



FUNCTIONAL LONGEVITY EPDS (RESEARCH)

Boyd Beef Cattle continues to focus on Cow Power and believe in placing emphasis on Maternal Traits. The American Angus Association provides all of us, as breeders, with Genetic Evaluation Tools to further assist us in predicting Maternal Traits with a higher degree of accuracy.

We are excited about the release of the Functional Longevity (FL) EPD – Currently identified as a research EPD “rEPD”, it will, in time, be released as a full blown EPD. Boyd Beef Cattle has been and will continue to provide all the necessary data to assist in the FL EPD, as well as the TEAT and UDDER EPDs.

We have decided to make available our FL EPDs on the sale cattle.

CURRENT BREED AVERAGE - FL = 1.01

Only rFL EPDs are available on females with recorded data in herds participating in early collection data. Not included are spring born heifer calves which were not old enough at enrollment time to be included.

LOT	REG #	FL rEPD
2A	+*20695251	1.05
2B	*20839772	1.06
3	+*20640377	1.04
4	+*20475934	1.10
6	+*19419935	1.05
7	+*19419901	1.00
8	+*20614814	0.99
9	+*20614817	1.03
10	+*20640381	1.12
11	+*20695257	1.20
12	*20639619	1.09
13	+*20059445	0.92
13B	*20640382	1.09
14	*20639629	1.15
15	*20640371	1.17
16	*20214204	1.10
16B	*20810985	1.21
17	20698733	1.01
18	*20639635	1.09
19	*20686744	1.10
20	*20640380	1.06
21	*20640379	1.18
22	*19532269	1.07
23	+*20498060	0.99
24	+*20159426	1.11
25	*20810990	1.00
26	*20810978	1.08
27	+*20214253	1.05
27A	*20771133	0.94

LOT	REG #	FL rEPD
28	+*20053436	0.95
28B	*20810976	0.97
29	+*20567081	1.07
30	+*20198256	1.13
30B	*20810996	1.14
31	*20531078	1.09
32	*19660918	1.09
33	+*19419957	1.03
34	+*20531112	1.06
35	+*20531117	1.15
36	*20531095	1.08
37	*20362999	1.18
38	*20531090	1.04
39	+*20531107	1.12
40	*20214199	1.04
40B	+*20753517	1.14
41	+*20613862	0.96
41B	+*20829737	1.16
42	*20650124	1.13
43	+*20640375	1.10
44	*20651706	1.15
45	*19543604	0.99
45A	*20940665	1.05
46	+*19786406	1.01
47	+*20347747	1.00
49	*20810995	1.24
50	*20038741	0.96
51	*20531075	1.07
52	+*19630858	1.08