



# Performance Report

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## ▣ IBEP 2007 Summer Test Feldun-Purdue Ag Center, Bedford, Ind. 91-day report (Aug. 21)

The test index for the Indiana Beef Evaluation Program (IBEP) is 60% average daily gain (ADG) ratio and 40% weight per day of age (WDA) ratio.

**High-ADG and high-indexing Angus**—Lot 17; owner: Bill Washburn, Olney, Ill.; sire: SAV 8180 Traveler 004; ADG: 4.40 lb.; ADG ratio: 128; WDA: 3.71 lb.; WDA ratio: 122; wt.: 1,160 lb.; test index: 126

**High-WDA Angus**—Lot 57; owner: Alcoa Land, Grandview, Ind.; sire: Mytty In Focus; ADG: 4.12 lb.; ADG ratio: 120; WDA: 3.74 lb.; WDA ratio: 123; wt.: 1,235 lb.; test index: 121

**Angus averages (67 head)**—ADG: 3.43 lb.; WDA: 3.05 lb.; wt.: 1,129 lb.

Qualifying bulls will sell Oct. 20 at the Springville Feeder Auction, Springville, Ind. The sale will be in conjunction with the Springville Feeder Auction Association's Bred Heifer Sale.

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## ▣ LSU 98th Beef Bull Evaluation Test Dean Lee Research Station, Alexandria, La. 84-day report (Aug. 28)

Fifty-eight bulls representing three breeds and nine breeders were weighed Aug. 28 for Louisiana State University's (LSU's) 98th Beef Bull Evaluation Test. The test features 18 Angus, 20 Charolais and 20 Hereford bulls. The cattle are being group-fed in 10 pens. Weights will be taken at 28-day intervals throughout the 112-day test. The bulls averaged 3.01 lb. ADG during the last 28 days.

**High-ADG Angus**—Lot 15; owner: Earl Lemoine, Lone Wolf Land Co. LLC, Moreauville, La.; sire: Lone Wolf New Design 74; ADG: 4.10 lb.; wt.: 950 lb.

**Angus averages (18 head)**—ADG: 3.33 lb.; wt.: 965 lb.

**Overall averages (59 head)**—ADG: 3.24 lb.; wt.: 942 lb.

Weights for the final progress report were to be taken Sept. 21. There will not be a sale at the conclusion of this test. For more information contact Danny Coombs, professor, at 318-473-6528 or dcoombs@agcenter.lsu.edu. Information is also available on the web site at [www.lsuagcenter.com/](http://www.lsuagcenter.com/)

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## ▣ OBI Angus Test No. 71 Stillwater, Okla. 84-day report (Sept. 7)

One-hundred-seventy bulls were weighed for Angus Test No. 71 being conducted at Oklahoma Beef Inc. (OBI). This test features bulls born in September-October 2006.

**High-ADG Angus**—Lot 397; owner: Preston Nunley-Bill Nunley, Marlow, Okla.; sire: Rito 2V1 of 2536 1407; ADG: 6.15 lb.; ADG ratio: 133; WDA: 3.57 lb.; WDA ratio: 110; wt.: 1,265 lb.

**High-WDA Angus (tie)**—Lot 361; owner: H&H Land and Cattle Co. LLC, Vinita, Okla.; sire: H&H L&C Phoenix 3030; ADG: 4.82 lb.; ADG ratio: 104; WDA: 4.06 lb.; WDA ratio: 124; wt.: 1,310 lb.

**High-WDA Angus (tie)**—Lot 315; owner: Spur Ranch, Vinita, Okla.; sire: Spur Focus 9095; ADG: 5.11 lb.; ADG ratio: 110; WDA: 4.05 lb.; WDA ratio: 124; wt.: 1,425 lb.

**Angus averages (170 head)**—ADG: 4.63 lb.; WDA: 3.26 lb.; wt.: 1,142 lb.

The bulls were to be weighed off test Oct. 5 for the 112-day test. For more information contact Tim Stidham, station manager, at okbeef@ionet.net or 405-744-9287 or 405-624-1181; Mikalena Randazzo at mikalena.randazzo@okstate.edu; and Tiffani Pruitt at tiffani.pruitt@okstate.edu. Information and weight reports are available on the test web site, [www.ansi.okstate.edu/exten/OBI](http://www.ansi.okstate.edu/exten/OBI).

