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98 YEARS OF ANGUS GENETICS BY THE

Hoover Family



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POTENTIAL FIFTH GENERATION
GWEN & TY LIVINGSTON

Tuesday at Noon
FEBRUARY 3, 2026

AT THE HOOVER ANGUS SALE FACILITY
NORTH OF TINGLEY, IOWA

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HOOVER ANGUS

98TH ANNIVERSARY

THIRTY-SIXTH ANNUAL PRODUCTION SALE
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2026 12:00 NOON CST

at the Hoover Angus Sale Facility North of Tingley, Iowa

Sale Day Phones - Landi: 641-344-7684 Joy: 641-344-3234 Andrew: (load out) 641-223-3271

- 200 HEAD SELL -

* 87 Spring Coming Yearling Bulls, p. 4-35 * 23 Fall Bulls, p. 36-45

* 50 Spring Bred Heifers, p. 46-65 * 27 Fall Bred Heifers, p. 65-76 * 12 Open Heifers, p. 76-81

Storm Date: Wednesday, February 4. Listen to 101.3 FM Creston Radio or visit www.hooverangus.com for weather announcement.

Location: See outside back cover.

Accommodations: Mount Ayr Inn (Mount Ayr), 641-464-3500 (closest to sale location); Supertel Inn (Creston) 641-782-7873; Quality Inn (Creston) 641-243-4977.

Trucking: If notified ahead of time or at conclusion of sale, Hoover Angus will assist in finding reliable trucking. For females close to calving: please arrange trucking prior to purchase as long-distance hauling may not be available immediately following the sale. Transportation costs are the responsibility of the buyer.

Herd Health: Cattle will have proper health papers available. For out-of-state buyers, please be aware of your state's health testing requirements (if any) for imports. All bred females are ultrasound safe with calf. Ultrasound dates are approximate with no guarantee of an AI calf. We have tried to determine AI or natural calf to the best of our ability. Bulls will be tested prior to the sale. Please check back closer to sale date for a list of bulls awaiting a passing semen test. If buyer takes bull home sale day, semen check is recommended prior to turnout. The herd practices a calfhood vaccination program. Dams of all animals in this sale have been tested negative for Johne's disease on a yearly basis. We use clean needle procedures whereby a sterile needle is used for every injection. Hoover Angus has begun a BVD testing program, and all animals born at Hoover Angus in 2023-2025 were tested negative for the disease.

Insurance: Insurance is encouraged and will be available sale day.

Terms and Conditions: Cash or good check. Registration certificates will be transferred to new owner(s) after payment is made in full. All cattle will sell according to the terms and conditions of the American Angus Association, a copy of which may be picked up in the office sale day. Except for those stated in the American Angus Association Suggested Sale Terms and Conditions, there are no warranties either expressed or implied, as to merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose, with respect to the cattle being sold at this auction. The warranties and guarantees set forth in the "Suggested Sale Terms and Conditions" are in lieu of all other warranties, either expressed or

implied and the remedies provided therein shall be the sole and exclusive remedy of the buyer, or any party claiming through the buyer, for any breach or warranty or guarantee therein provided and all other obligations or liabilities. Under no circumstances will Hoover Angus be liable for more than the net purchase price (purchase price minus salvage value) of the animal.

Lunch: A Certified Angus Beef® lunch will be served.

Inspection of Sale Cattle: Cattle may be seen any time at the farm prior to the sale; cattle will move to the sale location on Sunday, February 1. Please call Landi at 641-344-7684 to view the cattle prior to sale day.

Liability: All persons who attend this sale do so at their own risk, legal or otherwise. The owner and the sale staff assume no liability for property loss or any accidents that may occur.

NOTE: Please read about our bull boarding policy on page 1. EPD's printed current as of December 5, 2025.

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Sale Book
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Announcements from the block take precedence sale day.

Auctioneer:

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Please use directions on back cover.



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WELCOME TO OUR 98TH ANNIVERSARY SALE!

It is an honor to have you interested in our genetics! The beef industry had a year for the record books in 2025, and 2026 is beginning with the same enthusiasm. America's cow herd doesn't rebuild overnight, and we know that tight supply + high demand = excellent prices. It is a great time to be a beef producer!

The optimism in our industry is leading us to a herd-building time in America's beef cattle herd, and with that in mind, we have more bulls this year that were designed with the primary goals of retaining replacement daughters and selling feeder steers. These bulls are certainly adequate in their growth, but lean more towards the maternal side than extreme growth and chart-topping carcass. *The 110 bulls to sell average a \$Maternal (\$M) in the best 10-15% of the breed and 16 have a \$M in or above the best 1% of the breed.* The foundational cow families that have built Hoover Angus rank very favorably in the majority of the traits found in the \$M index.

Speaking of foundational cow families, this sale marks a historical landmark for our family. There is a female selling that is a 20th generation Hoover-bred female to be bred, born, and raised by 4 generations of the Hoover family! Most animals selling have been at Hoover Angus for 10+ generations. This has allowed us to concentrate on the traits that are of importance to our customers. Certainly calving ease, growth, and docility come to the top of the list, but we strive to provide our customers with well-rounded, profitable genetics that optimize the important traits of beef cattle production.

This catalog is filled with loads of data – data with you in mind that allows you to make the best, most informed selection decisions to improve your herd. Further data such as yearling data and a fall heifer calving update will be posted on our website closer to sale time. Our commitment to the accurate collection and submission of phenotypic data continues – Hoover Angus was honored as one of 20 herds in the nation to receive the inaugural AHIR Data Driven Herd "Gold" Award in 2025. Hoover Angus submitted ½ of 1% of all data points received by the AAA in 2025!

We invite you to come look at the sale cattle, their dams, and any herd bulls we have on-site any day prior to the sale. Please call Landi at 641-344-7684 and we will show you the cattle. As a token of our appreciation, we'll give a \$100 credit toward your total purchase if you come view the cattle prior to sale day and then make a purchase.

As always, we try to be prompt with the start of our sale. We will give away the John Kiburz Memorial Scholarship at 11:45 followed by pre-sale commentary in order to get the auction underway at 12:00. Videos will be available on www.dvauction.com (as well as a link on our website) mid-January, and information on how to view the videos by using the QR code with each lot can be found on page 2.

Thank you for your interest in Hoover Angus genetics. We very much appreciate our customers who allow us to continue the Hoover tradition!

The Hoover Angus Family

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BULL BOARDING

Sale Bulls

Take your bull(s) sale day or Wednesday, February 4 directly from the Hoover Angus Sale Facility to receive a **\$100** discount per bull! Females not included in this discount. Trucking is the responsibility of the buyer, but we can assist in finding reliable transportation if requested.

OR

We will board bulls free of charge until May 1. Bulls must be picked up on or before May 1. On May 1, we bring in 250 females to begin AI, and our lot space cannot accommodate cycling females next to bulls of breeding age. *Bulls left after May 1 will be assessed a \$5/day room and board fee.*

Sale Females

We are extremely appreciative of females that leave from the sale site by Wednesday, February 4 with their new owners or reliable trucking. On the morning of Sunday, February 1, sale cattle are walked to the sale facility. That afternoon we bring in ~150 heavy females to calve in our lots, and therefore our lot space cannot accommodate sale females coming back to the farm. If the forecast predicts inclement weather for sale day, please talk to Landi in advance if transportation may be a challenge. For females close to calving: please arrange trucking prior to purchase as long-distance may not be available immediately following the sale.

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GUIDE TO DATA AND EPDS

Individual Performance:

- Actual birth weight on a scale
- Weaning Weight, adjusted to 205 days/Wean Ratio. A ratio expresses how the animal compared to herd mates in the same contemporary group.
- Yearling Weight adjusted to 365 days/Yearling Ratio
- IMF score adjusted to a year/IMF ratio
- Ribeye adjusted to a year/Ribeye ratio
- Scrotal – for yearling bulls, this measurement will be available sale day and will be their scrotal measurement adjusted to a year of age. For fall bulls, this measurement was taken in December.

BW	1
ADJ. 205/WR	2
ADJ. 365/YR	3
%IMF/Ratio	4
RE/Ratio	5
Scrotal	6

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25

EPDs and \$Value Definitions

- CEP – Calving Ease Direct EPD** is expressed as a difference in percentage of unassisted births, with a higher value indicating greater calving ease in first-calf heifers. It predicts the average difference in ease with which a sire's calves will be born when he is bred to first calf heifers.
- BW – Birth Weight EPD**, expressed in pounds, is a predictor of an animal's ability to transmit birth weight to their progeny compared to that of other animals. As the BW EPD gets larger, so do the expected birth weights of the progeny.
- WW – Weaning Weight EPD**, expressed in pounds, is a predictor of an animal's ability to transmit weaning growth to their progeny compared to that of other animals. As the WW EPD gets larger, so do the expected weaning weights of the progeny.
- YW – Yearling Weight EPD**, expressed in pounds, is a predictor of an animal's ability to transmit yearling growth to progeny compared to that of other animals.
- YH – Yearling Height EPD** is a predictor of the animal's ability to transmit yearling height, expressed in inches, compared to that of other animals. Larger values indicate larger frame.
- Scrotal Circumference EPD**, expressed in centimeters, is a predictor of the difference in transmitting ability for scrotal size compared to that of other animals.
- CEM – Calving Ease Maternal EPD** is expressed as a difference in percentage of unassisted births with a higher value indicating greater calving ease in first-calf daughters. It predicts the average ease with which a sire's daughters will calve as first-calf heifers when compared to daughters of other sires.
- Milk – Maternal Milk EPD** is a predictor of an animal's genetic merit for milk and mothering ability in their daughters. In other words, it is that part of a calf's weaning weight attributed to milk and mothering ability.
- DOC – Docility EPD** is expressed as a difference in yearling cattle temperament, with a higher value indicating more favorable docility.
- HS – Hair Shed EPD** is a predictor of an animal's genetic merit to shed their winter coat earlier in the spring. Lower EPDs are more favorable, and increase the environmental adaptability of cattle living in heat stressed or endophyte-infected (hot) fescue areas.
- Claw – Claw Set EPD** is a predictor of foot (claw) shape, with a lower EPD being more favorable indicating an animal will produce progeny with more ideal foot shape. The ideal claw set is toes that are symmetrical, even and appropriately shaped.
- Angle – Foot Angle EPD** is a predictor of foot angle and toe length, with a lower EPD being more favorable, indicating an animal will produce progeny with more ideal foot angles. The ideal is a 45-degree angle at the pastern joint with appropriate toe length and heel depth.
- MB – Marbling EPD** express as a fraction of the difference in USDA marbling score of an animal's progeny compared to progeny of other animals.
- RE – Ribeye Area EPD**, expressed in square inches, is a predictor of the difference in ribeye area of an animal's progeny compared to progeny of other animals.
- Fat – Fat Thickness EPD**, expressed in inches, is a predictor of the differences in external fat thickness at the 12th rib (as measured between the 12th and 13th ribs) of an animal's progeny compared to progeny of other sires. This EPD is a carcass trait, and not a measure of maternal fleshing ability.
- \$M – Maternal Weaned Calf Value**, an index, expressed in dollars per head, predicts profitability differences from conception to weaning with the underlying breeding objective assuming that individuals retain their own replacement females within herd and sell the rest of the cull female and all male progeny as feeder calves. The model assumes commercial producers will replace 25% of their breeding females in the first generation and 20% of their breeding females in each subsequent generation. Traits included are as follows: CED, CEM, WW, Milk, HP, Doc, MW, Claw, Angle, Teat, Udder, and FL. **Landi recommends this index for most Hoover Angus customers who retain replacement daughters and sell feeder calves, as it is the most applicable index for such scenarios.**
- \$F – \$Feedlot Value**, an index, expressed in dollars per head, predicts profitability differences in progeny due to genetics for postweaning feedlot merit compared to the progeny of others. The underlying objective assumes producers will retain ownership of cattle through the feedlot phase and sell fed cattle on a carcass weight basis, but with no consideration of premiums or discounts for quality and yield grade. Traits contributing directly to the index are as follows: yearling weight (gain), carcass weight and dry-matter intake.
- \$B – Beef Value**, a terminal index, expressed in dollars per carcass, predicts profitability differences in progeny due to genetics for postweaning and carcass traits. This index assumes commercial producers retain ownership of all male and female progeny through the feedlot phase and market these animals on a carcass grid. Traits included in the index are as follows: yearling weight, dry-matter intake, marbling, carcass weight, ribeye area and fat. No maternal traits are included in this index.
- \$C – Combined Value**, an index, express in dollars per head, includes all traits that make up both Maternal Weaned Calf Value (\$M) and Beef Value (\$B) with the objective that commercial producers will replace 20% of their breeding females per year with replacement heifers retained within their own herd. The remaining cull heifer and steer progeny are then assumed to be sent to the feedlot where the producers retain ownership of those cattle and sell them on a quality-based carcass merit grid. **\$C is heavily weighted toward the "terminal" traits found in \$B, and \$C has a .95 correlation to \$B.**

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	26	27	28	29	30	31
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	32	33	34	35	36	

Dam and Grandam's Production for cows active in the Hoover herd:

- BWR – Dam's birth weight ratio average on her progeny
- WWR – Dam's weaning weight ratio average on her progeny
- YWR – Dam's yearling weight ratio average on her progeny
- 29-30. Sons/Daughters @ Auction – Dam's number of sons and daughters sold in past Hoover Angus production sales and their average selling price.
31. Daughters in herd – Dam's number of daughters working in the herd and the average wean ratio of their calves. Ex: 2-102 means 2 daughters have an average 102 wean ratio on their progeny.
- 32-36. Grandam's production – same explanation as 26-30.

HOW (AND WHEN) TO USE THE QR CODES:

- The codes will not be activated until the videos of the sale animals have been posted, which will be mid-January – hopefully shortly after the catalog arrives in your mail box.
- Once the videos are done, the QR code in each lot space of this catalog will take you directly to the video of the corresponding lot. Closer to sale date, animals that are out of the sale will have their video removed.

Instructions:

Most smart phones come with built-in QR code-reading capability.

1. Open the camera on your smart phone.
2. Point your camera at the QR code in the catalog and then tap on the small yellow tab that appears.
3. The video of the bull will now play.

SCAN THE
QR CODE FOR
EACH LOT



MATERNAL PLUS

Among over 21,000 members of the American Angus Association, Hoover Angus is one of 3% of breeders in the Maternal Plus program. Maternal Plus is a “whole herd” reporting system whereby members must submit calving and weaning information on every cow every year.

Maternal Plus members are leaders in the submission of phenotypes, particularly of maternal importance, such as heifer breeding and preg check records (to help generate the Heifer Pregnancy EPD) and cow longevity data which includes detailed information on when and why cows exit the herd. This information is being used in the Functional Longevity EPD, which is a component of the \$Maternal index.

Sustained cow fertility and longevity are some of the most important profitability factors for the commercial cattleman, and likewise should be for the purebred breeder too! Maternal Plus herds are helping drive this quest to measure and improve fertility and longevity!



OPTIMUM VERSUS EXTREME HAS OUR INDUSTRY GONE TOO FAR, AGAIN?

A few years ago, I wrote a piece about “optimal” birth weights as we had noticed our industry using so many “extreme” calving ease bulls. Much of the industry has now realized that there truly is an optimal level of birth weight, as ultra low birth bulls generally sacrifice survivability, growth, thickness, bone, and overall do-ability.

Now, we see a portion of our industry seeking maximum growth and carcass traits. We often see sale-topping bulls that are maximizing growth and terminal traits. Bulls boasting extreme \$C Values (see my explanation of \$C on page 42) are now idolized like the extreme calving ease bulls of a decade ago. So what is the danger of high \$C? From our real-world, practical experience, we have found (as have many Angus breeders) there is a much higher fallout of these extreme growth and terminal-trait cattle than just good, solid growth cattle. What do I mean? We see more foot problems, increased structural problems, higher infertility, and a decreased “beef-type” look. Could this even be contributing to increasing levels of bovine congestive heart failure in what the USDA calls feeding operations of “well-managed, high genetic merit cattle”?

I liken this “optimum versus maximum” debate to my dad’s General Lee car. The souped-up engine in this car has some 700+ horse power. It’s a great thing to have if you are racing on the Bonneville Salt Flats, but for Tingley, Iowa, it’s not real practical. In fact, the General Lee overheats when doing a basic task, like driving in a parade – the engine wasn’t built for going 2 mph, it built for extreme speed. My farm truck would get smoked by the General Lee on the Salt Flats, but my truck gets me where I need to go 365 days a year on the farm. No matter if it is on ice, in mud, driving slow walking cows down the road, or rushing through the bumpy pasture to administer treatment to a sick calf – in any of these scenarios the General Lee would fail.

At Hoover Angus, we still like high performance cattle – after all, pay weight is the pay check for the vast majority of our customers. However, we believe that optimal is better than extreme and we strive to produce cattle that not only grow fast, but succeed at the normal, every day things ranchers need their cattle to do – successfully get pregnant, hold up structurally, and be long-lasting, to name a few. As breeders have vastly increased genetic merit for growth and carcass traits, breeders must remain cognizant that we are not just creating 700 hp engines to run on gravel roads of rural America.

**HOOVER MERCURY D86 -
LOT 1**



Blackcap Empress Ellston A53
Pictured at 8 months of age
Dam of Lots 1-3



Blkcp Empress Ellston V236
Grandam of Lots 1-3

1
BULL REG: +*21343524 TATTOO: D86 1/20/2025

*Basin Safe Deposit 9324	*Basin Deposit 6249	BW	83
*MEAD MERCURY	*Basin Joy 2006	ADJ. 205/WR	840/1111
*Mead Beauty V971	*Connealy Convoy	ADJ. 365/YR	
	Mead Beauty R523	%IMF/Ratio	
*MOGCK Empire 110	*MOGCK Fortress 517	RE/Ratio	
*BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON A53	*MOGCK Eraline 1748	Scrotal	
Blkcp Empress Ellston V236	*Baldridge Chairman		
	Blackcap Empress Ellston N23		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+6	+5	+89	+147	+5	+56	+14	+31	+24
		10%	15%			5%	20%	30%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+61	+34	+45	+71	+93	+008	+105	+108	+168	+323
		10%		25%		2%	25%		15%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-79	1-98	1-97	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	4-101	4-100	4-104	1-\$5250	None	

- * Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- * D86 is definitely one of the top phenotype bulls of the crop! He's thick, massive, big topped, and big hipped! He'll catch your eye every time you walk in the pen! D86 is recommended for large framed, well-developed heifers or cows.
- * D86 offers one of the top CEM EPDs among the bulls selling!



Lot 1 (front) and Lot 10 (rear) this summer prior to weaning

- * Flush brothers sell as Lots 2-3 and flush sister D106 will lead-off the open heifer sale – Lot 200. She is a 16th generation bred, born, and raised Hoover female and has the highest WW and YW EPDs in the sale!
- * Dam A53 is a picture-perfect uddered female selected to be a donor at an unusually young age for Hoover Angus.
- * Grandam V236 is a beautiful female whose son that was the 11th top weaning weight bull of his crop works for Justin Ellsworth. Her other daughter that was the 3rd top weaning weight, 2nd top yearling weight, and 3rd top ribeye scanning female of her crop was retained in the herd and is raising her first calf now.
- * Great grandam N23 was a highly productive cow that brought in a good calf every year. For her high weaning ratios, she was the herd's 6th top indexing cow at the time a severe cut to her udder meant she would be unable to raise another calf.
- * N23's sons have sold to Diamond J Angus Ranch, the 3rd top weaning weight bull of his crop, and Russell & Sharon Kelley, the 10th top weaning weight bull of his crop.
- * Search this pedigree back past N23 and you will find that three of the next four generations of dams have earned Pathfinder honors!



HOOVER MERCURY D87 - LOT 2



Blkcp Empress Ellston D106
Flush Sister to Lots 1-3
Sells as Lot 200



Blackcap Empress Ellston D93
Candid picture at 7 months of age
Flush sister to Lots 1-3

2
BULL **HOOVER MERCURY D87**
REG: +*21343525 TATTOO: D87 1/21/2025

+*Basin Safe Deposit 9324	+*Basin Deposit 6249	BW	69
*MEAD MERCURY	+*Basin Joy 2006	ADJ. 205/WR	775/103
*Mead Beauty V971	*Connealy Convoy	ADJ. 365/YR	
	Mead Beauty R523	%IMF/Ratio	
*MOGCK Empire 110	*MOGCK Fortress 517	RE/Ratio	
*BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON A53	*MOGCK Eraline 1748	Scrotal	
Blkcp Empress Ellston V236	*Baldridge Chairman		
	Blackcap Empress Ellston N23		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+6	-7	+77	+134	+6	+90	+13	+30	+25
	15%	30%	30%			10%	25%	25%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+46	+46	+38	+99	+1.07	+0.22	+88	+111	+186	+329
		15%	30%	15%		15%	25%	20%	15%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-79	1-98	1-97	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	4-101	4-100	4-104	1-\$5250	None	

* Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
 * D87 is a stout, level-topped, well-built, meaty bull! He is recommended for large framed heifers or cows.
 * D87 ties with the 6th top Ribeye EPD of the 110 bulls to sell! He has a very well-balanced set of EPDs.
 * Flush brother to Lots 1 and 3 - please see footnote under Lot 1.



3
BULL **HOOVER MERCURY D105**
REG: +*21343526 TATTOO: D105 1/25/2025

+*Basin Safe Deposit 9324	+*Basin Deposit 6249	BW	78
*MEAD MERCURY	+*Basin Joy 2006	ADJ. 205/WR	756/100
*Mead Beauty V971	*Connealy Convoy	ADJ. 365/YR	
	Mead Beauty R523	%IMF/Ratio	
*MOGCK Empire 110	*MOGCK Fortress 517	RE/Ratio	
*BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON A53	*MOGCK Eraline 1748	Scrotal	
Blkcp Empress Ellston V236	*Baldridge Chairman		
	Blackcap Empress Ellston N23		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+5	+1.4	+91	+153	+7	+83	+13	+23	+18
		5%	10%			10%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+57	+44	+47	+98	+94	+0.25	+81	+103	+175	+308
			30%	25%		20%		30%	20%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-79	1-98	1-97	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	4-101	4-100	4-104	1-\$5250	None	

* D105 is a long bodied, thick, level topped bull with a good scrotal size.
 * D105 has some of the top WW and YW EPDs in the sale and a really well-rounded set of EPDs! We recommend him for use on cows.
 * Flush brother to Lots 1-2 - please see footnote for Lot 1.



YEARLING BULLS



Blkcp Empress Ellston T184
Pathfinder Dam of Lot 4; Grandam of Lot 5



Blackcap Empress Ellston C73
Owned by Mill Coulee Angus
\$9500 Full Sister to Lot 4; Full Sister to the Dam of Lot 5



HOOVER GENERAL LEE D15 - LOT 4



Blackcap Empress Ellston B1
Pictured at 8 months of age
Full Sister to Lot 4;
Full Sister to the Dam of Lot 5



Hoover General Lee B5
Owned by Stortenbecker Farms
\$12,500 Full Brother to Lot 4;
Full Sister to the Dam of Lot 5

4 **HOOVER GENERAL LEE D15**
BULL REG: +*21343522 TATTOO: D15 1/1/2025

*Mohnen General 548	#*Baldridge Colonel C251	BW	72
*MOHNEN GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	787/104
Mohnen Jilt 1848	#*S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	
	#Mohnen Jilt 2504	%IMF/Ratio	
*Baldridge Chairman	*Fortunes Conquest 224	RE/Ratio	
*BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON T184	*Baldridge Isabel B061	Scrotal	
*Blackcap Empress Ellston R92	*Bruns Top Cut 373		
	Blkcp Empress Ellston L299		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+10	-5	+74	+125	+3	+1.04	+9	+30	+31
20%	20%						25%	4%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+44	+53	+40	+70	+87	+027	+110	+85	+143	+295
		20%		30%		1%			30%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-97	5-105	5-102	6-\$10,800	2-\$8750	3-105

* D15 is one of my favorites and an outlier for muscle since he was little! He is a really calm bull that is thick, easy fleshing, big hipped, big scrotaled, super long and has plenty of style. See him in person to truly appreciate his phenotypic presence!
* D15 is recommended for use on cows or heifers. Use him for a year or two on heifers, then move him to the position of main herd sire!



- * D15 ties as the 4th top Docility EPD bull to sell and has a \$Maternal index above the best 1% of the breed!
- * Pathfinder donor dam T184 is a 16th generation Blackcap Empress Ellston female to be bred, born, and raised by the Hoover family, starting with herd founder Walt Hoover!
- * T184 is the kind of cow that can knock it out of the park every year with her progeny. She's a low birth weight cow whose calves get right up and grow rapidly.
- * T184 had a superb calving interval of 357 days prior to holding her out of production for one season to flush her in the fall.
- * T184 was selected to serve as a donor because of her fertility, superior udder quality, and progeny performance – traits that run strong in this cow family. She's that extraordinary cow that can raise a whopper of a calf with a remarkably tidy udder! T184 has proven she has earned a spot among the most elite donors at Hoover Angus!
- * T184's first son was the #1 weaning weight bull of his crop, and the 2nd top-selling bull of our 2022 sale to repeat customer John Orr at \$20,000.
- * T184's next son was the 6th top weaning weight bull of his crop and sold for \$10,500 to long-time repeat customer Roger Cerven. He was super stout, slick haired, and long. More sons sold to Pat Hardy, LeRoy & Lane Stortenbecker, BJ & Wyatt Thompson, and a second son to Roger Cerven – all repeat customers. Thompson's bull was the #1 IMF bull of our sale!
- * Daughters of T184 work for Dan Olson and Mill Coulee Angus. A daughter in the Hoover herd raised the excellent Lot 5 bull.
- * T184 scanned an 8.76 IMF, ratio 201 to be the #1 IMF heifer of her crop! T184 records 16-114 IMF ratio.
- * Grandam R92 served as one of the herd's top IMF ratio cows with a whopping 5-133 IMF ratio! R92 maintained a 366 day calving interval.



HOOVER GALACTIC D48 - LOT 5



Hoover Creed A7
Owned by Jandel Ranch
\$20,000 Flush Brother to the Dam of Lot 6; Relative of Lots 7-22



Erica of Ellston A10
Owned by 3J Angus
\$10,000 Flush Sister to the Dam of Lot 6; Relative of Lots 7-22



Blackcap Empress Ellston B9
Candid picture at 7 months of age
Dam of Lot 5; Full Sister to Lot 4



Erica of Ellston A12
Owned by Oak Hollow Farm
\$10,000 Flush Sister to the Dam of Lot 6; Relative of Lots 7-22

5 **HOOVER GALACTIC D48**
BULL REG: *21343546 TATTOO: D48 1/12/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D	#*Mohnen Substantial 272	BW	76
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G	*SITZ Pride 200B	ADJ. 205/WR	851/110
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E	*Sitz Emblem 11125	ADJ. 365/YR	
*Mohnen General Lee	+*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z	%IMF/Ratio	
+*BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON B9	+*Mohnen General 548	RE/Ratio	
#*Bilcop Empress Ellston T184	Mohnen Jilt 1848	Scrotal	
	*Baldridge Chairman		
	*Blackcap Empress Ellston R92		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+7	+1.4	+84	+152	+1.0	+1.10	+11	+30	+22
		15%	10%	10%		25%	25%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+33	+45	+46	+64	+63	+012	+88	+99	+152	+285
25%						15%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-100	1-110		None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	5-97	5-105	5-102	6-\$10,800	2-\$8750	

- * Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- * D48 is a wide based, high volume, attractive bull that is super slick haired and put together nicely. He was a calm bull to photograph on picture-taking day.
- * D48 was the 9th top weaning weight bull of his crop at over 850 pounds! He has one of the top YW EPDs in the sale! He is likely best suited for use on cows.
- * Dam B9 was a tidy uddered first calf heifer with D48, and I'd say she did great!
- * Pathfinder grandam T184 is pictured on page 6. Please read her excellent credentials there!



6 **HOOVER LEGITIMATE D72**
BULL REG: *21343553 TATTOO: D72 1/18/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	70
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	781/101
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	
*Baldridge SR Goalkeeper	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	
+*ERICA OF ELLSTON A18	#SydGen Enhance	RE/Ratio	
#*Erica of Ellston M38	+*Baldridge Isabel E030	Scrotal	
	#*Basin Excitement		
	#Erica of Ellston G366		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+6	+83	+141	+1.0	+1.59	+6	+34	+30
		15%	20%	10%	15%		10%	10%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+15	+46	+39	+68	+75	-005	+104	+88	+145	+292
10%		15%			25%	2%		30%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-97	2-104	1-107	None	None	None

- * D72 is a big bodied, high volume bull with plenty of thickness. Will his one short ear make him a bargain?
- * D72 ties as the 6th top Docility EPD bull to sell!
- * Dam A18 is an ideal uddered female that held her flesh very well as a wet two year-old. From her first calf to her second, she moved up nearly a month in time, giving her a 341 day calving interval to tie as the shortest of any cow in the herd! She will calve again mid-January this year.
- * A18 was the #1 ribeye scanning heifer of her crop with a 13.1" ribeye to be nearly 1.3" of ribeye per hundred pounds of scan weight!
- * A18 was from an extraordinary flush - three flush mates were features in our sales, and four topped the \$10,000 mark. Jade Jandel of South Dakota loves his bull that was a flush brother to A18. These were all at the top of their crop for phenotype and growth.
- * Please read about phenomenal grandam M38 in the footnote of Lot 8. Great grandam is the great G366 cow - read about her in Lot 21's footnote.





HOOVER MERCURY D198 - LOT 7
CANDID PICTURE AT 5 MONTHS OF AGE



Erica of Ellston B13
Pictured at 8 months of age
Dam of Lot 7; Relative of Lots 6-22



Erica of Ellston R96
Pathfinder Grandam of Lot 7;
Great Grandam of Lot 9;
Relative of Lots 6-22



Erica of Ellston B70
Pictured at 7 months of age
Dam of Lot 8;
Relative of Lots 6-22



Erica of Ellston M38
Pathfinder Donor Grandam of Lot 6 and
8; Great Grandam of Lot 7; Relative of
Lots 9-22

7 **HOOVER MERCURY D198**
BULL REG: *21343590 TATTOO: D198 2/12/2025

*Basin Safe Deposit 9324	**Basin Deposit 6249	BW	75
*MEAD MERCURY	**Basin Joy 2006	ADJ. 205/WR	734/95
*Mead Beauty V971	*Connealy Convoy	ADJ. 365/YR	
	Mead Beauty R523	%IMF/Ratio	
**Hoover No Doubt	**Mogck Bullseye	RE/Ratio	
*ERICA OF ELLSTON B13	*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2	Scrotal	
*Erica of Ellston R96	*Bruns Top Cut 373		
	*Erica of Ellston M38		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+10	+9	+74	+135	+3	+55	+11	+27	+24	
20%			30%			25%		30%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+57	+44	+37	+1.15	+80	+0.14	+79	+105	+185	+319
		10%	20%			25%	30%	20%	15%
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	1-98	1-95		None	None	None			
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction				
	6-102	6-109	4-109	10-\$12,375	7-\$21,450				

- * D198 is a little more moderate framed bull, but certainly thick and stout!
- * D198 is among the top bulls of the sale for Marbling EPD. If you feed out your calves or retain ownership, consider this bull for siring profitable calves!
- * Dam B13 is a pretty female that was a first calf heifer with D198. She is due to calve earlier in 2026.
- * B13 had a nice ultrasound scan: 5.94 IMF, ratio 113, ribeye 12.2", ratio 101!
- * Grandam R96 is the *third consecutive Pathfinder donor cow* in a row – an extremely rare find in the Angus breed today! R96's dam, M38, recorded 8-110 WR to be the highest indexing daughter of Erica of Ellston G366, the cow regarded as the best cow in Hoover Angus history!
- * The following are the Cliffs Notes of R96's successes. R96 is the 7th top indexing cow in the Hoover herd for her excellent wean ratios on her progeny! Numerous progeny of hers have been among the very top weaning weight calves of the crop – both ET and non-ET. R96's seven daughters sold by Hoover Angus have averaged \$21,450 and her 10 sons have averaged \$12,375! According to my calculations, 13 of her sons or daughters have been photo features in our past sales.
- * R96's son by No Doubt topped our 2024 sale to Bruner Angus Ranch in North Dakota. R96's daughter topped our 2025 sale at \$44,000 to KDS Angus.
- * Despite stealing a flush after each of her first 3 calvings, R96 still achieved



8 **HOOVER LEGITIMATE D229**
BULL REG: *21343599 TATTOO: D229 2/17/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	**Woodhill Blueprint	BW	80
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	775/100
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	
*E L K Trophyclass	**Musgrave 316 Stunner	RE/Ratio	
*ERICA OF ELLSTON B70	**Pine Coulee Black Annie U7	Scrotal	
*Erica of Ellston M38	*Basin Excitement		
	*Erica of Ellston G366		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+11	+4	+84	+134	+7	+36	+9	+36	+26	
15%	30%	15%	30%				5%	20%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+28	+49	+56	+79	+1.06	+0.15	+84	+86	+151	+280
20%				15%		15%			
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	1-105	1-100		None	None	None			

- * D229 is a big bodied, long, attractive bull with slightly frosted ears (might this make him a bargain on sale day?). His small head supports his ability to be used on either cows or heifers.
- * D229 offers one of the highest Milk EPDs in the bulls selling! Save every daughter he makes, I would expect them to be exceptional!
- * Although not a concern to most of our customers, D229 is a good choice for ranchers at elevation as he has the 4th best PAP projection of any bull to sell.
- * We sold ½ interest in dam B70 in 2023 and she is owned with Mill Coulee Angus in Wisconsin.
- * B70 is a beautiful young female with an excellent udder whose first calf was D229. She is due to move up in time with her 2026 calving despite stealing a flush from her as a wet two year-old – that is pretty amazing!
- * Pathfinder donor grandam M38 was the highest indexing daughter of G366, the cow regarded as the best cow in our 98-year history! M38 was at one time the #1 indexing cow of the Hoover herd with the tremendous growth she puts into her calves. She served as a working donor until 11 years of age and recorded a tremendous 8-110 wean ratio. Numerous of her natural and ET calves were at the top of their crop for weaning weight. I have M38's data sheets spread out in front of me, and I have nearly 3 full pages of information – sales prices, buyer names, weaning weight honors, etc – sorry I can't include it all here.
- * At 10 years of age, M38's progeny and grand progeny led-off our 2023 sale catalog and included the 2nd and 3rd top-selling bulls! Her four daughters to come to auction averaged \$23,500 and six sons \$10,850!
- * M38 was a fertile cow, recording a 355 day calving interval on her first 5 calves before we pulled her out of production for a year to flush her. She was an icon in the herd for her unbeatable depth of body and broodiness. She makes feminine daughters and masculine bulls.
- * If you are new to Hoover Angus, please read the very condensed version of G366's history in Lot 21's footnote.



- an amazing 356 day calving interval! This cow family exemplifies fertility.
- * Please read about great grandam M38 in the footnote of Lot 8.
- * The Ericas would be the most prolific cow family at Hoover Angus, and do a remarkable job year after year! Six of the past 8 years, sons of the Ericas have been the Lot 1 bulls in our sales. In our 2021 auction, of the 8 animals that hit the \$20,000+ price tag, 6 of them were from the Erica cow family. They have truly done a phenomenal job! Lots 6-22 descend from the great G366 cow.



HOOVER LEGITIMATE D58 - LOT 9
CANDID PICTURE AT 6 MONTHS OF AGE



ERICA OF ELLSTON B38
PICTURED AT 8 MONTHS OF AGE
DAM OF LOT 9; RELATIVE OF LOTS 6-22



ERICA OF ELLSTON T220
GRANDAM OF LOT 9;
RELATIVE OF LOTS 6-22



HOOVER NO DOUBT D23 - LOT 10

10
BULL REG: *21343536 TATTOO: D23 1/4/2025

#*Mogck Bullseye
#**HOOVER NO DOUBT
*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2

#MOGCK Sure Shot
Mogck Mary 1255
#*SydGen C C & 7
#Miss Blackcap Ellston D154
#*EF Commando 1366
*Baldrige Isabel Y69
#*Connealy Commander
*Erica of Ellston L5

BW	71
ADJ. 205/WR	760/98
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+15	-2.8	+62	+110	+3	+1.49	+14	+35	+24
3%	2%				15%	5%	10%	30%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+36	+38	+49	+57	+54	+109	+95	+86	+127	+260
30%	15%					5%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-89	4-98	3-97	1-\$7250	1-\$5250	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	8-105	8-109	7-108	5-\$10,000	1-\$6500	

- * If you are looking for a calving ease bull with structure and substance, here he is! He is big hipped and has been stout since he was young. He is square made, big quartered and has adequate bone for being a "sleep tight, all night" heifer bull.
- * D23 has the 2nd lowest BW EPD of any bull selling and ties as the 2nd top CED EPD bull!
- * Dam X1 is one of our most moderate-sized 38 Special cows, but certainly high in volume. She is a super low birth weight cow. Her beautiful daughter that settled first service AI is going into the replacement herd this spring - she was born the day of John's funeral at -15 degrees actual temperature.
- * X1's other progeny work for repeat customers Curt Pierschbacher and Clint Welsh.
- * Pathfinder grandam P44, a working donor, ties as the 5th top indexing cow of the herd and is also 8th top for yearling weight ratios on her progeny! She is the dam of the lead-off bred heifer, Lot 164.
- * The Wise brothers from Texas selected P44's only daughter to come to auction who was the 6th top weaning weight heifer of her crop. P44's five sons averaging \$10,000 work for Brian Taglauer, Alta Genetics, Salt Fork Angus, Craig Eshelman, and Brice Erickson, 3 of which were photo features and several of which were among the very top calves of their crop for weaning weight and/or yearling weight.
- * Great grandam L5 produced 10 progeny sold by Hoover Angus to average a whopping \$24,100! Sons from Hoover Angus have worked at three AI studs: Alta Genetics, Select Sires, and Accelerated Genetics. After a successful career at Hoover Angus, L5 was purchased by Baldrige Performance Angus.
- * L5 now has six Pathfinder daughters - three working Pathfinder donors in the Hoover herd, two in the Baldrige herd, and one working for Geidel Cattle Co.! This is an exceptionally rare feat!
- * Superior udders run in this cow family, and the 5 generations of cows down the dam's side of this pedigree have been excellent uddered cows, even into old age. Fourth generation dam G366 is regarded as the best cow in our 98-year history. Lots 6-22 stem from her.
- * Nine Pathfinders are found in this three-generation pedigree!



9
BULL REG: *21343549 TATTOO: D58 1/15/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013
#*Connealy Confidence Plus
*ERICA OF ELLSTON B38
*Erica of Ellston T220

#*Woodhill Blueprint
Myers Miss Beauty M136
#*Basin Rainmaker 4404
#Deep Creek MP Lass 933
#*Connealy Confidence 0100
Elbanna of Conanga 1209
#*Baldrige 38 Special
#*Erica of Ellston R96

BW	70
ADJ. 205/WR	793/102
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+1.0	+82	+143	+3	-52	+8	+32	+34
		20%					15%	1%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+66	+39	+35	+88	+70	+072	+113	+114	+175	+340
		15%	5%			1%	20%	30%	10%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-93	1-102		None	None	None

- * Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- * D58 is a more moderate framed bull that has the look of a cow-maker! He has tons of body and is deep in his chest floor. He has a different pedigree for many of our repeat customers. We recommend him for larger framed heifers or cows.
- * D58's \$Maternal that goes above the top 1% of the breed agrees that he would be a great bull to retain daughters from! He also offers the #1 Docility EPD among the bulls selling!
- * Dam B38 was an excellent uddered first calf heifer with D58. From her first calf going from 70 pounds at birth to nearly 800 pounds at weaning, I'd say she did a darn good job! She is a moderate sized cow that weaned a large percentage of her body weight. B38 entered our working donor pen this spring and we'll have a nice set of her calves born before our sale.
- * B38's first calf to sell (that was from embryos purchased at Hoover Angus) sold by Henke Angus garnered \$14,000 as an 8 month-old heifer.
- * Grandam T220 is the most recognized cow to ever leave Hoover Angus. I can't even begin to write the programs she has impacted and how many daughters she has placed in some of the most prestigious herds as donor cows. Some of her top sons include Bold Ruler, Baldrige Grindstone and Baldrige War Cry.
- * T220 was the 3rd top weaning weight heifer of her crop at 784 pounds, WR 118. We sold her as an 8 month-old heifer and had no idea she would go on to create an impact on the Angus breed.
- * Please read about great grandam R96 in the footnote of Lot 7.



