

2004 AJSA Regional Sire Summary Quiz A

Junior Division

1. What is the standard number of days of age weaning weight EPD is adjusted to?
 - a. 205 days
 - b. 365 days
 - c. 450 days
 - d. None of the above

2. Percent Retail Cuts EPDs are used to make advances in _____.
 - a. Quality Grade
 - b. Carcass Weight
 - c. USDA Yield Grade
 - d. None of the above

3. True or False. All Simbrah sires in the Sire Summary have published carcass EPDs.
 - a. True
 - b. False

4. True or False. The paternal grandsire of NBI GB Stocky is Emmons Black Hercules.
 - a. True
 - b. False

5. In the ASA Sire Summary, what does the acronym SD stand for?
 - a. Syndactyly Carrier
 - b. Standard Deviation
 - c. Simmental Deviation
 - d. None of the above

Use the following bulls on page 81 to answer questions 6-14.

- a. STF Too Red G64
 - b. SV Bavarian 7C
 - c. SV Shamrock K072
 - d. SVF Cracker Barrel L011
6. Which bull is the oldest?

 7. Which bull should sire the most growth?

8. Which bull is the easy choice to breed to a group of virgin heifers?
9. Between Shamrock and Cracker Barrel, which bulls daughters should be more moderate for mature size?
10. All of these bulls are designated as purebreds except _____.
11. Which bull is owned by a member of the Canadian Simmental Association?
12. Which bull should sire the highest percentage of choice carcasses?
13. Which bull's birth weight EPD is least likely to change as more birth weight data is recorded?
14. Which bull's daughters might you expect to have the greatest difficulty calving?
15. The WBSF EPD is best used to improve what trait?
 - a. Tenderness
 - b. Marbling
 - c. Disposition
 - d. Growth
16. True or False. It is easier to make genetic progress for growth traits than for reproductive traits.
 - a. True
 - b. False
17. True or False. Black bulls always sire calves with more marbling than red bulls.
 - a. True
 - b. False
18. The breed average for Simmental Non-Parent Bulls for Weaning Weight EPD is always around zero.
 - a. True
 - b. False
19. What University is responsible for providing the genetic evaluation for the ASA?
 - a. Cornell
 - b. Iowa State
 - c. University of Tennessee
 - d. University of Georgia

Use the following Simbrah bulls on page 91 to answer questions 20-25.

- a. RR Sensation F446
- b. RX Becherovka D422
- c. SCC Catalyst J227
- d. Smokin Joe SF/107

- 20. Which bull should sire daughters with the least ability to wean heavy calves?
- 21. Which bull is expected to sire the most tender beef?
- 22. Which bull is the most highly proven in the ASA database?
- 23. Which bull a trait leader for the most traits?
- 24. Which bull is not a purebred Simbrah?
- 25. Which bull has not been Karyotyped?