

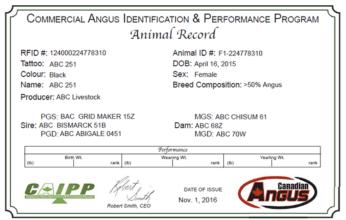
# **Commercial Angus Identification and Performance Program**

#### What is CAIPP?

The Commercial Angus Identification and Performance Program (CAIPP) is an initiative based on our Angus Tag program to provide pedigree and performance data to commercial producers that they can use to make selection decisions and market their cattle. The program is designed to enable producers to record pedigree and performance information on crossbred cattle and to record feeder calf performance at the farm, feedlot, and packing plant. Producers will have access to Parent Verification, Animal Records, Performance Endorsements, a Sire Summary, and In-Herd Indexes of calves as shown below.

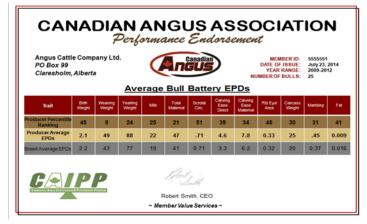
## Commercial Pedigree & Performance Record

Includes information about an animal's pedigree and any performance data that is available.



#### Performance Endorsement

Provides an average of your bull battery EPDs over the last four years.



#### **In-herd Indexes**

Provides a comparison between animals and ranks them by trait against other animals in their contemporary group.

Calf	Adjusted Weight	A.D.G.	Index	Rank
Steer 1	1169	3.11	103	4/6
Steer 2	1268	3.30	110	3/6
Steer 3	1243	3.33	111	2/6
Steer 4	1307	3.59	119	1/6
Steer 5	1076	2.22	74	6/6
Steer 6	1135	2.50	83	5/6

### Sire Summary

Identifies how many calves, by sex, each sire has produced and the performance information on the group.



#### Added Value Angus Tags

As an Angus Tag user you can now record your Angus-tagged calves with pedigree and performance information. You will also be able to record other information such as growth rates on the farm and in the feedlot, as well as carcass quality. CAIPP provides linkage and communication from the purebred breeder to the commercial cattlemen, feedlots and on to the packing plant. This program adds value by providing producers with valuable tools that can be used to make genetic selection decisions and to market their calves. It will also help producers, feedlots, and packers source high quality cattle.

If you have any questions please contact us; we want to help you succeed with CAIPP!

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