YEARLING BULLS



HOOVER LEGITIMATE D228 - LOT 11
CANDID PICTURE AT 5 MONTHS OF AGE



Erica of Ellston R65

Owned by Moon Creek Farms, Hansine Ranch Partnership and Circle F Farms
\$22,000 Grandam of Lot 11



Erica of Ellston A13

Pictured at 8 months of age
Dam of Lot 11; Relative of Lots 6-22

12 BULL REG: *21343575 TATTOO: D148 2/4/2025
HOOVER GALACTIC D148

*Sitz Stellar 726D	##Mohen Substantial 272	BW	81
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G	*SITZ Pride 200B	ADJ. 205/WR	841/109
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E	*Sitz Emblem 11125	ADJ. 365/YR	
	*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z	%IMF/Ratio	
##+TEX Playbook 5437	##+Basin Payweight 1682	RE/Ratio	
*ERICA OF ELLSTON Z447	##+Rita 1C43 of 9M26 Complete	Scrotal	
##+Erica of Ellston T462	##+Baldrige 38 Special		
	##+Erica of Ellston P445		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+3	+1.8	+85	+141	+6	+99	+11	+23	+13
		15%	20%			25%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+32	+19	+38	+56	+35	+033	+93	+109	+153	+291
25%	1%	15%			10%	25%	30%		

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-103	2-109	1-106	None	1-\$7000	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	5-106	5-105	4-105	2-\$10,125	1-\$5000	

- * D148 is a powerful, big hipped, super long bull with natural fleshing ability. He is nice footed and soft made.
- * D148 was the 13th top weaning weight bull of his crop!
- * Dam Z447 serves as the herd's 9th top indexing cow with a superior 2-109 wean ratio on her progeny! She has a 363 day calving interval and her first daughter works for repeat customer Dana Russell in Utah.
- * Z447 was a high performing female herself, weaning at 754 pounds to be the 3rd top weaning weight heifer of her crop!
- * Grandam T462 serves as a Pathfinder and her daughter that was the 5th top weaning weight heifer of the crop works for repeat customer Martens Angus. Her son that was the 5th top ribeye scanning bull of his crop works for repeat customer Mark Anderson.
- * Great grandam was a working donor before going to work for Justin Helgeson. Fourth generation dam L5 was a working donor before going to work for Baldrige Performance Angus (read about her in Lot 10's footnote), and fifth generation dam was the great G366!



11 BULL REG: *21343598 TATTOO: D228 2/16/2025
HOOVER LEGITIMATE D228

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	##Woodhill Blueprint	BW	76
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	809/105
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	##Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	
	##Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	
##+Hoover No Doubt	##Mogck Bullseye	RE/Ratio	
*ERICA OF ELLSTON A13	*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2	Scrotal	
*Erica of Ellston R65	##Bruns Top Cut 373		
	*Erica of Ellston L5		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+5	+2.7	+92	+149	+8	+1.49	+10	+17	+27
		4%	15%	25%	15%	30%		15%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+76	+24	+41	+81	+1.19	+009	+94	+120	+189	+339
	1%	20%		10%	10%	15%	20%	10%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-102	2-99		None	None	None

- * D228 is a thick made, big testicle bull with a tight sheath.
- * D228 has one of the top WW EPDs of any bull to sell as well as the 3rd top Ribeye EPD! For his strong combination of traits that make up our maternal and terminal indexes, D228 has the 4th top \$Combined index of any bull selling! He is recommended for use on cows.
- * D228 was his dam's second calf. A13 has a 356 day calving interval which will tighten up even further in 2026. A13 is a super gentle cow, and this summer I snapped a picture of her out in the middle of the pasture being petted by Lincoln McKinlay from Australia and Seonaid McLaren of Scotland.
- * Grandam R65 was sold in our 2018 sale for \$22,000, the 2nd top-selling female of the event to Moon Creek Farms and Hansine Ranch Partnership. We retained one flush on R65, resulting in one \$10,000 bull and A13. R65 now has 37 progeny on record for Moon Creek, and she has a whopping 4-120 wean ratio on her natural calves - she would be the #1 indexing cow if still in the Hoover herd! She has been a highly successful donor for them, producing many top-selling progeny and embryos over the years.
- * Please read about great grandam L5 in the bottom of Lot 10's footnote. Fourth generation dam is the great G366 cow, whose influence is found in Lots 6-22.



Lincoln McKinlay (Australia) and Seonaid McLaren (Scotland) make friends with Lot 11's dam out on pasture this summer!



Erica of Ellston S7
 Pathfinder Hoover Donor
 Dam of Lots 13-15; Relative of Lots 6-22



Erica of Ellston L5
 Owned by Baldrige Performance
 Angus
 Grandam of Lots 13-15; Great
 Grandam of Lots 10-11; Ancestor of
 Lots 12 & 16



Erica of Ellston Z37
 Owned by Moon Creek Farms and Hansine Ranch
 Partnership
 \$36,000 Maternal Sister to Lots 13-15; Relative of
 Lots 6-22



Hoover Tahoe B407
 Owned by Peckenpaugh Angus
 \$25,000 Maternal Brother to Lots 13-
 15; Relative of Lots 6-22

13
 BULL REG: +*21343531 TATTOO: D191 2/11/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	85
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	856/114
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	
#**Baldrige 38 Special	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	
#**ERICA OF ELLSTON S7	#*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	
*Erica of Ellston L5	*Baldrige Isabel Y69	Scrotal	
	#**Connealy Counselor		
	#Erica of Ellston G366		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+4	+2.6	+92	+148	+1.0	+44	+7	+31	+12
		4%	15%	10%			20%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+57	+49	+54	+75	+89	+001	+69	+91	+153	+267

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-97	5-104	5-103	13-\$11,300	6-\$23,950	5-104

- * D191 has one of the top WW EPDs of any bull to sell! He was the highest performing bull of his flush, and the #1 adjusted weaning weight bull among all the ET calves!
- * D191 has added frame, a super long spine and a tight sheath.
- * Flush brother to Lots 14-15. These flush brothers are all recommended for cows, but pair a couple of them up to use on a little bit bigger group of cows and still have a uniform calf crop.
- * Pathfinder donor dam S7 is easily among the best five living cows at Hoover Angus (maybe among the best five cows ever in production at Hoover Angus)! Her data sheets are getting so full of progeny sales it is hard to keep everything straight, but the info in the boxes above is accurate - she has sold six daughters to average nearly \$24,000 and 13 sons have averaged over \$11,000. She is one of only a few cows to gross well over a quarter million in progeny sales, and she's not done yet!
- * Highlights of S7's progeny sales include daughters selected by Moon Creek Farms and Hansine Ranch Partnership (2 sisters) for \$36,500 and \$26,000, Abernathy Ranches and William Vacek for \$30,000, and Nathan Lung for \$14,000. The Moon Creek heifer produced embryos that topped the embryo portion of their 2022 sale at \$1300/embryo - just 9 months after they purchased this heifer!
- * According to my calculations, S7 has brought at least 6 photo feature sons or daughters to auction.
- * S7 serves as a working donor and records 30-103 IMF ratio and 30-104 ribeye ratio. She recorded a 370 day calving interval at 5 years of age despite stealing flushes three separate years.
- * Grandam L5 produced 10 progeny sold by Hoover Angus to average a whopping \$24,100! Sons from Hoover Angus have worked at three AI studs: Alta Genetics, Select Sires, and Accelerated Genetics. After a successful career at Hoover Angus, L5 was purchased by Baldrige Performance Angus.
- * L5 now has six Pathfinder daughters - three working Pathfinder donors in the Hoover herd, two in the Baldrige herd, and one working for Geidel Cattle Co! This is an exceptionally rare feat!
- * Superior udders run in this cow family, and the 4 generations of cows down the dam's side of this pedigree have been excellent uddered cows, even into old age. Please see a picture of great grandam G366's udder on page 14 and read about G366 in the footnote of Lot 21. She is regarded as the best cow in our 98-year history.



14
 BULL REG: +*21343530 TATTOO: D186 2/10/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	79
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	804/107
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	
#**Baldrige 38 Special	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	
#**ERICA OF ELLSTON S7	#*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	
*Erica of Ellston L5	*Baldrige Isabel Y69	Scrotal	
	#**Connealy Counselor		
	#Erica of Ellston G366		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+5	+2.0	+87	+151	+1.0	+74	+11	+33	+22
		10%	10%	10%		25%	15%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+69	+26	+48	+1.02	+1.07	+010	+72	+100	+177	+302

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-97	5-104	5-103	13-\$11,300	6-\$23,950	5-104

- * D186 has one of the top YW EPDs of any bull to sell as well as one of the top Ribeye EPDs! He was the 4th top weaning weight ET bull of the crop!
- * If you feed out your calves and sell them on the grid or retain ownership, D186 offers very nice carcass merit. D186 is a nicely made bull with lots of length and body.
- * For those ranching at altitude, he has one of the best PAP projections in the sale.
- * Flush brother to Lots 13 and 15 - please see footnote under Lot 13.



15
 BULL REG: +*21343529 TATTOO: D167 2/7/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	85
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	757/100
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	
#**Baldrige 38 Special	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	
#**ERICA OF ELLSTON S7	#*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	
*Erica of Ellston L5	*Baldrige Isabel Y69	Scrotal	
	#**Connealy Counselor		
	#Erica of Ellston G366		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+3	+2.5	+86	+148	+1.0	+14	+9	+33	+17
		10%	15%	10%			15%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+40	+39	+49	+1.11	+91	+002	+61	+91	+171	+283
		15%	20%	30%	30%			30%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-97	5-104	5-103	13-\$11,300	6-\$23,950	5-104

- * If you are looking for a larger framed Legitimate son with tons of length, here he is! He has nice base width.
- * D167 is among the top bulls of the sale for Marbling EPD!
- * Flush brother to Lots 13-14. Pair up a couple of these flush brothers to use on a pasture of cows.
- * Please see footnote under Lot 13.



YEARLING BULLS



HOOVER GALACTIC D149 - LOT 16



Erica of Ellston V88
Owned by Pine View Angus
\$32,000 Grandam of Lot 16; Maternal Sister to Lots 13-15; Relative of Lots 6-22



Erica of Ellston N54
Pathfinder Hoover Donor
Grandam of Lots 17-19; Relative of Lots 6-22



Erica of Ellston R217
Pathfinder Hoover Donor
Dam of Lots 17-18; Relative of Lots 6-22

16 BULL REG: *21343576 TATTOO: D149 2/4/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D
***SITZ GALACTIC 723G**
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E

#*Mohnen Substantial 272
*SITZ Pride 200B
*Sitz Emblem 11125
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z

*RAML Optics 0710
****ERICA OF ELLSTON B117**
*Erica of Ellston V88

#*RAML Rangefinder 7536
**RAML Ruby 710
**MOGCK Entice
**Erica of Ellston S7

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
-3	+3.3	+100	+169	+1.3	+1.76	-2	+22	+23
		1%	2%	2%	10%			

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+23	+35	+38	+80	+64	+001	+66	+120	+181	+301
15%	10%	15%		30%	15%	25%	25%		

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-110	1-111		None	None	None

- * Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- * D149 is a long bodied bull whose added frame is supportive of his tremendous growth! He is a nice footed bull, as we have found in the Galactic progeny. He was the 6th top weaning weight bull of his crop!
- * D149 has the #1 WW EPD, 2nd top YW EPD and 3rd top CW EPD among all bulls selling!
- * This true growth and power bull is recommended for use on cows.
- * Dam B117 was a superior uddered first calf heifer with D149, as we see in the Optics' daughters - they are very consistent in their udder shape and teat size.
- * Grandam V88 was the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer her crop that was the lead-off, top-selling female of our 2021 sale at \$32,000 to Pine View Angus. We retained one flush from her and got two daughters - B117 and her sister.
- * Please read about Pathfinder donor great grandam S7 in the footnote of her son, Lot 13.



17 BULL REG: +*21343523 TATTOO: D18 1/2/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D
***SITZ GALACTIC 723G**
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E

#*Mohnen Substantial 272
*SITZ Pride 200B
*Sitz Emblem 11125
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z

#*Bruns Top Cut 373
****ERICA OF ELLSTON R217**
**Erica of Ellston N54

#*Bruns Uppercut 610
#Dakota Miss 669 Baf
#Basin Excitement
#Erica of Ellston G366

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+12	+5	+82	+146	+8	+91	+12	+30	+23
10%		20%	15%	25%		15%	25%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+41	+27	+42	+70	+68	-.013	+92	+126	+184	+331
	1%	25%			20%	10%	10%	20%	15%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	6-94	6-103	6-104	8-\$9625	7-\$9000	2-100
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	8-95	8-102	7-102	4-\$5450	2-\$13,250	

- * D18 is a high volume, thick, big quartered bull with superior base width. He has a sound skeleton and very nice feet. Despite all his meat and muscle, his bone is still appropriate for calving ease - he is safe for use on heifers or cows. He has a balanced set of EPDs.
- * A full brother (a month younger in age) sells as Lot 18. A featured maternal brother sells as Lot 102.
- * D18 is backed by three consecutive generations of Pathfinder donor cows! There are many cows deemed good enough to be donor cows in our breed, but I'd be curious to know how many are Pathfinders and backed by Pathfinders. Less than 1% of current Angus dams earn the Pathfinder honor in any given year. Check out the bottom 1/2 of his pedigree - every animal is Pathfinder except one!
- * Pathfinder donor dam R217 is certainly a low birth weight cow whose calves grow rapidly. You can see by her progeny sales in the boxes above that her progeny are very well accepted at auction! Progeny work for Brian Taglauer, Ron & LuAnne Brown, Karla Rogen, Tom Wallum (2), Chris Nelson, Lloyd Baxley, Brandon Taglauer, Jody Martens (2), Lynden Smith, Trent Deutmeyer, Murray Farms Inc., High Point Genetics and Crawford Angus. Numerous of these were photo features.
- * Pathfinder donor grandam N54 is my favorite cow in the herd. She'll turn 12 years old by sale time and is still going strong! We have stolen several flushes from N54 and then in 2024 pulled her out of production for 6 months to harvest more embryos. She has an exceptional udder and feet. She has put 6 daughters in the herd, 3 of which have served as working donors!
- * Both R217 and N54 are more moderate framed, super deep bodied cows that epitomize the image of the ideal Angus cow. Feminine fronted, beautiful uddered, and soggy. They calve on schedule and bring in a big calf every year.
- * Please read about great grandam G366 in the footnote of Lot 21. She is regarded as the best cow in our 98-year history!





Hoover Elite
Owned by High Point Genetics
and Crawford Angus
\$20,000 Maternal Brother to Lots
17-18; Relative of Lots 6-22



Hoover Entice A27

Owned by Tom Wallum
\$8500 Maternal Brother to Lots 17-18;
Relative of Lots 6-22



HOOVER LEGITIMATE D41 - LOT 20

18 BULL REG: *21343532 TATTOO: D208 2/14/2025

*#Sitz Stellar 726D
***SITZ GALACTIC 723G**
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E

#Bruns Top Cut 373
***ERICA OF ELLSTON R217**
#*Erica of Ellston N54

*#Mohen Substantial 272
*SITZ Pride 200B
*Sitz Emblem 11125
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z

#Bruns Uppercut 610
#Dakota Miss 669 Baf
#*Basin Excitement
#Erica of Ellston G366

BW	85
ADJ. 205/WR	738/98
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+4	+2.0	+80	+139	+9	+66	+9	+29	+30	
		20%	25%	15%			30%	10%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+35	+24	+43	+68	+55	+003	+68	+116	+171	+290
30%	1%	30%			30%		15%	30%	
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	6-94	6-103	6-104	8-\$9625	7-\$9000	2-100			
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction				
	8-95	8-102	7-102	4-\$5450	2-\$13,250				

* This Valentine's Day baby has the depth of his mother and the thickness of his sire! He offers one of the best Docility EPDs among the bulls selling!

* Full brother to Lot 17 - please see footnote there.

* D208 is recommended for use on cows.



19 BULL REG: *21343537 TATTOO: D24 1/4/2025

*#Sitz Stellar 726D
***SITZ GALACTIC 723G**
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E

#MOGCK Entice
***ERICA OF ELLSTON Z8**
#*Erica of Ellston N54

*#Mohen Substantial 272
*SITZ Pride 200B
*Sitz Emblem 11125
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z

#SydGen Enhance
#*MOGCK Erica 2255
#*Basin Excitement
#Erica of Ellston G366

BW	96
ADJ. 205/WR	855/110
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
-4	+4.4	+94	+175	+1.5	+1.65	+6	+26	+28	
		3%	1%	1%	10%			15%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+08	+37	+51	+82	+1.02	-.012	+51	+129	+197	+307
4%	15%			20%	20%		5%	15%	25%
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	3-105	3-102	1-100	1-\$6000	None	None			
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction				
	8-95	8-102	7-102	4-\$5450	2-\$13,250				

* D24 is a big boy - he was the 7th top weaning weight bull of his crop! He is big framed, but has plenty of body to go along with it, very typical of what we see in the Galactico sons. This super high performing bull is for use on cows. If you feed out your steers and sell them on a grade and yield grid, this is likely the best Galactico son of the auction. There will certainly be a lot of pay weight here!

* D24 offers the #1 YW EPD, #1 CW EPD, and #1 RADG EPD of any bull selling and has the 3rd top WW EPD!

* Dam Z8 is a slick haired, beautiful female with a nice udder with one of the shortest calving intervals in the herd - she has "moved up" in time with each calving. Her first son works for repeat customer Cass Page.



20 BULL REG: *21343543 TATTOO: D41 1/9/2025

*#Myers Fair-N-Square M39
***DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203**
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013

#*Baldridge 38 Special
***ERICA OF ELLSTON X13**
#Erica of Ellston G366

#*Woodhill Blueprint
Myers Miss Beauty M136
#*Basin Rainmaker 4404
#Deep Creek MP Lass 933
#*CF Commando 1366
*Baldridge Isabel Y69
#*SydGen C C & 7
Erica of Ellston D184

BW	99
ADJ. 205/WR	850/110
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
-2	+4.7	+89	+150	+9	+65	+6	+30	+26	
		10%	10%	15%			25%	20%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+61	+36	+44	+1.19	+53	+010	+108	+111	+189	+353
10%			20%			1%	25%	20%	10%
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	4-104	4-105	2-100	2-\$7250	None	None			

* Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.

* D41 was super calm on picture-taking day, and it was hard to get him to do anything other than meander slowly around the picture pen. And when he did stop and pose properly, we couldn't do anything to get him excited enough to raise his head. Certainly, this is a "good" problem to have versus the opposite end of the spectrum!

* D41 is a big hipped, thick, hunk of a bull that was the 10th top weaning weight bull of his crop! He has a lot to him! Better yet, he is a grandson of G366! This growthy bull is for use on cows.

* D41 offers the #1 \$Combined index in the sale as well as having the 2nd top Marbling EPD and one of the highest YW EPDs! Although carcass traits are often antagonistic to fertility traits, D41's projection for Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPD ranks him 6th in the sale and in the best 2% of the breed. D41 is one of 16 bulls with a \$Maternal in the top 1% of the breed!

* D41 puts together a lot of maternal traits very well to rank in the best 1% of the breed for the \$Maternal index - take every opportunity to save daughters from him!

* Dam X13 is a superior uddered cow with a 352 day calving interval. X13 stuck first service as a heifer, then moved up 2 weeks for her second calf, then moved up three weeks for her third calf! Fertility is the #1 profitability factor in a cow-calf herd - cows that calve early in the season bring in your biggest pay weight, and open cows are a big expense!

* X13 had a tremendous ultrasound scan of a 10.74 IMF, ratio 193, ribeye 11.8", ratio 102. According to my calculations, she is one of the top two IMF scanning heifers in our history!

* X13's first son tied as the 7th top weaning weight bull of his crop. Her next sons work for David Hansen and Eric Bossler.

* If you are new to the Hoover program, please read a brief introduction to grandam G366 in the footnote of Lot 21. If you have been a long-time customer, her name is likely very familiar!



* Please read about phenomenal Pathfinder donor grandam N54 in the footnote of Lot 17 and see her picture on page 12. Of course great grandam G366 has more influence in today's offering than just about any other cow - she is regarded as the greatest cow in our 98 year history and bulls Lots 6-22 and 101-102 descend from her.



Erica of Ellston G366
Pathfinder Hoover Donor
Grandam of Lots 20-22;
Ancestor of Lots 6-19

Erica of Ellston G366
Udder at 12 1/2 years of age



22
BULL REG: *21343613 TATTOO: D263 2/26/2025

*MOGCK Fortress 517	#**K C F Bennett Fortress	BW	90
*MOGCK EMPIRE 110	*Mogck Rosebud 1545	ADJ. 205/WR	871/113
*MOGCK Eraline 1748	#SydGen Enhance	ADJ. 365/YR	
	#*Mogck Eraline 855	%IMF/Ratio	
#**Baldridge 38 Special	#*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	
*ERICA OF ELLSTON X90	*Baldridge Isabel V69	Scrotal	
#Erica of Ellston G366	#*SydGen C C & 7		
	Erica of Ellston D184		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+1	+93	+148	+1.3	+1.75	+11	+28	+8
		25%	4%	15%	2%	10%	25%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+32	+31	+47	+93	+50	+0.43	+103	+113	+177	+333
		25%	3%			2%	20%	25%	10%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-104	4-104	2-104	1-\$7000	None	1-107

* D263 ties as the 4th top WW EPD bull of the sale! He was the 5th top adjusted weaning weight bull of his crop at 871 pounds! I'll err on the side of caution and recommend him for use on cows.

* D263 offers more frame and length than found in most Empire sons. He's one of the youngest bulls in the offering, but offers as good of a set of EPDs as anyone!

* Dam X90 has a son working for long-time repeat customer Roger Cerven - he was the 4th top yearling weight bull of his contemporary group. Her daughter works in the herd with an excellent average 107 WR on her two calves.

* Please read about Pathfinder donor grandam G366 in the footnote of Lot 21. Her daughters, granddaughters and great granddaughters now carry the torch at Hoover Angus, but G366 was likely the most perfect cow to ever graze Hoover Angus pastures.



21
BULL REG: *21343585 TATTOO: D178 2/9/2025

#Musgrave 316 Stunner	#**LD Capitalist 316	BW	80
*E L TROPHYCLASS	#MCATL Blackbird 831-1378	ADJ. 205/WR	763/99
*Pine Coulee Black Annie U7	#*Connealy Onward	ADJ. 365/YR	
	War Hill Blackbone Annie	%IMF/Ratio	
*MBG Delmonico	#*V A R Discovery 2240	RE/Ratio	
*ERICA OF ELLSTON A153	*Monarch Blackbird 1104M	Scrotal	
#Erica of Ellston G366	*SydGen C C & 7		
	Erica of Ellston D184		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+4	+1.8	+64	+114	+5	+2.44	+8	+36	+26
					1%		5%	20%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+26	+29	+46	+63	+43	+0.62	+81	+112	+158	+286
		20%	2%			20%	20%		

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-100	2-99	1-98	None	1-\$3500	None

* D178 is big on scrotal and short on tail - his tail bush got stepped on and broke off the switch. He is a bull with plenty of rib shape and gets you as close to the great G366 cow as any bull in this sale. He is recommended for use on cows.

* D178 offers the #1 Scrotal EPD of any bull to sell as well as having one of the highest Milk EPDs!

* Dam A153 was the 2nd to last calf of G366 ever born. A153's first calf that had an excellent ultrasound scan sold as an open heifer in our sale last year to Ben Ritter. D178 is her second calf.

* Pathfinder donor grandam G366 was the epitome of what a model Angus female should be. Currently, 5 direct descendants of G366 rank among the top 15 indexing cows of the Hoover herd! No cow family has ever had this much presence on this distinguished herd list before!

* G366's udder at over 12 years of age would rival most 3-4 year-old females in the breed today, and she consistently passes this trait on through the generations.

* Four direct daughters of G366 and one son (Hoover Counselor N29) have earned the Pathfinder designation, as well as more descendants! She gets edged out on number of Pathfinder daughters by her daughter L5 who has a whopping six Pathfinder daughters! At least 15 of G366's daughter descendants have served as donors. G366's 21 progeny to come to auction averaged over \$11,000 - quite a price for Hoover Angus on a cow born nearly 20 years ago.

* Too numerous to mention are G366's progeny that have found themselves in the very top of the crop for weaning weight. It is neat, however, that she had three-in-a-row #1 adjusted weaning weight calves of their respective crops. Even at 12 years of age, her growth genetics were still powerful, as an ET daughter was the #1 adjusted weaning weight ET heifer of her crop!

* At the end of her career, G366 recorded 9-98 BWR and 9-107 WR on her natural calves.



23
BULL REG: *21343619 TATTOO: D271 2/27/2025

*Basin Safe Deposit 9324	#*Basin Deposit 6249	BW	91
*MEAD MERCURY	#*Basin Joy 2006	ADJ. 205/WR	832/107
*Mead Beauty V971	*Connealy Convoy	ADJ. 365/YR	
	Mead Beauty R523	%IMF/Ratio	
#*MOGCK Entice	#SydGen Enhance	RE/Ratio	
*ERICA OF ELLSTON B75	#*MOGCK Erica 2255	Scrotal	
Erica of Ellston T174	*Baldridge Chairman		
	#Erica of Ellston L89		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+0	+1.9	+78	+128	+6	+1.13	-7	+34	+15
		25%					10%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+51	+46	+44	+87	+1.02	+0.005	+73	+97	+166	+288
		20%							

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-118	1-107		None	None	None

GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction
	5-99	5-103	5-102	3-\$5450	None

* D271 is a wide based bull that stands proud and knows he is good! He is a big scrotal bull with a nice foot under him. We recommend him for use on cows.

* Dam B75 was a first calf heifer with D271.

* B75 had nice performance data: WW 711 lbs., WR 108, YW 1002 lbs., YR 107, IMF 5.67, ratio 119, ribeye 12.0", ratio 109.

* Grandam T174 is an excellent uddered female with a 359 day calving interval. T174 was the 2nd top IMF scanning female of her crop with an IMF score DOUBLE the average of the crop!

* T174's sons work for Keith Bixler, one of the top adjusted weaning weight bulls of his crop, Mark Bright, and John Spencer, all repeat customers.

* Pathfinder great grandam L89 was an excellent uddered cow with a 362 day calving interval and a whopping 5-140 IMF ratio! She put four replacement daughters in the herd, one of which earned Pathfinder honors.

* This Erica cow family traces back to the roots of Hoover Dam!





HOOVER GALACTIC D120 - LOT 24
CANDID PICTURE AT 6 MONTHS OF AGE

24
BULL REG: *21343565 TATTOO: D120 1/29/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D	#*Mohnen Substantial 272	BW	91
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G	*SITZ Pride 200B	ADJ. 205/WR	822/106
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E	*Sitz Emblem 11125	ADJ. 365/YR	
#Connealy Impact	**Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z	%IMF/Ratio	
#ERICA OF ELLSTON P77	#*Connealy Impression	RE/Ratio	
Erica of Ellston M2	#Elza of Conanga 8265	Scrotal	
	#*Basin Excitement		
	#*Erica of Ellston G216		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+11	+7	+76	+138	+1.1	+13	+11	+24	+21
15%		30%	25%	10%		25%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+38	+34	+47	+59	+64	+044	+68	+99	+147	+259
10%									

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	9-108	9-104	7-103	2-\$10,750	3-\$4750	1-105

- * Our commercial guys will like this boy's calves! He is a bigger framed, rugged bull with exceptional length of spine. He's nice footed.
- * We recommend this growthy bull for use on cows.
- * Pathfinder dam P77 will be 11 years of age a couple days after the sale and will have her 10th calf by then! She has a documented history of production and fertility and maintains a superior 360 day calving interval. She brought three consecutive photo feature sons or daughters to auction!
- * P77's progeny work for Dylan & Mackenzie Felt-Lewis, Shelly Kinne, Merit Cattle, Josh Sander, and Roger Cerven. Roger's bull was the 7th top weaning weight bull of his crop. One beautiful daughter works in the herd.
- * Grandam M2 was a really nice uddered cow. Three of M2's progeny have been photo features in our past sales and work in 3 different states. Her last son that sold when she was 11 years old brought \$11,000! Her progeny work for Bruce Herr, Jeff Bellamy, Andy Huffington, David Deal, and Keith Borer.
- * Great grandam G216's four sons to come to auction averaged \$13,375! One son was the coveted #1 weaning weight bull of his crop and another was the #1 yearling weight bull of his crop!
- * G216 was a full brother to the Hoover Home Run bull who had a tenure at ORigen. G216's dam was a full sister to Hoover Dam's grandmother!



25
BULL REG: *21343615 TATTOO: D265 2/26/2025

#*Mogck Bullseye	#MOGCK Sure Shot	BW	82
**HOOVER NO DOUBT	Mogck Mary 1255	ADJ. 205/WR	795/103
*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2	*SydGen C C & 7	ADJ. 365/YR	
	#Miss Blackcap Ellston D154	%IMF/Ratio	
#*Baldridge 38 Special	#*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	
*ERICA OF ELLSTON V96	*Baldridge Isabel Y69	Scrotal	
#Erica of Ellston R251	*Jindra Double Vision		
	Erica of Ellston N1		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+7	+1.8	+73	+137	+5	+2.24	+11	+19	+27
			25%		1%	25%		15%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+28	+19	+24	+71	+54	+028	+89	+112	+166	+304
20%	1%	1%				10%	20%		25%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-97	4-100	3-97	2-\$5375	None	1-98

- * You can tell this guy is a No Doubt just by looking at him! He has that classic No Doubt style, just in a younger package. He's level topped, square made, has a big scrotal and a nice phenotype. He is recommended for use on cows.
- * D265 offers some of the best combined feet EPDs of any bull to sell as well as one of the largest Scrotal EPDs!
- * Dam V96 is a low birth weight, pretty cow with a 361 day calving interval on her 5 calves. She has good mothering skills. Roger Cerven and Lewis Klein selected her two sons.
- * Grandam R251 has earned Pathfinder status. She is a low birth weight, calm temperament cow. She has been quite the herd bull producer, with her four sons averaging over \$11,000! Sons work for Doug Garrett, Eddie Coyle, 66 Ranches, and Max Shaffter. The bull going to Canada for 66 Ranches was a photo feature.
- * This Erica cow family is the same family that produced Hoover Dam, Hoover Home Run, and numerous other bulls in stud!
- * Nine Pathfinders are found in this pedigree!



26
BULL REG: *21343559 TATTOO: D104 1/25/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D	#*Mohnen Substantial 272	BW	92
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G	*SITZ Pride 200B	ADJ. 205/WR	846/109
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E	*Sitz Emblem 11125	ADJ. 365/YR	
	**Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z	%IMF/Ratio	
#*MOGCK Entice	#SydGen Enhance	RE/Ratio	
#ERICA OF ELLSTON V113	#*MOGCK Erica 2255	Scrotal	
#Erica of Ellston L89	*Hoover Carbon Copy		
	#Erica of Ellston E250		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
-4	+2.8	+81	+146	+1.2	+53	+6	+25	+19
			20%	15%	3%			

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+23	+26	+48	+89	+59	+053	+60	+134	+196	+314
15%	1%						4%	15%	20%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-100	5-107	4-105	1-\$5750	1-\$2500	None

- * D104 is a long bodied, level topped bull with plenty of volume. He's a big, rugged bull. He was the 11th top weaning weight bull of the crop!
- * D104 offers the #1 \$Feedlot Value of any bull selling! We recommend this high growth bull for use on cows.
- * D104 is backed by three consecutive generations of Pathfinder cows!
- * Pathfinder dam V113 is a successful cow who ties as the herd's 15th top indexing cow! Three of her progeny have been among the top 15 weaning weight calves of their respective crops! She has a 362 day calving interval. V113's progeny work for Dan Vosika and Trilight Inc.
- * V113 had a nice ultrasound scan of a 6.92 IMF, ratio 156 and a 10.8" ribeye, ratio 104. V113 was the 5th top IMF heifer of her crop.
- * Grandam L89 earned Pathfinder honors and maintained a 362 day calving interval on her 8 progeny.
- * L89 put four excellent daughters back in the Hoover herd, the oldest of which has earned Pathfinder honors. One daughter was the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- * Great grandam E250 was an extremely successful cow and served as a working donor. Two of her daughters were the #1 IMF scanning females of their crop, and one son was #1!
- * V113's great grandam is B235 - who is also the grandam of the G366 cow - she has a mighty strong influence in today's sale!



Yearling bulls have blank boxes for yearling weight, ultrasound data, and scrotal. This data will be available one week prior to the sale at https://hooverangus.com/sales_2026.

Sale order should be posted online by the evening of January 30 at the same location, or on our page at DVAAuction where our videos will be located.



YEARLING BULLS

27**HOOVER GALACTIC D42**

BULL

REG: *21343544

TATTOO: D42

1/9/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E

#*Mohnen Substantial 272
*SITZ Pride 200B
*Sitz Emblem 11125
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z
*EF Commando 1366
*Baldrige Isabel V69
*Bruns Top Cut 373
#Prim Lassie of Ellston J162

BW	80
ADJ. 205/WR	799/103
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+9	+5	+86	+145	+1.3	-.09	+14	+19	+26
30%		10%	15%	2%		5%		20%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+37	+29	+37	+1.08	+44	+0.055	+83	+118	+187	+326
30%	2%	10%	25%			20%	15%	20%	15%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-94	5-103	3-107	1-\$12,000	1-\$3000	1-121

- * D42 is a big framed, square made bull with the frame and body to add lots of pounds to his calves!
- * D42's EPDs put him in the heifer-safe category, but I'd like to recommend him for either use on cows or large-framed, well-developed heifers. There is just a lot of bull here!
- * Pathfinder dam V124 is an excellent uddered cow with a 357 day calving interval - showcasing her fertility. She is certainly a low birth weight cow whose calves have rapid growth. She is the herd's 10th top cow for high ribeye ratios on her progeny! Her son to sell last year was the 4th biggest ribeye scanning bull of his crop and a darn nice bull going to Eric Bossier.
- * V124's first daughter was a photo feature open heifer selling to Dan Vosika. She was the 9th top weaning weight heifer of her crop and the #1 YW heifer of our sale open heifers. Her next daughter, the 12th top weaning weight heifer of her crop, just raised the #1 weaning weight bull of the Hoover crop!
- * Please read about Pathfinder great grandam J162 in the footnote of Lot 28.

**28****HOOVER GALACTIC D21**

BULL

REG: *21343535

TATTOO: D21

1/3/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E

#*Mohnen Substantial 272
*SITZ Pride 200B
*Sitz Emblem 11125
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z
*Mogck Bullseye
*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2
#Connealy Reward
#Prim Lassie of Ellston J162

BW	98
ADJ. 205/WR	827/107
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
-4	+5.7	+90	+156	+1.4	+53	+9	+12	+23
		10%	10%	1%				

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+18	+24	+41	+62	+73	+0.007	+53	+130	+184	+292
10%	1%	20%				5%	20%	30%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-101	4-101	3-97	2-\$5500	None	1-101

- * D21 is a big framed brute! The commercial guys will find him, and feeders will love his calves because they will have the skeleton for rapid growth! This growthy bull is for use on cows.
- * D21 ties as the 4th top YW EPD bull of the sale and the 2nd top \$Feedlot Value bull!
- * Dam X29 is a nice No Doubt cow with a superior 351 day calving interval on her 4 progeny. Her first two sons work for Dan McCorkle and Howard Belgarde. Her only daughter is an excellent uddered young female in the Hoover herd.
- * Pathfinder grandam L233 has been an exceptional cow, putting five replacement daughters in the herd.
- * L233's progeny work for Brett Barnett (a daughter and a featured son), Jamie Isane, Casey Miller, Walbridge Farm and Richard & Jason Swaney. Swaney's bull was the #1 weaning weight bull of his crop!
- * Beginning with L233, there are six consecutive generations of Pathfinder cows down the cow line of this pedigree - this is the longest consecutive stretch I know of in the Hoover herd, and an exceptionally rare find! In any given year, about 1/2 of 1% of current dams earn the Pathfinder honor.
- * Fertility is strong in this cow family, with L233 recording 10 calves at a 361 day calving interval.
- * Pathfinder great grandam J162 had a successful career with a 363 day calving interval on her 8 calves and a superior 8-107 WR! She had an excellent udder. She has two Pathfinder daughters!
- * J162's progeny work for Steve McFarland, Tim Schmidt, Larry Moffat, Tom McDonald and Bill Archer.



Prim Lassie of Ellston B52
Candid picture at 6 months of age
Dam of Lot 29

29**HOOVER EMPIRE D164**

BULL

REG: *21343580

TATTOO: D164

2/7/2025

*MOGCK Fortress 517
*MOGCK EMPIRE 110
*MOGCK Eraline 1748

#*K C F Bennett Fortress
*Mogck Rosebud 1545
#SylGen Enhance
*Mogck Eraline 855
*Musgrave 316 Stunner
*Pine Coulee Black Annie U7
*Mogck Bullseye
#Prim Lassie of Ellston L233

BW	77
ADJ. 205/WR	747/97
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+6	+81	+130	+8	+2.21	+11	+18	+20
		20%		25%	2%	25%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+26	+44	+50	+81	+99	-.002	+96	+111	+178	+327
20%						20%	25%	25%	15%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-101	1-97		None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	9-95	9-103	8-99	4-\$11,350	1-\$5000	

- * D164 is a level topped, square-made, big scrotal bull. His bone is appropriate for calving ease, and I would recommend him for use on heifers or cows.
- * Dam B52 was a first calf heifer with D164. She was one of my favorite heifers from our 2023 calf crop - quite possibly the stoutest heifer of the crop!
- * Grandam P33 is one of the herd's great cows - she has a 359 day calving interval on her 9 progeny and is still in the herd and doing great - she'll be 11 years old by sale day.
- * Three of P33's progeny have been photo features in our past auctions. Her latest sold for \$14,000 to repeat customer Kriss Lightner. Her other two features were selected by Miller Angus of Draper, SD. The bull was the \$23,000 5th top-selling and 2nd biggest ribeye scanning bull of his crop. The heifer was the #1 IMF scanning sale heifer. Brady Wolfram and Patrick Plant selected her other two progeny.
- * P33 has put three replacement daughters in the herd.
- * P33 is a unique cow that not only puts highly maternal qualities in her progeny, but good carcass traits too - she has an incredible 8-115 IMF ratio and 8-108 ribeye ratio!
- * These highly maternal traits are reflected in P33's \$M - she is the #1 \$M Hoover-owned female among over 700+ females! In fact, there are only 9 dams breed-wide that can beat P33's \$M index, one of which is a daughter of P33 that works for Miller Angus!
- * This pedigree is really cool - starting with great grandam L233, there are six consecutive generations of Pathfinder cows down the dam's side of this pedigree - I believe this is the only cow family in the herd that can lay claim to this feat - it is exceptionally rare!
- * I've talked so much I have to really summarize great grandam L233 - she ended her career with 10 calves at a 361 day calving interval! She put 5 replacement daughters in the herd.



