

Cross Reference Status Codes

Natural service bulls = Includes all dairy bulls with daughters entering the USDA sire summary system, but which had not been reported as having semen collected.

Collected (C) = A dairy bull which has had semen collected and/or been assigned an NAAB code, but semen has not been released.

Progeny-test (P) = A dairy bull whose semen has been distributed to 10 or more herds for a progeny test but is waiting for progeny data to be included in his evaluation.

Genomically tested (G) = A dairy bull which has been genotyped and is at least 12 months of age whose semen will be marketed.

Active AI Sire (A) = A dairy bull, progeny tested in the United States, with a CDCB published genetic evaluation, or a dairy bull progeny tested outside the United States, with an official CDCB evaluation, must be listed as an active AI sire, provided the bull's semen is routinely available in the U.S. AI domestic market. It is further provided that for a Holstein bull to be eligible as an Active AI sire, at least 750 units of semen must have been sold from central inventory during the immediate six months, or his semen is being made available for the first time.

Foreign (F) = A dairy bull which does not qualify for the Active status but has an Interbull genetic evaluation and his semen is routinely available in the United States at the current published price.

Limited (L) = A dairy bull with a CDCB published genetic evaluation and semen is available in limited amounts (less than the requirement for Active status). The bull may be either alive or dead.

Inactive (I) = A dairy bull which has had semen released, but semen is no longer available for sale. This status includes bulls which have died and no longer have semen available, or bulls which are alive but semen is not available.