

Missouri Angus Breeders' Futurity Policy and Rules

Updated October 2020



- 1) A maximum of five entries per membership in the Missouri Angus Association may be consigned.
 - a. Entries can consist of up to five females or a combination of bulls and females with no more than three bulls per consignor. For each bull consigned after the first, there must be one female consigned as well.
- 2) All bulls over 15 months of age must have a passing semen test at the time of the sale. All bulls under 15 months of age that sell without a passing semen test at time of sale must be guaranteed to pass a semen test by the time they reach 15 months of age.
- 3) All non-virgin bulls and all bulls over 24 months of age must have a negative test for trichomoniasis.
- 4) The maximum age of bulls and females to sell is 30 months at the time of sale.
- 5) No animals allowed in the barn prior to 8:00 a.m. on Thursday morning before the sale.
- 6) All cattle must be accompanied by signed valid registration certificates, not internet printouts or pulled up on electronic devices.
- 7) All cattle must have appropriate health papers within 30 days of the sale date.
- 8) All entries will be charged a \$100 entry fee with the entry fee being paid by the December entry deadline. Entries will not be cataloged if entry fee is not paid.
- 9) All entries must be registered by the December entry deadline.
- 10) All entries must be **AMF** (Arthrogryposis Multiplex Free), **NHF** (Neuropathic hydrocephalus Free), **CAF** (Contractural Arachnodactyly Free), **D2F** (PRKG2 Dwarfism Mutation Free), **OSF** (Osteopetrosis Free) and **M1F** (Myostatin nt821) or have no potential carriers in the pedigree, this includes all service sires as well. It is recommended that cattle at risk for **DD** (Developmental Duplication) should be tested; **DDC** (DD Carrier) cattle are eligible to sell. Cattle with **OH** (Oculocutaneous Hypopigmentation) are eligible to sell.
- 11) In addition to the rules above, all cattle sell under the standard terms and conditions of the American Angus Association. Those rules can be found at:
http://www.angus.org/Pub/suggested_sale_terms.pdf
- 12) New rule for 2021: There will be no show in 2021 and therefore, sale order will be determined by an appointed committee. Cattle will not be weighed in 2021.