200 sale animals
average a \$Maternal in the best
15% of the breed!

YEARLING BULLS**HOOVER**
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30 **HOOVER ARCHITECT D85**
 BULL REG: *21343556 TATTOO: D85 1/20/2025

*SydGen Blueprint *S ARCHITECT 9501 S Blossom 7514	##**KM Broken Bow 002 +*Sitz Florabelle Fanny 4735 #*S Whitlock 179 S Blossom 5525	BW 88 ADJ. 205/WR 749/97 ADJ. 365/YR %IMF/Ratio RE/Ratio Scrotal
+*Hoover Cut Above P427 *BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON V3 Blueblood Lady Ellston M3	##Bruns Top Cut 373 *Erica of Ellston L5 ##Hoover Dam #Blueblood Lady Ellston H118	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+3	+1.5	+78	+131	+6	+1.30	+5	+29	+26
25%			25%			30%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+0.7	+5.0	+4.6	+8.7	+5.2	+0.27	+82	+96	+158	+287
4%			20%						

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-102	5-99	4-96	1-\$4750	2-\$4750	None

- * D85 is a nice, thick, big quartered bull that has plenty of muscle. He's an attractive bull with an outcross pedigree for the vast majority of our repeat customers. Check him out, he should have been a photo feature!
- * We recommend this stout bull be used on cows.
- * D85 is one of 14 bulls that ranks in the best 1-5% of the breed for Hair Shed EPD.
- * Dam V3 has a 358 day calving interval on her 5 calves. Progeny work for Josh Sunderman, Jonathan Ernst and Kevin Ross. Her latest daughter is going into our replacement herd this spring.
- * Grandam M3 served as a donor cow at Hoover Angus and now works for Bo Slovek in South Dakota - please read about her and her dam H118 in the footnote of Lot 32.



31 **HOOVER LEGITIMATE D31**
 BULL REG: *21343539 TATTOO: D31 1/6/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39 *DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203 Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	##Woodhill Blueprint Myers Miss Beauty M136 ##Basin Rainmaker 4404 #Deep Creek MP Lass 933	BW 88 ADJ. 205/WR 796/103 ADJ. 365/YR %IMF/Ratio RE/Ratio Scrotal
*SydGen Sizzle *ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON S140 #Elbamere Queen Ellston N132	#Connealy Cool 39L +*WK Hazel 9201 ##Hoover Dam Elbamere Queen Ellston L173	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+2	+1.8	+76	+127	+9	+2.42	+2	+28	+31
30%			15%			4%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+28	+3.0	+4.0	+9.1	+9.3	+0.13	+99	+104	+174	+325
20%			3%			15%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	7-106	7-99	5-104	2-\$4900	1-\$3000	1-104

- * D31 is a thick, long bodied bull with a large scrotal and a bit more frame size than most Legitimate sons. He combines the maternal and terminal traits into one package about as well as any bull selling, so he is a great choice if you are retaining replacement daughters and feeding out your calves and selling on the grid or retaining ownership. He is recommended for use on cows.
- * D31 ties as the 4th top Docility EPD bull to sell and has the 2nd highest Scrotal EPD of any bull selling!
- * Dam S140 is a slick haired, excellent uddered female with an excellent calving interval of 359 days. She puts some marbling in her progeny and serves as the herd's 15th top IMF ratio cow with a superior 5-121 IMF ratio! S140 herself was the 5th top IMF scanning heifer of her crop.
- * S140's progeny work for Larson Angus Cattle Co., Doug Maxwell, and Dana Russell, all repeat customers. Larson's heifer calf they selected was the 6th top weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- * Pathfinder grandam N132 was a fertile cow with a 360 day calving interval. N132 had several top progeny, with her top son being the #1 weaning weight bull of his crop and selling to long-time repeat customer Glen Hanson for \$26,000. Other progeny work for Jay Anderson, Brian James, Quentin Goodman, and Shane Triggs.
- * N132 puts excellent carcass traits in her progeny, with an average 109 IMF ratio and 107 ribeye ratio!



32 **HOOVER GALACTIC D28**
 BULL REG: *21343538 TATTOO: D28 1/6/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D *SITZ GALACTIC 723G *Sitz Barabamere Jet 328E	##Mohnen Substantial 272 *SITZ Pride 200B *Sitz Emblem 11125 +*Sitz Barabamere Jet 771Z	BW 72 ADJ. 205/WR 746/96 ADJ. 365/YR %IMF/Ratio RE/Ratio Scrotal
+*Hoover Cut Above P427 *BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON V11 Blueblood Lady Ellston M3	##Bruns Top Cut 373 *Erica of Ellston L5 ##Hoover Dam #Blueblood Lady Ellston H118	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+12	-1.2	+70	+124	+9	+1.32	+11	+28	+18
10%			15%			25%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
-0.3	+2.6	+4.7	+8.0	+5.0	-0.39	+92	+97	+159	+298
2%			1%			30%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-95	5-104	4-101	1-\$8000	1-\$5000	1-97

- * D28 is a bigger framed, long bodied bull with a large scrotal. He is certainly safe for use on heifers. D28 has one of the lowest BW EPDs among the bulls selling!
- * D28 ties as the 4th best Hair Shed EPD bull to sell - an important trait if you are grazing fescue!
- * Dam V11 is a fertile cow with a 353 day calving interval. V11 is a low birth weight, heavy milking cow with ideal teat size. Her son selected by Wayne Reinhardt was the 4th top weaning weight bull of his crop, and her daughter that was the 13th top weaning weight heifer of her crop works for Jonathan Ernst.
- * V11 is an 18th consecutive generation bred, born and raised Hoover cow! Between D28's 3rd and 8th generation dams, there are five Pathfinder dams as you trace down the dam's cow line - this is an extremely rare occurrence to have 5 out of 6 dams in a row earn the honor, and certainly a testament to their fertility and productivity!
- * Grandam M3, now owned by Bo Slovek in South Dakota, put 7 replacement daughters in the Hoover herd. M3's greatest claim to fame was producing the \$39,000 top-selling bull of our 2018 sale.
- * Pathfinder great grandam H118 has done a whale of a job. At 12 years of age, she raised the #1 weaning weight heifer of the entire crop at 798 pounds! How can we ask for more? Her 7 progeny to come to auction averaged over \$12,000 - a whopping feat for a cow this age!



33 **HOOVER EMPIRE D266**
 BULL REG: 21343616 TATTOO: D266 2/26/2025

*MOGCK Fortress 517 *MOGCK EMPIRE 110 *MOGCK Eraline 1748	##*K C F Bennett Fortress *Mogck Rosebud 1545 #SydGen Enhance ##Mogck Eraline 855 ##*EF Commando 1366 *Baldridge Isabel Y69 ##Hoover Dam Blkcp Empress Ellston L434	BW 84 ADJ. 205/WR 807/104 ADJ. 365/YR %IMF/Ratio RE/Ratio Scrotal
##*Baldridge 38 Special BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON V439 Blkcp Empress Ellston N439		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+11	-1.6	+89	+145	+9	+4.1	+14	+26	+20
15%			10%			5%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+29	+4.2	+5.2	+1.04	+8.7	+0.19	+106	+94	+169	+325
20%			25%			15%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-110	4-107	2-109	1-\$7500	None	None

- * D266 is a long bodied, tight sheath bull with a level top.
- * D266 ties as the 3rd lowest BW EPD bull to sell and has one of the best CEM EPDs! Certainly use him on heifers if you like, then move him to the position of main herd sire after he gets too big to use on heifers. He is one of the biggest "spread" bulls of the auction from low BW EPD to high WW EPD!
- * Dam V439 has some high performing calves and ties as the 6th top yearling weight ratio cow of the herd for high yearling ratios on her progeny! One son was the 3rd top weaning weight bull of his crop. One son works for Brian Wimer.
- * V439 was the 3rd top IMF scanning heifer of her crop as well as scanning a 12.0" ribeye!
- * V439 is a 14th generation Blackcap Empress Ellston female to be bred, born and raised by four generations of the Hoover family. She traces back to the great C57 cow that has 105 daughter descendants that have worked in the herd, as well as 9 that have served as donors and 19 Pathfinders! Truly a highly productive cow family running generations deep!



YEARLING BULLS



HOOVER GENERAL LEE D32 - LOT 34
CANDID PICTURE AT 6 MONTHS OF AGE

35 BULL REG: +*21344798 TATTOO: D50 1/13/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	85
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	765/101
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	
*SydGen Sizzle	#Connealy Cool 39L	RE/Ratio	
*BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON T10	+*WK Hazel 9201	Scrotal	
#*Blkcp Empress Ellston P102	Hoover Hawkeye		
	#Blkcp Empress Ellston C344		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+5	+2.8	+86	+136	+7	+1.58	+1	+29	+25	
		10%	25%		15%		30%	25%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+32	+36	+36	+56	+76	+034	+108	+101	+149	+301
25%	10%	10%				1%			25%
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	6-107	6-100	5-102	7-\$9000	1-\$5000	2-96			

* D50 is a growthy, nice footed, big scrotal bull that fills his tracks when he walks.

* Flush mate to Lots 36-37. These bulls are recommended for use on cows.

* D50 is one of 16 bulls that rank in or above the top 1% of the breed for \$Maternal.

* Flush mates to these bulls were some of the top weaning weight heifers, including one that was the #1 WW ET heifer!

* Dam T10 – where do I start? She is one of my favorite two cows in the herd!

* T10 was selected to be a working donor for her maternal trait strength – she has excellent fertility, optimal performance, superior foot quality, an immaculate udder, and is quick to slick off her hair in the spring. She is a very gentle cow.

* With the rather new Functional Longevity EPD, T10 fares well – among Hoover-owned cows in production, she is among the top 15!

* T10 has a 363 day calving interval, and we have stolen flushes from her the past four years, and she still breeds right back.

* T10's progeny work for Steven Young, Glen Hanson (two flush brothers), Benz Eagle Valley Angus, Chad Heinert, Jonathan Ernst, Ann Mengarelli, and Russell & Sharon Kelley. The Benz bull was the 2nd top YW bull of our entire 2024 sale. Four of her sons have been photo features.

* T10 has two nice uddered daughters in the herd with hopefully several flush sisters to D50 and D69 being added next year.

* Pathfinder grandam P102 was a gentle cow with superior mothering ability. She was always right with her calf, and overnight, she put her calf right in front of her nose. It's a seemingly forgotten trait in today's beef industry quest for "bigger and better", yet maternal strength is very important for farmers and ranchers!

* P102's progeny work for Art Aberly, Roger Cerven, and Derek & Dresden Wulf, all repeat customers. Derek & Dresden's bull was the #1 ribeye scanning bull of his crop with over 1.3" of ribeye per hundred pounds of body weight – that's pretty rare!

* Pathfinder great grandam C344 is the renowned working donor that has had quite a career at Hoover Angus! Please see the highlights of her career in Lot 34's footnote.



34 BULL REG: *21343540 TATTOO: D32 1/7/2025

*Mohnen General 548	#*Baldridge Colonel C251	BW	89
*MOHNEN GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	799/103
Mohnen Jilt 1848	#*S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	
	#Mohnen Jilt 2504	%IMF/Ratio	
#*Connealy Commander	#*Connealy Consensus	RE/Ratio	
*BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON R408	Gespa of Conanga 9380	Scrotal	
*Blackcap Empress Ellston J54	#TC Friction 5130		
	#Blkcp Empress Ellston C344		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
-5	+3.8	+82	+129	+9	+2.27	+7	+28	+30	
		20%		15%	1%			10%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+39	+42	+40	+38	+60	+010	+75	+103	+143	+260
25%	20%				30%				
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	7-102	7-104	3-105	3-\$6500	None	None			

* D32 is a calm, long bodied, growthy boy with nice thickness and a big hip. He'll sure make some growthy, attractive calves! Anyone would be proud to have this bull in their front pasture! He is for use on cows.

* D32 has the 5th largest Scrotal EPD of any bull to sell as well as one of the top Docility EPDs!

* Dam R408 is a Pathfinder cow that has given us several excellent sons! One son that was the 4th top weaning weight and 4th top yearling weight bull of his crop works for repeat customer Mark Lents. Another son that was the 10th top weaning weight bull works for Matt Brown, and her third son works for Kelly and Jordan Morrison.

* Grandam J54 was a superior uddered cow that served as a working donor. Her 9 progeny to come to auction averaged \$5300 – an excellent price in her day!

* Pathfinder great grandam C344 is the renowned working donor that has had quite a career at Hoover Angus! She has a long record of highly successful progeny, many of which were among the top weaning weight calves of their calf crop. I'll try to hit the highlights here.

* C344 maintained a 359 day calving interval on her first 13 natural progeny, which included stealing flushes 5 different years, a testament to her exemplary fertility! C344 was laid to rest at 16 years of age. Her udder was still impeccable, her feet were still amazing and she recorded 13-107 wean ratio with herd average birth ratios.

* We sold C344's last large group of ET sons in our 2021 sale. She would have lived 17 years of age if still living, and her sons averaged \$7150! These sons went to astute cattlemen in three states plus Canada. She joined the elite \$100,000+ club when her progeny sales topped that mark.

* One daughter of C344 was the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer of her crop. A natural calf of C344 was the 14th top weaning weight heifer calf of her crop when C344 was 13 years old!

* Pathfinder fourth generation dam V127 recorded 12-106 WR and a 362 day calving interval. She was a tremendously easy fleshing cow. V127's grandam was C57, still one of the most influential cows in our herd today.

* Eight Pathfinders are found in this three generation pedigree.



36 BULL REG: +*21344800 TATTOO: D92 1/22/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	86
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	734/97
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	
*SydGen Sizzle	#Connealy Cool 39L	RE/Ratio	
*BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON T10	+*WK Hazel 9201	Scrotal	
#*Blkcp Empress Ellston P102	Hoover Hawkeye		
	#Blkcp Empress Ellston C344		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+7	+1.5	+83	+134	+8	+1.32	+1	+29	+25	
		15%	30%	25%	25%		30%	25%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+21	+33	+42	+61	+47	+017	+91	+78	+127	+256
15%	5%	25%				10%			
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	6-107	6-100	5-102	7-\$9000	1-\$5000	2-96			

* D92 is a nice footed, super long bodied bull with a tight sheath. We recommend him for use on cows.

* D92 is a flush brother to Lots 35 and 37. Please see footnote under Lot 35.





Blkcp Empress Ellston C344
 Pathfinder Hoover Donor
 Great Grandam of Lots 34-38



HOOVER LEGITIMATE D119 - LOT 39

37 HOOVER LEGITIMATE D69

BULL REG: +*21344799 TATTOO: D69 1/17/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	104
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	814/108
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	
*SydGen Sizzle	#Connealy Cool 39L	RE/Ratio	
*BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON T10	*Wk Hazel 9201	Scrotal	
#*Blkcp Empress Ellston P102	Hoover Hawkeye		
	#Blkcp Empress Ellston C344		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
-2	+5.9	+93	+145	+1.3	+5.0	+3	+24	+29
		4%	15%	2%				10%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+0.7	+3.5	+3.3	+4.6	+7.2	+0.15	+9.5	+9.0	+135	+270
4%	10%	3%				5%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	6-107	6-100	5-102	7-\$9000	1-\$5000	2-96

- * D69 is a slick haired, bigger outline, thick bull with plenty of length and a tight sheath. He has a little more frame than most Legitimate sons and plenty of growth potential.
- * D69 ties as the 4th top WW EPD bull to sell!
- * D69 is one of 14 bulls that ranks in the best 1-5% of the breed for Hair Shed EPD.
- * Flush brother to Lots 35-36. Please see footnote under Lot 35. D69 is recommended for use on cows.



39 HOOVER LEGITIMATE D119

BULL REG: *21343564 TATTOO: D119 1/28/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	83
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	773/100
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	
*Baldridge Chairman	#Fortunes Conquest 224	RE/Ratio	
*BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON A301	*Baldridge Isabel B061	Scrotal	
*Blackcap Empress Ellston V95	#*MOGCK Entice		
	*Blackcap Empress Ellston S31		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+6	+1.1	+72	+126	+9	+1.98	+10	+37	+17
		15%	3%	30%	3%			

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+7.3	+4.0	+3.8	+1.09	+9.6	+0.36	+102	+116	+193	+352
20%	15%	25%	25%			3%	15%	15%	10%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-103	2-103	1-106	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-97	4-101	4-103	2-\$6625	None	None

- * D119 offers a little more frame than most Legitimates, is thick, long bodied and has a big scrotal.
- * D119 is one of the top bulls of the sale for Heifer Pregnancy EPD and one of 13 bulls selling that rank in the best 1-5% of the breed for this trait. He also ties as the 3rd top Milk EPD bull to sell. I'll err on the side of caution and recommend him for use on cows.
- * D119 fares well enough on both the maternal and terminal traits to rank him 3rd highest in the sale for the \$Combined index (which is still heavily weighted towards the terminal traits).
- * Dam A301 is a young cow whose first calf is a nice heifer that settled first service AI and is going into our replacement herd this spring. D119 is her second calf, giving her a short 343 day calving interval.
- * Grandam V95 put two replacement daughters in the herd, and her sons work for BJ & Wyatt Thompson and Craig & Karri Miller. Miller's bull was the 10th top weaning weight bull of his crop.
- * Please read about 3rd and 4th generation dams, S31 and C344, respectively, in the footnote of Lot 34. C344 was one of the herd's all-time greats!



38 HOOVER EMPIRE D59

BULL REG: *21385108 TATTOO: D59 1/15/2025

*MOGCK Fortress 517	#*K C F Bennett Fortress	BW	73
*MOGCK EMPIRE 110	*Mogck Rosebud 1545	ADJ. 205/WR	777/100
*MOGCK Eraline 1748	#SydGen Enhance	ADJ. 365/YR	
	#*Mogck Eraline 855	%IMF/Ratio	
*RAML Optics 0710	#*RAML Rangefinder 7536	RE/Ratio	
*BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON B32	*RAML Ruby 710	Scrotal	
*Blackcap Empress Ellston S31	#**Hoover No Doubt		
	#Blkcp Empress Ellston C344		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+10	-8	+78	+133	+5	+1.17	+11	+18	+22
20%	15%	25%	30%			25%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+4.8	+3.7	+3.8	+4.8	+1.08	-.007	+77	+112	+164	+290
15%	15%		15%	25%	30%	20%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-96	1-100		None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-100	4-96	4-96	1-\$8500	2-\$4775	

- * D59 is a deep sided, thick bull with a small head to aid in calving ease. Save his daughters - I expect them to be beautiful uddered females that don't get too big mature size-wise, yet will still have excellent weaning growth.
- * D59 has the 5th top Ribeye EPD of any bull to sell!
- * Dam B32 was a superior uddered first calf heifer with D59 who once again settled first service AI for her 2026 calf.
- * Grandam S31 is a picture-perfect uddered female with a 362 day calving interval on her 6 calvings (two sets of twins don't show up in AAA weaning records). S31's progeny work for Preston Poots-Jacobsen, Matt Rea, and Colin Cleary.
- * Pathfinder great grandam C344 is the renowned working donor that has had quite a career at Hoover Angus! Please see the Cliffs Notes version of her successes in the footnote of Lot 34. Lots 34-39 descend from C344.
- * Pathfinder fourth generation dam V127 recorded 12-106 WR and a 362 day calving interval. She was a tremendously easy fleshing cow. V127's granddam was C57, still one of the most influential cows in our herd today.



We didn't even have to tell this guy to "load up"!



YEARLING BULLS



Blkcp Empress Ellston B190
Owned by Karla Rogen
\$9000 Maternal Sister to
Lot 40

41 HOOVER LEGITIMATE D34
BULL REG: 21343541 TATTOO: D34 1/7/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	78
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	765/99
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	
#*Bruns Top Cut 373	*Bruns Uppercut 610	RE/Ratio	
BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON P229	#Dakota Miss 669 Baf	Scrotal	
Blkcp Empress Ellston H4	#*SydGen C C & 7		
	Blkcp Empress Ellston X216		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+12	+5	+65	+111	+7	+41	+11	+25	+18
10%						25%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+27	+51	+42	+56	+1.03	-.013	+88	+98	+154	+288
20%		25%		15%		20%		15%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	9-95	9-98	7-97	2-\$3300	1-\$4000	2-100

* D34 is a really long bodied, thick bull, and those are the easiest ways to add pounds! I really like this cow family behind him; he would be an excellent choice to retain daughters from. Use D34 on heifers or cows.

* D34 is one of the top bulls of the sale for Heifer Pregnancy EPD and one of 13 bulls selling that rank in the best 1-5% of the breed for this trait.

* Dam P229 doesn't have the flashiest EPDs in the world, but she has done her job year in and year out with an excellent 360 day calving interval on her 9 calves. Fertility is the #1 profit-determining factor, and P229 sure has it!

* P229 still maintains an exceptional udder - if you would see her udder, she resembles a 3 year-old instead of a 10 year-old!

* P229's progeny work in three different states for Brett Barnett, Medlin Angus, and Reiman Livestock. Two of her excellent uddered daughters have been retained in the herd, one of which has served as a working donor. Her other daughter in the herd was the #1 IMF scanning female of her crop.

* Grandam H4 was counted on to bring in a good calf every single year. Two of her sons were photo features. H4 had as good of an udder as you could find! She was a very feminine fronted, beautiful CC&7 cow.

* Great grandam X216 was a tremendous herd bull maker - every one she had was a standout for muscle, thickness, and growth. She ended her career with 10-110 WR and a 356 day calving interval.



40 HOOVER LEGITIMATE D150
BULL REG: *21343577 TATTOO: D150 2/5/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	80
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	718/93
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	
#**Hoover No Doubt	#*Mogck Bullseye	RE/Ratio	
BLKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON X77	*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2	Scrotal	
Blkcp Empress Ellston P229	#*Bruns Top Cut 373		
	Blkcp Empress Ellston H4		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+10	+1.5	+74	+122	+5	+54	+13	+21	+26
20%						10%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+54	+41	+43	+73	+90	-.015	+91	+88	+150	+286
25%		30%		30%		15%		10%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-92	4-98	3-97	1-\$4500	1-\$9000	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	9-95	9-98	7-97	2-\$3300	1-\$4000	

* D150 is an attractive profiling bull with nice thickness and muscle. He has a real tight sheath as well as a small head and bone that is appropriate for calving ease.

* I'll recommend D150 for larger framed heifers or cows.

* X77 is a low birth weight, pretty cow that is easy-going in nature. She has a 359 day calving interval and her most recent daughter is going into our replacement herd this spring. Her son works for Will Forsythe, and her featured daughter works for Karla Rogen (and she loves her)!

* Please refer to Lot 41's footnote for information on grandam P229 as well as her dam and grandam - they have been herd bull-producing cows!



42 HOOVER GALACTIC D56
BULL REG: *21343548 TATTOO: D56 1/14/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D	#*Mohnen Substantial 272	BW	87
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G	*SITZ Pride 200B	ADJ. 205/WR	737/95
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E	*Sitz Emblem 11125	ADJ. 365/YR	
	*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z	%IMF/Ratio	
#**Baldrige 38 Special	#*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	
BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON V203	*Baldrige Isabel Y69	Scrotal	
Blueblood Lady Ellston M128	*Hoover Emperor		
	Blueblood Lady Ellston B93		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+7	+2.2	+80	+128	+6	+1.69	+10	+21	+24
20%						10%		30%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+29	+32	+50	+87	+36	+0.02	+101	+87	+149	+294
20%		4%		30%		3%		30%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-100	5-100	2-100	1-\$4500	1-\$7000	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	10-100	10-103	9-103	3-\$4450	4-\$5450	

* D56 is a bigger framed, long bodied, tight sheath bull with a little added bone. We recommend him for use on cows.

* Dam V203 is an excellent uddered cow with a 356 day calving interval. Her son works for the Deutmeyer family and her son for Hill Top Stock Farm, both repeat customers.

* V203 had nice performance data: WW 725 pounds, WR 111, YW 1018 lbs., YR 108, IMF 5.68, ratio 128, ribeye 12.0", ratio 115.

* Grandam M128 is 11 years old and still going strong with a superior udder! That's what I call profitable! Her progeny work in 5 different states for Martens Angus Farms, Locust Grove Beef Cattle, Cory Simpson, Andrew Davis, Brad Ayers, Clay Howerton, and Ryan Knobbe. Her most recent daughter is being retained in our herd.

* Great grandam B93 was a small cow that always weaned a huge percentage of her body weight. Her 11 calves came on a 363 day calving interval - that is exceptional fertility!



It's always amazing to watch the cattle the different places I've done dirt work over the years. Some places as soon as you get in the field they run to the other side of the farm and you never see them again. Some places they just stand back and watch. Then you go to Hoover Angus and they eat grass off your tracks as you are working!

~Facebook post from dozer operator Larry Jarred





HOOVER GALACTIC D44 - LOT 43

43 BULL REG: *21343545 TATTOO: D44 1/11/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D	#*Mohnen Substantial 272	BW	81
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G	*SITZ Pride 200B	ADJ. 205/WR	831/107
*Sitz Barabaramere Jet 328E	*Sitz Emblem 11125	ADJ. 365/YR	
*Fseys Cowboy Logic	**Sitz Barabaramere Jet 771Z	%IMF/Ratio	
#*MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON X129	*HA Cowboy Up 5405	RE/Ratio	
#*Miss Blackcap Ellston T9	*F A R Princess 148Z	Scrotal	
	**Baldridge 38 Special		
	**Miss Blackcap Ellston N70		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+9	-1	+80	+148	+9	+75	+15	+22	+13	
		30%	25%	20%	15%	15%	3%		
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+42	+29	+40	+47	+79	-.002	+64	+96	+143	+249
		2%	20%	25%					
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	4-103	4-106	3-104	2-\$12,900	None	None			

- * Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- * D44 is one of my favorites! He's a big, massively-made, wide based, easy fleshing bull. He's a superior footed, slick haired bull with an outcross pedigree for the vast majority of our repeat customers. Picture taking day I felt like we were photographing a fall bull here - he is so big, stout and masculine.
- * EPDs (genomics too) peg him for calving ease, but most calving ease bulls don't look like this! Use him on large framed, well-developed heifers or cows. He does offer one of the top CEM EPDs among the bulls selling.
- * D44 is backed by three consecutive generations of Pathfinder dams - it doesn't get much better than that! His great grandam is a flush sister to Hoover No Doubt.
- * Pathfinder dam X129 is in consideration to be flushed this spring. She was the 2nd top indexing cow of the herd the year prior to her only daughter getting her leg stuck in a brush pile and nearly ending her life as a 2 month-old calf. Daily treatments were given to this heifer to salvage the leg (and her life), and all the while, X129 was a great, calm cow to work with. It was her motherly instinct of staying beside her calf while she was stuck in the brush pile that alerted Andrew something must be wrong as she was away from the herd. Sure enough, something was definitely wrong.
- * X129's first calf was the #2 weaning weight, #1 yearling weight bull of his crop. This bull was a photo feature and selected by long-time repeat customer Glen Hanson. He was the #1 yearling weight bull by 54 pounds over the next highest bull! He also scanned a 16.9" ribeye to be the 4th biggest ribeye bull of our sale.
- * X129's next son, also a photo feature, works for long-time repeat customer Roger Cerven.
- * My calving book notes say that X129 was a "good mom" her first year calving.
- * X129 was a high performing female, WW 718 pounds, WR 111, YW 1089 lbs., YR 115 to be the 5th top yearling weight heifer of her crop.
- * Pathfinder grandam T9 had a successful career with an average 107 wean ratio on her progeny and a 359 day calving interval. One daughter was the #1 weaning weight, 3rd top yearling weight heifer of her crop and was a photo feature bred heifer selling to Lynden Smith for \$17,000. She was a beauty! Jake Owen who purchased T9's son is very pleased with him.
- * Shortly after earning Pathfinder status, great grandam N70 was purchased by Dixie Valley Ranch for \$70,000, the top-selling female to ever leave Hoover Angus. N70 produced two sons averaging \$8375 prior to leaving Ellston, Iowa.
- * N70 is one of three Pathfinder sisters to No Doubt!



44 BULL REG: *21343542 TATTOO: D40 1/8/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D	#*Mohnen Substantial 272	BW	83
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G	*SITZ Pride 200B	ADJ. 205/WR	786/102
*Sitz Barabaramere Jet 328E	*Sitz Emblem 11125	ADJ. 365/YR	
**Baldridge 38 Special	**Sitz Barabaramere Jet 771Z	%IMF/Ratio	
*PRINCESS OF ELLSTON S118	*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	
Princess of Ellston N170	*Baldridge Isabel Y69	Scrotal	
	*Basin Excitement		
	Princess of Ellston L196		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+7	+1.1	+84	+141	+1.1	+1.01	+16	+26	+23	
		15%	20%	10%	1%				
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+05	+27	+34	+75	+61	+007	+108	+89	+148	+300
		3%	1%	4%	1%		25%		
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	7-100	7-99	4-101	1-\$7500	None	1-114			

- * D40 is a bigger frame, nice structured bull that has extra length - very classic of what we see in the Galactic sire group. D40 is likely best suited for use on cows.
- * D40 ties as the 2nd highest CEM EPD bull to sell - certainly a consideration if you are saving replacement daughters and want them to calve easily. He also has one of the best feet EPD combinations in the sale. Maybe most important of his qualities, at least for those of us in fescue country, he is one of 14 bulls selling that ranks in the best 1-5% of the breed for Hair Shed EPD. Finally, D40 is one of 16 bulls selling that rank in or above the top 1% of the breed for \$Maternal!
- * Dam S118 has an excellent 359 day calving interval. S118's daughter that works in the herd weaned her first calf last fall - the 3rd top weaning weight heifer among about 130 calves! A bred heifer daughter of S118 sells as Lot 136.
- * S118 was a high scanning female with an 8.22 IMF, ratio 179, ribeye 11.4", ratio 103. She puts marbling in her progeny too, with an average 108 IMF ratio.
- * Kirk Egbert owns S118's son to come to auction.
- * Highly successful grandam N170 produced the top-selling bull of our 2020 auction at \$45,000 to Grimmus Cattle Co. and other sons to Jerry Long and Tom & Rose Tucker. Her featured daughter to sell works for Mike Moss in North Carolina who sends good reports.



45 BULL REG: *21343551 TATTOO: D64 1/16/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	84
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	790/102
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	
**Baldridge 38 Special	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	
*BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON T59	*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	
#Blkcp Empress Ellston C109	*Baldridge Isabel Y69	Scrotal	
	#TC Gridiron 258		
	Blkcp Empress Ellston A306		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+12	+1.1	+75	+121	+6	+1.23	+10	+25	+14	
		10%	30%		30%				
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+67	+37	+42	+1.16	+66	+039	+109	+83	+159	+315
		15%	25%	20%	1%		20%		
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	6-98	6-101	4-98	2-\$4750	None	1-99			

- * D64 is a wide based, thick, laid back bull with lots of length.
- * D64 offers one of the highest \$Maternal Weaned Calf Values (\$M) in the yearling bull division. He is one of 16 bulls selling that offers a \$M in or above the best 1% of the breed, due in part to his Heifer Pregnancy EPD in the best 4% of the breed.
- * D64 also has a high projection for marbling and is the 4th top Marbling EPD bull to sell!
- * D64 is recommended for large framed, well-developed heifers or cows.
- * Dam T59 is a neat uddered, low birth weight cow with one daughter in the herd and another entering the herd this spring. T59 has a 360 day calving interval, showing her excellent fertility.
- * Sons of T59 work for Tracy Shaffer and Mark Lents, both long-time repeat customers.
- * Grandam C109 served as the herd's 13th top indexing cow at the time of her passing - the oldest cow on this prestigious list! She recorded 10-97 BWR, 10-109 WR, 10-106 YR with a 361 day calving interval on 11 pregnancies (a set of high performing twins are not included in her ratios). She was the dam of the \$25,000 Hoover Headliner.



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46**HOOVER GALACTIC D68**

BULL REG: *21343552 TATTOO: D68 1/17/2025

*#Sitz Stellar 726D	*#Mohen Substantial 272	BW	84
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G	*SITZ Pride 200B	ADJ. 205/WR	808/104
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E	*Sitz Emblem 11125	ADJ. 365/YR	
	*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z	%IMF/Ratio	
*Baldridge Chairman	*Fortunes Conquest 224	RE/Ratio	
#B RIBBON HEIRESS ELLSTONT474	*#Baldridge Isabel B061	Scrotal	
#B Ribbon Heiress EllstonJ467	*#Connealy Reward		
	#B Ribbon Heiress EllstonG431		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+4	+5	+78	+135	+7	+59	+13	+28	+16
		25%	30%			10%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+37	+14	+30	+47	+28	+036	+81	+92	+131	+251
30%	1%	2%			20%				

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-103	5-103	3-101	None	2-\$8000	1-99

- * D68 is a slick haired bull with a bigger outline and plenty of length. He has nice thickness and a tight sheath. Will his one short ear make him a bargain?
- * D68 offers some of the best combined feet EPDs of any bull to sell!
- * D68 is a maternal brother to the nice flush of fall bulls, Lots 89-91.
- * Pathfinder dam T474 was selected to be a donor primarily for her fertility, excellent udder quality, and high performance that runs many generations deep in her cow family. Tracing down the dam's side of this pedigree, 4 of the past 5 generations of cows have earned Pathfinder honors - this is an exceptionally rare find, and testament to their fertility and productivity!
- * T474 is a 13th consecutive generation Hoover bred, born, and raised cow.
- * At 777 pounds, T474 was the 3rd top weaning weight heifer of her crop!
- * Pathfinder grandam J467 was one of the best of her day! She had 6 progeny that were in the top 5 calves of their respective crop for weaning weight, yearling weight or both! She ended her career with a perfect 365 day calving interval and 11 calves at a whopping 109 wean ratio! J467 herself was the 2nd top weaning weight and yearling weight heifer of her crop.
- * Pathfinder great grandam G431 produced two Pathfinder daughters in the Hoover herd as well as three progeny that were among the top 5 weaning weight or yearling weight calves of their respective crops.

**47****HOOVER GALACTIC D84**

BULL REG: *21343555 TATTOO: D84 1/19/2025

*#Sitz Stellar 726D	*#Mohen Substantial 272	BW	101
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G	*SITZ Pride 200B	ADJ. 205/WR	782/101
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E	*Sitz Emblem 11125	ADJ. 365/YR	
	*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z	%IMF/Ratio	
*SydGen Sizzle	#Connealy Cool 39L	RE/Ratio	
BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON S183	*#WK Hazel 9201	Scrotal	
Blackcap Empress Ellston N33	*#Hoover Dam		
	#Blackcap Empress Ellston B96		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+0	+3.6	+81	+136	+1.1	+82	+7	+18	+19
		20%	25%	10%				

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+16	+25	+41	+84	+83	-.019	+69	+114	+181	+304
10%	1%	20%			15%	20%	25%	25%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	7-104	7-100	6-101	4-\$6375	1-\$3600	1-102

- * D84 is a big, growthy bull with a tight sheath so he is less likely to get hung up in pasture obstacles. His one ear that got frozen off very short might make him a bargain on sale day! We recommend him for use on cows.
- * Dam S183 has a 361 day calving interval on her 7 calves. Progeny work for Stacy Claizer & Chad Kelley, Amanda Williams, Philip Martin, Lane Stortenbecker and BJ and Wyatt Thompson. S183 has one beautiful daughter in the herd.
- * Grandam N33 had a 362 day calving interval that included two sets of twins. She was a fertile gal that bred right back after having twins! Taylor Ridge and Bo Slovek own N33's progeny that have sold through our sales.
- * Pathfinder great grandam B96 ended her career with 10-107 WR and a 356 day calving interval on her 11 pregnancies. One Pathfinder daughter works in the herd. Several of her progeny were top weaning weight calves, photo features, and top-selling animals in our sales towards the beginning of the century.

**48****HOOVER GALACTIC D113**

BULL REG: *21343562 TATTOO: D113 1/28/2025

*#Sitz Stellar 726D	*#Mohen Substantial 272	BW	79
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G	*SITZ Pride 200B	ADJ. 205/WR	803/104
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E	*Sitz Emblem 11125	ADJ. 365/YR	
	*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z	%IMF/Ratio	
*#Bruns Top Cut 373	*Bruns Uppercut 610	RE/Ratio	
*BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON T140	#Dakota Miss 669 Baf	Scrotal	
Blueblood Lady Ellston P184	*#Hoover Dam		
	Blueblood Lady Ellston K110		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+9	-9	+66	+118	+8	+32	+14	+22	+7
		30%	15%			25%	5%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+29	+36	+45	+34	+67	-.030	+63	+96	+138	+242
20%	10%					10%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	6-98	6-97	4-101	1-\$7500	None	1-107

- * D113 is a really long, tight sheath bull with added frame - his calves will grow!
- * D113 offers one of the top CEM EPDs among the bulls selling! From less than 80 pounds at birth to over 800 pounds at weaning, he has performed well! We recommend him for use on heifers or cows.
- * Dam T140's first son works for Willer Timber Ridge in Indiana and her first daughter to come to auction sells as Lot 115. T140's fertility is shown by her 361 day calving interval on her 6 calves.
- * Grandam P184 was a heavy milking cow with a 364 day calving interval. Her progeny work for Karla Rogen, Dana Hotz (the 5th top weaning weight bull of his crop), Jason Matthews, and Art Knutson. Another daughter of P184 was the 9th top weaning weight heifer of her crop and works in the herd.

**49****HOOVER ARCHITECT D170**

BULL REG: *21343581 TATTOO: D170 2/8/2025

*SydGen Blueprint	*#*KM Broken Bow 002	BW	92
*S ARCHITECT 9501	*#Sitz Florabelle Fanny 4735	ADJ. 205/WR	802/104
S Blossom 7514	*#S Whitlock 179	ADJ. 365/YR	
	S Blossom 5525	%IMF/Ratio	
*#*Baldridge 38 Special	*#*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	
BLACKBIRD OF ELLSTON T151	*Baldridge Isabel Y69	Scrotal	
Blackbird of Ellston P265	*#*Connealy Counselor		
	Blackbird of Ellston D362		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+2	+2.1	+87	+143	+6	+1.07	+8	+24	+29
		10%	20%			10%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
-.03	+35	+55	+57	+1.02	+0.62	+91	+88	+139	+271
2%	10%			20%	10%				

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	6-101	6-100	3-104	2-\$7250	1-\$5250	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	6-115	6-97	4-102	1-\$6000	3-\$3800	

- * D170 should have been a photo feature! He is a square-made brick of a bull with a big hip, thick rear end and he's built the way a bull should be built!
- * D170 ties as the 4th best Hair Shed EPD bull to sell!
- * Dam T151 is a super beefy cow who has a 360 day calving interval on her 6 calves. Her progeny work for Andy Eichelberger (2) and Doug & Renee Neimann. Niemann's bull was the 4th top weaning weight bull of his crop and went on to have the 4th top yearling weight!
- * T151 scanned a 12.1" ribeye herself and now ties as the 8th top ribeye ratio cow in the herd with an average 109 ribeye ratio on her progeny! T151 was also the 11th top weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- * Grandam P265 produced the stylish Lot 114 bred heifer. P265 is a fertile female, having a superior 360 day calving interval on 9 calves, and this even includes back-to-back sets of twins! Other progeny work for Kevin Ross, Paul Nelson, Gerald Swelling, and Roger Pohlkamp. Paul's bull was the #1 ribeye scanning bull of his crop!
- * Great grandam D362 has been gone for many years, but her fertility is shown by the 366 day calving interval she had on her 11 calves. Two of her progeny were photo features.

