA PROFIT LADY OF PEAK DOT 631Z

GDAR DUTCH 1508 DWAJO QUEEN GEM 43J MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT PRIDE 152K

Here's a long, stretchy 7260 son. His dam is a really nice Dutch daughter. The Main Event influence locks in the performance.

BW: 83 lbs Nov. 10/11: 640 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +6.4

> ww +40 YW +71 +19 Milk TM +39



MERIT 1181

TJL 1181Y Male

March 17 2011

#1626290

BW: 95 lbs

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GEIS MAXIMUM 26'95 GEIS RUBY 185'96 GEIS MAXIMUM 8001

BEVERLY HILLS VISA 734 (1370977) GEIS RUBY 100 90

CRESCENT CREEK ROSEBUD 155M GDAR QUANTUM 963

CRESCENT CREEK ROSEBUD 86K GEIS MAXIMUM 80'01

O C C EUREKA 865E O C C JUANADA 818E EBON HILL EQUALIZER 117'97 MERIT JILT 5002

O C C MAGNUM 749M MERIT JILT 5060 (1291712) MERIT JILT 47K

young bull you really have to a



Maternal Sister to Lot #1105

Nov. 10/11: 683 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.6 WW +37 YW +60 Milk +16

> TM +34

dmire his muscle, masculinity and eye catching profile. His dam is a former 4-H project of Macy's.

For a

5060, his dam, has earned "Elite" status along with her mother, 47K.

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Merit Courage 148X - Maternal Brother to Lot #1190



MERIT 1190 TJL 1190Y

March 20 2011

#1642984

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CROWFOOT EQUATION 5793R MERIT 7260 (1423879) LADY OF PEAK DOT 438D

Male

CROWFOOT FORKS 755K FREYS EXTRA PROFIT LADY OF PEAK DOT 631Z

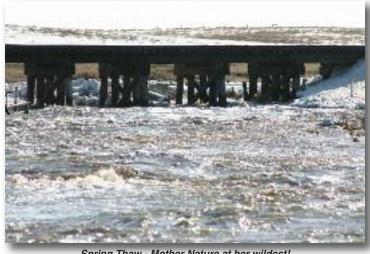
O C C LEGACY 839L

MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT ANNIE K 2187 (1114055) MERIT ANNIE K 7022 CRESCENT CREEK MAIN EVENT 6H MERIT LADY FANNY 4070 TC RANCHER 056 **BELL ANNIE K 23E**

Loads of performance for an end of March bull. Awesome hair and growth. His dam is a super deep, high volume daughter of Main Event.

He is a maternal brother to Merit Courage, junior herdsire at Merit

BW: 90 lbs Nov. 10/11: 750 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW |+4.5 ww +39 ΥW +68 Milk +17 +36 TM



Spring Thaw - Mother Nature at her wildest!



MERIT 1200

March 24 2011

#1626295

H A IMAGE MAKER 0415 AMF CAF NHF BAD LANDS IMAGE MAKER 65W (1502379) BAD LANDS ANNE 4015P

HERO 6267 OF R R 2418 H A RITO BLACKCAP 9038 BAD LANDS DAQUANTAE 26L BAD LANDS ANNE 69K

MERIT 6323 MERIT 6323
MERIT LADY MCHENRY 9566 (1507653) MERIT SOCIALITE 1024
MERIT LADY MCHENRY 9566 (1507653) MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT LADY MCHENRY 5186

LOOKOUT VIKING 392N MERIT LADY MCHENRY 124K

These 'Hoo Doo' sons have exceptional depth and fleshing ability for calving ease bulls. Their real strength will become apparent when their daughters come into production.