## ▣ 38th Calhoun Bull Evaluation Program Calhoun Bull Evaluation Center, Calhoun, Ga. 28-day report (Aug. 21)

The 38th Calhoun Bull Evaluation Program collected 28-day weights Aug. 21.

**High-ADG and high-WDA Angus**—Lot 34; owner: Lemmon Cattle Enterprises, Woodbury, Ga.; sire: Schurrtop MC 2500; ADG: 5.36 lb.; ADG ratio: 143; WDA: 3.86 lb.; WDA ratio: 122; wt.: 1,270 lb.

**Angus averages (69 head)**—ADG: 3.75 lb.; WDA: 3.17 lb.; wt.: 965 lb.

**Overall averages (101 head)**—ADG: 3.65 lb.; WDA: 3.17 lb.; wt.: 953 lb.

Qualifying bulls will be eligible to sell in the test sale Dec. 7. Visitors are invited to the station at any time. For more information contact Timothy Wilson, Extension animal scientist, at 706-624-1403 or twilson@uga.edu or visit the test web site at [www.tifton.uga.edu/pc-web](http://www.tifton.uga.edu/pc-web).

## ▣ 51st Annual Cal Poly Bull Test San Luis Obispo, Calif. 85-day report (Aug. 18)

The test index for the 51st Annual Cal Poly Bull Test is 50% ADG ratio + 50% WDA ratio. It is a 105-day test. The test features three divisions — a general Angus division, a low-birth-weight (low-BW) division and a multi-trait division.

**High-ADG and high-indexing low-BW Angus**—Lot 20; owner: Crown Angus, Sanger, Calif.; sire: Bon-View New Design 1407; ADG: 5.34 lb.; ADG ratio: 144; WDA: 3.29 lb.; WDA ratio: 108; wt.: 1,203 lb.; test index: 126

**High-WDA low-BW Angus**—Lot 73; owner: Yolo Land and Cattle Co., Woodland, Calif.; sire: VAR New Design 4167; ADG: 3.59 lb.; ADG ratio: 97; WDA: 3.59 lb.; WDA ratio: 117; wt.: 1,134 lb.; test index: 107

**High-ADG multi-trait Angus**—Lot 92; owner: Century Farm Black Angus, Cottage Grove, Ore.; sire: Rito 111 of 2536 Rito 616; ADG: 5.02 lb.; ADG ratio: 132; WDA: 3.27 lb.; WDA ratio: 111; wt.: 1,248 lb.; test index: 122

**High-WDA and high-indexing multi-trait Angus**—Lot 75; owner: Yolo Land and Cattle Co.; sire: BC Matrix; ADG: 4.62 lb.; ADG ratio: 122; WDA: 3.75 lb.; WDA ratio: 128; wt.: 1,275 lb.; test index: 125

**High-ADG Angus**—Lot 29; owner: Cal Poly State University, San Luis Obispo; sire: Boyd On Target 1083; ADG: 5.05 lb.; ADG ratio: 129; WDA: 3.58 lb.; WDA ratio: 112; wt.: 1,200 lb.; test index: 120

**High-WDA and high-indexing Angus**—Lot 106; owner: CK Angus, Potter Valley, Calif.; sire: Boyd On Target 1083; ADG: 4.94 lb.; ADG ratio: 126; WDA: 3.78 lb.; WDA ratio: 118; wt.: 1,270 lb.; test index: 122

**Low-BW Angus averages (55 head)**—ADG: 3.72 lb.; WDA: 2.98 lb.; wt.: 1,027 lb.

**Multi-trait Angus averages (46 head)**—ADG: 3.79 lb.; WDA: 3.06 lb.; wt.: 1,052 lb.

**Angus averages (65 head)**—ADG: 3.92 lb.; WDA: 3.15 lb.; wt.: 1,070 lb.

Bulls were to be weighed off test Sept. 1, with qualifying bulls eligible to sell in the test sale Oct. 7.

For more information, contact Mike Hall, beef cattle specialist, at 805-756-2685 or mhall@calpoly.edu. Information is also available on the test web site, <http://bulltest.lib.calpoly.edu>.