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Queen of Ellston K11
Pathfinder Grandam of
Lot 50

51 BULL **HOOVER GALACTIC D122**
REG: *21343566 TATTOO: D122 1/29/2025

*Sitz Stellar 726D	*Mohen Substantial 272	BW	98
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G	*SITZ Pride 200B	ADJ. 205/WR	821/106
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E	*Sitz Emblem 11125	ADJ. 365/YR	
	*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z	%IMF/Ratio	
*Hoover Dam	*SydGen C C & 7	RE/Ratio	
MAID OF ELLSTON R255	#Erica of Ellston C124	Scrotal	
#Maid of Ellston M251	MCATL Triple Stack 889-495		
	Maid of Ellston E362		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
-2	+3.7	+70	+130	+1.0	+58	+3	+18	+17

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+26	+27	+38	+89	+35	-.013	+44	+100	+163	+255
20%	1%	15%		20%					

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	8-102	8-101	5-101	2-\$4875	None	None

- * D122 is a larger framed bull that still has plenty of body and volume. There are a lot of pounds in this growthy bull! We recommend him for use on cows. He has a little different pedigree for many of our repeat customers.
- * Dam R255 is a slick haired, easy fleshing, beautiful uddered cow with a 361 day calving interval on her 8 calves! Her sons were selected by Harold Fuller and Andy Eichelberger, both repeat customers. Harold's bull was the best Incredible son we had ever had and also the 5th top IMF bull of our sale.
- * R255's latest daughter settled first service AI and will calve right before sale time this year.
- * Grandam M251 was a neat uddered cow that ended her career with a 362 day calving interval.



50 BULL **HOOVER GENERAL LEE D118**
REG: *21343563 TATTOO: D118 1/28/2025

*Mohen General 548	*Baldridge Colonel C251	BW	84
*MOHEN GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	775/100
Mohen Jilt 1848	*S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	
	#Mohen Jilt 2504	%IMF/Ratio	
*Baldridge 38 Special	*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	
QUEEN OF ELLSTON T54	*Baldridge Isabel Y69	Scrotal	
#Queen of Ellston K11	*Hoover Dam		
	#Queen of Ellston C355		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+11	-8	+71	+121	+5	+1.03	+6	+28	+21
15%	15%							

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+32	+42	+36	+77	+37	+0.23	+104	+90	+145	+292
25%	25%	10%		2%				30%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	6-102	6-100	4-103	2-\$8500	1-\$7000	1-97

- * D118 is as long as a train and there is plenty of muscle in this bull - very typical of what we see in the General Lee cattle. He's got lots of stretch and neck extension. He's a calm bull that you can more than likely walk up to and put your hands on him.
- * D118 has strong EPDs in many of the maternal traits, including Teat, Udder and Functional Longevity EPDs in the best 1-5% of the breed, giving him a \$Maternal index in the best 2% of the breed. We recommend him for larger framed heifers or cows.
- * Dam T54 is a super stout cow with a 357 day calving interval. Her \$10,000 son that was one of the top weaning weight calves of his crop works for long-time repeat customer Glen Hanson. Her featured daughter works for Jamie Isane and another son for Brady Wolfgram. Brady's bull was the 2nd top ribeye scanning bull of our sale last year.
- * T54 had excellent performance data herself: WW 711 lbs., WR 107, YW 1031 lbs., YR 108, IMF 5.51, ratio 126, ribeye 14.9", ratio 139 (that's 5 inches above breed average)! T54 ties as the 8th top ribeye ratio cow of the herd with 3-109 ribeye ratio.
- * Pathfinder grandam K11 was one of the most beautiful Hoover Dam daughters we have ever had! She had a 366 day calving interval and put 3 successful daughters in the herd, including the dam of Hoover Attraction.
- * One daughter of K11 was selected as a feature from our 2022 sale to be a donor cow for Tyler Shelton at \$13,000. K11 was a great cow to work with at calving time. We counted on her to bring in one of the best calves every year.
- * K11 is the base for ribeye in this cow family - as a yearling heifer, she scanned a 15.3" ribeye, with an 1104 pound scan weight. Breed average for heifers is currently 9.8"!
- * Pathfinder great grandam C355 was a high producing cow whose six progeny averaged \$6775 - not bad for a 2004 model cow! Her first daughter earned Pathfinder honors. She produced two full sibs to K11 that were photo features topping the \$10,000 mark!
- * Eight Pathfinders are found in D118's three-generation pedigree.



RECOMMENDATIONS FOR COWS OR HEIFERS:

In this catalog, I note on every bull whether he is suitable for use on virgin heifers, or if he is safest to use on cows. Here are the criteria I use to make this determination: BW EPD, CED EPD, individual birth weight, dam's birth weight ratios, sire's calving ease favorability, and the phenotype of the bull. The phenotype generally includes the shape of the bull's head (is it long and narrow or short and blocky?), the shoulder, and the amount of bone.

A bull's BW and CED EPD are impacted by his own birth weight and calving ease score (calving ease score ONLY if he is out of a first calf heifer), pedigree information, and genomics. Genomics play an extremely large role in an animal's EPDs.

I try to be reasonably conservative when I recommend bulls for use on heifers, as I do not want customers to pull calves! With that being said, I do expect heifers to be managed and developed reasonably well. For example, any outlier small or young heifers being removed from the group.

For those with heifers of unknown background, I would strive to select a bull in the best 30% of the breed or better for BW EPD and the best 30% of the breed or better for CED EPD. Also, users of club calf genetics need to use caution when selecting bulls for first calf heifers, as these genetics are often associated with more calving problems. Remember, the bull is only half of the genetic equation in calving ease. He provides none of the environmental calving aspects, such as the nutrition of the dam during gestation.

After a cow has had her first calf, the rate of dystocia (calving difficulty) is extremely low, assuming no abnormal presentations such as backwards calves. Therefore, all bulls in this catalog can be used safely on mature cows. Remember, Angus is already a "calving ease" breed, and I encourage you to stay away from extreme calving ease bulls for use on mature cows, as they generally give up performance.

If you have further questions, just give me a shout,
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Sire of Lots 30, 49,
52, 59 and 66



Maid of Ellston J316
Candid picture at 14 years of age
Hoover Angus Donor
Grandam of Lots 52 & 54; Great
Grandam of Lot 53



HOOVER TROPHYCLASS D124 - LOT 53



Hoover Trophyclass B39
Owned by Dan Olson
\$13,000 Full Brother to Lot 53



Maid of Ellston R334
Pathfinder Grandam of Lot 53; Relative of
Lots 51-57

52
BULL REG: *21343557 TATTOO: D90 1/22/2025

*SydGen Blueprint
***S ARCHITECT 9501**
S Blossom 7514

#Connealy Impact
***MAID OF ELLSTON S245**
Maid of Ellston J316

##*KM Broken Bow 002
**Sitz Florabelle Fanny 4735
#S Whitlock 179
S Blossom 5525
#*Connealy Impression
#Elza of Conanga 8265
#TC Friction 5130
Maid of Ellston B155

BW	82
ADJ. 205/WR	750/97
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+1	+72	+125	+1.0	+1.89	+12	+33	+22
		25%		10%	5%	15%	15%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+37	+42	+40	+36	+1.8	+0.57	+98	+101	+131	+268
30%	25%	20%			4%				

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+6	+83	+133	+7	+1.53	+5	+41	+21
		15%	30%		15%		1%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+47	+31	+45	+73	+95	+0.54	+97	+105	+163	+308
		3%		25%	4%	30%	20%		

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	7-101	7-100	5-103	1-\$8000	1-\$3600	2-108

GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction
	13-96	13-101	12-103	3-\$8850	4-\$6125

- * D90 is a wide-based, really long bodied bull with a tight sheath and a little more bone. Save every daughter this bull makes, they will be the keeping kind! He has an outcross pedigree for many of our repeat customers.
- * Genomics pegs D90 very favorably for calving ease, so we recommend him for heifers or cows.
- * Dam S245 is from the highly successful Maid cow family. She has a 357 day calving interval and her two daughters in the herd are doing a phenomenal job. One raised her first calf this year, which was the 7th top weaning weight heifer of her crop. The other daughter may just earn Pathfinder honors this spring for her progeny performance and tight calving window.
- * S245's progeny work for Don Williams and Brice Erickson.
- * Grandam J316 was flushed at 14 years of age for her fertility, productivity, and awesome daughters she put into the herd. She ended her career with a 364 day calving interval on 13 progeny! Her progeny and grand progeny were the lead-off bulls in our 2024 sale catalog.
- * J316 has been one of our best daughter-makers, and has four daughters in the Hoover herd ratiating an average 104 WR on their progeny, two of which have earned Pathfinder honors!
- * J316 is the type of cow that you can count on to bring in a good calf every single year, and do it with lower than average birth ratios. Her progeny work for Dusty Goodman, Renee Neuenkirk, Wayne Reinhart, Larson Angus Cattle Co., and Dwayne Scar.
- * Great grandam B155 has been gone for many years now, but recorded a 362 day calving interval on her 11 progeny. She was a thick, beefy cow that put 5 replacement daughters in our herd.
- * To show how many generations deep the maternal strength runs in this pedigree, fourth generation dam S34 recorded 14-108 WR and had a 359 day calving interval at the end of her career! She brought 10 sons to auction.
- * This cow family has stamped each generation of females with a thick, brood cow look.



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BULL REG: *21343567 TATTOO: D124 1/30/2025

##*LD Capitalist 316
#MCATL Blackbird 831-1378
#*Connealy Onward
War Hill Blackbone Annie

#*Baldridge 38 Special
***E L K TROPHYCLASS**
*Pine Coulee Black Annie U7

#*EF Commando 1366
*Baldridge Isabel Y69
#*Mogck Bullseye
Maid of Ellston J316

BW	78
ADJ. 205/WR	805/104
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+6	+83	+133	+7	+1.53	+5	+41	+21
		15%	30%		15%		1%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+47	+31	+45	+73	+95	+0.54	+97	+105	+163	+308
		3%		25%	4%	30%	20%		

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-94	4-105	3-102	3-\$8400	None	None

GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction
	8-96	8-105	7-103	3-\$5000	2-\$7125

- * Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- * D124 is a wide based, thick and easy fleshing bull with an attractive profile. He is long bodied with the rib capacity classic of the Trophyclass progeny.
- * D124 is the #1 Milk EPD bull to sell!
- * Pathfinder dam X17 is a highly productive cow that is certainly on our radar to be a donor cow! One son was the Lot 1 featured bull in our 2024 sale and sold to long-time repeat customer Dan Olson for \$13,000. Jerry Findley and Martin Richter selected her other two nice sons. We are desperately hoping for a daughter in 2026!
- * X17 is once again due to calve early and will continue her solid calving interval of 361 days. She has a near perfect udder.
- * X17 was the 3rd top weaning weight heifer of her crop at 766 pounds!
- * Pathfinder grandam R334 is one of the top cows in the herd. She easily maintains the stringent requirements to earn the Pathfinder honor each year. She has an exceptional 361 day calving interval on her 8 progeny! R334 has high performing progeny and she does it with progeny that are significantly below herd average for birth weight!
- * R334's beautiful daughters to come to auction were selected by Hank Hilmes and Brent & Lindy Riewerts - Hank's heifer was the 10th top weaning weight heifer of her crop. R334's sons work for repeat customers Jeff Bellamy, Andy Eichelberger, and Doug & Steve Garrett.
- * Great grandam J316 was flushed at 14 years of age for her fertility (364 day calving interval on 13 progeny), productivity, and awesome daughters she put into the herd. Please read more about J316, her dam B155, and her dam S34 in the footnote of Lot 52. What a rich history of phenomenal cows here!
- * Nine Pathfinders are found in D124's three-generation pedigree!



54 BULL **HOOVER GALACTIC D239**
 REG: *21343607 TATTOO: D239 2/19/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D *SITZ GALACTIC 723G *Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E	#*Mohnen Substantial 272 *SITZ Pride 200B *Sitz Emblem 11125 *Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z	BW 84 ADJ. 205/WR 807/104 ADJ. 365/YR %IMF/Ratio RE/Ratio Scrotal
#*Baldridge 38 Special *MAID OF ELLSTON V92 Maid of Ellston J316	#*EF Commando 1366 *Baldridge Isabel V69 *TC Friction 5130 Maid of Ellston B155	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+4	+80	+135	+1.2	+39	+13	+28	+25
30%	20%	30%	3%			10%		25%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
-.05	+.33	+.43	+.78	+.81	+.037	+.79	+.113	+.173	+.303
1%	5%	30%				25%	20%	30%	25%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-103	5-109	4-108	None	None	2-103
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	13-96	13-101	12-103	3-\$8850		4-\$6125

* D239 is a well-made, meaty bull. He's a growthy boy with a big quarter. He is recommended for large framed, well-developed heifers or cows.

* D239 offers the 2nd lowest (best) Hair Shed (HS) EPD of any bull to sell!

* Pathfinder dam V92 is a beefy, good uddered cow that serves as the herd's 8th top indexing cow and also has the herd's 9th top yearling weight ratios on her progeny. Two excellent daughters work in the herd, and we are adding a third daughter this spring. One of her daughters was the 2nd top weaning weight, #1 yearling weight heifer of her crop. Another daughter was the 7th top weaning weight heifer!

* V92 has been on my radar to flush for several years with her excellent udder, sustained fertility (5 calves at a perfect 365 day calving interval), and stoutness she puts in her progeny. Plus, her cow family has been strong for many generations.

* Please read about tremendous grandam turned donor at 14 years of age (J316) in Lot 52's footnote as well as 3rd generation dam B155 and 4th generation dam S34.



56 BULL **HOOVER EMPIRE D273**
 REG: *21343620 TATTOO: D273 2/28/2025

*MOGCK Fortress 517 *MOGCK EMPIRE 110 *MOGCK Eraline 1748	#**K C F Bennett Fortress *Mogck Rosebud 1545 #SylGen Enhance *#Mogck Eraline 855	BW 82 ADJ. 205/WR 725/94 ADJ. 365/YR %IMF/Ratio RE/Ratio Scrotal
#*MOGCK Entice *MAID OF ELLSTON V100 Maid of Ellston R85	#SylGen Enhance *#MOGCK Erica 2255 *#Basin Excitement #Maid of Ellston L210	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+12	-1.3	+77	+130	+7	-.11	+11	+29	+29
10%	10%	30%				25%	30%	10%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+18	+.31	+.44	+.81	+1.04	+.010	+102	+102	+169	+321
10%	3%			15%		3%			15%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-110	5-100	3-101	None	2-\$5375	None

* D273 is an easy going, level topped, tight sheath bull that is a sleep-tight, all night heifer bull! He has one of the lowest BW EPDs among the bulls selling!

* Dam V100 is a beefy cow with a 366 day calving interval on her calves and her daughters work for Jade Jandel (a photo feature) and Douglas Hartwig.

* V100 was a high performing heifer herself, weaning at 730 pounds, WR 112, YW 1037 lbs., YR 110. She scanned an excellent 6.24 IMF, ratio 140.

* This Maid cow family has been solid for generations - grandam and great grandam (a Pathfinder) had a 363 and 356 day calving intervals, respectively. Fourth generation dam B155 recorded a 362 day calving interval on her 11 progeny. She was a thick, beefy cow that put 5 replacement daughters in our herd. Next down the line was the great Pathfinder S34 cow that recorded 14-108 WR and had a 359 day calving interval at the end of her career! She brought 10 sons to auction. Those are profitable cattle!

* Eight Pathfinders are found in this 3-generation pedigree!



55 BULL **HOOVER GALACTIC D141**
 REG: *21343573 TATTOO: D141 2/2/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D *SITZ GALACTIC 723G *Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E	#*Mohnen Substantial 272 *SITZ Pride 200B *Sitz Emblem 11125 *Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z	BW 88 ADJ. 205/WR 832/107 ADJ. 365/YR %IMF/Ratio RE/Ratio Scrotal
*Mohnen General Lee *MAID OF ELLSTON B66 *Maid of Ellston V77	*#Mohnen General 548 Mohnen Jilt 1848 *#*Baldridge 38 Special *#*Maid of Ellston R334	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+2	+3.7	+86	+152	+1.2	+1.14	+10	+36	+22
		10%	10%	3%		30%	5%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+.32	+.27	+.38	+.37	+.68	-.025	+.72	+.116	+.159	+.278
25%	1%	15%			10%		15%		

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-114	1-107		None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-104	5-103	3-102	1-\$8000		1-\$2000

* D141 is a big, rugged growthy bull with lots of post-weaning growth. He was the 15th top weaning weight bull of his crop! We recommend this growthy bull for cows.

* D141 ties as the #1 Heifer Pregnancy EPD bull to sell, has one of the top YW EPDs and one of the top Milk EPDs!

* Dam B66 was a first calf heifer with D141 and she is due to calve February 2 for the second time!

* Grandam V77 produced an \$8000 full brother to B66 in our 2025 sale for Clay Hohertz. Lewis Klein selected her open heifer daughter to come to auction.

* Please read about Pathfinder great grandam R334 in the footnote of her grandson, Lot 53 as well as her dam, the great J316 cow.



57 BULL **HOOVER TROPHYCLASS D256**
 REG: *21343611 TATTOO: D256 2/24/2025

#*Musgrave 316 Stunner *E L K TROPHYCLASS *#Pine Coulee Black Annie U7	#**LD Capitalist 316 #MCATL Blackbird 831-1378 *#Connealy Onward War Hill Blackbone Annie #SylGen Enhance *#MOGCK Erica 2255 **Hoover Top Gun Maid of Ellston P242	BW 84 ADJ. 205/WR 749/97 ADJ. 365/YR %IMF/Ratio RE/Ratio Scrotal
#*MOGCK Entice *MAID OF ELLSTON Z301 *Maid of Ellston S318		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+9	+2.0	+86	+145	+5	+1.84	+3	+37	+21
30%		10%	15%		5%		3%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+.04	+.32	+.44	+.48	+1.30	-.025	+86	+110	+166	+301
3%	4%			4%	10%	15%	25%		25%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-95	3-100	1-99	None	None	1-96
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	7-94	7-97	5-102	2-\$5625		None

* D256 is a bull with lots of volume, a nice quarter and plenty of rear end. He is one of the bigger scrotal younger bulls. He is recommended for use on cows.

* D256 is the #1 Ribeye EPD bull to sell and ties as the 3rd top Milk EPD bull!

* For those in fescue country, he has one of the best Hair Shed (HS) EPDs!

* Dam Z301 is a hard-working cow with a 366 day calving interval which will tighten up when she calves in January this year. Her calving window has been between February 17-23 each year - I'd say her time clock is working well, as we don't use estrus synchronization or fertility-enhancing protocols on our females.

* Z301's daughter in the herd is a near perfect uddered heifer who once again settled first service AI for her second calf.

* Grandam is still going strong at 9 years of age with a 363 day calving interval. Sons work for Joel Greenley and Chad and Craig Davison. Her second daughter is going into the replacement herd this spring.

* To show how many generations deep the maternal strength runs in this pedigree, sixth generation dam S34 recorded 14-108 WR and had a 359 day calving interval at the end of her career! She brought 10 sons to auction.





Hoover Notary
 Owned by Golden Chute Ranch, Tim Hackett,
 and IMS Cattle
 \$38,000 Maternal Grand sire of Lot 58



Miss Blackbird Ellston C238
 Maternal Sister to Lot 58
 Sells as Lot 111

58 BULL **HOOVER LEGITIMATE D102**
 REG: *21343558 TATTOO: D102 1/24/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39
***DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203**
 Deep Creek Rain Lass 013
 Hoover Notary
***MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON Z179**
 Miss Blackbird Ellston T106

##Woodhill Blueprint
 Myers Miss Beauty M136
 ##Basin Rainmaker 4404
 #Deep Creek MP Lass 933
 ##Hoover No Doubt
 Prim Lassie Ellston L455
 ##Brun's Top Cut 373
 Miss Blackbird Ellston L52

BW	71
ADJ. 205/WR	778/101
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+9	+2	+85	+146	+1.0	+1.49	+10	+28	+26
30%	30%	15%	15%	10%	15%	30%		20%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+0.32	+0.41	+0.44	+0.99	+0.67	+0.16	+97	+98	+168	+315
25%	25%	30%			4%				20%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-103	3-97	2-104	None	1-\$8500	None

GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction
	6-102	6-99	4-100	1-\$5000	1-\$6250

- * D102 is a level topped bull with lots of length and a small head to aid in calving ease. He is recommended for heifers or cows – or better yet, use him on heifers for a year or two before moving him up to the position of main herd sire! He has lots of growth potential with still a really nice set of maternal EPD predictions.
- * D102's full sister is my favorite spring bred heifer to sell – check her out, Lot 111.
- * Dam Z179 has produced back-to-back photo feature bred heifers for us! Her first was a very nice heifer selling to repeat customer Salt Fork Angus.
- * Z179 is a slick haired cow that passes this trait along to her progeny.
- * Grandam T106 is a very nice uddered cow with a daughter working for Bruce & Kendall Bakker and a son for Adam Meyer. T106 has a 364 day calving interval, showing excellent fertility.
- * Great grandam L52 put 5 daughters in our replacement herd, which is as many as any non-donor cow! She was a great 'ole Hoover Dam daughter that just kept going and going. She is also found in the pedigree of feature bred heifer Lot 156.
- * Fourth generation dam C224 had a perfect 365 day calving interval on her 10 calves, and a picture-perfect udder even into old age.

THE TOOLBOX

If you look in your toolbox for wrench to tighten a nut, but the only tools in your toolbox are a hammer and a tape measure, you aren't going to get that bolt tightened very well. Or maybe you need to cut netwrap off your baler's roller, yet all you have in your toolbox are wrenches and a prybar. Different tasks require different tools, and unless you have the *proper* tool, you are likely to be unsuccessful.

In the Hoover Angus catalog, we provide you with many tools – many EPDs, measurements, footnotes, and educational boxes like this one. Not every tool is valuable to every person, just like you don't need every tool to tighten a nut or cut netwrap.

Many people appreciate the vast amount of data, and for others, it is simply too much. If you are the latter, make note of your top 3 priorities in a bull, then take a highlighter to highlight these traits and make it easier to focus on the traits of importance to your herd.

59 BULL **HOOVER ARCHITECT D108**
 REG: *21343560 TATTOO: D108 1/27/2025

*SydGen Blueprint
***S ARCHITECT 9501**
 S Blossom 7514

##**KM Broken Bow 002
 **Sitz Florabelle Fanny 4735
 **S Whitlock 179
 S Blossom 5525

##Mogck Bullseye
MISS ERICA ELLSTON N269
 #Miss Erica Ellston H25

#MOGCK Sure Shot
 Mogck Mary 1255
 **SydGen C C & 7
 Miss Erica Ellston A40

BW	80
ADJ. 205/WR	827/107
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+5	+1.9	+99	+156	+9	+1.01	+9	+31	+27
		2%	10%	15%			20%	15%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+0.03	+0.53	+0.47	+0.36	+1.03	-0.09	+107	+122	+168	+325
3%				15%	20%	2%	10%		15%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	10-90	10-98	7-96	2-\$5625	1-\$2750	1-101

- * D108 is a super slick haired bull with plenty of muscle and a big quarter. He's wide based, thick, and easy to find. He looks the way a bull should look!
- * D108 offers the 2nd top WW EPD and ties with the 4th top YW EPD of any bull selling! Likewise, he has the 2nd biggest Carcass Weight (CW) EPD, and certainly pounds drive profit!
- * D108's slick hair matches his Hair Shed EPD that is among the best of the bulls selling. He is also one of 39 bulls to sell that rank in the best 1-5% of the breed for the \$Maternal index.
- * Dam N269 has 10 progeny at a 363 day calving interval – I'd say she has done her job well, and she raised this bull at 11 years of age that weaned at 827 pounds! How can we ask for more?
- * N269's daughter in the herd weaned her first calf this fall, and he sells as Lot 60.
- * N269's son selected as a herd sire is the sire of bred heifers Lots 146-147. Her other progeny work for Alta Genetics, Pat Peak and Mark Bright, all repeat customers.
- * Pathfinder grandam H25 was as good of an uddered cow as you can find who had 10 calves at a 362 day calving interval and an average 106 wean ratio! Also like N269, she was a great mother to work with at calving time. We don't have an EPD to measure mothering ability, and we don't often think about it until we get a cow that *doesn't* have good mothering ability – and then it becomes real important!
- * The last cow in the pedigree, A40, was the calf in Landi's last Champion Cow/Calf Pair at the county fair. A long line of successful females this has been!

60 BULL **HOOVER GALACTIC D187**
 REG: *21343588 TATTOO: D187 2/10/2025

##Sitz Stellar 726D
***SITZ GALACTIC 723G**
 *Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E

##Mohnen Substantial 272
 *SITZ Pride 200B
 *Sitz Emblem 11125
 **Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z

*E L K Trophyclass
***MISS ERICA ELLSTON B90**
 Miss Erica Ellston N269

##Musgrave 316 Stunner
 **Pine Coulee Black Annie U7
 ##Mogck Bullseye
 #Miss Erica Ellston H25

BW	72
ADJ. 205/WR	782/101
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+9	+1	+69	+112	+5	+2.36	+13	+23	+29
30%	25%				1%	10%		10%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+1.12	+0.35	+0.46	+0.77	+0.92	+0.16	+81	+102	+164	+294
10%	10%			25%	20%				30%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-95	1-101		None	None	None

GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction
	10-90	10-98	7-96	2-\$5625	1-\$2750

- * D187 is a classic Galactico son that is super long, has an attractive profile, a tight sheath and is real nice footed. Use him on heifers or cows.
- * D187 offers the 3rd largest Scrotal EPD of any bull to sell! He also offers a real nice Hair Shed EPD for those of us in fescue country.
- * Dam B90 was a first calf heifer with D187 and she settled first service AI to calve earlier in 2026.
- * Please read about successful grandam N269 in the footnote of her son, Lot 59. She is an excellent disposition cow and passes this desirable trait through the generations.



HOOVER LEGITIMATE D125 - LOT 61
CANDID PICTURE AT 6 MONTHS OF AGE

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BULL REG: 21343569 TATTOO: D127 1/30/2025

*Sitz Stellar 726D	*Mohnen Substantial 272	BW	84
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G	*SITZ Pride 200B	ADJ. 205/WR	882/114
*Sitz Barabaramere Jet 328E	*Sitz Emblem 11125	ADJ. 365/YR	
	*Sitz Barabaramere Jet 771Z	%IMF/Ratio	
##*Baldrige 38 Special	*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	
BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON T433	*Baldrige Isabel Y69	Scrotal	
#Blkcp Empress Ellston N413	*Basin Excitement		
	*Blkcp Empress Ellston K403		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+4	+2.5	+91	+148	+1.3	+74	+15	+18	+18
		5%	15%	2%	3%			

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+45	+18	+35	+86	+10	+067	+90	+90	+143	+275
		1%	5%	10%					

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-94	5-105	4-103	1-\$7500	None	1-103
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	8-105	8-107	7-105	1-\$14,000	3-\$3475	

* D127 is a big, nice profiling bull with lots of body to go along with his added frame! He was the 2nd top weaning weight bull of the crop!

* D127 ties as the 4th top CEM EPD bull to sell and has one of the top WW EPDs! D127 offers some of the best combined feet EPDs of any bull to sell!

* Dam T433 is a low birth weight, yet high growth cow with a 358 day calving interval. Her first son was a photo feature and the #1 bull people came to see on the farm prior to the sale. Long-time repeat customer Dustin McCoy selected him.

* T433's daughter that works in the herd was the 6th top weaning weight heifer of her crop and her next daughter sells as Lot 146.

* Pathfinder grandam N413 has been a tremendous cow and is currently 11 years old and still going strong (and looking great)! She serves as the herd's 12th top indexing cow (quite a feat for as old as she is)! She has a 366 day calving interval. Three of her progeny have been photo features in our past sales, with her top son selling to Lindskov LT Ranch for \$14,000. He was the #1 weaning weight, #1 yearling weight bull of his crop. N413's daughters are owned by Chase Beeby, Dana Russell and Chad Beeley.



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BULL REG: *21343568 TATTOO: D125 1/30/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	##Woodhill Blueprint	BW	70
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	801/103
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	
	*Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	
*Mohnen General Lee	*Mohnen General 548	RE/Ratio	
*BLACK BEAUTY OF ELLSTON B146	Mohnen Jilt 1848	Scrotal	
Black Beauty of Ellston Z70	*MOGCK Entice		
	Black Beauty of Ellston R48		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+6	+3	+85	+149	+1.2	+40	+5	+37	+13
		30%	15%	15%	3%	3%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+40	+38	+39	+60	+77	-011	+77	+126	+181	+312
		15%	15%	20%		30%	10%	25%	20%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-93	1-103		None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-94	3-103	2-106	1-\$9000	None	

* D125 is a good footed, deep bodied bull that ties as the 3rd top Milk EPD bull to sell! He's got the frame and body type to quickly put on pounds. He is recommended for heifers or cows.

* Dam B146 was a superior uddered, calm mother her first year calving with D125. She settled first service AI again and will calve earlier in 2026.

* Grandam Z70 is a super slick haired, low birth weight, heavy milking cow with a 375 day calving interval that will tighten up to less than 365 days when she calves this spring. Her son works for repeat customer Clint Welsh.

* Great grandam R48 was a small cow that always weaned a large percentage of her body weight. She was a low birth weight cow with a 363 day calving interval.

* I have to mention fourth generation dam L168 - she was a working donor whose top son sold for \$31,000.



Ty running the head gate and building muscles!

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BULL REG: *21343571 TATTOO: D129 1/30/2025

*Sitz Stellar 726D	*Mohnen Substantial 272	BW	92
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G	*SITZ Pride 200B	ADJ. 205/WR	747/97
*Sitz Barabaramere Jet 328E	*Sitz Emblem 11125	ADJ. 365/YR	
	*Sitz Barabaramere Jet 771Z	%IMF/Ratio	
##Bruns Top Cut 373	*Bruns Uppercut 610	RE/Ratio	
MAID OF ELLSTON V187	*Dakota Miss 669 Baf	Scrotal	
Maid of Ellston P234	*Basin Excitement		
	Maid of Ellston M115		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+6	+2.0	+75	+129	+9	+49	+6	+26	+23
		15%						

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+53	+27	+44	+57	+92	+002	+85	+105	+159	+291
		1%	25%		30%	15%	30%	30%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-107	5-101	4-106	2-\$7750	1-\$4000	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	8-101	8-101	7-102	4-\$6000	1-\$7500	

* D129 is a big framed bull with plenty of body. He is attractive and super tight sheathed. He doesn't have any extreme EPDs, but his EPDs are very respectable and will "keep you out of the ditches". As one wise old cattleman shared with his seedstock supplier about the type of bulls they were producing that would leave daughters in his herd, "Just don't screw up my cow herd". This bull will keep your cow herd sound.

* D129 is recommended for use on cows.

* Dam V187 is a beautiful, big bodied, nice uddered cow with a 360 day calving interval on her 5 calves. She is on my short list of cows to consider flushing this spring. Her daughter that settled first service AI is going into our replacement herd. She was the 6th top YW heifer of her crop.

* V187's progeny work for Ray Vorhes, Max Shaffer and Lane Stortenbecker.

* Grandam P234 is a superior uddered cow producing sons for Keith Bixler, Ronnie Grayham, Keith Knobbe and Gary Reiman. Ronnie's bull was the 3rd top weaning weight, 3rd top yearling weight bull of his crop. Two of P234's daughters have been retained and one pretty daughter works for Jonathan Rhea.



YEARLING BULLS



HOOVER EMPIRE D134 - LOT 64



Lady Ida of Ellston P63
Pathfinder Grandam of Lot 65; Relative of Lots 64 & 66

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BULL REG: *21343572 TATTOO: D134 1/31/2025

HOOVER EMPIRE D134

*MOGCK Fortress 517	#**K C F Bennett Fortress	BW	65
*MOGCK EMPIRE 110	*Mogck Rosebud 1545	ADJ. 205/WR	878/113
*MOGCK Eraline 1748	#SydGen Enhance	ADJ. 365/YR	
	#*Mogck Eraline 855	%IMF/Ratio	
*Mohnen General Lee	**Mohnen General 548	RE/Ratio	
LADY IDA OF ELLSTON B62	Mohnen Jilt 1848	Scrotal	
#Lady Ida of Ellston P295	#*Mogck Bullseye		
	+Lady Ida of Ellston L73		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+15	-3.4	+83	+141	+7	+1.89	+17	+32	+22
3%	1%	15%	20%		5%	1%	15%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+01	+36	+43	+49	+68	+013	+127	+88	+134	+301
2%	10%	30%				1%			25%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-87	1-113		None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	8-95	8-106	6-103	6-\$5375		None

- * Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- * D134 is a calm, thick, long bodied bull with a slick hair coat.
- * D134 was the 3rd top weaning weight bull of his crop! Better yet, he is a "sleep tight, all night" calving ease bull!
- * D134 has the lowest BW EPD and highest CEM EPD of any bull to sell and ties with the 2nd highest CED EPD! He also has the highest \$Maternal index of the bulls selling - well above the best 1% of the breed!
- * For those grazing endophyte-infected fescue, D134 offers one of the best Hair Shed EPDs!
- * Dam B62 was an exceptional uddered first calf heifer with D134. I'd say she did her job well! She is bred back to calve exactly the same time this year.
- * Pathfinder grandam P295 was low birth weight cow whose calves had super growth. One son at 9 years of age was the #1 weaning weight bull of his crop! P295 had an excellent 363 day calving interval on her 8 progeny, so she did her job well! The only thing I would change is her bull:heifer ratio. It's 7:1 - her only daughter was B62.
- * Three of P295's sons were photo features, and her sons work for Steve Norris & Shannon Rusk, Tom Loehner, Mike Curtis, John McCarthy, Don Cranston and Gordon Houser.



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BULL REG: *21385106 TATTOO: D57 1/14/2025

HOOVER GALACTIC D57

#*Sitz Stellar 726D	#*Mohnen Substantial 272	BW	86
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G	*SITZ Pride 200B	ADJ. 205/WR	736/95
*Sitz Barabamere Jet 328E	*Sitz Emblem 11125	ADJ. 365/YR	
	**Sitz Barabamere Jet 771Z	%IMF/Ratio	
*Galaxy Detail 8546	#*Diablo Deluxe 1104	RE/Ratio	
*LADY IDA OF ELLSTON Z25	**Galaxy Blackbird 4551	Scrotal	
#*Lady Ida of Ellston P63	Hoover Hawkeye		
	#Lady Ida of Ellston C164		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+1	+1.4	+76	+127	+6	+1.07	+9	+19	+15
30%								

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+14	+40	+46	+80	+73	-001	+69	+92	+155	+270
10%	20%	30%							30%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-103	3-101	2-106	None	2-\$7750	None

- * D57 is a high volume, big scrotal bull recommended for use on cows. He has an outcross pedigree for the vast majority of our repeat customers.
- * Dam Z25 had a hot start to her career, with her first two daughters being photo features in our 2025 sale. Her bred heifer daughter was selected by Moke Angus in South Dakota and her heifer calf was selected (in person) by Brinnly Rea (age 11) as her show heifer. This heifer was the 2nd top ribeye and 2nd top yearling weight heifer of our sale open heifers.
- * Z25 has a 352 day calving interval, showing her excellent fertility.
- * Pathfinder grandam P63 was a beautiful cow whose son and daughter were both photo features, one to John Zutavern, and one to Dustin Enabnit, both repeat customers. P63 had a 355 day calving interval.
- * Pathfinder great grandam C164 is regarded as one of the herd's all-time greats! She is likely one of the best 5 cows to ever be in production at Hoover Angus - from her fertility to her udder, and tremendous progeny, she nailed it all.
- * C164 recorded 10-107 WR and a 362 day calving interval and had been flushed 5 different times. She had 28 progeny registered at Hoover Angus. At the end of her career, she had grossed over \$186,000 on registered progeny sales (excluding embryo sales), with her 13 sons averaging over \$10,000! C164's top-selling son was the \$56,000 Hoover Inspiration - the second top-selling bull in our history.



1/3 REVENUE SHARING SEMEN INTEREST

Some bulls sold in this auction will have 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest retained by Hoover Angus, as noted in their footnotes. What 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest means:

- YOU have full possession and salvage value on the bull
- YOU have the rights to do what you normally would do with a bull that does not have 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest
- If you sell the bull, YOU receive all of the revenue
- Hoovers have the right to 1/3 of the semen and certificate revenue from the bull if, some time in the future, semen sales become a possibility.
- If you wish to collect semen on the bull as an insurance policy for your own use, that semen is 100% yours, unless Hoover Angus contacts you and also wishes to collect the bull, either for within herd use, or to build a jointly-owned bank of semen for sale purposes.

66**HOOVER ARCHITECT D230**

BULL

REG: *21343600

TATTOO: D230

2/17/2025

*SydGen Blueprint
***S ARCHITECT 9501**
 S Blossom 7514

##*KM Broken Bow 002
 +*Sitz Florabelle Fanny 4735
 #*S Whitlock 179
 S Blossom 5525

##*Baldrige 38 Special
***LADY IDA OF ELLSTON V39**
 +*Lady Ida of Ellston P68

##*EF Commando 1366
 *Baldrige Isabel V69
 Hoover Hawkeye
 #Lady Ida of Ellston C164

BW	72
ADJ. 205/WR	722/93
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+13	-1.5	+78	+128	+5	+88	+13	+23	+26	
10%	10%	25%				10%		20%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+23	+34	+51	+69	+47	+056	+116	+92	+142	+300
15%	10%					1%			25%
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
5-93	5-93	4-96		1-\$4750	1-\$5000	1-107			

* D230 is a really long bodied bull that covers his tracks well when he walks. He's got bone appropriate for calving ease and has a small head that will also assist his calves being born easily. He is certainly safe for use on heifers if you like.



- * D230 has one of the highest CED EPDs and lowest BW EPDs among the bulls selling. His \$Maternal index is 8 points above the best 1% of the breed and 3rd best among the bulls selling!
- * Dam V39 has a daughter in our herd with 2-107 WR and an excellent calving interval - if she keeps up the good work, she might just earn Pathfinder honors. Another daughter works for Grant & Katie McIntosh in Ohio. V39 has a 366 day calving interval.
- * Grandam P68 was a beautiful cow that put three replacement daughters in the herd. One of these has been on my radar as a potential donor cow for several years, and we only flush about the top 3% of our cows, so you know she's at the very top!
- * Pathfinder great grandam C164 is regarded as one of the herd's all-time greats! She is likely one of the best 10 cows to ever be in production at Hoover Angus - from her fertility to her udder, and tremendous progeny, she nails it all.
- * C164 recorded 10-107 WR and a 362 day calving interval and had been flushed 5 different times. She had 28 progeny registered at Hoover Angus. At the end of her career, she grossed over \$186,000 on registered progeny sales (excluding embryo sales), with her 13 sons averaging over \$10,000! C164's top-selling son was the \$56,000 Hoover Inspiration - the second top-selling bull in our history.

FOOT SCORES, CLAW AND ANGLE EPDS

Hoover Angus is committed to the breeding of Angus cattle through simultaneous improvement of a multitude of different traits. One of those traits is foot quality. Hoover Angus was one of the first breeders submitting foot scores when the American Angus Association started accepting this data in 2014. Since then, Hoover Angus has submitted foot scores on over 3200 animals with a high level of scrutiny. Foot integrity is an important aspect of longevity, and we do our best to measure, eliminate problems, and continually breed for improved foot structure.

For both Claw and Angle, lower EPDs are more favorable. Breed average Claw EPD for non-parent bull is +.48; Angle EPD is +.47. Lower EPDs for Claw Set indicate an animal should produce progeny with toes that are symmetrical, even, and appropriately spaced. Lower Foot Angle EPDs indicate an animal should produce progeny with a 45 degree angle at the pastern joint with appropriate length of toe and heel depth.