BW: 84 lbs Nov. 10/11: 671 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.2 ww +48 YW +83

TM +46

+23 Milk







MERIT 1203 TJL 1203Y Male

March 26 2011

#1626296

SITZ INSIGHT 4794 CAF GDAR INSIGHT 7201 (1467581) GDAR QUEEN CARY 3233

S A F FAME AMF CAF NHF MERIT JILT 7008 (895461) MERIT JILT 5002

WOODHILL FORESIGHT AMF CAF NHF SITZ EVERELDA ENTENSE 1751 GDAR SVF ROYCE 176G GDAR QUEEN CARY 069

MINERTS FORTUNE 2000 AMF CAF NHF SAFROYALLASS 1027 P S POWER PLAY LLB MISS JILT 28S

1203 shows solid performance for an end of March bull. His mother raised him at 14 years of age. A full brother last year was a good one too. The Jilt females make great cows - the Insight/Jilt daughters at the female sale were popular. We wish we could have gotten one more daughter out of his now deceased dam.

BW: 79 lbs Nov. 10/11: 683 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +2.0 ww +50 YW +81 Milk +17 +42 TM





MERIT 1206 TJL 1206Y

March 29 2011

*** #1626298

SITZ INSIGHT 4794 CAF GDAR INSIGHT 7201 (1467581) GDAR QUEEN CARY 3233

Male

EASTONDALE WINDY 43'05 MERIT JILT 8831 (1471694) MERIT JILT 2114

WOODHILL FORESIGHT AMF CAF NHF SITZ EVERELDA ENTENSE 1751 GDAR SVF ROYCE 176G GDAR QUEEN CARY 069

A A R REALLY WINDY 1205 AMF CAF NHF **EASTONDALE HEROINE 38'03** MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K MERIT JILT 5002

Insight and Windy is an incredibly docile combination. 1206 is a favorite in the group not only for his gentle demeanor but for his stylish conformation. He's probably the hairiest bull in the offering, and backed by the Jilt cow family.

BW: 74 lbs Nov. 10/11: 641 lbs. Proj '12 EPD's BW +3.1 ww +56 YW +90 Milk +23 TM +51





MERIT 1226 Male TJL 1226

April 18 2011

#1626304

SITZ INSIGHT 4794 CAF GDAR INSIGHT 7201 (1467581) GDAR QUEEN CARY 3233

MINBURN MAIN EVENT 82K

MERIT PRIDE 4149 (1244662)

MERIT PRIDE 1004

WOODHILL FORESIGHT AMF NHF CAF SITZ EVERELDA ENTENSE 1751 GDAR SVF ROYCE 176G GDAR QUEEN CARY 069

CRESCENT CREEK MAIN EVENT 6H MERIT LADY FANNY 4070 LUKENS 9440 SCOTCH CAP L463 MERIT PRIDE 9010

1226 is a whole month younger than the rest of the offering. He is a standout, especially when you consider his age! His dam has earned Elite status and a full brother was one of the high sellers last year. Pounds, pedigree and performance with a winning maternal combination.

BW: 92 lbs
Nov. 10/11:
685 lbs.
Proj '12 EPD's
BW +3.5
WW +55
YW +88
Milk +23
TM +39



Emile, Brent, Denis Erickson and Scott Anderson - Alaska 2011

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We do not sacrifice quality for numbers. Our focus is directed towards enhancing the productivity and predictability of our cattle through extensive and accurate records, critical sire selection, by listening to our customers, and by concentrating on the economic traits that are vital to the survival of the beef industry





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We believe that native and tame grass pastures should be left to future generations in better condition than when it first came under our stewardship.

We have worked with Ducks Unlimited since 1995 in developing tame pastures on marginal land, cross-fencing, and water site development and we have enhanced native grass production through "responsibly planned" grazing practices



Once, again the sale will be a "Power Point" sale.

Bulls will be in pens at Merit Sale site for your appraisal.

This concept is stress free for the bulls and the sale moves quicker saving you time as well.

Terms & Conditions of Sale



TERMS: The terms of the sale are cash or cheque payable at sale location, immediately after the sale, unless satisfactory arrangements have been made prior to the sale. The right of property shall not pass until after settlement has been made. All settlement must be made with the clerk of the sale before any cattle will be released. All monies are in Canadian funds.

BIDDING: Each animal shall sell to the highest bidder, no by-bidding shall be permitted.

