



CRUSH SIDE SEMEN EVALUATION

Instructions to Vets & AI Technicians

**Minimum standard required for National Hereford Show & Sale
(Wodonga).**

1 - sample to be superficially free of blood and other contaminants including pus and flocculants.

2 - at least 30% of sperm to demonstrate progressive forward motility under the microscope

Notes.

- (a) At the show & sale venue each bull will be subject to scrotal and testicular examination (including measurement and palpation) by the veterinarians appointed by the Management Committee with the opinion of the veterinarians on the day overriding any soundness certificate or semen report provided by the vendor.
- (b) If an unsatisfactory semen sample is collected at crush- side, the attending veterinarian or technician is advised to re-test the bull after 1 hour as the first sample collected from a sexually inactive bull may not be a representative sample. Furthermore, if the attending veterinarian or technician has doubt about the crush-side test result he/she is advised to request a laboratory examination of sperm morphology from:

**ChenoVet Pty Ltd
45 Commercial Street
WALLA WALLA NSW 2659
0427 186 421**



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SEMEN EVALUATION REPORT

(Semen test to be carried out not more than 70 days prior to date of sale of bull)

(One (1) semen evaluation report form per entry)

Owner.....

Date Semen Tested.....

Left Tattoo	Right Tattoo	Collection Method	Colour	Density	Motile	Progressively %*

Notes:

*Progressively Motile %

- P (Pass) if > 30% Minimum accepted for natural mating
- ✓ (Tick) if > 60% Minimum accepted if semen is required for freezing

Attending Veterinarian or AI Technician is requested to check the tattoo identification in both ears of each animal presented for semen test.

The tattoo as observed is to be recorded on this form. If an animal presented for testing cannot be clearly identified, instruct the owner to seek advice from Herefords Australia Limited

The configuration of the tattoo is to be as follows:

- Breeder Code: 3 Alpha or Alpha/Numeric characters
- Year of Birth Code: M = 2016, N = 2017, P = 2018
- Calf Number: 3 numeric characters eg. 001...011...123

This form must be lodged on iCompete by 14 April 2023

It is acceptable for the breeder code to appear in one ear and the year code and calf number to appear in the other ear.

VETERINARIAN OR AI TECHNICIAN

SIGNATURE OF TECHNICIAN

OWNERSIGNATURE OF OWNER