The 110 bulls selling average a Claw EPD in the best 15% of the breed and Angle EPD in the best 35% of the breed!

**HOOVER LEGITIMATE D14 - LOT 67****67**

BULL

HOOVER LEGITIMATE D14

REG: *21343534

TATTOO: D14

12/31/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39
***DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203**
 Deep Creek Rain Lass 013

##*Woodhill Blueprint
 Myers Miss Beauty M136
 ##*Basin Rainmaker 4404
 #Deep Creek MP Lass 933

##*Hoover 38 Special S4
#MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON V33
 #Miss Blackcap Ellston P275

##*Baldrige 38 Special
 Blueblood Lady Ellston M3
 ##*Bruns Top Cut 373
 Miss Blackcap Ellston K97

BW	90
ADJ. 205/WR	819/106
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+2	+2.2	+80	+134	+8	+30	+7	+26	+19	
		20%	30%	25%					
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+33	+49	+48	+95	+42	+006	+63	+91	+157	+267
25%			30%						
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
5-103	5-105	4-106		1-\$8000	2-\$6250	2-105			

* D14 is a massive bull that is super long, level in his top, thick and has a big scrotal. He'll be awesome-looking as a mature bull! D14 is a good temperament bull and we sure saw this on picture-taking day as he was very calm.



- * This growthy power bull is recommended for use on cows.
- * Dam V33 is an excellent Pathfinder cow with a superior 354 day calving interval. Two excellent daughters work in the herd and one photo feature daughter works for repeat customer Nathan Palm - she was the 9th top weaning weight heifer of her crop. V33's other progeny work for Laura Cunningham and Erin Taylor, also both repeat customers.
- * We were lucky to save V33 as her mother's replacement, as she has been her only heifer calf! P275's sons have sold very well in our sales to Bonnie Campbell, Darin Cerven, Tracy Shaffer, Rod Lovitt, Jamie Humble, and Doug Niemann. She's one of these cows that had an excellent calf every year. P275 had a 362 day calving interval.
- * Great grandam K97 produced sons for Three Trees Ranch, Andrew Herzberg, Glen Hanson, Brian Taglauer, and Josh Lohman. The Tree Trees bull was the \$43,000 Hoover Hawkeye, whose influence you will see sprinkled through the offering on the dam's side of pedigrees. I just got an email today from a man that worked at Three Trees during Hawkeye's time there, and he mentioned that he was a great bull!
- * Trace this pedigree back on the dam's side and you will find the grandam of Hoover No Doubt! This has been a tremendous line of cows!

68 BULL REG: *21343584 TATTOO: D173 2/8/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D *SITZ GALACTIC 723G *Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E	#*Mohnen Substantial 272 *SITZ Pride 200B *Sitz Emblem 11125 *Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z	BW 85 ADJ. 205/WR 731/94 ADJ. 365/YR %IMF/Ratio RE/Ratio Scrotal
#*Baldridge 38 Special MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON Z285 Miss Blackbird Ellston N106	#*EF Commando 1366 *Baldridge Isabel Y69 #*Basin Excitement Miss Blackbird Ellston L52	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+7	+1.5	+78	+131	+5	+4.1	+10	+22	+21
25%				30%				

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+22	+19	+38	+78	+66	+009	+89	+118	+178	+320
15%	1%	15%				10%	15%	25%	15%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-97	3-97	2-95	None	1-\$6500	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	10-101	10-99	8-99	4-\$3800	2-\$4500	

* D173 is an attractive profiling, long bodied, clean sheathed, good bull. He offers a balanced set of EPDs and a phenomenal set of foot EPDs. He is best suited for use on cows.

* Dam Z285 has one daughter working for Clint Welsh and one daughter that settled first service AI and was the 3rd top IMF scanning heifer of her crop that is going into our replacement herd this spring. D173 was her third calf to give her a 357 day calving interval.

* Grandam N106 has been a solid cow that has stood up to the test of time – she has 10 calves on record with a superior 361 day calving interval. Fertility is the most economically important trait, and N106 sure has it!

* N106 has sons and daughters working for Melvin & Annette Warren, James Humble, Gareld Carpenter, Kevin Putz, Jason Hunt, and Brian Taglauer. Gareld's heifer was the 2nd top IMF female of her crop, and N106 records 7-106 IMF ratio and 7-102 ribeye ratio.

* N106's most recent calf weaned at 771 pounds when N106 was 11 years of age.

* Great grandam L52 put 5 daughters in our replacement herd, which is as many as any non-donor cow!



70 BULL REG: *21343582 TATTOO: D171 2/8/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D *SITZ GALACTIC 723G *Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E	#*Mohnen Substantial 272 *SITZ Pride 200B *Sitz Emblem 11125 *Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z	BW 78 ADJ. 205/WR 766/99 ADJ. 365/YR %IMF/Ratio RE/Ratio Scrotal
*Hoover Victorious PRINCESS OF ELLSTON A109 #Princess of Ellston N271	#*MOGCK Entice Princess of Ellston N170 #*Mogck Bullseye #Princess of Ellston G25	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+4	+1.3	+74	+130	+8	+9.4	+1	+31	+24
25%				20%				

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+40	+34	+50	+70	+60	+076	+85	+92	+143	+270
10%						15%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-101	2-106	1-111	None	None	None

* D171 is a really long bodied bull with a nice long stride. This outcross pedigree bull has a tight sheath to help him stay out of pasture brush and obstacles. He is recommended for use on cows.

* Dam A109 was a second calver with D171. Her first calf was the 5th top yearling weight heifer of her crop, settled first service AI, and is going into our replacement herd.

* A109 was the 5th top IMF scanning heifer of her crop!

* Grandam N271 ended her career with a 366 day calving interval. She earned Pathfinder honors for her exemplary progeny performance and sustained fertility.

* N271's progeny work for Francis Faust, David Felt (the 4th top weaning weight heifer of her crop) and Keith Bixler.

* Pathfinder donor great grandam G25 was one of the prettiest cows on the farm. Her style, structure, udder quality, and disposition were superior. She had 10 calves on record and a superior 363 day calving interval. Four of her seven sons to come to auction were photo features – including two that topped the \$12,000 mark! At 10 years of age, she raised the 7th top selling bull of our 2019 auction at \$17,000 to Deep Creek Angus and Miller Angus, both of South Dakota. This bull was an outstanding bull, possibly the thickest bull in the auction, weaned off at 812 pounds and had the 3rd highest YW among all sale bulls.



69 BULL REG: *21343586 TATTOO: D182 2/9/2025

#*Mohnen General 548 *MOHNE GENERAL LEE Mohnen Jilt 1848	#*Baldridge Colonel C251 *S A V Madame Pride 5290 #*S A V Sensation 5615 #Mohnen Jilt 2504	BW 78 ADJ. 205/WR 824/106 ADJ. 365/YR %IMF/Ratio RE/Ratio Scrotal
*E L K Trophyclass *MISS ERICA ELLSTON B257 *Miss Erica Ellston X33	#*Musgrave 316 Stunner **Pine Coulee Black Annie U7 #*MOGCK Entice #Miss Erica Ellston R194	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+2	+2.6	+78	+140	+1.0	+1.96	+5	+34	+27
25%		20%		10%		4%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+45	+58	+46	+39	+80	+048	+78	+103	+143	+263
25%				10%					

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-102	1-106		None	None	None

* D182 is a slick haired, really long bodied, rugged bull. We recommend this bull that weaned over 800 pounds to be used on cows. Save his daughters, they should be excellent!

* Dam B257 was a first calf heifer with D182. As we found with the first crop of Trophyclass daughters to calve, she was excellent uddered! B257 once again settled first service AI for 2026.

* Grandam X33 was lost to lightening after her second calf. She was the #1 weaning weight, #2 yearling weight heifer of her crop at 800 pounds and 1123 pounds, respectively!

* Great grandam R194 was a Pathfinder cow with an excellent udder too.



71 BULL REG: *21343583 TATTOO: D172 2/8/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D *SITZ GALACTIC 723G *Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E	#*Mohnen Substantial 272 *SITZ Pride 200B *Sitz Emblem 11125 *Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z	BW 71 ADJ. 205/WR 815/105 ADJ. 365/YR %IMF/Ratio RE/Ratio Scrotal
#*MOGCK Entice *PRIDE OF ELLSTON A494 *Pride of Ellston S6	#SydGen Enhance #*MOGCK Erica 2255 #*Connealy Commander #*Pride of Ellston K68	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+13	-1.2	+80	+135	+1.0	+8.4	+10	+24	+32
10%	10%	20%	30%	10%		30%		3%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+16	+23	+34	+96	+55	+056	+83	+102	+166	+298
10%	1%	4%	30%			20%			30%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-93	1-105		None	None	None

* D172 is correct in his structure, feet and legs. He has the very classic excellent length of spine we see in the Galactic cattle.

* D172 has one of the highest CED EPDs and lowest BW EPDs among the bulls selling, making him an excellent choice to use on heifers if you desire. Use him on heifers for a couple years, then move him to the position of main herd sire without sacrificing growth.

* D172 offers some of the best combined feet EPDs of any bull to sell! He also offers the 3rd highest Docility EPD among the bulls selling!

* A494 was a first calf heifer with D172 – from 71 pounds at birth to over 800 pounds at weaning, she did her job well. She has an excellent udder and is due to calve earlier in 2026.

* Grandam S6 scanned a 13.8" ribeye, ratio 124. She was the #1 ribeye scanning female of her crop, as well as the 6th top weaning weight heifer.

* Pathfinder grandam K68's claim to fame was producing the \$25,000 Hoover Elation M123 who had a nice career at Select Sires. Elation was an ultra calving ease sire who is seen on the dam's side of several pedigrees in this sale.





HOOVER LEGITIMATE D211 - LOT 72
CANDID PICTURE AT 5 MONTHS OF AGE

72 BULL REG: *21343593 TATTOO: D211 2/14/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013

#*Woodhill Blueprint
Myers Miss Beauty M136
#*Basin Rainmaker 4404
#Deep Creek MP Lass 933
#*JK High Point 745
*BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON A280
Blackcap Empress Ellston V37

J K Blackbird 408
+*XL Weigh Up 7113
Blkcp Empress Ellston G259

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+10	+3	+72	+120	+5	+91	+11	+30	+14
20%	30%					25%	25%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+32	+29	+38	+89	+96	+048	+99	+106	+172	+322
25%	2%	15%		25%	4%	30%	30%	15%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-100	2-98	1-95	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-96	5-96	3-98	1-\$4750	None	None

- * D211 is a soggy bull with plenty of middle and nice feet. He has a different pedigree for our repeat customers and is a bull that can be used on heifers or cows. He fares well on the maternal-trait index, \$M, and would be a good bull to retain daughters from.
- * Dam A280 is a low birth weight cow whose first daughter is going into our replacement herd this spring. D211 is her second calf. She has a 361 day calving interval on her first two calves and is slated to move up her calving date a full month in 2026.
- * A280 was the 4th top ribeye scanning female of her crop!
- * Grandam V37 is the dam of the nice Lot 199 open heifer. V37 has a superior 356 day calving interval, showcasing her excellent fertility. She has settled AI every single year, and we only give cows one AI opportunity before they are kicked out with the clean-up bull.
- * V37's son works for long-time repeat customer Harold Fuller.
- * V37 was her dam's last calf, but we retained her and one other daughter as replacements. Great grandam G259 ended her career with 10 calves at a perfect 362 day calving interval!



73 BULL REG: *21343591 TATTOO: D203 2/13/2025

#*Poss Maverick
*GVC GIBSON
+*GVC Susanna D307

#*Basin Paywight 1682
Poss Pride 5163
+*Vintage Legacy 4409
+*Pine View Susanna A083

#*Mogck Bullseye
#BLKCP MARY OF ELLSTON S226
Blkcp Mary of Ellston K156

#MOGCK Sure Shot
Mogck Mary 1255
#*SydGen C C & 7
Blkcp Mary of Ellston E463

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+5	+2.4	+75	+128	+5	+7.8	+6	+30	+29
							25%	10%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+51	+59	+37	+66	+1.25	+007	+84	+111	+173	+308
		10%		5%		15%	25%	30%	20%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-108	5-106	2-106	2-\$6125	None	None

- * D203 is a wide-based bull what has thickness and meat in his top. His ears are a little frosted on the ends, but he survived and thrived despite the cold! He is recommended for use on cows.
- * D203 is the 2nd biggest Ribeye EPD bull to sell! His ribeye comes as no surprise as his dam is the 3rd top ribeye ratio cow of the herd with 2-113 ribeye ratio on her progeny!
- * Pathfinder dam S226 herself had real nice performance data: WW 729 lbs., WR 103, YW 1001 lbs., YR 101, IMF 5.61, ratio 122, ribeye 12.0", ratio 108.
- * S226's sons work for Clint Welsh and Roger Tibben. Two of her sons were among the top 15 weaning weight bull calves of the crop!
- * Grandam K156 had two daughters earn Pathfinder honors - her second being a female we sold as a bred heifer through our sale to repeat customers Craig & Karri Miller. K156 had a 359 day calving interval at the end of her career.



74 BULL REG: *21343592 TATTOO: D204 2/14/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E

#*Mohnen Substantial 272
*SITZ Pride 200B
*Sitz Emblem 11125
+*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z

+*E L K Trophyclass
*KEYMURA KATY OF ELLSTON B252
*Keymura Katy of Ellston S273

#*Musgrave 316 Stunner
+*Pine Coulee Black Annie U7
*SydGen Sizzle
#Keymura Katy of Ellston P191

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
-2	+3.5	+80	+143	+1.2	+1.10	+6	+33	+18
		20%	20%	3%			15%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
-.06	+36	+55	+51	+83	-.012	+84	+114	+164	+297
1%	10%				20%	15%	20%	30%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-115	1-102		None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	7-96	7-97	5-99	4-\$5750	None	None

- * D204 is a big hipped, level topped, wide based bull that is square made. This different pedigree bull is a growthy boy that should be used on cows.
- * D204 offers the #1 best Hair Shed (HS) EPD of any bull selling, meaning he is a great choice for those in fescue country! For those ranching at altitude, he has one of the best PAP projections in the sale.
- * Dam B252 was a first calf heifer with D204. She had an ideal udder for a first calf heifer. She is a 14th generation Hoover bred, born and raised Keymura Katy female as this was one of Walt Hoover's original cow families.
- * Grandam S273 is a super slick haired cow with sons working for Trevor Wallace, Craig & Karri Miller, Pat Hardy and David Waddell, all repeat customers. S273 is a fertile cow with a 358 day calving interval.
- * Pathfinder great grandam will be 11 years old in February and is still going strong. She maintains an excellent 363 day calving interval on her 9 progeny and has put two daughters in the herd. P191 still has an excellent udder for her age.



Our commitment to herd health gives you peace of mind when you buy from Hoover Angus!

- We use clean needle procedures whereby a sterile needle is used for every injection
- We have operated a closed cow herd for 20+ years (only bringing in new sires, which have a full slate of health testing performed prior to herd entry)
- Our entire 2023-2025 calf crops were ear notched for BVD with zero positives
- Our entire cow herd is tested (and negative) of Johnes on a yearly basis
- No cooperator herds - all calves are bred, born, and raised at Hoover Angus



YEARLING BULLS

75**HOOVER LEGITIMATE D218**

BULL

REG: *21343595

TATTOO: D218

2/14/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39
***DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203**
 Deep Creek Rain Lass 013

*Baldridge Chairman
#BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON V217
 Blueblood Lady Ellston N112

##Woodhill Blueprint
 Myers Miss Beauty M136
 ##Basin Rainmaker 4404
 #Deep Creek MP Lass 933
 *Fortunes Conquest 224
 *Baldridge Isabel B061
 ##Basin Excitement
 Blueblood Lady Ellston L135

BW	83
ADJ. 205/WR	756/98
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+10	+2	+74	+124	+7	+61	+14	+26	+23
20%	30%					5%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+50	+36	+28	+1.18	+51	+032	+112	+93	+169	+331
10%	1%	20%				1%			15%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-96	5-105	3-101	2-\$7500	1-\$6250	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	10-95	10-101	6-105	3-\$5700	1-\$12,500	

- * This Valentine's Day baby has good base width and length of body. He has a big scrotal and is safe for use on heifers.
- * D218 offers one of the top CEM EPDs among the bulls selling as well as one of the top Marbling EPDs! He also has one of the top \$Maternal indexes in the sale, stretching above the best 1% of the breed - save every daughter he makes!
- * Dam V217 is a low birth weight cow whose calves grow rapidly. One daughter was a really pretty photo feature selling to repeat customer David Igo. One son was the 3rd top weaning weight, 2nd top yearling weight bull of his crop and works for Randy Euken and Steve Myers. Randy reports that ever since he started buying Hoover bulls, he hasn't noticed feet problems in his bulls anymore. Phil Brown selected V217's excellent son.
- * V217 is a 15th generation female to be bred, born and raised by the Hoover family! V217 was the 3rd top IMF scanning female of her crop.
- * Grandam N112 raised the nice Lot 196 heifer at 11 years of age! When we talk about longevity, this is what we mean! N112 has a 358 day calving interval on her 10 progeny - that's what I call fertility! If a cow has stayed in our herd for 11 years, that means her udder and feet have stayed good, she has a desirable temperament at calving time, and has done what we have asked her to do.
- * N112 produced a photo feature daughter selling to Eagle Grip Cattle Co. and Abernathy Ranches for \$12,500. Two nice replacement daughters of N112 work in the herd. Sons of N112 work for Mike & Sue Beun (the 13th top weaning weight bull of his crop), Randy Euken and Gordon Houser.

**HOOVER LEGITIMATE D233 - LOT 77****77**

BULL

REG: *21343602

TATTOO: D233

2/17/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39
***DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203**
 Deep Creek Rain Lass 013

*Frey's Cowboy Logic
GAMMER OF ELLSTON X168
 #Gammer of Ellston R273

##Woodhill Blueprint
 Myers Miss Beauty M136
 ##Basin Rainmaker 4404
 #Deep Creek MP Lass 933
 #HA Cowboy Up 5405
 *F A R Princess 148Z
 #Connealy Impact
 #Gammer of Ellston N107

BW	87
ADJ. 205/WR	810/105
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+6	+1.2	+84	+137	+9	+74	+9	+35	+19
		15%	25%	15%			10%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+51	+34	+44	+71	+72	+046	+84	+114	+168	+302
10%						15%	20%		25%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-102	4-99	2-97	None	1-\$7000	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	7-99	7-103	5-103	2-\$8875	2-\$5500	

- * D233 is a nice structured, good quartered bull with solid base width. He has an attractive profile and a level top. Despite a low actual birth weight himself, he's right on that bubble of being safe for use on heifers (looking at his BW and CED EPDs). I wouldn't have a problem with him being used in a fall calving herd where heifers are out grazing and not getting supplemental feed, but for spring calving herds, the safest recommendation is for using this bull on cows.
- * Dam X168 is an excellent uddered cow that is an easy, calm cow to work with at calving time. Her first daughter works for Ryan McConahay and Ryan reports that she settled quickly and raised a big heifer that he is keeping as a replacement. X168 has a calving interval of 357 days, showcasing her excellent fertility.
- * Pathfinder grandam R273 is still going strong at 9 years of age. Her sons work for Dana Hotz and Musgrave Angus and her daughters work for Grant Varner and Jacob Tammie. Two of these were photo features.
- * With 5-108 ribeye ratio on her progeny, R273 is among the top 15 cows of the herd for ribeye ratio!
- * There are lots of Pathfinders as you trace down the dam's side of this pedigree, including the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 6th generation dams!

**76****HOOVER EMPIRE D223**

BULL

REG: *21343596

TATTOO: D223

2/15/2025

*MOGCK Fortress 517
***MOGCK EMPIRE 110**
 *MOGCK Eraline 1748

*Mohnen General Lee
PRIDE OF ELLSTON B223
 #Pride of Ellston N287

##*K C F Bennett Fortress
 *Mogck Rosebud 1545
 #SydGen Enhance
 ##Mogck Eraline 855
 ##Mohnen General 548
 Mohnen Jill 1848
 #Connealy Direct Deposit
 #Pride of Ellston K87

BW	85
ADJ. 205/WR	834/108
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+5	+1.1	+83	+150	+1.1	+1.90	+8	+34	+20
		15%	10%	10%	4%		10%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+11	+48	+55	+85	+79	+009	+102	+128	+193	+352
5%						3%	10%	15%	10%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-111	1-108		None	None	None

- * D223 is a nice structured, level topped, good quarter bull with nice base width. He was the 14th top weaning weight bull of his crop! He has an attractive profile and should have been a photo feature, but we just can't photo every bull we want to. This growthy bull is best suited for use on cows.
- * D223 has one of the top YW EPDs of any bull to sell and the 2nd top RADG EPD! He fares well enough on both the maternal and terminal traits to rank him 2nd highest in the sale for the \$Combined index (which is still heavily weighted towards the terminal traits).
- * Dam B223 was a first calf heifer. She was a superior uddered young cow as were all the General Lee daughters - we are very happy with them!
- * Grandam N287 was a Pathfinder cow with a 363 day calving interval - it doesn't get much better than that! One daughter was the 11th top weaning weight heifer of her crop and a feature selling to Blair Carney.

**FERTILITY**

A large survey of cattlemen conducted by CattleFax and Angus Media let producers select their top priorities in their cow herd from a list of 15 different traits. **The highest-ranking traits, in order: fertility, calving ease, disposition, mothering ability, and growth.** Traits such as marbling, feed conversion, and red meat yield received less than a third of the votes as fertility.

We do not have an EPD to directly measure mature cow fertility, therefore I often talk about calving intervals in footnotes - one of our best fertility measures!

YEARLING BULLS

78**HOOVER GENERAL LEE D234**

BULL

REG: *21343603

TATTOO: D234

2/18/2025

*Mohen General 548
***MOHNEN GENERAL LEE**
Mohen Jilt 1848

##*Baldridge Colonel C251
*S A V Madame Pride 5290
##*S A V Sensation 5615
#Mohen Jilt 2504

##*Deer Valley Growth Fund
***GAMMER OF ELLSTON A263**
Gammer of Ellston X49

##*Basin Payweight 1682
**Deer Valley Rita 36113
##*Baldridge 38 Special
Gammer of Ellston S439

BW	77
ADJ. 205/WR	749/97
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+14	-.1	+68	+118	+5	+1.54	+16	+29	+23
4%	25%				15%	1%	30%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+48	+46	+28	+52	+30	+0.01	+106	+72	+115	+255
		1%			30%	2%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-98	2-100		1-\$7500	None	None

- * D234 is a wide based, thick, attractive profiling bull with a nice quarter. Plenty of volume in this bull will allow him to make beautiful daughters.
- * D234 ties as the 3rd top CED EPD bull to sell and the 2nd top CEM EPD! Use him on heifers or cows.
- * Dam A263's first son works for repeat customer Doug Gross, and D234 was her second calf. A263 is a nice uddered cow with a 367 day calving interval.
- * A263 had nice performance data herself: WW 720 lbs., WR 105, YW 970 lbs., YR 103, IMF 4.11, ratio 106, ribeye 10.4", ratio 101.
- * I think I can count on one hand the times that Hoover Angus has bought females in the past 98 years. This Gammer cow family is one of them. The Gammers were one of the famous lines from the historic Bon View herd and came to us via Craig Conover's herd back when I was in high school (don't ask me how many years ago that was, I don't have that many fingers and toes).
- * Sixth generation dam 173, a Pathfinder, was one of the cows from Craig that had an awesome impact on our herd. Two of her sons topped the \$10,000 mark, and one was the lead-off bull in our sale. The 173 cow had two daughters that served as two of our very first donors - one of which was E43, the 4th generation dam of A263.

**79****HOOVER EMPIRE D224**

BULL

REG: *21343597

TATTOO: D224

2/15/2025

*MOGCK Fortress 517
***MOGCK EMPIRE 110**
*MOGCK Eraline 1748

##*K C F Bennett Fortress
*Mogck Rosebud 1545
#SydGen Enhance
##*Mogck Eraline 855

*Baldridge Chairman
***BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON B138**
*Blackcap Empress Ellston Z83

*Fortunes Conquest 224
**Baldridge Isabel B061
##*MOGCK Entice
**Blackcap Empress Ellston T59

BW	73
ADJ. 205/WR	745/96
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	-.4	+63	+106	+1	+1.29	+8	+36	+26
		20%			25%		5%	20%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+30	+48	+61	+94	+72	+0.060	+104	+90	+155	+305
		20%				2%		25%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-96	1-96		None	None	None

GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction
	3-92	3-99	2-96	1-\$7500	None

- * D224 is a long spined bull with nice extension though his front end. He is a good choice for heifers if you choose. He is slick haired to work well on fescue. Save his daughters, they should make excellent cows!
- * D224 offers one of the highest Milk EPDs in the bulls selling!
- * Dam B138 was a first calf heifer with D224 and had a very small teat size and excellent udder attachment - her udder looks like it will hold up forever!
- * Grandam Z83 is a relatively young cow too whose first son works for Alex Bireline. She has a 350 day calving interval and is once again due to calve early in the season.
- * Great grandam T59 is a low birth weight, fertile cow also with a 360 day calving interval. Her two sons work for Tracy Shaffer and Mark Lents.
- * I have to mention fourth generation dam C109. This working Pathfinder donor served as the herd's 13th top indexing cow at the time of her passing - the oldest cow on this prestigious list! She recorded 10-97 BWR, 10-109 WR, 10-106 YR with a 361 day calving interval on 11 pregnancies (a set of high performing twins are not included in her ratios). She was the dam of the \$25,000 Hoover Headliner.

**80****HOOVER GALACTIC D240**

BULL

REG: 21343608

TATTOO: D240

2/19/2025

##*Sitz Stellar 726D
***SITZ GALACTIC 723G**
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E

##*Mohen Substantial 272
*SITZ Pride 200B
*Sitz Emblem 11125
**Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z

##*Mogck Bullseye
***ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON P59**
#Elbamere Queen Ellston F520

##MOGCK Sure Shot
Mogck Mary 1255
#TC Friction 5130
#Elbamere Queen Ellston D507

BW	89
ADJ. 205/WR	772/100
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+6	+1.7	+77	+128	+1.2	+1.45	+13	+29	+23
		30%		3%	20%	10%	30%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+29	+35	+40	+57	+51	+0.039	+113	+96	+142	+297
		20%	10%	20%		1%			30%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	9-103	9-103	7-100	5-\$3850	None	1-114

- * D240 offers added frame, a long body and a nice, long stride.
- * D240 offers a tremendous \$Maternal projection - above the best 1% of the breed and among the best-selling today. I would have to agree with this projection of highly maternal traits - his cow family has been superior for generations! D240 is backed by three consecutive generations of Pathfinder dams!
- * For those ranching at altitude, D240 has one of the best PAP projections in the sale.
- * Pathfinder dam P59 raised D240 at 10 years of age, and I'd say job well done! She maintains an excellent 364 day calving interval. She is a 13th generation Elbamere Queen cow to be raised by the Hoover family.
- * P59's daughter that works in the herd raised an exceptional bull as her first calf that sold to repeat customer Dan Olson for \$18,000.
- * Pathfinder grandam F520 was a deep, soggy, nice uddered Friction daughter. Three of her progeny were photo features in our past sales.
- * Pathfinder great grandam D507 served as a donor in the herd. Her four sons averaged \$7875 (not bad for a cow born 21 years ago), and three of her progeny were among the top 10 adjusted weaning weight calves of their respective crops, including one at #1!
- * D507 traces back to the L913 cow who has 13 Pathfinder descendants that have stemmed from her, as well as a total of 51 cows that have served in the Hoover herd! What a great cow family this has been through the generations!

**81****HOOVER EMPIRE D247**

BULL

REG: 21343610

TATTOO: D247

2/21/2025

*MOGCK Fortress 517
***MOGCK EMPIRE 110**
*MOGCK Eraline 1748

##*K C F Bennett Fortress
*Mogck Rosebud 1545
#SydGen Enhance
##*Mogck Eraline 855

**Hoover Top Gun
***BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON S522**
Blkcp Empress Ellston N419

##*Bruno Top Cut 373
*Blackcap Empress Ellston J54
*Hoover Emperor
#Blkcp Empress Ellston F501

BW	86
ADJ. 205/WR	765/99
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	
Scrotal	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+9	+75	+123	+8	+64	+8	+28	+19
					25%			

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+26	+47	+48	+53	+91	-0.079	+103	+95	+153	+301
					30%	1%	2%		25%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-99	2-97	1-97	None	None	None

- * D247 is a thick bull with lots of length.
- * D247 ties as the #1 Heifer Pregnancy EPD bull to sell! He fares well on many of the EPDs that go into the \$Maternal index, making him a great choice to save daughters from.
- * Dam S522 has an unusual story at Hoover Angus. She was the last heifer of her crop to be born, and was orphaned to boot. These two things coupled together meant she was too small for breeding in her proper season, so we rolled S522 to the spring season, and made her a recip. Evidently I'm a slow learner, as it took me four years to realize what a good job S522 was doing as a recip (her 2 ET sons and 2 ET daughters averaged a 732 pound weaning weight). We moved her out of recip status and she produced the nice Lot 161 heifer and then D247.
- * S522 is a slow and easy-going cow who never gets in a hurry!
- * Third and fourth generation dams both earned Pathfinder honors.



82**HOOVER GALACTIC D235**

BULL

REG: *21343604

TATTOO: D235

2/18/2025

*Sitz Stellar 726D	*Mohen Substantial 272	BW	86
*SITZ GALACTIC 723G	*SITZ Pride 200B	ADJ. 205/WR	787/102
*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E	*Sitz Emblem 11125	ADJ. 365/YR	
	*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z	%IMF/Ratio	
*Baldridge Chairman	*Fortunes Conquest 224	RE/Ratio	
*PRIM LASSIE OF ELLSTON Z211	*Baldridge Isabel B061	Scrotal	
Prim Lassie of Ellston N183	*Mogck Bullseye		
	Prim Lassie of Ellston H59		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+10	-1.2	+74	+121	+5	+83	+11	+25	+28
	20%	10%				25%		15%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+52	+40	+40	+1.09	+18	+094	+69	+91	+154	+269
	20%	20%	25%						

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-95	3-98	2-98	None	1-\$6500	None

- * D235 is a high volume bull with lots of thickness and a level top.
- * D235 has one of the lowest BW EPDs among the bulls selling! Use him on heifers or cows if you like!
- * Dam Z211 is a nice uddered cow with a 363 day calving interval. She is a super low birth weight cow and has put some nice carcass quality in her progeny too - she has 2-111 IMF ratio and 2-105 ribeye ratio. Her first daughter works for Brian Mugge.
- * Grandam N183 had 9 calves at a 367 day calving interval and put two replacement daughters in our herd. She could put some marbling in her progeny with a tremendous 8-119 IMF ratio! N183 had a superior udder even at 10 years of age!



Queen of Ellston C50
Candid picture at 12 years of age
Pathfinder Hoover Donor
Grandam of Lot 84



Queen of Ellston V9
Owned by Welter Bro's Angus
\$7250 Full Sister to the Dam
of Lot 84

83**HOOVER GENERAL LEE D262**

BULL

REG: *21343612

TATTOO: D262

2/25/2025

*Mohen General 548	*Baldridge Colonel C251	BW	79
*MOHNER GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	824/106
Mohen Jilt 1848	*S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	
	*Mohen Jilt 2504	%IMF/Ratio	
*Mogck Bullseye	*MOGCK Sure Shot	RE/Ratio	
EDELLA OF ELLSTON S501	Mogck Mary 1255	Scrotal	
#Edella of Ellston H232	*SydGen C C & 7		
	Edella of Ellston D270		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+7	+7	+74	+126	+9	+93	+13	+36	+33
				15%		10%	5%	2%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+40	+52	+41	+79	+57	+014	+109	+90	+150	+304
		20%				1%			25%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-95	5-101	3-100	3-\$5850	None	None

- * D262 is a thick bull with added frame and length. He is recommended for larger framed heifers or cows.
- * D262 offers the 2nd highest Docility EPD and one of the top Milk EPDs among the bulls to sell! He is also one of 16 bulls that has a \$Maternal index in or above the best 1% of the breed!
- * Dam S501 is a beefy, easy fleshing cow whose sons work for Curt Pierschbacher, Gareld Carpenter, and Brian Christensen, all repeat customers. She can certainly put some thickness in her progeny! Her progeny average an excellent 109 IMF ratio and 101 ribeye ratio.
- * Pathfinder grandam H232 worked until old age, recording a superb 10-105 wean ratio! Her progeny work for Reed McCormick (the 4th top weaning weight heifer of her crop), Terry Shaffer, Rex Ritter, and Jeff Bellamy. One other excellent daughter worked in the Hoover herd.

**84****HOOVER DIRECTOR D275**

BULL

REG: *21343623

TATTOO: D275

3/1/2025

*JK High Point 745	High Point Ring of Fire 5071	BW	87
*HOOVER DIRECTOR	J K Blackbird 408	ADJ. 205/WR	803/104
*Miss Erica Ellston V78	*MOGCK Entice	ADJ. 365/YR	
	Miss Erica Ellston S248	%IMF/Ratio	
*Baldridge 38 Special	*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	
*QUEEN OF ELLSTON Z69	*Baldridge Isabel Y69	Scrotal	
#Queen of Ellston C50	*Roth Famous 1006		
	Hawley West Girl 227		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+2	+3.4	+77	+123	+7	+1.35	+11	+25	+27
		30%			25%	25%		15%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+52	+31	+43	+44	+80	+025	+112	+95	+139	+292
	3%	30%				1%			30%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-106	3-99	1-93	1-\$4000	None	None

- * D275 is growing right along for being one of the youngest in the pen! He is wide based, thick, and built like a brick.
- * D275 has one of the top \$Maternal indexes among the bulls selling, stretching above the best 1% of the breed.
- * Dam Z69 is an excellent uddered female whose first son works for Steve Agan. Z69 has a 360 day calving interval.
- * Pathfinder donor grandam is the phenomenal C50 cow - regarded as the 2nd best cow ever in production at Hoover Angus! The following is an extremely condensed version of her successes. At just a couple short months away from 17 years of age, we laid C50 to rest north of our bull barn, next to the other greats like CC&7, Gridiron, Bullseye, and G366.
- * Prior to holding C50 out of production for one year to flush her, she had a 363 day calving interval on her 13 natural progeny, which included stealing flushes 6 different years. C50 weaned her 14th natural calf at over 16 years of age and recorded 14-106 WR.
- * C50 was a superior uddered cow even into old age, and offered foot and structure quality rarely found. She grossed over a quarter million dollars on her registered sons alone. C50 has an amazing three Pathfinder daughters, two of which have served as working donors. Thirty-six sons of C50 have come to auction at Hoover Angus, more than any other cow in our history, and averaged \$7050. Twelve of her sons or daughters were photo features. One stout son was the heaviest weaning weight bull of the entire spring 2024 Hoover crop!

**Business Longevity**

Only about 30% of family businesses survive into the second generation, 12% are still viable into the third generation, and only about 3% operate into the fourth generation or beyond.

Hoover Angus Family:

170 Years of Family Farmed Ground (Landi is a 6th generation Hoover to farm in Ellston)

98 Years of Quality Angus Cattle (Landi is a 4th generation Angus breeder from the Hoover family)

YEARLING BULLS**HOOVER**
Angus

85 BULL REG: *21343621 TATTOO: D279 2/28/2025

*MOGCK Fortress 517	##*K C F Bennett Fortress	BW	88
*MOGCK EMPIRE 110	*Mogck Rosebud 1545	ADJ. 205/WR	776/100
*MOGCK Eraline 1748	#SydGen Enhance	ADJ. 365/YR	
	*Mogck Eraline 855	%IMF/Ratio	
*SydGen Sizzle	#Connealy Cool 39L	RE/Ratio	
KEYMURA KATY ELLSTON S82	+*WK Hazel 9201	Scrotal	
+Keymura Katy Ellston L151	*SydGen C C & 7		
	*Keymura Katy Z99		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+3	+1.6	+78	+125	+1.1	+1.27	+6	+22	+23
25%			10%			30%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+42	+36	+50	+91	+45	+014	+88	+110	+174	+314
10%			15%			25%		30%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	7-108	7-100	5-97	1-\$3500	1-\$5500	1-106

- * D279 is a bigger framed Empire son without sacrificing body. He has a big scrotal for his age and a nicely balanced set of EPDs. We recommend him for use on cows.
- * Dam S82 has a 364 day calving interval on her 7 progeny. Her featured daughter went to West Virginia to Jeremy Rudolph and her son works nearby for long-time repeat customer Roger Cerven.
- * S82 has a daughter doing a great job in the herd – her first son was a \$10,000 bull!
- * Grandam L151 produced several top weaning calves and left three replacement daughters in the herd.
- * Great grandam Z99 served as a Pathfinder working donor. She will be remembered as one of the herd's all-time great producing cows. She ended her career with an extraordinary 117 average weaning ratio on her progeny! She was a phenomenal ribeye cow scanning a 14.0" ribeye as a yearling heifer. 17 progeny (natural and ET) averaged a ribeye scan that was over three inches above breed average!



87 BULL REG: 21343614 TATTOO: D264 2/26/2025

*Basin Safe Deposit 9324	**Basin Deposit 6249	BW	90
*MEAD MERCURY	*Basin Joy 2006	ADJ. 205/WR	808/104
*Mead Beauty V971	*Connealy Convoy	ADJ. 365/YR	
	Mead Beauty R523	%IMF/Ratio	
##Mogck Bullseye	#MOGCK Sure Shot	RE/Ratio	
#MISS ERICA ELLSTON P313	Mogck Mary 1255	Scrotal	
Miss Erica Ellston L105	*SydGen C C & 7		
	#Miss Erica Ellston G137		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+1.4	+73	+131	+5	+1.86	+13	+33	+27
5%			10%			15%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+44	+50	+49	+54	+71	+049	+92	+90	+136	+268
10%			10%						

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	9-104	9-105	8-100	5-\$5350	1-\$2900	1-101

- * D264 is a super long, big scrotal bull that is slicker haired than the average of his contemporaries.
- * Dam P313 has earned Pathfinder status for her excellent calving interval of 363 days on 9 progeny and her high progeny weaning ratios. She is still going strong!
- * P313's progeny work for Bryant Cottrill, Andy Stein, Don Obermueller, Curt Johnson, Nathan Loutsch, and Steve Medlin. Bryant's bull was the #1 ribeye scanning bull of his contemporary group at 16.2"! Two of her progeny were among the top 15 weaning weight calves of their respective crops.
- * Grandam L105 ended her career with a perfect 358 day calving interval.
- * Trace this pedigree back to find the great Pathfinder V50 cow and 'ole J327 – two of the greatest cows of their day.



86 BULL REG: *21343622 TATTOO: D280 3/1/2025

##JK High Point 745	High Point Ring of Fire 5071	BW	82
*HOOVER DIRECTOR	J K Blackbird 408	ADJ. 205/WR	826/107
*Miss Erica Ellston V78	*MOGCK Entice	ADJ. 365/YR	
	Miss Erica Ellston S248	%IMF/Ratio	
*MOGCK Empire 110	*MOGCK Fortress 517	RE/Ratio	
*MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON A166	*MOGCK Eraline 1748	Scrotal	
Miss Blackcap Ellston S255	*Bruns Top Cut 373		
	Miss Blackcap Ellston 195G		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+7	+1.2	+87	+146	+9	+1.67	+13	+29	+17
10%			15%			10%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+65	+40	+49	+80	+77	-.023	+52	+121	+186	+293
20%			10%			10%		30%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-103	2-102	1-98	None	None	None

GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction
	6-97	6-101	6-101	2-\$5000	2-\$8500

- * This guy ties as the youngest bull in the sale, and that usually makes these young bulls excellent bargains in our sale! Just use him gently the first year, and he'll be just fine.
- * D280 has good thickness and nice length of body. He is likely best suited for use on cows.
- * Dam A166 is a nice, calm cow to work with at calving time. She has excellent udder attachment and teat size. Her first daughter sells as Lot 155. A166 has a 357 day calving interval with these two calves and is on track to calve even earlier this spring.
- * Grandam S255 has put two daughters in the herd, and one featured daughter works for Deep Creek Angus Ranch. This heifer was the 6th top weaning weight, 3rd top yearling weight heifer of her crop and TJ reports she is a great cow! S255's other progeny work for repeat customers Clint Welsh, Mitch Weymiller, and the Clauser & Kelley family.
- * Great grandam 195G produced until the ripe age of 13 with 12 calves on record at a 366 day calving interval. She did what she was supposed to do year after year, and did it with an excellent udder!



