

Breed Standards for Ultrasound Measurements

*Information above blue line was confirmed in the fall of 2015

Breed Association	Age Range for Bulls (days)	Age Range for Heifers (days)	Rump Images Required?
American Angus Association	320-440	320-460	YES
American Gelbvieh Association	260-420	260-420	NO
American Hereford Association	301-530	301-530	NO
American International Charolais Association	320-430	320-430	NO
American Simmental Association	270-500	270-500	NO
North American Limousin Foundation	300-450	300-450	NO
Red Angus Association of America	320-440	320-460	NO
American Chianina Association	270-329 330-440 441-500	270-329 330-440 441-500	YES
American Maine Anjou Association	300-440 adjusted at lab	300-440 adjusted at lab	No, but accepted
American Salers Association	330-450 adjusted at lab	330-450 adjusted at lab	YES
American Shorthorn Association	320-440	320-440	No, but preferred
American Tarentaise Association	320-440, adjusted at lab	320-440, adjusted at lab	Unknown
American Murray Grey Association	320-440, adjusted at lab	320-440, adjusted at lab	Unknown
American Wagyu Association	320-440, adjusted at lab	320-440, adjusted at lab	Unknown
Commercial Cattle	320-440	320-460	NO



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Breed Association	FYI	How to Handle Write-ins
American Angus Association	Commercial cattle can NOT be resubmitted to AAA at a later date. Empty weights preferred.	Registration/BIR numbers preferred for smooth processing.
American Gelbvieh Association	Must have registration numbers. We have to type in registration numbers, so please have breeder email the electronic barnsheet to us.	Must have registration number or tattoo and prefix. Unregistered animals get no data.
American Hereford Association	We have to type in registration numbers. If the breeder has an Excel file with them entered, please ask them to email it to us.	Must have a registration number to send to AHA.
American International Charolais Association	We have to type in registration numbers. If the breeder has an Excel file with them entered, please ask them to email it to us.	Must have the registration number to send to AICA.
American Simmental Association	Animals on multiple association barnsheets can have data submitted to both associations. Please mark clearly the animals to which this pertains.	Must have registration number to send to ASA.
North American Limousin Foundation	No weaning weight = no ultrasound data reported from NALF.	We can send data to NALF with tattoo and prefix, but the breeder will not get any data back until it is registered.
Red Angus Association of America	Make sure you have the exact tattoo and sex, otherwise it will get kicked out at the RAAA. Changes should be made before processing.	Must have registration numbers to send to RAAA.
American Chianina Association	If the breeder wants data sent to an Association, we must have registration numbers & birthdates.	We must have registration numbers & birthdates.
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