

SmartCross[®] Certification

9-27-04

I, the undersigned producer, certify that the calves being delivered under this agreement have met the following requirements to qualify as SmartCross[®] calves.

1. 75% or more of the calves must be sired by registered Gelbvieh, registered Balancer[®] or registered Gelbvieh x Angus hybrid bulls out of Angus-based (50% or more of herd is Angus) cows (red or black).

2. Calves must be vaccinated (check one) using one of the following vaccination programs.

VAC 34

- Cattle must be vaccinated while on the cow two to four weeks prior to shipping with IBR, BVD, P13, BRSV, 7 or 8 way Clostridial and Pasteurella Haemolytica.

VAC 45

- Cattle must be vaccinated prior to or at weaning, with IBR, BVD, P13, BRSV and Pasteurella Haemolytica and boosted 14-28 days later.
- 7- or 8-way Clostridial must be given once.
- Cattle must be weaned a minimum of 45 days prior to shipping.

3. Producers must follow Beef Quality Assurance guidelines by giving all injections in the neck.

Agreement: I attest that the above information is true to the best of my knowledge. While I understand that every reasonable attempt will be made to accurately collect and report information, I agree not to hold the American Gelbvieh Association liable for any lost or incorrect data. I further agree to allow the American Gelbvieh Association to use all information collected.

Producer: _____ **Date:** _____

Please ship the tags to:		
Name _____	Phone _____	
Address _____	Email _____	
City _____	State _____	Zip _____
Please add my calves to the free Feeder Fax and free Feeder Calf Web page. Yes No		
I plan to market my calves off the ranch/ video/ auction barn (date)_____.		
Please send the bill to:	Beginning Birthdate: _____ Ending Birthdate: _____	Registration #'s of Sires

Fax this certification form to the American Gelbvieh Association at 303-465-2339.

EID tags are required at value-added sales at Joplin Regional Stockyards.

Management tag:

Select blank tags and add your own number or pre-printed tags with glossy black numbers.

- [Option 1: Blank area for within herd ID.](#) (Producer creates the numbers.) (\$1.00)
- [Option 1 with EID:](#) Option 1 and an EID tag with matching unique number. (\$3.04)
- [Option 2: Sequential numbers starting with number](#) (up to 5 letters and numbers) (\$1.00)
- [Option 2 with EID:](#) Option 2 and an EID tag with matching unique number. (\$3.04)

Marketing tag:

Select marketing tags to differentiate your calves when you sell.

- [Option 3: May add an optional prefix or ranch name](#) (up to 12 spaces and letters). (\$1.00)
- [Option 3 with EID:](#) Option 3 with an EID tag with matching unique number. (\$3.04)

	# of Tags		Price/Tag	=	Total	
Option 1:	_____	x	\$1.00	=	_____	+ S & H
Option 1 w/ EID	_____	x	\$3.04	=	_____	+ S & H
Option 2:	_____	x	\$1.00	=	_____	+ S & H
Option 2 w/ EID	_____	x	\$3.04	=	_____	+ S & H
Option 3:	_____	x	\$1.00	=	_____	+ S & H
Option 3 w/ EID	_____	x	\$3.04	=	_____	+ S & H

Send an Allflex tag applicator (\$16)? Yes No

Marketing Your SmartCross[®] tagged calves.

SmartBuy[®] - SmartCross calves are a “smart buy” by blending an optimal combination of Gelbvieh and Angus (red or black) to improve dry matter conversion and cost of gain over straightbred calves. Another feeder calf buyer incentive includes \$2/tagged calf from AGA. See the SmartBuy[®] brochure for details.

AGA Feeder Fax – FREE

AGA Feeder Calf Listing – FREE

AGA Replacement Female Listing – FREE

AGA Gelbvieh-influenced Feeder Calf Sales – FREE (SmartCross[®] tagged calves have brought \$5-\$15/hd over commodity cattle at some sales.)

AGA Gelbvieh Alliance – Use this grid with Swift and Co for only \$1/hd.

AGA Carcass Incentive - Swift and Co will add \$0.50/cwt for the first 1000 SmartCross[®] tagged calves harvested at Swift and Co.

Fax this tag order to the American Gelbvieh Association at 303-465-2339.