\$MATERNAL WEANED CALF VALUE (\$M)

\$M is intended for producers who retain their own replacement females and sell the rest of their cull female and all male progeny as feeder calves. It predicts profitability differences from conception to weaning. It considers income (like selling feeder calves) and expenses (such cow keeping costs) in its calculation. Higher values are more favorable. Two hundred sale animals average a \$M in the best 15% of the breed!

\$M encompasses the following EPD traits:

CED (Calving Ease Direct)	HP (Heifer Pregnancy)
CEM (Calving Ease Maternal)	FL (Functional Longevity)
WW (Weaning Weight)	MW (Mature Cow Weight)
Milk	Docility
Teat Size	Claw Shape
Udder Suspension	Foot Angle

Mature Weight (MW) is by far the largest component in the \$M index, even substantially larger than WW, and higher MW values cut deeply into an animal's \$M Value (the rationale is that larger cows eat more feed, thus increasing their keeping cost).

Hoover Know How
Maternal Grand sire of Lot 88



Udder of B Ribbon Heiress Ellston T474
dam of Lots 89-91; Grandam of Lot 88

88 **HOOVER GENERAL LEE C416**
BULL REG: *21268808 TATTOO: C416 8/21/2024

*Mohnen General 548 *MOHNEN GENERAL LEE Mohnen Jilt 1848	##*Baldridge Colonel C251 *S A V Madame Pride 5290 ##*S A V Sensation 5615 #Mohnen Jilt 2504	BW 75 ADJ. 205/WR 772/101 ADJ. 365/YR 1271/105 %IMF/Ratio 3.06/77 RE/Ratio 11.7/85 Scrotal 39
*Hoover Know How *B RIBBON HEIRESS ELLSTONX453 #B Ribbon Heiress EllstonT474	##*Hoover No Doubt #Blkcp Empress Ellston L265 *Baldridge Chairman #B Ribbon Heiress EllstonJ467	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+12	-7	+64	+123	+6	+1.40	+12	+33	+26	
10%	15%				20%	15%	15%	20%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+48	+50	+35	+34	+38	+058	+79	+80	+112	+224
		5%				25%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-87	3-99	3-101	1-\$7750	1-\$6500	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-103	5-103	3-101	None	2-\$8000	1-99

* C416 is an attractive profiling, soft made bull that is certainly calving ease without sacrificing bone. Use him on heifers for a year or two, then when he gets too big for heifers, use him on cows! His small head will help his calves be born easily and he has one of the best CED EPDs of the bulls selling today.

* C416 is a calm temperament, big scrotal bull. He's another highly maternal-type bull that will be great if you are retaining daughters.

* Dam X453 is a calving ease cow that has a perfect 365 day calving interval. Her first son works for long-time repeat customer Darrell Wagoner who called me today and reported his Hoover-sired calves once again topped the sale at Clarinda! X453's daughter works for Grayham's Angus in Arkansas.

* Pathfinder donor grandam T474 is the dam of the nice flush of bulls, Lots 89-91. Please read about her in Lot 91's footnote. T474 is a third consecutive generation Pathfinder cow - what an achievement that showcases the cow power here!

* Pathfinder great grandam recorded a tremendous 11-109 WR at the end of her career with 5 sons averaging \$6900 - a good price in her day! Six of her progeny were in the top 5 calves of their respective crop for weaning weight, yearling weight or both!



Hoover genetics top Page County Fair Carcass Class!

Congratulations to Drake Wagoner on winning the Pen of 3 Carcass Contest with a Prime, YG 2 steer gaining 4.19 pounds per day! His steer earned over \$25/cwt in premiums! Drake's steer came from long-time repeat customer Dustin McCoy and was sired by Hoover Entice V22 and from a cow also sired by a Hoover bull.

89 **HOOVER LEGITIMATE C450**
BULL REG: +*21293543 TATTOO: C450 8/27/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39 *DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203 Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	##*Woodhill Blueprint Myers Miss Beauty M136 ##*Basin Rainmaker 4404 #Deep Creek MP Lass 933	BW 75 ADJ. 205/WR 800/103 ADJ. 365/YR 1192/98 %IMF/Ratio 4.58/134 RE/Ratio 12.3/93 Scrotal 39
*Baldridge Chairman #B RIBBON HEIRESS ELLSTONT474 #B Ribbon Heiress EllstonJ467	*Fortunes Conquest 224 **Baldridge Isabel B061 #Connealy Reward #B Ribbon Heiress EllstonG431	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+8	+1.0	+77	+127	+1.0	+6.0	+14	+28	+12	
		30%		10%		5%			
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+50	+36	+39	+97	+82	+0	+113	+98	+170	+333
		10%	15%	30%	30%	1%			10%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-103	5-103	3-101	None	2-\$8000	1-99

* C450 is a bigger framed, long bodied bull who has a nice set of carcass EPDs - if you feed out your calves and sell them on a grade and yield grid, check him out! Better yet, he has one of the top \$Maternal Values of any bull selling, due in part to his Heifer Pregnancy EPD above the best 1% of the breed!

* C450 offers one of the top CEM EPDs among the bulls selling! C450 is recommended for larger framed heifers or cows.

* Flush brother to Lots 90 and 91. Please see his footnote under Lot 91.

* For those ranching at altitude, C450 offers the 3rd best PAP EPD projection of the bulls selling.



90 **HOOVER LEGITIMATE C452**
BULL REG: +*21293545 TATTOO: C452 8/27/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39 *DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203 Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	##*Woodhill Blueprint Myers Miss Beauty M136 ##*Basin Rainmaker 4404 #Deep Creek MP Lass 933	BW 72 ADJ. 205/WR 782/101 ADJ. 365/YR 1243/102 %IMF/Ratio 4.16/121 RE/Ratio 13.9/105 Scrotal 37
*Baldridge Chairman #B RIBBON HEIRESS ELLSTONT474 #B Ribbon Heiress EllstonJ467	*Fortunes Conquest 224 **Baldridge Isabel B061 #Connealy Reward #B Ribbon Heiress EllstonG431	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+11	-1.1	+79	+130	+1.1	+2.5	+14	+29	+27	
15%	10%	25%		10%		5%	30%	15%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+55	+32	+47	+67	+45	+033	+85	+94	+145	+273
		4%				15%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-103	5-103	3-101	None	2-\$8000	1-99

* C452 is a bigger framed, long bodied, tight sheath bull. He has a big spread in his EPDs - from elite calving ease to excellent growth!

* C452 offers one of the top CEM EPDs among the bulls selling!

* Flush brother to Lots 89 and 91. C452 is a "sleep tight, all night" heifer bull but can certainly be used on cows too. Please see his footnote under Lot 91. Pair up a couple of these flush brothers Lots 89-91 to use on a larger pasture of heifers or cows.

* For those ranching at altitude, C452 ties with the #1 PAP EPD projection of the bulls selling.



91 **HOOVER LEGITIMATE C420**
 BULL REG: +*21293533 TATTOO: C420 8/22/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	78
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	865/111
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	1270/104
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	3.04/89
*Baldridge Chairman	*Fortunes Conquest 224	RE/Ratio	13.4/102
#B RIBBON HEIRESS ELLSTONT474	*Baldridge Isabel B061	Scrotal	42.5
#B Ribbon Heiress EllstonJ467	#Connealy Reward		
	#B Ribbon Heiress EllstonG431		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+1	+82	+130	+1.0	+1.06	+10	+33	+23
	25%	20%		10%		30%	15%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+54	+48	+44	+83	+77	-.018	+101	+105	+171	+323
					15%	3%	30%	30%	15%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-103	5-103	3-101	None	2-\$8000	1-99

* C420 is a big scrotal, nice footed bull with good muscle and lots of length.

* Flush brother to Lots 89 and 90. All three of these flush brothers are suitable for use on heifers. All three flush mates had similar actual birth weights, but genomics pulled their BW and CED EPDs apart some. I would recommend them all to be used on heifers for a year or two, then moved up to the position of main herd sire.

* Pathfinder dam T474 was selected to be a donor primarily for her fertility, excellent udder quality, and high performance that runs many generations deep in her cow family. Tracing down the dam's side of this pedigree, 4 of the past 5 generations of cows have earned Pathfinder honors – this is an exceptionally rare find, and testament to their fertility and productivity!

* T474 is a 13th consecutive generation Hoover bred, born, and raised cow.

* At 777 pounds, T474 was the 3rd top weaning weight heifer of her crop!

* Pathfinder grandam J467 was one of the best of her day! She had 6 progeny that were in the top 5 calves of their respective crop for weaning weight, yearling weight or both! She ended her career with a perfect 365 day calving interval and 11 calves at a whopping 109 wean ratio! J467 herself was the 2nd top weaning weight and yearling weight heifer of her crop.

* Pathfinder great grandam G431 produced two Pathfinder daughters in the Hoover herd as well as three progeny that were among the top 5 weaning weight or yearling weight calves of their respective crops.



Queen of Ellston C50
 Candid Picture at 12 years of age
 Pathfinder Hoover Donor
 Grandam of Lot 93

93 **HOOVER ENTICE C422**
 BULL REG: *21268810 TATTOO: C422 8/22/2024

#SydGen Enhance	#*SydGen Exceed 3223	BW	74
#*MOGCK ENTICE	SydGen Rita 2618	ADJ. 205/WR	802/105
#*MOGCK Erica 2255	Mogck Sure Shot 253	ADJ. 365/YR	1271/105
	MOGCK Erica 2162	%IMF/Ratio	2.74/69
#**Baldridge 38 Special	#*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	13.2/96
*QUEEN OF ELLSTON X53	*Baldridge Isabel Y69	Scrotal	37
#Queen of Ellston C50	#Roth Famous 1006		
	Hawley West Girl 227		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+9	-.2	+69	+124	+7	+41	+8	+28	+24
	30%	20%						30%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+23	+48	+50	+14	+38	+036	+57	+97	+120	+213
					15%				

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-92	3-99	3-98	1-\$6250	None	1-102

* C422 is a really long bodied bull! There are a lot of pounds in this massive bull! Entice has been a popular sire line for us, and most of our repeat customers would have Entice blood in their cow herds. Genomics peg C422 in the heifer bull category, so use him on large framed heifers or cows.

* A pedigree like this is going to have suppressed EPDs from what they would have been back when these genetics were more "current". C422's grandmother would be 22 years old if still living – see more about her below. Sire Entice would be 9, and as we know, EPDs favor younger generations over older ones, regardless of true performance.

* Dam X53 has a son working for repeat customer Scott Pettit and one nice daughter in our herd. She is an excellent uddered female.

* Pathfinder donor grandam is the phenomenal C50 cow – regarded as the 2nd best cow ever in production at Hoover Angus! The following is an extremely condensed version of her successes. At just a couple short months away from 17 years of age, we laid C50 to rest north of our bull barn, next to the other greats like CC&7, Gridiron, Bullseye, and G366.

* Prior to holding C50 out of production for one year to flush her, she had a 363 day calving interval on her 13 natural progeny, which included stealing flushes 6 different years. C50 weaned her 14th natural calf at over 16 years of age and recorded 14-106 WR!

* C50 was a superior uddered cow even into old age, and offered foot and structure quality rarely found. She grossed over a quarter million dollars in registered progeny sales. C50 has an amazing three Pathfinder daughters. Thirty-six sons of C50 have come to auction at Hoover Angus, more than any other cow in our history, and averaged \$7050. One stout son was the heaviest weaning weight bull of the entire spring 2024 Hoover crop!



92 **HOOVER TROPHYCLASS C453**
 BULL REG: *21268816 TATTOO: C453 8/28/2024

#*Musgrave 316 Stunner	#*LD Capitalist 316	BW	73
*E L TROPHYCLASS	#MCATL Blackbird 831-1378	ADJ. 205/WR	802/105
*Pine Coulee Black Annie U7	#*Connealy Onward	ADJ. 365/YR	1250/103
	War Hill Blackbone Annie	%IMF/Ratio	3.96/99
#*Hoover No Doubt	#*Mogck Bullseye	RE/Ratio	13.1/96
BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON R108	*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2	Scrotal	39
Blkcp Empress Ellston H308	#TC Friction 5130		
	Blkcp Empress Ellston E180		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+12	-1	+65	+114	+4	+1.51	+15	+28	+23
	10%	25%			15%	3%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+13	+54	+49	+1.02	+55	+029	+52	+95	+164	+265
					10%				

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	7-90	7-102	7-101	3-\$11,350	None	None

* C453 is one of my favorites! He is a stout boy with lots of body and thickness. He is a well-built, solid bull.

* This calving ease, slick haired bull can be used on heifers or cows. He has some of the best CED and CEM EPDs among the fall bulls selling.

* Dam R108 is a pretty cow approaching 10 years of age and is still going strong! Her udder is, in my opinion, better than the vast majority of cows in the breed, and she is nearly 10 years old!

* R108's sons have been very well-accepted at auction and work for Matt Chamness, 66 Ranch, and John Orr.

* R108 records 6-136 IMF ratio to be the herd's 6th top IMF ratio cow! Two of her progeny have been among the top three scanning bulls of their respective crops for marbling.

* Grandam H308 could always be counted on to bring in an excellent calf. She put four daughters in the herd and progeny work for Ralph Morales, Chris Cadle, and Jason Sieren.



HAIR SHED EPDS

Hair shedding is an important trait for most Hoover Angus customers as the ability of cattle to slick their hair coat early in the summer helps mitigate the effects of heat stress and fescue toxicity. Early shedding positively impacts milk production, fertility, weaning weights, and ultimately your bottom line! Hoover Angus has submitted over 3000 hair shed scores over the past six years, and is one of the breed's largest contributors to the database.

Breed average Hair Shed (HS) EPD for non-parent bulls is +.49, with lower values being more favorable. **The bulls selling average a Hair Shed EPD in the best 25% of the breed!**



HOOVER TAHOE C423 - LOT 94



Prim Lassie of Ellston L455
Udder at 11 years of age



Hoover Notary
Owned by Golden Chute Ranch, IMS Cattle and Tim Hackett
\$38,000 Maternal Brother to Lot 94; Full Brother to the Dam of Lot 95

95
BULL REG: *21268819 TATTOO: C460 8/31/2024

*MOGCK Fortress 517	##*K C F Bennett Fortress	BW	75
*MOGCK EMPIRE 110	*Mogck Rosebud 1545	ADJ. 205/WR	763/100
*MOGCK Eraline 1748	#SydGen Enhance	ADJ. 365/YR	1293/107
	##*Mogck Eraline 855	%IMF/Ratio	3.37/84
	##*Mogck Bullseye	RE/Ratio	14.6/107
##*Hoover No Doubt	*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2	Scrotal	39
PRIM LASSIE OF ELLSTON V435	##*Basin Excitement		
Prim Lassie Ellston L455	Prim Lassie Ellston H491		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+9	+2.0	+86	+145	+2	+1.04	+9	+16	+12
30%		10%		15%				

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+13	+49	+58	+73	+1.04	+0.21	+73	+119	+180	+306
10%				15%		15%		25%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-96	4-95	2-106	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	10-106	10-100	9-102	4-\$14,125	1-\$2250	

- * C460 is a stout, massive, thick boy. He is masculine and you know he's a bull! This wide based, big quarter bull is built like a brick.
- * C460 offers the 3rd top WW EPD among the fall bulls selling! This growthy bull is likely best suited for use on cows.
- * Dam V435 is a powerful, stout cow. She is a full sister to the \$38,000 Hoover Notary that was used with success back in the Hoover herd.
- * V435 put her first replacement daughter in the herd this year (the #1 ribeye scanning female of her crop), and she is raising her first calf now. With 2-116 ribeye ratio, V435 serves as the herd's 2nd top ribeye ratio cow!
- * Please read about grandam L455, one of my favorite fall calving cows, in the footnote of Lot 94. She is 13 years old and looks awesome! We always love when customers come to see the dams of the bulls they are interested in, so let us give you a tour and go see the great L455 and V435 cows!



94
BULL REG: 21268811 TATTOO: C423 8/23/2024

*Tehama Upward Y238	##Sitz Upward 307R	BW	87
##**TEHAMA TAHOE B767	+Tehama Elite Blackbird T735	ADJ. 205/WR	769/100
*Tehama Mary Blackbird Y684	##S A V Final Answer 0035	ADJ. 365/YR	1311/108
	Tehama Mary Blackbird T073	%IMF/Ratio	6.10/153
##Basin Excitement	+Basin Expedition R156	RE/Ratio	15.0/109
PRIM LASSIE ELLSTON L455	Basin Lady S532 AK	Scrotal	42
Prim Lassie Ellston H491	#TC Friction 5130		
	#Prim Lassie Ellston B501		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+1	+2.3	+74	+127	+4	+1.57	+7	+24	+17
15%		30%						

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+31	+49	+49	+89	+72	+0.44	+75	+102	+166	+290
25%		30%							

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	10-106	10-100	9-102	4-\$14,125	1-\$2250	2-98

- * C423 is a long, masculine bull that has the look a herd bull should have! He is wide-based and has a good quarter. He offers a different pedigree for many of our repeat customers.
- * Use this excellent footed, calm disposition, growthy bull on cows.
- * C423 offers the 3rd highest Heifer Pregnancy EPD among the fall bulls.
- * Sire Tahoe was used as an outside AI sire and is a renowned female-maker. When Hair Shed (HS) EPD first came out, he was the best proven sire for this EPD and his progeny are very slick haired.
- * Dam L455 is one of my favorite fall cows - she is now 13 years old and still going strong with an exceptional udder, great feet and a calm demeanor. Her 360 day calving interval on 11 calvings is as perfect as they come!
- * L455's top son was the \$38,000 Hoover Notary, the top-selling bull of our 2019 sale to Tim Hackett, IMS Cattle and Golden Chute Ranch. Other progeny work for Scott Young, Cody Howland, Mark Anderson, and Doug Gross. Several of L455's progeny have been among the top of their crop for weaning or yearling weight, including Doug's bull that was the #1 yearling weight bull!
- * Grandam H491 also had excellent longevity - she had 11 calves on record.
- * Great grandam B501 earned Pathfinder honors.



MATERNAL-TRAIT EPDS

The following list shows many of the EPDs and indexes often considered when assessing quantifiable maternal aspects. The percentage listed is the average of the 110 bulls selling.

CED	Breed Average
BW	Below breed average
WW	25%
Claw	15%
Angle	35%
Hair Shed	25%
CEM	35-40%
Docity	40%
Heifer Pregnancy	25%
Milk	Above breed average
Teat	35%
Udder	35%
Functional Longevity	30%
\$Maternal	10-15%

96 HOOVER LEGITIMATE C427
 BULL REG: 21268812 TATTOO: C427 8/23/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39 *DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203 Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#Woodhill Blueprint Myers Miss Beauty M136 #*Basin Rainmaker 4404 #Deep Creek MP Lass 933	BW 76 ADJ. 205/WR 710/93 ADJ. 365/YR 1148/95 %IMF/Ratio 3.45/86 RE/Ratio 14.7/107 Scrotal 36
#**Baldridge 38 Special *BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON S451 #Blkcp Empress Ellston C109	*#EF Commando 1366 *Baldridge Isabel Y69 *TC Gridiron 258 Blkcp Empress Ellston A306	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+12	-3	+67	+108	+4	-27	+12	+25	+13
10%	20%					15%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+71	+42	+31	+61	+1.04	+0.01	+110	+93	+151	+306
	25%	2%		15%	30%	1%			25%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	6-98	6-97	6-99	4-\$6625	1-\$2500	None

* C427 is a long bodied, calving ease bull whose daughters won't get too big and harsh on feed resources as mature cows. He is a nice footed bull. I would expect him to sire superior uddered females.

* C427 has one of the highest \$Maternal Values of any bull selling! He is one of 16 bulls selling that has a top 1% \$M! Use him on heifers or cows and keep every daughter he makes! He has one of the highest CED EPDs in the bulls selling.

* Dam S451 is an excellent uddered 8 year-old with a 366 day calving interval on her progeny. Sons and daughters work for Mark Lents, Lewis Klein, Clint Welsh, Chad & Craig Davison, and Grayham's Angus. Clint's bull was the #1 ribeye scanning bull of his crop with nearly 1.3" of ribeye per hundred pounds of body weight!

* Grandam C109 served as the herd's 13th top indexing cow at the time of her passing - the oldest cow on this prestigious list! She recorded 10-97 BWR, 10-109 WR, 10-106 YR with a 361 day calving interval on 11 pregnancies (a set of high performing twins are not included in her ratios). She was the dam of the \$25,000 Hoover Headliner.

* C109 was one of only a handful of donor cows that have earned a burial spot north of our bull barn. She and her sire, Gridiron, had highly successful careers at Hoover Angus, and were buried in the same grave on the same day. She is regarded as one of the best cows in our history.



98 HOOVER LEGITIMATE C467
 BULL REG: *21268821 TATTOO: C467 9/3/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39 *DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203 Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#Woodhill Blueprint Myers Miss Beauty M136 #*Basin Rainmaker 4404 #Deep Creek MP Lass 933	BW 85 ADJ. 205/WR 755/99 ADJ. 365/YR 1206/100 %IMF/Ratio 2.78/70 RE/Ratio 13.2/96 Scrotal 38
*SydGen Sizzle MAID OF ELLSTON S278 Maid of Ellston P234	#Connealy Cool 39L +*WK Hazel 9201 #*Basin Excitement Maid of Ellston M115	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+0	+2.7	+72	+119	+6	+93	+6	+27	+22

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+27	+29	+27	+34	+49	+0.22	+94	+97	+132	+265
	20%	2%	1%			10%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	6-102	6-100	5-101	3-\$6450	None	1-99

GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	8-101	8-101	7-102	4-\$6000	None	

* C467 is a good quartered, slick haired bull that will give added length to his progeny (the easiest way to add pounds of weaning weight)! He is a nice footed bull we recommend for cows.

* My calving book from when C467 was born noted "stout and strong" by his name.

* C467 offers some of the best combined feet EPDs of any bull selling.

* Dam S278 produced one of the best bulls of our 2023 auction selling to repeat customer Matt Rea - he was a stud! Craig & Karri Miller and Mark Bright own S278's other sons, and both of them were excellent.

* S278 has one of the highest (best) Functional Longevity EPDs of any Hoover Angus cow in production in a herd where 129 Hoover-owned females rank in the best 1-5% of the breed for this trait! Hoover Angus has been contributing to the longevity database for decades, thus making this EPD on Hoover cows much more realistic, believable and achievable than in herds where genomics alone does the bulk of the heavy lifting!

* S278 has one daughter in the herd that is a low birth weight, super tight-uddered, small teated cow. She is the type of cow with the potential to be very long-lasting because her udder will hold up well into her teens!

* Grandam P234 is a superior uddered cow producing sons for Keith Bixler, Ronnie Grayham, Keith Knobbe and Gary Reiman. Ronnie's bull was the 3rd top weaning weight, 3rd top yearling weight bull of his crop. Both of P234's daughters have been retained.



97 HOOVER TROPHYCLASS C508
 BULL REG: *21268838 TATTOO: C508 10/3/2024

#*Musgrave 316 Stunner *E L K TROPHYCLASS *Pine Coulee Black Annie U7	#*LD Capitalist 316 #MCATL Blackbird 831-1378 #*Connealy Onward War Hill Blackbone Annie	BW 75 ADJ. 205/WR 754/98 ADJ. 365/YR 1261/104 %IMF/Ratio 4.39/110 RE/Ratio 14.6/107 Scrotal 39.5
*Baldridge Chairman BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON V455 +Blkcp Empress Ellston S455	*Fortunes Conquest 224 *Baldridge Isabel B061 #**Baldridge 38 Special #Blkcp Empress Ellston C109	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+12	-1.0	+72	+129	+9	+97	+13	+31	+15
10%	10%			15%		10%	20%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+30	+48	+65	+61	+81	+0.44	+57	+98	+149	+250

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-99	3-97	3-101	1-\$8000	1-\$5250	None

* C508 is a bull with lots of volume that will make very nice daughters! He is wide based and stands tall and proud like a bull should! He has a little bit more frame than one would expect from this pedigree. He had a very nice ultrasound scan for carcass traits.

* Use C508 on heifers or cows without sacrificing the growth of the typical "heifer bull". He has one of the best CED EPDs among the fall bulls selling. Put each daughter he produces in the "keeper" pen!

* The three generations of cows behind C508 have been beautiful, productive cows with superior udders.

* Dam V455's daughter works for repeat customer Jody Martens, and her first son for repeat customer Pat Hardy.

* Grandam S455 has two daughters working in the herd, one of which raised the 4th top weaning weight bull of our 2024 crop. We have selfishly retained a third daughter as we don't have as many descendants of the great C109 cow in our herd as what we would like.

* Please read about phenomenal Pathfinder great grandam C109 in the footnote of Lot 96.



99 HOOVER TROPHYCLASS C478
 BULL REG: 21268822 TATTOO: C478 9/6/2024

#*Musgrave 316 Stunner *E L K TROPHYCLASS *Pine Coulee Black Annie U7	#*LD Capitalist 316 #MCATL Blackbird 831-1378 #*Connealy Onward War Hill Blackbone Annie	BW 79 ADJ. 205/WR 754/98 ADJ. 365/YR 1258/103 %IMF/Ratio 3.39/85 RE/Ratio 13.2/96 Scrotal 39.5
*Hoover Headliner J32 *FANTASIA OF ELLSTON M81 #Fantasia of Ellston G273	*SydGen C C & 7 #Blkcp Empress Ellston C109 #TC Friction 5130 Fantasia of Ellston D275	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+9	+2	+70	+123	+7	+1.25	+4	+36	+30
30%	30%				30%		5%	10%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+39	+59	+53	+61	+57	+0.51	+64	+90	+137	+242

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	10-102	10-102	9-102	2-\$6250	5-\$4650	1-98

* C478 is an easy fleshing Trophyclass son with lots of length and pounds. He is slick haired for working well on fescue. His calm nature comes from the several generations of calm cows behind him. C478 offers the highest Docility EPD in the fall bull division.

* Use on large framed, well-developed heifers or cows. I recommend saving as many daughters from C478 as possible! He's not extreme on growth, but in my opinion, optimal if you are selling calves by the pound and retaining replacement daughters.

* C478 offers the 2nd highest Milk EPD of the fall bulls selling. For those ranching at altitude, C478 ties as the #1 PAP EPD bull to sell.

* Pathfinder dam M81 has 10 calves on record and still a superior udder! Her progeny work for Martens Angus Farms, Pat Peak, Eddie Coyle, Todd Creason, Carl Wibholm, and James Humble. One son and one daughter were photo features in our past sales. Her daughter that works in the herd was the 8th top weaning weight heifer of her crop.

* Grandam G273 was a Pathfinder with a 363 day calving interval. Plenty of Pathfinders run in this cow family, as G273's grandam also earned the honor.



FALL BULLS

SydGen C C & 7
Maternal Grand sire of Lot 100



Udder of Erica of Ellston T69
Dam of Lot 101



100 **HOOVER EMPIRE C430**
BULL REG: *21268813 TATTOO: C430 8/25/2024

*MOGCK Fortress 517	##*K C F Bennett Fortress	BW	72
*MOGCK EMPIRE 110	*Mogck Rosebud 1545	ADJ. 205/WR	711/93
*MOGCK Eraline 1748	#SydGen Enhance	ADJ. 365/YR	1188/98
	##*Mogck Eraline 855	%IMF/Ratio	6.23/156
#*SydGen C C & 7	##S A F Connection	RE/Ratio	12.3/90
ERICA OF ELLSTON S146	SydGen Forever Lady 4087	Scrotal	38.5
Erica of Ellston J259	H&K Impressive		
	#Erica of Ellston E250		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+10	-1.0	+66	+110	+6	+1.00	+12	+24	+22
20%	10%					15%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+32	+54	+63	+1.36	+49	+0.31	+88	+84	+169	+307
25%		10%				15%			25%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	6-107	6-97	5-102	1-\$4000	4-\$4450	None

- * C430 is a calm bull with lots of body and capacity. He is just-right framed to have weaning performance in his progeny, yet not too big of daughters once they become replacements in your herd. He has a small head to aid in calving ease – certainly use him on heifers if you like.
- * C430 was the #1 IMF scanning bull of his crop and has the #1 Marbling EPD in the sale! If you need to add marbling for feeding out your own calves and selling on a grade and yield grid, check him out. His dam was high marbling too, scanning a 6.29 IMF to ratio 137.
- * C430 would be a good choice to use on fescue pastures as he is a slick haired bull – one of the best traits of his maternal grandsire CC&7.
- * Dam S146 is a beautiful cow in the prime of her life – come see her, she is a standout in the pasture! Her progeny work for Jacob Hans, Keith Groshong, Gary Bradshaw and John Dowell.
- * Grandam J259 was a productive cow that put two replacement daughters in our herd. She had a 364 day calving interval and recorded a whopping 6-124 IMF ratio!
- * Pathfinder great grandam E250 was an extremely successful cow in her day and served as a working donor. E250's grandam was also the grandam of Hoover Dam!



101 **HOOVER LEGITIMATE C484**
BULL REG: *21268825 TATTOO: C484 9/8/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	##Woodhill Blueprint	BW	92
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	789/103
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	##Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	1207/99
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	4.63/116
##*Baldridge 38 Special	*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	13.6/99
*ERICA OF ELLSTON T69	*Baldridge Isabel Y69	Scrotal	37
##*Erica of Ellston N54	##Basin Excitement		
	#Erica of Ellston G366		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+2	+3.1	+78	+125	+9	+1.02	+2	+31	+18
		25%		15%				20%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+65	+37	+36	+86	+69	-0.26	+99	+83	+150	+294
		15%	10%		10%	4%			30%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-111	5-104	5-103	1-\$6500	2-\$7625	None

GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction
	9-95	8-102	7-102	4-\$5450	2-\$13,250

- * C484 is a long bodied bull with lots of extension, a tight sheath, and a nice set of EPDs.
- * C484 is a growthy bull recommended for use on cows.
- * Dam T69 is a pretty, beautiful uddered female who produced a photo feature daughter in our 2025 sale selling to Tom McGinnis in Kentucky – she was the 6th top weaning weight, 5th top yearling weight, 4th top IMF heifer of her crop! Lewis Klein and Marty Francois own her other progeny to come to auction.
- * T69 puts nice carcass quality in her progeny, averaging 5-117 IMF ratio and 5-104 ribeye ratio.
- * Please read about tremendous Pathfinder donor grandam, N54, in the footnote of Lot 102. Read about great grandam G366 in the footnote of Lot 21 – yearlings Lots 6-22 descend from her.



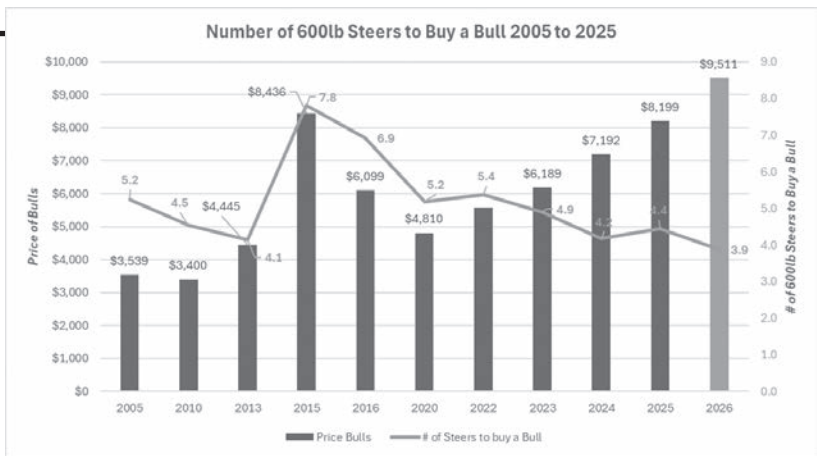
COMPARED TO THE PRICE OF FEEDER CALVES, AND COMPARED TO THE NUMBER OF STEERS IT HAS TAKEN TO PURCHASE A BULL IN THE PAST 21 YEARS, BULLS WILL BE RELATIVELY INEXPENSIVE IN 2026.

Kurt Kangas, Regional Manager for the American Angus Association states of MT and WY, compiled the chart above that looked at Angus bull sales in his territory and compared them to how many 600 pound steers it would take to buy one bull.

Remember the industry mantra that it takes 4-5 steer calves to purchase a bull? Even if bull sales average \$10,000 in 2026, that would take 4 steers at \$2500 to pay for the bull, which would be the lowest number of steers to buy a bull in the past 21 years in the chart.

Hoover Angus will have bulls in price ranges to fit nearly everyone's budget. From the first bull in the ring to the last, there is definitely value in every bull. The bottom third to half of each calf crop is castrated to ensure our customers only receive our top-end genetics. Furthermore, we keep monitoring bulls past weaning time and continue to cull as needed.

We all have different herd goals and needs, and there are bulls to fit everyone's needs and budget. If you need help sorting the bulls to best fit your needs, please call Landi. Remember, the quickest way to improve your cow herd is with the right bull. He's the biggest influence on your future!





**HOOVER GENERAL
LEE C456 - LOT 102**



Erica of Ellston R217
Pathfinder Hoover Donor
Dam of Lot 102; Relative of
Lot 101



Erica of Ellston N54
Pathfinder Hoover Donor
Grandam of Lots 101-102

102 **HOOVER GENERAL LEE C456**
BULL REG: +*21268840 TATTOO: C456 8/30/2024

*Mohen General 548
***MOHNEN GENERAL LEE**
Mohenen Jilt 1848

#Bruns Top Cut 373
#ERICA OF ELLSTON R217
#*Erica of Ellston N54

#*Baldridge Colonel C251
*S A V Madame Pride 5290
#*S A V Sensation 5615
#Mohenen Jilt 2504
*Bruns Uppercut 610
#Dakota Miss 669 Baf
#*Basin Excitement
#Erica of Ellston G366

BW	80
ADJ. 205/WR	786/101
ADJ. 365/YR	1260/103
%IMF/Ratio	2.65/77
RE/Ratio	12.4/94
Scrotal	38

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+16	-7	+65	+118	+5	+1.01	+15	+32	+28
2%	15%					3%	15%	15%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+57	+52	+46	+14	+53	+030	+122	+111	+137	+300
						1%	25%		25%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	6-94	6-103	6-104	8-\$9625	7-\$9000	2-100
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	8-95	8-102	7-102	4-\$5450	2-\$13,250	



Erica of Ellston A32
Owned by Murray Farms, Inc.
\$15,000 Maternal Sister to Lot 102;
Relative of Lot 101

- * Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- * C456 is a big topped, wide based, good bull with an attractive profile. He is a big scrotal, calm disposition bull. He offers the 2nd highest Docility EPD among the fall bulls selling. Flush sisters to this bull are beautiful!
- * C456 was the 3rd top yearling weight ET fall bull of his crop!
- * C456 has the #1 highest CED EPD among the bulls selling, making him an excellent choice to use on heifers if you desire. He is also desirable for saving daughters, as he ties as the 4th top CEM EPD and 4th top HP EPD bull to sell. These traits combine (in part) to give him an excellent \$Maternal index 14 points above the best 1% of the breed and 2nd highest of any animal selling.



- * C456 is backed by three consecutive generations of Pathfinder donor cows. There are many cows deemed good enough to be donor cows in our breed, but I'd be curious to know how many are Pathfinders and backed by Pathfinders. Less than 1% of current Angus dams earn the Pathfinder honor in any given year.
- * Pathfinder donor dam R217 is certainly a low birth weight cow whose calves grow rapidly. You can see by her progeny sales in the boxes above that her progeny are very well accepted at auction! Progeny work for Brian Taglauer, Ron & LuAnne Brown, Karla Rogen, Tom Wallum (2), Chris Nelson, Lloyd Baxley, Brandon Taglauer, Jody Martens (2), Lynden Smith, Trent Deutmeyer, Murray Farms Inc., High Point Genetics and Crawford Angus. Numerous of these were photo features.
- * Check out R217's flush of sons in our yearling bull division - Lots 17-18.
- * Pathfinder donor grandam N54 is my favorite cow in the herd. She'll turn 12 years old by sale time and is still going strong! We have stolen several flushes from N54 and then in 2024 pulled her out of production for 6 months to harvest more embryos. She has an exceptional udder and feet. She has put 6 daughters in the herd, which we are very proud of!
- * Both R217 and N54 are more moderate framed, super deep bodied cows that epitomize the image of the ideal Angus cow. Feminine fronted, beautiful uddered, and soggy. They calve on schedule and bring in a big calf every year.
- * Please read about great grandam G366 in the footnote of Lot 21. She is regarded as the best cow in our 98-year history, and bulls 6-22 and 101-102 descend from her!



Hoover No Doubt
Owned by Alta Genetics and Spruce Mountain Ranch \$47,500 Full Brother to the Grandam of Lot 103

104 HOOVER EMPIRE C494
BULL REG: *21268830 TATTOO: C494 9/15/2024

*MOGCK Fortress 517	##*K C F Bennett Fortress	BW	78
*MOGCK EMPIRE 110	*Mogck Rosebud 1545	ADJ. 205/WR	777/101
*MOGCK Eraline 1748	#SydGen Enhance	ADJ. 365/YR	1212/100
	##*Mogck Eraline 855	%IMF/Ratio	3.10/78
##*Hoover No Doubt	##*Mogck Bullseye	RE/Ratio	13.1/96
KEYMURA OF ELLSTON R289	*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2	Scrotal	37.5
Keymura of Ellston E13	#TC Gridiron 258		
	#Keymura of Ellston S88		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+3	+79	+135	+1.1	+69	+12	+19	+19
		30%	25%	30%	10%	15%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+0.1	+4.0	+5.1	+6.9	+1.09	-.034	+69	+106	+170	+289
2%		20%		15%		10%		30%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	7-95	7-98	6-100	None	3-\$4850	None

- * C494 is a really long bodied bull with a super tight sheath. He is slick haired to work well on fescue pastures. He offers a little more frame size than most Empire sons.
- * Use C494 on larger framed heifers or cows.
- * C494 has the 4th biggest Ribeye EPD of any bull to sell as well as one of the lowest (best) Hair Shed EPDs!
- * Dam R289 is a powerful No Doubt cow backed by a long line of productive females. She has daughters working for Jeremy Loving, Nate Britz, and Martens Angus Farms, all repeat customers.
- * Grandam E13 had a 363 day calving interval on her 10 calves, showing her excellent fertility. She brought three photo feature sons or daughters to auction and placed progeny in 4 states!
- * Pathfinder great grandam S88 was one of Landi's show heifers back in the day that went on to have a very successful career as a momma cow. Her mother, too, is still remembered as a stout, Pathfinder cow that would bring in one of the biggest, best calves of the crop.