DISPUTES: In case of disputes, bidding will be re-opened between the parties involved. If no further bid is made, the buyer will be the person from whom the auctioneer accepted the last bid. The auctioneer's decision in all disputes shall be final.

PURCHASERS RISK: Each animal becomes the risk of the purchaser as soon as sold.

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION: Each animal will carry papers issued by the Canadian Angus Association. A certificate of registry duly transferred will be issued to the buyer for each animal after payment has been made.

BREEDER'S GUARANTEE: Should any bull 14 months of age and over fail to prove a breeder after being used on females known to be breeders, the matter shall be reported in writing to the seller within 6 months following the date of purchase or 6 months after the bull has reached 14 months of age. The seller will have the right and privilege of six months to prove the bull a breeder. No guarantee is given that semen collected from the bull will freeze. The seller is not responsible for damage caused by foreign bodies after the animal was sold, or for sickness not apparent at sale time. In no event shall the seller be responsible for more than the purchase price.

EXCEPTION TO GUARANTEE: In any case where the animal is subjected to any hormonal or surgical reproduction techniques after the sale, in such cases the guarantee shall be null and void.

SETTLEMENT: Transportation charges on animals returned to the seller are for the account of the buyer. No incidental expenses such as feed, care, interest, veterinary charges, etc., will be charged by either party when making settlement. If the seller is successful in proving the animal to be a breeder, then said animal will be reclaimed by the buyer at his expense. Should the seller fail to prove the bull a breeder, then the buyer is guaranteed satisfactory replacement FOB the ranch or sale location. Should a dispute arise over the quality of a replacement animal, a mediator will be appointed.

LIABILITY/ACCIDENTS: All persons attend the sale at their own risk. Although every precaution will be taken to protect the safety and comfort of those attending, neither the sale consultant, auctioneer, facility owners, livestock owenres/consignors assume responsibility in this matter, and desclaim any liability, legal or otherwise, in the event of accident or loss of property.

RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS: The above terms and conditions of the sale shall constitute a contract between the buyer and the seller and be equally binding to both. Resale of animals following purchase in this sale shall constitute a separate transaction, and the rights and obligations of the two parties connected thereto are not covered by the terms and conditions of this sale.

PHONE, MAIL, WIRE BIDS: Bidders unable to attend the sale may phone, wire or mail their bids and instructions to the sale consultant, auctioneer, ringmen or consignors. Bids must be received in suffi cient time prior to the sale.

ERRORS: All announcements at sale time, written or oral, supersede any written material in this catalogue



Merit Cattle Co. Influence!

Be sure to check out the Merit Maternal Influence at:

- Wheatland Cattle Co Bull Sale -

March 29th 2012 @ Alameda Sk.

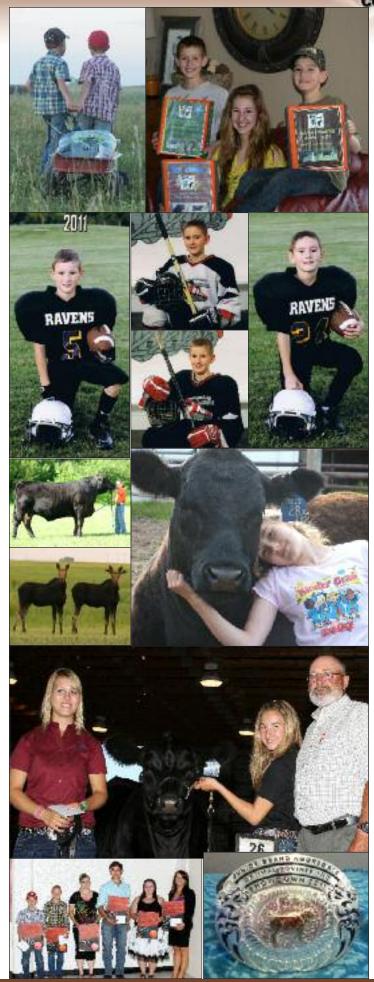
This bull Simmental Sired out of a Merit Dam.



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