103 HOOVER ATHLETE C488
BULL REG: *21268826 TATTOO: C488 9/11/2024

*RAML Rugby 7103	##*S A V Renown 3439	BW	65
*RAML ATHLETE	**RAML Ruby 103	ADJ. 205/WR	750/98
*RAML Royce 536	#TC Aberdeen 759	ADJ. 365/YR	1155/95
	*RAML Royce 335	%IMF/Ratio	5.12/128
##*Baldridge 38 Special	##*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	11.5/84
*MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON X18	*Baldridge Isabel Y69	Scrotal	38.5
*Miss Blackcap Ellston N75	##*Mogck Bullseye		
	*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+10	-1.6	+63	+114	+8	+80	+13	+32	+28
20%		10%		25%		10%		15%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+5.2	+4.4	+5.2	+6.3	+4.8	+0.53	+64	+79	+126	+227

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-95	3-100	2-97	1-\$7000	None	None

- * C488 is a more moderate framed, deep bodied bull that would be an excellent choice for heifers. C488 ties as the 3rd lowest BW EPD bull to sell!
- * C488 ties as the 3rd top Docility EPD fall bull.
- * C488 scanned a 5.12 IMF to be the 5th top IMF bull of his crop! His dam, X18, was also a high marbling female with a 7.04 IMF, ratio 141.
- * Repeat customer John Hartley selected X18's first son to come to auction. X18's two sons have averaged a 747 pound weaning weight with just a 71 pound average birth weight.
- * Grandam N75 was a flush sister to Hoover No Doubt and she scanned a tremendous 13.7" ribeye!
- * Great grandam J2 gave us the flush that produced No Doubt and four sisters, then she went on to do great things in the breed, including producing the top-selling bull of all breeds at the 2021 Midland Bull Test for \$158,000 selling to ST Genetics!



105 HOOVER TROPHYCLASS C501
BULL REG: *21268833 TATTOO: C501 9/21/2024

##*Musgrave 316 Stunner	##*LD Capitalist 316	BW	75
*E L K TROPHYCLASS	#MCATL Blackbird 831-1378	ADJ. 205/WR	766/100
*Pine Coulee Black Annie U7	##*Connealy Onward	ADJ. 365/YR	1252/103
	War Hill Blackbone Annie	%IMF/Ratio	2.92/73
##*MOGCK Entice	#SydGen Enhance	RE/Ratio	11.8/86
*ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON V132	##*MOGCK Erica 2255	Scrotal	41
Elbamere Queen Ellston S49	##*Hoover No Doubt		
	#Elbamere Queen Ellston F520		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+11	+8	+75	+132	+1.0	+1.71	+11	+25	+25
15%				10%		25%		25%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
-.04	+4.9	+4.3	+3.2	+4.9	+0.43	+84	+101	+134	+258
1%		30%				15%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-95	4-100	3-100	1-\$8000	1-\$4000	None

- * C501 is a curious bull that has nice length of body, a big scrotal and is big bodied. He is a calm temperament bull that will sire progeny that slick their hair early in the season. His Hair Shed (HS) EPD agrees, as he has the 3rd lowest (best) HS EPD of any bull to sell.
- * C501's genomics peg him much more calving ease than what his pedigree tells me (three power bulls in Trophyclass, Entice and No Doubt). I want to be safe and recommend him for cows rather than heifers, especially if you are calving heifers in the winter.
- * C501 offers the 2nd largest Scrotal EPD in the fall bull division.
- * Dam V132 is a nice uddered cow from a long line of strong cows! Her excellent footed son works for repeat customer Eddie LaBoube and her nice daughter for repeat customer Evan Bottorff.
- * V132 was a high performing female herself, weaning at 717 pounds, WR 110 and YW 1013 lbs., YR 108.
- * Grandam S49 was the 3rd top indexing cow of the herd during her prime. She was a soggy, powerful cow who had several progeny at the top of their crop for weaning weight.
- * Pathfinder great grandam F520 was a superior cow! Several of her calves were among the top weaning weight calves of their crop; three were photo features. Her 6 sons averaged an excellent \$7750! One of F520's daughters earned Pathfinder honors.
- * F520 traces back to the L913 cow who has 13 Pathfinder descendants that have stemmed from her, as well as a total of 51 cows that have served in the Hoover herd! What a great cow family this has been through the generations!



\$BEEF VALUE (\$B) AND \$COMBINED VALUE (\$C)

As a review of \$B, this is a terminal index, comprising of the traits YW, DMI (Dry Matter Intake), Marbling, CW (Carcass Weight), RE (Ribeye), and Fat. \$B is designed for herds that send all of their calves (male and female) to the feedyard, retain ownership, and hang them on a quality-based carcass-merit grid.

\$C attempts to characterize cattle by combining maternal (\$M) and terminal (\$B) traits into one index. However, \$C is heavily weighted towards the terminal traits found in \$B. \$C has a .95 correlation to \$B, leaving little room for the impact of the maternal traits in this index. Read more about \$M on page 35.



Miss Blackcap Ellston Z400

Owned by Matron Angus
\$11,500 Flush Sister to the Dam of Lot 106



Hoover High Country Z422

Owned by Belvin Angus Ltd.
\$41,000 Flush Brother to the Dam of Lot 106



HOOVER LEGITIMATE C435 - LOT 106



Udder of Miss Blackcap Ellston R199
Grandam of Lot 106



Feet of Miss Blackcap Ellston R199
Pictured at 4 years of age
Grandam of Lot 106

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HOOVER LEGITIMATE C435

BULL REG: *21268815 TATTOO: C435 8/25/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39
***DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203**
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013

#**Tehama Tahoe B767
****MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON Z413**
Miss Blackcap Ellston R199

#*Woodhill Blueprint
Myers Miss Beauty M136
#*Basin Rainmaker 4404
#Deep Creek MP Lass 933
*Tehama Upward Y238
**Tehama Mary Blackbird Y684
#**Hoover No Doubt
Miss Blackcap Ellston K317

BW	72
ADJ. 205/WR	866/113
ADJ. 365/YR	1327/109
%IMF/Ratio	3.85/96
RE/Ratio	14.0/102
Scrotal	37.5

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+2	+3.0	+89	+152	+1.0	+77	+8	+21	+11
		10%	10%	10%				

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+32	+36	+40	+72	+99	+004	+71	+100	+162	+281
25%	10%	20%		20%					

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-97	2-111	1-109	None	None	None

- * Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- * Here is a stud! C435 is an attractive profiling bull that is thick and good! This high growth, calm temperament bull is recommended for use on cows.
- * C435 was the 2nd top weaning weight bull of his crop at 866 pounds and went on to be the #1 yearling weight bull! C435 has the 2nd top WW EPD and 2nd top YW EPD among the fall bulls selling.
- * Dam Z413 is the 2nd top indexing cow of the herd with 2-111 wean ratio! She is an excellent uddered cow just like her mother. We rarely add a cow this young to the donor pen, but Z413 became a working donor in the fall of 2025!



A bull is a long-term investment that shapes your ultimate profit potential!

- * Grandam R199 was our favorite No Doubt donor cow! She produced the lead-off, top-selling bull in our 2023 sale at \$41,000 to Belvin Angus Farm in Alberta. This bull, named Hoover High Country was the 2nd top weaning weight bull of his crop, and a true standout. He is a flush brother to Z413. A High Country son was one of the top-selling bulls in our 2025 sale.
- * Another flush sister to Z413 and High Country was the top-selling female in our mini online sale in the fall of 2022, going to Staci Mitchell in Indiana. This female was the #1 weaning weight heifer of her crop and what I believe to be the 2nd top weaning weight heifer in our history! This beautiful heifer scanned at the top of her crop.
- * Three beautiful daughters of R199 work in the herd. R199 records an incredible 9-126 IMF ratio on her progeny!
- * Great grandam K317 worked in the herd until 11 years of age and had a perfect 365 day calving interval on her 10 calves!



FALL BULLS

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HOOVER TROPHYCLASS C504

BULL REG: 21268835 TATTOO: C504 9/27/2024

#*Musgrave 316 Stunner	#*LD Capitalist 316	BW	87
*E L K TROPHYCLASS	#MCATL Blackbird 831-1378	ADJ. 205/WR	757/99
*Pine Coulee Black Annie U7	#*Connealy Onward	ADJ. 365/YR	1247/103
	War Hill Blackbone Annie	%IMF/Ratio	5.78/145
#*MOGCK Entice	#SydGen Enhance	RE/Ratio	13.6/99
PRINCESS OF ELLSTON V143	#*MOGCK Erica 2255	Scrotal	39.5
#Princess of Ellston S227	#Connealy Impact		
	Princess of Ellston L184		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+9	+6	+62	+114	+5	+1.49	+5	+38	+20	
30%					15%	3%			
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+60	+43	+57	+86	+77	+025	+59	+113	+177	+289
30%			20%		25%				
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	3-109	2-105	2-105	1-\$9000	None	None			
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	7-104	7-100	4-98	None	2-\$6000				

- * C504 is a stout built, wide based, attractive profiling bull with plenty of body. He has a small head to aid in calving ease.
- * C504 was the 3rd top IMF scanning bull of his crop! He is a bull that can cover the bases well – feed out his calves and sell them on a grade and yield grid and earn premiums, yet still retain very nice replacement daughters.
- * This bull has nice growth potential and is recommended for use on cows.
- * C504 has the 2nd highest Milk EPD of all the bulls selling!
- * Dam V143 is a nice uddered cow whose progeny have nice ultrasound scans – she records 2-131 IMF ratio (7th top IMF ratio cow of the herd) and 2-104 ribeye ratio.
- * A full brother to C504 was the 5th top weaning weight bull of his crop and sold to Matt Rea who has a keen eye for the good ones!
- * Pathfinder grandam S227 has daughters working for Cole Sellnow and Matt Groves, both repeat customers.
- * Great grandam L184 was also an excellent uddered cow with great mothering skills. She produced progeny for Michael Kusgen, Tom Tucker, Kyle VanHouweling, and Todd Glendenning.



HOOVER ATHLETE C505 - LOT 109



Elbamere Queen Ellston G461
Pictured at 15 years of age
Grandam of Lot 109

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HOOVER EMPIRE C506

BULL REG: 21268837 TATTOO: C506 10/1/2024

*MOGCK Fortress 517	#*K C F Bennett Fortress	BW	70
*MOGCK EMPIRE 110	*Mogck Rosebud 1545	ADJ. 205/WR	740/97
*MOGCK Eraline 1748	#SydGen Enhance	ADJ. 365/YR	1170/97
	#*Mogck Eraline 855	%IMF/Ratio	3.92/98
#*Hoover No Doubt	#*Mogck Bullseye	RE/Ratio	12.2/89
MISS ERICA ELLSTON R63	*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2	Scrotal	36.5
Miss Erica Ellston E138	H&K Neutron 377 B2		
	#Miss Erica Ellston B320		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+3	+1.5	+75	+128	+4	+58	+14	+15	+28	
5%					15%				
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+46	+42	+57	+97	+1.07	-006	+72	+128	+203	+335
25%		30%		15%		10%		10%	
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	7-98	6-98	6-97	1-\$10,000	1-\$5000	1-96			

- * C506 is a more moderate framed bull with plenty of body and a small head to aid in calving ease. He is likely best suited for use on cows.
- * C506 has one of the top Ribeye EPDs of any bull to sell. He offers as much carcass potential as just about any bull selling, so if you feed out your steers and sell them on a grade and yield grid, consider this bull.
- * C506 also offers one of the top CEM EPDs among the bulls selling and ties as the 3rd top Docility EPD fall bull.
- * Dam R63 produced a \$10,000 son for Ralph Ballanger and a daughter for Lyle Olson that was the 3rd top IMF heifer of her crop. R63's daughter that works in our herd was the #1 ribeye and 2nd top IMF scanning heifer of her crop. R63 has a superior 6-119 IMF ratio!
- * Grandam E138 was a great 'ole cow that had a 361 day calving interval on her 11 progeny. Three of her daughters work in the Hoover herd. She was a really gentle female also.
- * Great grandam B320 has been gone for many years, but achieved Pathfinder status, as did two of her daughters.



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HOOVER ATHLETE C505

BULL REG: *21268836 TATTOO: C505 9/28/2024

*RAML Rugby 7103	#*S A V Renown 3439	BW	77
*RAML ATHLETE	**RAML Ruby 103	ADJ. 205/WR	814/106
*RAML Royce 536	#TC Aberdeen 759	ADJ. 365/YR	1321/109
	*RAML Royce 335	%IMF/Ratio	2.81/70
*Baldridge Chairman	*Fortunes Conquest 224	RE/Ratio	13.6/99
*ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON Z489	**Baldridge Isabel B061	Scrotal	38.5
Elbamere Queen Ellston G461	#*SydGen C C & 7		
	#Elbamere Queen Ellston D507		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+8	+1.1	+90	+159	+1.3	+1.38	+14	+31	+23	
10%					5%		20%		
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+55	+39	+61	+58	+68	+051	+67	+111	+158	+272
15%			25%						
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	2-102	2-106	2-106	None	None	None			

- * Check out this growthy guy, he is the 2nd heaviest yearling weight bull of his crop! He is a bigger framed bull with plenty of body. I would recommend him for large framed, well-developed heifers or cows. Or use him on heifers for a year before moving him to your main cow herd without sacrificing the growth usually found in "heifer bulls".
- * C505 is a calm temperament bull with nice feet. He offers one of the top CEM EPDs among the bulls selling!
- * C505 offers the #1 WW and #1 YW EPD in the fall bull division!
- * Dam Z489 is a very nice uddered young cow whose first two sons have averaged just 7 pounds shy of 800 pounds at weaning! She moved up in time calving this year and might just be on track to earn Pathfinder honors if she keeps up the good work.
- * Grandam G461 worked until 16 years of age – at the time she went to town, she was the oldest living cow at Hoover Angus. Her udder and foot quality remained exceptional! The picture of her above was taken just shy of 16 years of age. What a cow!
- * G461 recorded a 360 day calving interval on her 14 calvings along with an excellent average 106 wean ratio on her calves. G461 has put four replacement daughters in the Hoover herd – one of which is a Pathfinder donor. G461 was selected to be a donor at 15 years of age because of her longevity, fertility, progeny performance, foot and udder quality.
- * G461 was the #1 weaning weight heifer of her crop, and has raised 4 sons or daughters among the top 4 weaning weight calves of their respective crops at Hoover Angus! G461 helped make Hoover Angus history as she was one of the first two cows that had embryos exported to Australia in 2024!
- * Keep going down the dam's side of this pedigree and you will find three more exceptional Elbamere Queen cows. Truly an awesome cow family!



CARE FOR YOUR NEW HOOVER ANGUS BULL

Upon Arrival

- Your bull may be hungry, thirsty, and possibly stressed depending on the length of travel and type of transportation. Put him with a steer or an older cow for company. We do not recommend your bull being shut up in a barn or lot by himself – they are not accustomed to being alone. Feeding him grass hay upon arrival is something he will be used to.
- If you have to put him with older bulls, ensure he has plenty of space and watch that he doesn't get bullied excessively.

Up to Breeding Season

- Your young bull is still growing. Ensure he is well fed so he can reach his full potential without getting over fat.
- Keep all bulls in a condition score of 6.

During Breeding Season

- Yearling bulls are capable of servicing one female per month of age. Although many bulls are capable of heavier service, sticking with this industry-accepted recommendation will help ensure females conceive in the early part of the breeding season.
- Ensure cows are cycling before the bull goes out. Cows will need to be on a rising plane of nutrition to commence cycling and have adequate feeding during breeding to achieve good conception rates.
- It is vitally important to regularly observe the bull during mating. Make sure he is working properly and no injuries or infections have occurred. Watch for foot abscesses or penile infections. These can be cleared up quickly if treated immediately.
- Problems to watch for during Breeding Season
- Swelling of the penis or testicles. Infections can be caused by something as simple as a thistle or a scratch.
- Lameness or swollen joints.
- Continuous mounting without servicing.
- Large numbers of cows cycling after the first 21 days. A large percentage of females should be bred in the first cycle, assuming conditions are adequate for females cycling.
- Bull is away from the herd – possibly injured or sick.

If you see any of these problems, take action immediately. Many times the key to healing is immediate attention to the problem. Don't skimp on regular checks of bulls during breeding season!

Post-Breeding Season

- Bulls are likely to be down in condition. Worm them and put them on enough feed to bring them back to a body condition score of 6.
- Adequate feed, shade, water, and space will allow them to settle in quickly and help reduce fighting if in group housing.



HOOVER GENERAL LEE C414 - LOT 110

110 BULL REG: *21268806 TATTOO: C414 8/20/2024

+*Mohnen General 548
***MOHNNEN GENERAL LEE**
 Mohnen Jilt 1848

 *RAML Optics 0710
***BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON A405**
 +*Blkcp Empress Ellston R445

##*Baldridge Colonel C251
 *S A V Madame Pride 5290
 ##*S A V Sensation 5615
 #Mohnen Jilt 2504
 ##*RAML Rangefinder 7536
 +*RAML Ruby 710
 ##*Connealy Commander
 *Blackcap Empress Ellston J54

BW	63
ADJ. 205/WR	786/103
ADJ. 365/YR	1224/101
%IMF/Ratio	4.37/109
RE/Ratio	13.9/101
Scrotal	42.5

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+15	-1.4	+74	+128	+8	+2.28	+12	+28	+27
3%	10%			25%	1%	15%		15%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+78	+44	+34	+71	+37	+089	+112	+84	+131	+282
		4%				1%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-92	1-103	1-101	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	7-99	7-100	7-100	1-\$8000	3-\$3600	

- * C414 is a wide-based, long, square-made, easy fleshing, attractive profiling bull with a nice quarter. He has a nice small head to aid in calving ease. Certainly an excellent choice to use on heifers, but he has enough performance that you can use him on cows after he gets too big to use on heifers. Save every daughter he makes; he is a highly maternal bull!
- * C414 has one of the highest CED EPDs and lowest BW EPDs among the bulls selling as well as one of the top \$Maternal (\$M) indexes. C414 ties as the #1 Heifer Pregnancy EPD bull to sell! He comes to the top of the offering for many of the traits that make up this index, including CED, HP, Teat, Udder, and Functional Longevity (FL).
- * Although not included in the \$M calculation, his Scrotal EPD is in the top 1% of the breed (4th largest in the sale), and of course larger scrotal in males is positively correlated with earlier puberty in a bull's daughters.
- * C414 was a calm bull on picture-taking day that we put in a small pen at the corner of the picture pen as a decoy – he stood there all day long chewing his cud and calmly watching us take pictures!
- * Dam A405 was a first calf heifer with C414, and I'd say she did a fine job! She is a superior uddered young female, as are the Optics' daughters.
- * Grandam R445 is still going strong with a 363 day calving interval on her 7 calves. Progeny work for Mark Anderson, Jeremy Loving and Stan & Jon Becker, all repeat customers. Jeremy's heifer was the 3rd top weaning weight heifer of her crop!
- * Great grandam J54 was a superior uddered cow that served as a working donor. Her 9 progeny to come to auction averaged \$5300, which was a mighty fine price in her day.
- * Fourth generation dam C344 is one of the herd's greatest cows in our history – read the condensed version of her successes under yearling bull Lot 34.



**MISS BLACKBIRD
ELLSTON C238 - LOT 111**



Miss Blackbird Ellston B221
Owned by Salt Fork Angus
\$8500 Maternal Sister to Lot 111



Hoover Notary
Owned by Golden Chute Ranch, IMS Cattle and Tim Hackett
\$38,000 Maternal Grandsire of Lot 111

111 MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON C238
 SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048835 TATTOO: C238 2/28/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39
***DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203**
 Deep Creek Rain Lass 013
 Hoover Notary
***MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON Z179**
 Miss Blackbird Ellston T106

#*Woodhill Blueprint
 Myers Miss Beauty M136
 #*Basin Rainmaker 4404
 #Deep Creek MP Lass 933
 #*Hoover No Doubt
 Prim Lassie Ellston L455
 #*Bruns Top Cut 373
 Miss Blackbird Ellston L52

BW	80
ADJ. 205/WR	686/98
ADJ. 365/YR	958/100
%IMF/Ratio	3.85/99
RE/Ratio	11.1/106

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+3	+2.8	+81	+135	+5	+1.14	+7	+33	+24
		20%	30%				10%	30%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+0	+38	+52	+96	+93	-.048	+85	+101	+177	+315
2%	15%			30%	3%	15%		30%	20%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-103	3-97	2-104	None	1-\$8500	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	6-102	6-99	4-100	1-\$5000	1-\$6250	

* Ultrasound safe to Mohnen Force 6473, due approximately March 29, 2026.
 * C238 has been one of my favorites since breeding time! She is thick, soggy, and has the phenotype to make an



ideal cow. She was a calm heifer to photograph on picture-taking day!
 * C238 will be good for fescue country, as she has the 3rd lowest (best) Hair Shed (HS) EPD of any female to sell!
 * My calving book notes when C238 was born say, "great vigor and sucked quickly".
 * For those interested in end-product merit, C238 has as strong of carcass values as about any female selling today.
 * Dam Z179 has produced back-to-back photo feature bred heifers for us! Her first was a very nice heifer selling to repeat customer Salt Fork Angus.
 * Z179 is a slick haired cow, and she passed this trait on to C238, as C238 was one of the first heifers to slick off last spring.
 * Grandam T106 is a very nice uddered cow with a daughter working for Bruce & Kendall Bakker and a son for Adam Meyer. T106 has a 364 day calving interval, showing excellent fertility.
 * Great grandam L52 put 5 daughters in our replacement herd, which is as many as any non-donor cow! She was a great 'ole Hoover Dam daughter that just kept going and going. She is also found in the pedigree of feature bred heifer Lot 156.
 * Fourth generation dam C224 had a perfect 365 day calving interval on her 10 calves, and a picture-perfect udder even into old age.

SPRING BRED HEIFERS



112 BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON C47 TWIN W/COW

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048763 TATTOO: C47 1/25/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#Woodhill Blueprint	BW	67
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	684/98
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	945/99
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	4.14/106
#*Hoover Dam	#*SydGen C C & 7	RE/Ratio	10.4/99
#BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON T23	#Erica of Ellston C124		
#Blueblood Lady Ellston H118	#TC Friction 5130		
	#Blueblood Lady Ellston B305		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+2	+3.5	+81	+129	+9	+63	+2	+22	+15
20%			20%					

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+43	+42	+43	+82	+76	-010	+81	+95	+159	+287
25%		30%		25%		20%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-103	5-102	2-101	2-\$5500	None	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mohnen Force 6473, due approximately April 26, 2026.
- * C47 is an attractive, easy fleshing heifer with plenty of body.
- * C47 was a twin, and her twin sister is being retained in our herd.
- * Trace down the dam's side of this pedigree, and you will find an unheard of 6 of the 7 closest dams have earned Pathfinder honors! It may exist, but I don't know of any other cow family in America that can boast this honor! These have truly been exceptional cows. This cow family doesn't have the name recognition as the Ericas, but they have done a tremendous job for generations!
- * Pathfinder dam T23 is a very nice uddered cow with a superior 358 day calving interval on her 6 progeny. Her sons have been selected by repeat customers Dusty Goodman and Roger Tibben.
- * Pathfinder grandam H118 did a whale of a job. At 12 years of age, she raised the #1 weaning weight heifer of the entire crop at 798 pounds! How can we ask for more? Her 7 progeny averaged over \$12,000 - a whopping feat for a cow that would be 17 years old if still living!
- * Ten Pathfinders are found in this 3-generation pedigree!



114 BLACKBIRD OF ELLSTON C170

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: 21048807 TATTOO: C170 2/15/2024

*Tehama Upward Y238	#*Sitz Upward 307R	BW	99
**TEHAMA TAHOE B767	+Tehama Elite Blackbird T735	ADJ. 205/WR	709/102
*Tehama Mary Blackbird Y684	#*S A V Final Answer 0035	ADJ. 365/YR	976/102
	Tehama Mary Blackbird T073	%IMF/Ratio	3.88/99
#*Connealy Counselor	#*Connealy Mentor 7374	RE/Ratio	11.7/111
BLACKBIRD OF ELLSTON P265	Jaze of Conanga 234		
Blackbird of Ellston D362	#Woodhill Statesman 54K-90N		
	#Blackbird of Ellston A24		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
-4	+3.5	+79	+133	+8	+1.19	+0	+29	+24
25%			30%		25%		30%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+15	+47	+66	+56	+64	+018	+53	+78	+127	+218
10%									

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	6-115	6-97	4-102	1-\$6000	3-\$3800	1-100

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately February 22, 2026.
- * C170 is a stylish, beautiful heifer by the renowned daughter-maker, Tahoe. She exhibits the Bonsma wedge-shape that is indicative of fertile, productive females. She is slicker haired to work well on fescue.
- * Dam P265 is also a fertile female, having a superior 360 day calving interval on 9 calvings, and this even includes back-to-back sets of twins! One really stout, beefy daughter that was the 11th top weaning weight heifer of her crop works in the herd. Other progeny work for Kevin Ross, Paul Nelson, Gerald Swelling, and Roger Pohlkamp. Paul's bull was the #1 ribeye scanning bull of his crop!
- * Grandam D362 has been gone for many years, but her fertility is shown by the 366 day calving interval she had on her 11 calves. Two of her progeny were photo features.
- * Pathfinder great grandam was a tank of a cow!



113 BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON C56

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: 21050909 TATTOO: C56 1/27/2024

*K C F Bennett Southside	#Nichols Extra K205	BW	63
#MEAD MAGNITUDE	*K C F Miss 208 S11	ADJ. 205/WR	575/82
#*Mead Primrose N198	#*Plattemere Weigh Up K360	ADJ. 365/YR	780/81
	#Mead Primrose K247	%IMF/Ratio	3.23/83
#*Bruns Top Cut 373	*Bruns Uppercut 610	RE/Ratio	11.1/106
BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON P282	#Dakota Miss 669 Baf		
#Blkcp Empress Ellston C109	#TC Gridiron 258		
	Blkcp Empress Ellston A306		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+18	-2.1	+55	+99	+4	+1.46	+18	+37	+21	
1%		3%		20%		1%		3%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+83	+48	+53	+33	+1.12	-033	+84	+96	+143	+269
30%		5%		10%		15%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	7-85	7-94	6-96	None	3-\$3450	1-102

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 20, 2026.
- * C56 is a more moderate framed heifer with style. She is a heifer that has overcome obstacles in her youth and still looks darn nice! C56 lost her mother when her mother was in a perilous mud situation, so we grafted her onto another cow who then died. C56 was orphaned for good at that point, thus her low adjusted weaning weight.
- * C56 has the #1 CEM EPD and ties as the #1 highest CED EPD female to sell! Likewise, she ties with the 3rd lowest BW EPD. She also has one of the highest Milk EPDs among the females selling.
- * Dam P282 was a nice uddered cow with a 359 day calving interval. She has one very nice daughter working in our herd. Other daughters work for Eagle Hill Farms, Belle Point Ranch, and Brandon Taglauer.
- * Grandam C109 served as the herd's 13th top indexing cow at the time of her passing - the oldest cow on this prestigious list! She recorded 10-97 BWR, 10-109 WR, 10-106 YR with a 361 day calving interval on 11 pregnancies (a set of high performing twins are not included in her ratios). She was the dam of the \$25,000 Hoover Headliner.
- * C109 was one of only a handful of donor cows that earned a burial spot north of our bull barn. She and her sire, Gridiron, had highly successful careers at Hoover Angus, and were buried in the same grave on the same day. C109 is regarded as one of the best cows in our 98-year history.
- * Eleven Pathfinders are found in this 3-generation pedigree!



115 BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON C146

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048799 TATTOO: C146 2/13/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	72
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	627/90
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	800/100
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	4.95/100
#*Bruns Top Cut 373	*Bruns Uppercut 610	RE/Ratio	10.1/100
*BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON T140	#Dakota Miss 669 Baf		
Blueblood Lady Ellston P184	#*Hoover Dam		
	Blueblood Lady Ellston K110		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+9	+64	+107	+6	+6.1	+7	+37	+19
3%								

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+36	+33	+34	+76	+50	+0	+103	+70	+128	+269
30%		5%		4%		30%		2%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	6-98	6-97	4-101	1-\$7500	None	1-107

- * Ultrasound safe to Mohnen Force 6473, due approximately February 9, 2026. With her close proximity to calving, we recommend C146 go home with her owner sale day.
- * C146 is a square-made heifer with a leg on all four corners. My calving book notes from when C146 was born read, "born super easy - cow pushed only a few times".
- * C146 ties with the 5th top \$Maternal Value (\$M) of any female to sell. She is one of 10 heifers selling to break the elite +100 \$M mark! C146 also has some of the best foot EPD combinations in the sale as well as one of the highest Milk EPDs.
- * Dam T140's first son works for Willer Timber Ridge in Indiana. Her 2025 son is a big Galatic son selling as Lot 48. T140's fertility is shown by her 361 day calving interval on her 6 calves.
- * Grandam P184 was a heavy milking cow with a 364 day calving interval. Her progeny work for Karla Rogen, Dana Hotz (the 5th top weaning weight bull of his crop), Jason Matthews, and Art Knutson. Another daughter of P184 was the 9th top weaning weight heifer of her crop and works in the herd.



SPRING BRED HEIFERS



Queen of Ellston C50
Candid picture at 12 years of age
Pathfinder Donor Dam of Lot 116; Great Grandam of Lot 117-118

117
SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048805 TATTOO: C165 2/15/2024

#*Hoover No Doubt	#*Mogck Bullseye	BW	69
* HOOVER ABOUT IT	*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2	ADJ. 205/WR	713/102
*Erica of Ellston T78	#*Baldridge 38 Special	ADJ. 365/YR	969/101
	#*Erica of Ellston N54	%IMF/Ratio	3.63/93
*MOGCK Empire 110	*MOGCK Fortress 517	RE/Ratio	10.6/101
* QUEEN OF ELLSTON A88	*MOGCK Eraline 1748		
+Queen of Ellston R9	#Connealy Impact		
	#Queen of Ellston C50		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+5	+7	+65	+118	+7	+1.07	+12	+31	+18
						15%	20%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+5.7	+4.4	+4.8	+6.9	+8.6	+0.50	+103	+103	+158	+308
						30%	2%		25%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-101	2-96	1-101	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	8-102	8-102	4-104	1-\$3000		None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 16, 2026.
- * C165 is a long bodied heifer that won't get as big in mature size as most No Doubt lines.
- * C165 ties with the 5th top \$Maternal Value (\$M) of any female to sell, topping the +100 mark! She also has one of the top Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPDs.
- * Dam A88 was a pretty, excellent uddered, well-mannered first calf heifer with C165. A88 weaned at 758 pounds to be the 11th top weaning weight heifer of her crop!
- * Grandam R9 has 8 calves at a superior 358 day calving interval. Fertility is very strong in this cow line. R9 also makes some awesome daughters - TWO back-to-back daughters have earned Pathfinder honors! This is extremely rare!
- * R9 was born in a set of awesome flush sisters. One of these flush sisters we are getting ready to flush in November as I am writing this footnote. These sisters will be 10 years old by sale day and still going strong!
- * Please read about phenomenal great grandam, C50, in the footnote of her daughter, Lot 116. She lived until just shy of 17 years of age and is one of the most influential cows in our history.



116
SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: +21044094 TATTOO: C30 1/20/2024

#SydGen Enhance	#*SydGen Exceed 3223	BW	90
#* MOGCK ENTICE	SydGen Rita 2618	ADJ. 205/WR	677/100
#*MOGCK Erica 2255	Mogck Sure Shot 253	ADJ. 365/YR	930/100
	MOGCK Erica 2162	%IMF/Ratio	3.63/86
#Roth Famous 1006	#Famous 7001	RE/Ratio	9.1/83
# QUEEN OF ELLSTON C50	Roth Formera 9199		
Hawley West Girl 227	Great Western of Verola 478		
	Lickings Eldorado 371 806		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+5	+3.2	+72	+121	+1.0	+2.48	+10	+27	+24
						10%	1%	30%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+2.2	+4.9	+5.9	+4.3	+3.2	+0.31	+42	+79	+117	+194
						15%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	14-100	14-106	11-103	36-\$7050	5-\$6550	10-103

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 21, 2026.
- * C30 is an attractive, wide-based heifer with a little more frame. She is a pretty gal, and certainly photo-worthy, but we ran out of time on picture-taking day! C30's flush sister is being retained in the herd.
- * C30 offers the 3rd largest Scrotal EPD of any female to sell (important for early puberty)!
- * Pathfinder donor dam is the phenomenal C50 cow - regarded as the 2nd best cow ever in production at Hoover Angus! The following is an extremely condensed version of her successes. At just a couple short months away from 17 years of age, we laid C50 to rest north of our bull barn, next to the other greats like CC&7, Gridiron, Bullseye, and G366.
- * Prior to holding C50 out of production for one year to flush her, she had a 363 day calving interval on her 13 natural progeny, which included stealing flushes 6 different years. C50 weaned her 14th natural calf at over 16 years of age and recorded 14-106 WR.
- * C50 was a superior uddered cow even into old age, and offered foot and structure quality rarely found. She grossed over a quarter million dollars on her registered sons alone. C50 has an amazing three Pathfinder daughters, two of which have served as working donors. Thirty-six sons of C50 have come to auction at Hoover Angus, more than any other cow in our history, and averaged \$7050. Twelve of her sons or daughters were photo features. One stout son was the heaviest weaning weight bull of the entire spring 2024 Hoover crop!
- * As we know, the genetic evaluation of the American Angus Association penalizes older generations and favors younger pedigrees. C50 would be 22 years old if still living, and that is certainly reflected in C30's EPDs. Let the hard data speak for itself - C50's ten direct daughters that have worked in the Hoover herd average a 103 wean ratio on their 60 progeny.



118
SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048857 TATTOO: C290 3/16/2024

#*Mohren General 548	#*Baldridge Colonel C251	BW	86
* MOHNEN GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	770/110
Mohnen Jill 1848	#*S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	1093/114
	#Mohnen Jill 2504	%IMF/Ratio	3.36/86
*JAR Incredible 6104 808	#*Panther Cr Incredible 6704	RE/Ratio	12.1/115
* QUEEN OF ELLSTON Z195	+Jar Erica 6104		
+Queen of Ellston T11	#*Baldridge 38 Special		
	#Queen of Ellston C50		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
-2	+4.2	+90	+149	+1.2	+1.27	+10	+27	+23
						10%	15%	3%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+3.1	+6.4	+6.2	+6.3	+7.2	+0.25	+64	+116	+168	+282
						25%	20%		

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-102	2-99	1-114	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-90	4-94	4-96	1-\$4750		2-\$4875

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately February 24, 2026.
- * C290 is a younger heifer, but larger framed with plenty of body to go along with her frame.
- * C290 was the 7th top weaning weight heifer of her crop and the 2nd top yearling weight heifer! The General Lees can absolutely grow! She has one of the top WW EPDs of any female selling.
- * My calving book notes say that Z195 was a good heifer to work with and a good mother her first year calving. Each of her three calvings have been between March 14 and March 16 (last year with a set of twins) with no synchronization and no fertility-enhancing protocols. Fear not, twins didn't impede her breed-back time, as she is due to calve February 18 this year!
- * Grandam T11 has a 358 day calving interval. Two daughters work for repeat customer Hill Top Stock Farm and her son for repeat customer Scott Davidson. Scott's bull was the 8th top weaning weight bull of his crop.
- * Please read about phenomenal great grandam, Pathfinder donor cow C50, in the footnote of her last daughter to come to auction, Lot 116. This heifer was born just a couple weeks shy of what would have been C50's twentieth birthday.



Pedigree Notations:

- # Pathfinder (see explanation on page 72)
- + Embryo Transplant calf
- * Animal has been parent verified to both sire and dam (all animals in this sale are sire-verified)



Blackcap Empress Ellston A53
Pictured at 8 months of age
Dam of Lot 119



Blkcp Empress Ellston V236
Grandam of Lot 119



BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON C70 - LOT 119



Hoover Mercury D86
Maternal Brother to Lot 119
Sells as Lot 1



Hoover Mercury D87
Maternal Brother to Lot 119
Sells as Lot 2



Blkcp Empress Ellston D106
Maternal Sister to Lot 119
Sells as Lot 200

119 BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON C70

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048770 TATTOO: C70 1/31/2024

*Mohnen General 548	#*Baldridge Colonel C251
*MOHLEN GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290
Mohnen Jilt 1848	#*S A V Sensation 5615
	#Mohnen Jilt 2504
*MOGCK Empire 110	*MOGCK Fortress 517
*BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON A53	*MOGCK Eraline 1748
Blkcp Empress Ellston V236	*Baldridge Chairman
	Blackcap Empress Ellston N23

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+11	-1.5	+86	+140	+7	+1.05	+8	+38	+16
	15%	10%	20%				2%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+50	+48	+37	+56	+75	+005	+92	+84	+134	+266
		10%				10%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-79	1-98	1-97	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	4-101	4-100	4-104	1-\$5250	None	

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 23, 2026.
- * C70 is a thick, easy fleshing, more moderate framed heifer with a pretty Angus head.
- * C70 has the #1 Functional Longevity (FL) EPD, ties as



- the 2nd top Milk EPD, and has one of the lowest BW EPDs of the females to sell!
- * C70 is a 16th generation Hoover-bred female from one of the strongest lines of cows in the herd. They aren't as nationally-recognized as the Ericas, but this cow family rarely disappoints. Search this pedigree back past the last cow printed here, N23, and you will find that three of the next four generations of dams have earned Pathfinder honors!
- * A maternal sister to C70 sells as feature Lot 200 – what a beautiful flush of heifers this was! Maternal brothers to C70 lead off the catalog as Lots 1-3. Check out these bulls, they are stout, correct, and good!
- * Dam A53 is a picture-perfect uddered female selected to be a donor at an unusually young age for Hoover Angus.
- * Grandam V236 is a beautiful female whose son that was the 11th top weaning weight bull of his crop works for Justin Ellsworth. Her other daughter that was the 3rd top weaning weight, 2nd top yearling weight, and 3rd top ribeye scanning female of her crop was retained in the herd and is raising her first calf now.
- * Great grandam N23 was a highly productive cow that brought in a good calf every year. For her high weaning ratios, she was the herd's 6th top indexing cow at the time a severe cut to her udder meant she would be unable to raise another calf.
- * N23's sons have sold to Diamond J Angus Ranch, the 3rd top weaning weight bull of his crop, and Russell & Sharon Kelley, the 10th top weaning weight bull of his crop.

Blkcp Empress Ellston C344
 Pathfinder Hoover Donor
 Grandam of Lot 120



BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON C60 - LOT 121

120 BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON C44

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048761 TATTOO: C44 1/24/2024

#**Hoover No Doubt	#*Mogck Bullseye	BW	73
*HOOVER ABOUT IT	*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2	ADJ. 205/WR	620/89
*Erica of Ellston T78	#**Baldrige 38 Special	ADJ. 365/YR	857/90
	#**Erica of Ellston N54	%IMF/Ratio	4.39/113
#**Hoover No Doubt	#*Mogck Bullseye	RE/Ratio	10.0/95
*BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON S31	*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2		
#Blkcp Empress Ellston C344	#Roth Famous 1006		
	#Blkcp Empress Ellston V127		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+6	+7	+53	+103	+4	+2.23	+12	+24	+18
					1%	15%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+06	+43	+38	+45	+29	+067	+97	+86	+121	+254
4%		30%		15%		4%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-100	4-96	4-96	1-\$8500	2-\$4775	2-101

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 20, 2026.
- * C44 is a pretty fronted, square-made heifer that will make a more moderate-sized mature cow. C44 offers one of the largest Scrotal EPDs of the females selling today – an important trait for early puberty. C44 does well for many of the maternal-trait EPDs, being in the top 1-5% for HP, Teat, Udder, FL, and \$M.
- * C44 is one of 8 bred heifers selling ranking in the best 1-4% of the breed for Hair Shed (HS) EPD, due in part to her own hair shed data submitted to the AAA database.
- * Dam S31 is a picture-perfect uddered female with a 362 day calving interval on her 6 calvings (two sets of twins don't show up in AAA weaning records). S31's progeny work for Preston Poots-Jacobsen, Matt Rea, and Colin Cleary.
- * Pathfinder grandam C344 is the renowned working donor that has had quite a career at Hoover Angus! She has a long record of highly successful progeny, many of which were among the top weaning weight calves of their calf crop. I'll try to hit the highlights here.
- * C344 maintained a 359 day calving interval on her first 13 natural progeny, which included stealing flushes 5 different years, a testament to her exemplary fertility! C344 was laid to rest at 16 years of age. Her udder was still impeccable, her feet were still amazing and she recorded 13-107 wean ratio with herd average birth ratios.
- * We sold C344's last large group of ET sons in our 2021 sale. She would have been 17 years of age if still living, and her sons averaged \$7150! These sons went to astute cattlemen in three states plus Canada. Her son in Canada working for 66 Ranch was the sire group that led-off their 2025 sale. She joined the elite \$100,000+ club when her progeny sales topped that mark.
- * One daughter of C344 was the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer of her crop. A natural calf of C344 was the 14th top weaning weight heifer calf of her crop when C344 was 13 years old!
- * Pathfinder third generation dam V127 recorded 12-106 WR and a 362 day calving interval. She was a tremendously easy fleshing cow. V127's grandam was C57, still one of the most influential cows in our herd today. Read about her in the bottom of Lot 121's footnote.



121 BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON C60

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: 21048765 TATTOO: C60 1/28/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	77
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	713/102
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	950/99
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	4.32/111
#Connealy Impact	#*Connealy Impression	RE/Ratio	11.3/108
BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON P72	#Elza of Conanga 8265		
Blackcap Empress Ellston M99	#*Mogck Bullseye		
	#Blkcp Empress Ellston E169		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+8	+71	+119	+5	+1.02	+10	+23	+21
					30%			

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+1.01	+42	+45	+78	+1.00	+026	+65	+96	+159	+271
25%		25%							

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	9-99	8-101	7-98	4-\$4150	None	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately April 5, 2026.
- * C60 has been one of my favorites since weaning! She is a gorgeous heifer with plenty of body and quarter. She has a calm disposition.
- * Dam P72 is still going strong and will turn 11 years of age on sale day! She has a 357 day calving interval on her 9 calves. Her sons work for Max Shaffer, Ted Halls, Garry Nickell, and Russell & Sharon Kelley.
- * Grandam M99 had a 365 day calving interval, and descended from the same cow line as Hoover Know How and many other great cows.
- * Pathfinder great grandam E169 had a successful career with a 354 day calving interval which included two sets of twins. She was a highly productive cow and her first daughter earned Pathfinder honors. Her dam and grandam were just like her – fertile, highly productive cows from the great Blackcap Empress Ellston cow family.
- * Foundational dam C57 has 105 daughter descendants that have worked in the herd, as well as 9 that have served as donors and 19 Pathfinders! Truly a highly productive cow family running generations deep! Four bulls selected for use in the Hoover herd have also stemmed from C57. To say C57 has had an impact on the herd would be an understatement! She has truly helped write the history books at Hoover Angus.



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122 BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON C264

SPRING BRED HEIFER	REG: *21048850	TATTOO: C264	3/6/2024
*Mohnen General 548 *MOHNEN GENERAL LEE Mohnen Jilt 1848	*#Baldridge Colonel C251 *S A V Madame Pride 5290 *#S A V Sensation 5615 #Mohnen Jilt 2504	BW 79 ADJ. 205/WR 711/102 ADJ. 365/YR 1037/109 %IMF/Ratio 3.02/77 RE/Ratio 9.5/90	
*#Diablo Deluxe 1104 *BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON Z126 #Blkcp Empress Ellston L265	*#V A R Discovery 2240 Diablo Erica Dianna 9034 *SydGen Storm 8504 Blkcp Empress Ellston J120		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+6	+1.9	+79	+149	+8	+2.37	+11	+24	+32	
		25%	15%	25%	1%	25%	3%		
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+45	+52	+39	+56	+60	+0.26	+70	+111	+158	+275
				15%	25%				

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-103	2-104	2-107	None	None	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Hoover Choice, due approximately March 15, 2026.
- * C264 is a deep chested heifer with a little more frame. C264 ties as the 4th top Scrotal EPD and 5th top Docility EPD female to sell today!
- * Dam Z126 has good mothering skills and C264 was her second calf.
- * Pathfinder grandam L265's claim to fame was being the mother of Hoover Know How at Select Sires. Known as "Stormy" around Hoover Angus, L265 is our only daughter of SydGen Storm. Her four sons averaged \$10,875.
- * Stormy was a calm cow and has one Pathfinder daughter that works in the herd. Stormy and the 6 generations of cows behind her have been superior uddered females.
- * Stormy's progeny work for Jason Otto, Gareld Carpenter, Tom Young, Bill McLaren, Melvin & Annette Warren, Steve Medlin, Teixeira Cattle Co., Ron & LuAnne Brown, and Select Sires.
- * C264's ancestor, C57, has 105 daughter descendants that have worked in the herd, as well as 9 that have served as donors and 19 Pathfinders! Truly a highly productive cow family running generations deep!



123 BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON C82

SPRING BRED HEIFER	REG: 21048775	TATTOO: C82	2/3/2024
*Myers Fair-N-Square M39 *DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203 Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	*#Woodhill Blueprint Myers Miss Beauty M136 *#Basin Rainmaker 4404 #Deep Creek MP Lass 933	BW 68 ADJ. 205/WR 650/93 ADJ. 365/YR 895/94 %IMF/Ratio 3.51/90 RE/Ratio 8.6/82	
*#Bruns Top Cut 373 BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON P229 Blkcp Empress Ellston H4	*Bruns Uppercut 610 #Dakota Miss 669 Baf *#SydGen C C & 7 Blkcp Empress Ellston X216		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+9	+3	+64	+109	+9	+1.04	+5	+31	+25	
		30%	30%	20%	20%	20%	25%		
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+32	+51	+37	+56	+80	+0	+99	+78	+130	+268
		25%	10%	30%	3%				

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	9-95	9-98	7-97	2-\$3300	1-\$4000	2-100

- * Ultrasound safe to Mohnen Force 6473, due approximately February 24, 2026.
- * C82 is a Legitimate with a little more frame than most. She's long and extended through her front. C82 does well on the maternal-type traits that make up the \$Maternal index.
- * Dam P229 doesn't have the flashiest EPDs in the world, but she has done her job year in and year out with an excellent 360 day calving interval on her 9 calves. Fertility is the #1 profit-determining factor for cow-calf producers, and P229 sure has it! This year at 10 years of age she weaned a 765 pound bull calf that sells as Lot 41.
- * P229 still maintains an exceptional udder - if you would see her udder, she resembles a 3 year-old instead of a 10 year-old! Hence C82 has exceptional Teat and Udder EPDs in the best 1% of the breed.
- * P229's progeny work in three different states for Brett Barnett, Medlin Angus, and Reiman Livestock. Two of her excellent uddered daughters have been retained in the herd, one of which has served as a working donor. Her other daughter in the herd was the #1 IMF scanning female of her crop.
- * Grandam H4 was counted on to bring in a good calf every single year. Two of her sons were photo features. H4 had as good of an udder as you could find! She was a very feminine fronted, beautiful CC&7 cow.
- * Great grandam X216 was a tremendous herd bull maker; every one she had was a standout for muscle, thickness, and growth. She ended her career with 10-110 WR and a 356 day calving interval.



124 MISS ERICA ELLSTON C147

SPRING BRED HEIFER	REG: *21048800	TATTOO: C147	2/13/2024
*#Musgrave 316 Stunner *E L K TROPHYCLASS *#Pine Coulee Black Annie U7	*#*LD Capitalist 316 #MCATL Blackbird 831-1378 *#Connealy Onward War Hill Backbone Annie	BW 78 ADJ. 205/WR 609/87 ADJ. 365/YR 833/87 %IMF/Ratio 4.13/106 RE/Ratio 8.7/83	
*Hoover Quintain *MISS ERICA ELLSTON S48 #Miss Erica Ellston H263	*#Mogck Bullseye *#Erica of Ellston G216 #Woodhill Statesman 54K-90N #Miss Erica Ellston E298		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+6	+1.6	+58	+99	+4	+1.67	+10	+25	+27	
				10%	30%	15%			
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+23	+51	+54	+63	+66	+0.38	+81	+91	+142	+265
				15%	20%				

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	6-99	6-99	5-97	2-\$4000	None	1-106

- * Ultrasound safe to Hoover Choice, due approximately March 11, 2026.
- * C147 is a smooth-made, right-sized heifer with lots of length.
- * Pathfinder dam S48 has a 367 day calving interval which will shorten up this spring when she calves a little earlier. One son was the #2 weaning weight bull of his crop and works for Mark Grossman; her other son works for Brady Wolfgram. One excellent daughter in the herd raised the beautiful feature heifer, Lot 173.
- * Pathfinder grandam H263 was lost to lightening before her days should have been done, but she recorded a whopping 9-106 WR and a 364 day calving interval. Two daughters earned Pathfinder honors. Two other daughters were retained in the herd. Three daughters were among the top 10 adjusted weaning weight heifer calves of their crops.
- * This cow family has some really strong cows through the generations, and 6th generation dam N46 has put 27 daughter descendants in the Hoover herd. N46 was a Pathfinder, and gave rise to 12 more Pathfinder descendants - what an amazing accomplishment!
- * Ten Pathfinders are found in this 3-generation pedigree!



125 MISS ERICA ELLSTON C261

SPRING BRED HEIFER	REG: *21048848	TATTOO: C261	3/5/2024
*#JK High Point 745 *HOOVER DIRECTOR #*Miss Erica Ellston V78	High Point Ring of Fire 5071 J K Blackbird 408 *#MOGCK Entice Miss Erica Ellston S248 *Fortunes Conquest 224 *#Baldridge Isabel B061 *#Jindra Double Vision #Miss Erica Ellston L67	BW 80 ADJ. 205/WR 656/94 ADJ. 365/YR 920/96 %IMF/Ratio 3.57/92 RE/Ratio 9.2/88	
*Baldridge Chairman *MISS ERICA ELLSTON Z183 Miss Erica Ellston R102			

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+8	+1.2	+72	+129	+7	+1.35	+14	+31	+21	
				25%	5%	20%			
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+64	+46	+40	+51	+72	+0.12	+92	+80	+127	+257
				20%	10%				

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-97	3-96	2-97	1-\$4250	None	None

GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction
	8-104	8-101	5-100	1-\$7000	2-\$4250

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately February 20, 2026.
- * C261 is a more moderate framed, feminine heifer with one of the highest CEM EPDs of any female selling.
- * Dam Z183 is a superior uddered young cow whose first son works for repeat customer John Spencer.
- * Grandam R102 recently weaned a 798 pound bull calf - not bad for a 9 year-old cow! Her other son that was the 6th top weaning weight bull of the crop works for Dusty Goodman. Her daughters work for Jay Bush and Gareld Carpenter. R102 maintains a 363 day calving interval on her 8 calves.
- * Great grandam L67 and her mother both earned Pathfinder honors.
- * This cow family has some really strong cows through the generations, and 7th generation dam N46 has put 27 daughter descendants in the Hoover herd. N46 was a Pathfinder, and gave rise to 12 more Pathfinder descendants - what an amazing accomplishment!





ERICA OF ELLSTON C292 - LOT 126



ERICA OF ELLSTON C143 - LOT 127



Erica of Ellston M38
Pathfinder Hoover Donor
Grandam of Lot 127; Relative of
Lots 126-129

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SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048864 TATTOO: C292 3/18/2024

ERICA OF ELLSTON C292

#*MOGCK Entice *HOOVER ATTRACTION Queen of Ellston S22	#SydGen Enhance #*MOGCK Erica 2255 *SydGen Sizzle #Queen of Ellston K11	BW 85 ADJ. 205/WR 755/108 ADJ. 365/YR 1059/111 %IMF/Ratio 3.97/102 RE/Ratio 10.3/98
*+MBG Delmonico *ERICA OF ELLSTON A162 #Erica of Ellston G366	#*V A R Discovery 2240 *+Monarch Blackbird 1104M #*SydGen C C & 7 Erica of Ellston D184	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
-1	+3.3	+84	+146	+5	+2.57	+1	+28	+38
		15%	15%		1%			1%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+0.3	+4.5	+4.6	+7.0	+8.0	+0.09	+93	+108	+166	+308
3%					10%	30%			25%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-121	1-108	1-111	None	None	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mohnen Force 6473, due approximately March 17, 2026.
- * C292 has a lot of capacity! She is a more moderate-framed, deep, big quartered heifer. She is as close of a relative as you will find to the great G366 cow!
- * C292 was the 4th top yearling weight heifer of her crop!
- * C292 offers the #1 Docility EPD in the sale! She also has the 2nd largest Scrotal EPD of any female selling (important for early puberty). Likewise, she ties as the 2nd top Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPD of the females selling.
- * C292 is one of the lowest (best) Hair Shed EPD females to sell, indicating she would work well in fescue country.
- * Dam A162 was one of the last three daughters of the great G366 cow to be born at Hoover Angus.
- * Pathfinder donor grandam G366 is regarded as the best cow in our 98-year history and is the epitome of what a model Angus female should be. Currently, 5 direct descendants of G366 rank among the top 15 indexing cows of the Hoover herd! No cow family has ever had this much presence on this distinguished herd list before!
- * G366's udder at over 12 years of age would rival most 3-4 year-old females in the breed today, and she consistently passes this trait on through the generations.
- * Four direct daughters of G366 and one son (Hoover Counselor N29) have earned the Pathfinder designation, as well as more descendants! She gets edged out on number of Pathfinder daughters by her daughter L5 who has a whopping six Pathfinder daughters! At least 15 of her daughter descendants have served as donors. G366 grossed \$238,000 worth of direct progeny sales, not including embryos sold.
- * Too numerous to mention are G366's progeny that have found themselves in the very top of the crop for weaning weight. It is neat, however, that she had three-in-a-row #1 adjusted weaning weight calves of their respective crops. Even at 12 years of age, her growth genetics were still powerful, as an ET daughter was the #1 adjusted weaning weight ET heifer of her crop!
- * At the end of her career, G366 recorded 9-98 BWR and 9-107 WR on her natural calves.



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SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048796 TATTOO: C143 2/12/2024

ERICA OF ELLSTON C143

*+Mohnen General 548 *MOHNE GENERAL LEE Mohnen Jilt 1848	#*Baldridge Colonel C251 *S A V Madame Pride 5290 #*S A V Sensation 5615 #Mohnen Jilt 2504 #SydGen Enhance *+Baldridge Isabel E030 #*Basin Excitement #Erica of Ellston G366	BW 74 ADJ. 205/WR 738/106 ADJ. 365/YR 1018/107 %IMF/Ratio 3.21/82 RE/Ratio 11.2/107
*Baldridge SR Goalkeeper *ERICA OF ELLSTON A18 #Erica of Ellston M38		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+3	+1.7	+69	+125	+4	+1.37	+6	+29	+30
					20%		30%	10%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
-.16	+6.3	+4.2	+7.5	+5.1	-.004	+83	+78	+136	+259
1%		25%			30%	15%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-97	2-104	1-107	None	None	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately March 16, 2026.
- * C143 is a calm temperament, pretty, nice profiling heifer that looks like the ideal Angus cow in the making. Her Hair Shed EPD is the lowest (best) of any female to sell – her slick haired nature will allow her to work well in fescue country.
- * Dam A18 is a beautiful, easy fleshing female whose first calf was C143. Her next calf sells as Lot 6. At 341 days, A18 ties as the shortest calving interval cow in the herd!
- * Beautiful flush sisters to A18 work for 3J Angus in North Carolina and Oak Hollow Farm also in North Carolina – see their pictures on page 7.
- * A18 is also a maternal sister to the most recognized cow currently in the herd – Erica of Ellston R96. R96 is the dam of the great Erica of Ellston T220 who has served as a donor in several of the most prestigious herds in the country and put several bulls in AI studs – one of her most recent being Baldridge Grindstone at Genex.
- * Pathfinder donor grandam M38 was the highest indexing daughter of G366, the cow regarded as the best cow in our 98-year history! M38 was at one time the #1 indexing cow of the Hoover herd with the tremendous growth she puts into her calves. She served as a working donor until 11 years of age and recorded a tremendous 8-110 wean ratio. Numerous of her natural and ET calves were at the top of their crop for weaning weight.
- * At 10 years of age, M38's progeny and grand progeny led-off our 2023 sale catalog and included the 2nd and 3rd top-selling bulls! Her four daughters to come to auction averaged \$23,500 and six sons \$10,850!
- * M38 has been a fertile cow, recording a 355 day calving interval on her first 5 calves before we pulled her out of production for a year to flush her. She is an icon in the herd for her unbeatable depth of body and broodiness. She makes feminine daughters and masculine bulls.
- * Please read about third generation dam G366 in the footnote of Lot 126.





Erica of Ellston S7
 Pathfinder Hoover Donor
 Grandam of Lot 128; Relative of Lots
 126-129



Erica of Ellston L5
 Owned by Baldrige Performance Angus
 Grandam of Lot 128;
 Relative of Lots 126-129

129 ERICA OF ELLSTON C298
 SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048861 TATTOO: C298 3/23/2024

*Mohnen General 548	##*Baldrige Colonel C251	BW	90
*MOHNNEN GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	760/109
Mohnen Jilt 1848	##*S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	1032/108
	#Mohnen Jilt 2504	%IMF/Ratio	3.36/86
	#SydGen Enhance	RE/Ratio	9.1/87
##*MOGCK Entice	##*MOGCK Erica 2255		
*ERICA OF ELLSTON X40	##*Baldrige 38 Special		
*Erica of Ellston S10	*Erica of Ellston L5		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
-1	+2.0	+93	+161	+1.2	+2.33	-4	+35	+31	
		4%	5%	3%	1%		10%	4%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+75	+39	+35	+30	+78	+001	+69	+109	+148	+261
		15%	5%				25%		

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-110	3-104	3-103	1-\$3750	1-\$5000	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mohnen Force 6473, due approximately March 23, 2026.
- * C298 is a larger framed, easy fleshing, long bodied heifer. She tied as the 10th top weaning weight heifer of her crop! She is one of 15 females to sell that ranks in the best 1-10% of the breed for Docility EPD.
- * C298 offers the 2nd highest YW EPD and 3rd highest WW EPD of any female to sell! She has one of the top Scrotal EPDs of the females selling today. C298 also has some of the best foot EPD combinations in the sale.
- * Dam X40 is a large framed, exceptionally high growth cow! She weaned at 748 pounds, WR 115 to be the 7th top weaning weight heifer of her crop! X40 turned in an 1159 pound yearling weight, YR 122 to be the #1 yearling weight heifer! She also had the 3rd biggest ribeye scan of the crop.
- * X40's first two progeny work for Salt Fork Angus in Missouri and Mike Beun in Ohio, and Mike sends good reports.
- * Grandam S10 was a flush sister to the great S7 cow – please read about her in the footnote of Lot 128. S7 is one of six Pathfinder daughters of the great L5 cow – truly amazing! L5's dam is the great G366 cow – please read about her in the footnote of Lot 126.



128 ERICA OF ELLSTON C251
 SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048855 TATTOO: C251 3/3/2024

*Mohnen General 548	##*Baldrige Colonel C251	BW	85
*MOHNNEN GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	743/107
Mohnen Jilt 1848	##*S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	1039/109
	#Mohnen Jilt 2504	%IMF/Ratio	3.38/87
*JAR Incredible 6104 808	##*Panther Cr Incredible 6704	RE/Ratio	10.7/102
*ERICA OF ELLSTON Z293	*Jar Erica 6104		
##*Erica of Ellston S7	##*Baldrige 38 Special		
	*Erica of Ellston L5		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+2	+3.3	+90	+143	+1.1	+1.70	+5	+31	+17	
		10%	20%	10%	10%		20%		
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+59	+70	+49	+27	+86	-.016	+62	+108	+147	+253
					20%		30%		

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-101	3-106	1-109	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	5-97	5-104	5-103	13-\$11,300	6-\$23,950	

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 21, 2026.
- * C251 is a feminine-fronted heifer that offers a lot of stretch. She was the 10th top yearling weight heifer of her crop! This growthy heifer has one of the top WW EPDs among the females selling. Best yet, she is a descendant of the great G366 cow!
- * Dam Z293 has a 363 day calving interval. Her most recent son was the 8th top weaning weight bull of our crop. Z293 can certainly put some growth in her progeny! We'll have to wait until after our sale for the report, but she might just make Pathfinder in 2026!
- * Grandam S7 is easily among the best five living cows at Hoover Angus (maybe among the best five cows ever in production at Hoover Angus)! Her data sheets are getting so full of progeny sales it is hard to keep everything straight, but the info in the boxes above is accurate – she has sold six daughters to average nearly \$24,000 and 13 sons have averaged over \$11,000. She is one of only a few cows to gross well over a quarter million in progeny sales, and she's not done yet!
- * Highlights of S7's progeny sales include daughters selected by Moon Creek Farms and Hansine Ranch Partnership (2 sisters) for \$36,500 and \$26,000, Abernathy Ranches and William Vacek for \$30,000, and Nathan Lung for \$14,000. The Moon Creek heifer produced embryos that topped the embryo portion of their 2022 sale at \$1300/embryo – just 9 months after they purchased this heifer!
- * S7 started her career out strong, producing the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer of our 2019 crop that was the lead-off, top-selling female of our 2021 sale at \$32,000 to Pine View Angus.
- * S7 serves as a working donor and records 30-103 IMF ratio and 30-104 ribeye ratio. She recorded a 370 day calving interval at 5 years of age despite stealing flushes three separate years.
- * Great grandam L5 produced 10 progeny sold by Hoover Angus to average a whopping \$24,100! Sons from Hoover Angus have worked at three AI studs: Alta Genetics, Select Sires, and Accelerated Genetics. After a successful career at Hoover Angus, L5 was purchased by Baldrige Performance Angus.
- * L5 now has six Pathfinder daughters – three working Pathfinder donors in the Hoover herd, two in the Baldrige herd, and one working for Geidel Cattle Co.! This is an exceptionally rare feat!
- * Superior udders run in this cow family, and the 5 generations of cows down the dam's side of this pedigree have been excellent uddered cows, even into old age. Fourth generation dam G366's udder at over 12 years of age would rival most 3-4 year-old females in the breed today. Please read about G366 in the footnote of Lot 126. She is regarded as the best cow in our 98-year history.



Mothers & Udders: Quality Beyond EPDs

In an EPD era where it is easy to get caught up in seeking out high EPDs for certain (often terminal) traits, our industry sometimes forgets about the most basic, yet most essential traits in a cow herd. One of these traits is mothering ability. We don't have an EPD for this trait, but mothering ability (or lack thereof) is quite important! I'm sure we can all tell stories of how a cow lacking in mothering ability caused a loss in time, energy, and ultimately money. Likewise, a cow with too much mothering ability (aggressive towards humans) is unfavorable for obvious reasons! At Hoover Angus, optimal mothering ability and udder structure is very important, and it has been for over 9 decades!



Gwen & Ty have been singing the Star Spangled Banner at the beginning of the sale since our sale came to the farm in 2023!



SPRING BRED HEIFERS

130**ERICA OF ELLSTON C61**

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048766 TATTOO: C61 1/28/2024

*Mohnen General 548	##*Baldridge Colonel C251	BW	74
*MOHNEN GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	750/108
Mohnen Jilt 1848	##*S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	995/105
	#Mohnen Jilt 2504	%IMF/Ratio	4.99/128
*Baldridge Chairman	*Fortunes Conquest 224	RE/Ratio	8.6/82
ERICA OF ELLSTON T174	**Baldridge Isabel B061		
#Erica of Ellston L89	*Hoover Carbon Copy		
	#Erica of Ellston E250		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+5	+1.1	+78	+133	+1.0	+1.68	+8	+33	+22
		25%	30%	10%	10%		10%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+5.56	+5.58	+4.47	+7.70	+1.10	+0.059	+83	+88	+134	+257
						15%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-99	5-103	5-102	3-\$5450	None	1-107

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 16, 2026. Heifers like this that are due to calve shortly – we recommend they go home with their owners the day of the sale.
- * C61 has superior fleshing ability and is a tank! She has lots of body and length.
- * C61 was the #1 IMF scanning heifer of her crop! This marbling shines through in this cow family, with several generations of cows that have added marbling to their progeny.
- * C61 has the 4th top Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPD of any female selling and is one of the top Functional Longevity (FL) females.
- * Dam T174 is an excellent uddered female with a 359 day calving interval. T174 was the 2nd top IMF scanning female of her crop with an IMF score DOUBLE the average of the crop! A very nice daughter of T174 works in the Hoover herd and recently weaned her first calf.
- * T174's sons work for Keith Bixler, one of the top adjusted weaning weight bulls of his crop, Mark Bright, and John Spencer, all repeat customers.
- * Pathfinder grandam L89 was an excellent uddered cow with a 362 day calving interval and a whopping 5-140 IMF ratio! She put four replacement daughters in the herd, one of which earned Pathfinder honors.
- * Pathfinder great grandam E250 was an extremely successful cow in her day and served as a working donor. E250's grandam was also the grandam of Hoover Dam!



Blkcp Empress Ellston T184
Pathfinder Hoover Donor
Dam of Lot 132



Blackcap Empress Ellston B1
pictured at 8 months of age
Full Sister to Lot 132



Hoover General Lee B5
Owned by Stortenbecker Farms
\$12,500 Full Brother to Lot 132

132**BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON C92**

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: **21044097 TATTOO: C92 2/4/2024

*Mohnen General 548	##*Baldridge Colonel C251	BW	71
*MOHNEN GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	729/100
Mohnen Jilt 1848	##*S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	939/100
	#Mohnen Jilt 2504	%IMF/Ratio	4.56/109
*Baldridge Chairman	*Fortunes Conquest 224	RE/Ratio	11.3/104
*BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON T184	**Baldridge Isabel B061		
*Blackcap Empress Ellston R92	*#Bruno Top Cut 373		
	Blkcp Empress Ellston L299		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+11	+4	+71	+111	+4	+1.18	+9	+32	+26
		15%	30%		30%		15%	20%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+5.54	+5.58	+3.38	+4.46	+8.87	-0.012	+103	+65	+114	+251
						20%	2%		

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-97	5-105	5-102	6-\$10,800	2-\$8750	3-105

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 17, 2026. With her close proximity to calving, we recommend C92 go home with her new owner on sale day.
- * C92 is a pretty fronted, beautiful heifer. There are so many of these General Lee heifers that could have been photo features, and C92 is sure one of them.
- * C92 ties with the 5th top \$Maternal Value (\$M) of any female to sell.
- * Pathfinder donor dam T184 is a 16th generation Blackcap Empress Ellston female to be bred, born, and raised by the Hoover family, starting with herd founder Walt Hoover!
- * T184 is the kind of cow that can knock it out of the park every year with her progeny. She's a low birth weight cow whose calves get right up and grow rapidly. Check out her outstanding son that sells as Lot 4.
- * T184 had a superb calving interval of 357 days prior to holding her out of production for one season to flush her in the fall.
- * T184 was selected to serve as a donor because of her fertility, superior udder quality, and progeny performance – traits that run strong in this cow family. She's that extraordinary cow that can raise a whopper of a calf with a remarkably tidy udder! T184 has proven she has earned a spot among the most elite donors at Hoover Angus!
- * T184's first son was the #1 weaning weight bull of his crop, and the 2nd top-selling bull of our 2022 sale to repeat customer John Orr at \$20,000.
- * T184's next son was the 6th top weaning weight bull of his crop and sold for \$10,500 to long-time repeat customer Roger Cerven. He was super stout, slick haired, and long. More sons sold to Pat Hardy, LeRoy & Lane Stortenbecker, BJ & Wyatt Thompson, and a second son to Roger Cerven – all repeat customers. Thompson's bull was the #1 IMF bull of our sale!
- * Daughters of T184 work for Dan Olson and Mill Coulee Angus.
- * T184 scanned an 8.76 IMF, ratio 201 to be the #1 IMF heifer of her crop! T184 records 16-114 IMF ratio.
- * Grandam R92 served as one of the herd's top IMF ratio cows with a whopping 5-133 IMF ratio! R92 maintained a 366 day calving interval.
- * Great grandam L299 had a 362 day calving interval on her 8 calves when she was lost to an injury.

**131****ERICA OF ELLSTON C217**

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048826 TATTOO: C217 2/24/2024

##*HA Cowboy Up 5405	*HA Outside 3008	BW	82
*FREYS COWBOY LOGIC	##*HA Blackcap Lady 1602	ADJ. 205/WR	659/95
*F A R Princess 148Z	##*WK Bobcat	ADJ. 365/YR	896/94
	#F A R Princess 214X	%IMF/Ratio	3.32/85
##*Baldridge 38 Special	##*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	9.9/94
ERICA OF ELLSTON S19	*Baldridge Isabel Y69		
Erica of Ellston M2	##*Basin Excitement		
	##*Erica of Ellston G216		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+1.5	+67	+113	+7	+1.30	+10	+21	+17
					25%	30%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+5.53	+4.41	+4.42	+6.60	+4.44	+0.039	+73	+93	+139	+253
		20%	25%						

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-100	3-99	3-100	2-\$9000	None	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 21, 2026.
- * C217 is a square-made, nice, deep bodied heifer from the famous Erica line.
- * Dam S19 is a nice uddered cow that produced two very nice sons, one for John Orr and one for Evan Harper. John's bull was the #1 IMF scanning bull of his crop! John and Crystal do their homework and only buy the best!
- * Grandam M2 was a neat uddered cow that put style and eye appeal in her progeny. Two of her progeny have been photo features in our past sales. Progeny work for Jeff Bellamy, Andy Huffington, David Deal, and Keith Borer.
- * Pathfinder great grandam G216 produced the \$26,000 Hoover Quintain! Quintain was the #1 weaning weight bull calf of his crop and the 3rd top selling bull of our sale. G216 was no stranger to weaning top calves or bringing featured sons to auction, as another son was the 2nd top-selling bull of our 2012 sale!
- * This Erica cow family is the same family that produced Hoover Dam, Hoover Home Run, and numerous other bulls in stud!

**SPRING BRED HEIFERS****HOOPER**
Angus

133 MAID OF ELLSTON C103 TWIN W/COW
 SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048783 TATTOO: C103 2/6/2024

*Mohnen General 548 *MOHNEN GENERAL LEE Mohnen Jilt 1848	*Baldridge Colonel C251 *S A V Madame Pride 5290 **S A V Sensation 5615 #Mohnen Jilt 2504	BW 68 ADJ. 205/WR 765/110 ADJ. 365/YR 1040/109 %IMF/Ratio 3.93/101 RE/Ratio 11.3/108
*Galaxy Detail 8546 *MAID OF ELLSTON Z24 Maid of Ellston J316	*Diablo Deluxe 1104 *Galaxy Blackbird 4551 #TC Friction 5130 Maid of Ellston B155	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+3	+2.4	+74	+126	+1.4	+2.37	+2	+33	+23
		1%		1%		10%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+29	+52	+46	+42	+31	-.043	+72	+62	+104	+207
20%		4%							

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-95	2-97	1-97	1-\$5750	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	13-96	13-101	12-103	3-\$8850	4-\$6125	

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 15, 2026. With her calving date rapidly approaching, we recommend C103 go home with her new owner on sale day.
- * C103 has tremendous length as well as more frame and horsepower. She is a really pretty gal and a good disposition one too!
- * C103 was the 8th top weaning weight heifer of her crop and the 9th top yearling weight heifer! Her twin sister was Gwen's bottle calf at the county fair and is being retained in the herd.
- * C103's maternal sister is featured as the pretty Lot 189 open heifer.
- * C103 ties as the 4th top Scrotal EPD female to sell today! She also has one of the top Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPDs.
- * Dam Z24 is a nice uddered cow with a superior 359 day calving interval indicating excellent fertility. Her son works for Jay Engel - he was a nice full brother to C103.
- * Z24 was a high performing female herself, weaning at 734 pounds, WR 108, YW 1067 lbs., YR 110. She scanned a whopping 12.7" ribeye to ratio 115!
- * Grandam J316 was flushed at 14 years of age for her fertility, productivity, and awesome daughters she put into the herd. She ended her career with a 364 day calving interval on 13 progeny! Her progeny and grand progeny were the lead-off bulls in our 2024 sale catalog.
- * J316 has been one of our best daughter-makers, and has four daughters in the Hoover herd ratioing an average 104 WR on their progeny, two of which have earned Pathfinder honors!
- * J316 is the type of cow that you can count on to bring in a good calf every single year, and do it with lower than average birth ratios. Her progeny work for Dusty Goodman, Renee Neuenkirk, Wayne Reinhart, Larson Angus Cattle Co., and Dwayne Scar.
- * Great grandam B155 has been gone for many years now, but recorded a 362 day calving interval on her 11 progeny. She was a thick, beefy cow that put 5 replacement daughters in our herd.
- * To show how many generations deep the maternal strength runs in this pedigree, fourth generation dam S34 recorded 14-108 WR and had a 359 day calving interval at the end of her career! She brought 10 sons to auction.
- * This cow family has stamped each generation of females with a thick, brood cow look.

134 MAID OF ELLSTON C227
 SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048831 TATTOO: C227 2/26/2024

*RAML Rangefinder 7536 *RAML OPTICS 0710 *RAML Ruby 710	*GDAR Leupold 298 *RAML Royce 536 *Barstow Cash *RAML Ruby 319	BW 78 ADJ. 205/WR 733/105 ADJ. 365/YR 949/99 %IMF/Ratio 3.46/89 RE/Ratio 10.3/98
*Baldridge Chairman *MAID OF ELLSTON V302 Maid of Ellston P242	*Fortunes Conquest 224 *Baldridge Isabel B061 #Connealy Impact Maid of Ellston H178	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+13	-.9	+70	+124	+9	+1.15	+15	+32	+22
		10%		20%		3%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+51	+62	+41	+30	+92	-.020	+77	+92	+134	+251
20%		30%		15%		25%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-93	4-97	2-101	None	None	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mohnen Force 6473, due approximately February 16, 2026.
- * C227 has a lot to her! She is bigger framed, but still has lots of body. Optics daughters are snug uddered with superior teat size, and I would certainly guess C227 to be the same judging by the udder quality on both her sire and dam side.
- * C227 ties as the 5th top CEM EPD female to sell!
- * Dam V302 is a classic Chairman daughter - beautiful uddered and fertile with a 367 day calving interval which will tighten up significantly when she calves in 2026.
- * C227 is V302's first daughter to come to auction, and her 2025 son was too young for the sale.
- * Grandam P242 put two replacement daughters in the herd.
- * Read more about generations of this cow family in the bottom of Lot 133's footnote - they have been great ones!

135 MISS ERICA ELLSTON C122
 SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: 21048788 TATTOO: C122 2/9/2024

*RBM RAVE *HOOVER RAVE X151 Miss Erica Ellston N269	*Jindra Acclaim #RBM Polly B66 *Mogck Bullseye #Miss Erica Ellston H25	BW 89 ADJ. 205/WR 748/107 ADJ. 365/YR 1001/105 %IMF/Ratio 3.89/100 RE/Ratio 12.3/117
*Connealy Commander *MISS ERICA ELLSTON R305 Miss Erica Ellston L105	*Connealy Consensus Gespa of Conanga 9380 *SydGen C C & 7 #Miss Erica Ellston G137	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+4	+2.2	+69	+128	+8	+94	+12	+24	+33
		25%		15%		2%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+59	+59	+41	+09	+1.20	-.037	+61	+122	+158	+266
20%		10%		10%			15%		

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-110	5-107	4-106	1-\$5250	2-\$4425	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 20, 2026.
- * Once again, here is a heifer with excellent length of body and femininity. She is a calm heifer that would be a nice choice for a young 4-H member. She ties with the 3rd highest Docility EPD of any female to sell!
- * C122 scanned an awesome 1.22" of ribeye per hundred pounds of body weight, helping earn a Ribeye EPD that is among the best of the females selling today!
- * Pathfinder dam R305 is a high performance cow, and ties as the 15th top indexing cow of the herd! Her daughters work for Rohach Angus Farm and Salt Fork Angus and her son for John Palmer - all repeat customers. John's bull was the top carcass scanning bull of his contemporary group and the 3rd top yearling weight bull.
- * Grandam L105 ended her career with a perfect 358 day calving interval and was an excellent uddered female that was always great to work with at calving time.
- * Trace this pedigree back to find the great V50 cow and 'ole J327 - two of the greatest cows of their day.
- * Nine Pathfinders are found in this 3-generation pedigree!



Gwen & Ty will have Kalf Koziess for sale on February 3!

136**PRINCESS OF ELLSTON C88**

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21050907 TATTOO: C88 2/4/2024

*#K C F Bennett Southside	#Nichols Extra K205	BW	69
#*MEAD MAGNUDE	#*K C F Miss 208 S11	ADJ. 205/WR	664/95
#*Mead Primrose N198	#*Plattmere Weigh Up K360	ADJ. 365/YR	920/96
	#Mead Primrose K247	%IMF/Ratio	3.99/102
#**Baldridge 38 Special	#*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	10.1/96
*PRINCESS OF ELLSTON S118	*Baldridge Isabel Y69		
Princess of Ellston N170	#*Basin Excitement		
	Princess of Ellston L196		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	-.8	+69	+124	+8	+1.21	+13	+38	+25
	15%			25%	30%	10%	2%	25%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+4.9	+4.3	+5.0	+4.3	+6.8	+0.10	+88	+78	+121	+245
	30%				10%				

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	7-100	7-99	4-101	1-\$7500	None	1-114

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 24, 2026.
- * C88 is a long bodied, wide based, feminine female that scores well on the maternal EPDs that make up the \$Maternal index. She ties as the 2nd top Milk EPD female to sell!
- * Dam S118 has an excellent 359 day calving interval and her daughter in the herd raised the 3rd top weaning weight heifer of the crop as a first calf heifer!
- * S118 was a high scanning female with an 8.22 IMF, ratio 179, ribeye 11.4", ratio 103. She puts marbling in her progeny too, with an average 108 IMF ratio.
- * Kirk Egbert owns S118's son to come to auction.
- * Highly successful grandam N170 produced the top-selling bull of our 2020 auction at \$45,000 to Grimmus Cattle Co. and other sons to Jerry Long and Tom & Rose Tucker. Her featured daughter sold to Mike Moss in North Carolina who sends good reports.
- * Ten Pathfinders are found in this 3-generation pedigree!



MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON C77 - LOT 138

138**MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON C77**

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: 21048772 TATTOO: C77 2/3/2024

#*RAML Rangefinder 7536	#*GDAR Leupold 298	BW	74
*RAML OPTICS 0710	*RAML Royce 536	ADJ. 205/WR	750/108
+*RAML Ruby 710	#*Barstow Cash	ADJ. 365/YR	974/102
	#*RAML Ruby 319	%IMF/Ratio	3.75/96
#*Basin Excitement	+Basin Expedition R156	RE/Ratio	10.5/100
MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON N106	Basin Lady S532 AK		
Miss Blackbird Ellston L52	#*Hoover Dam		
	Miss Blackbird Ellston C224		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+12	+0	+82	+136	+7	+7.8	+8	+24	+22
	10%	25%	20%	25%				

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+4.0	+5.4	+4.0	+4.9	+9.7	+0.09	+97	+122	+172	+320
		20%		25%		4%	15%		20%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	10-101	10-99	8-99	4-\$3800	2-\$4500	1-97

- * Ultrasound safe to Mohnen Force 6473 with TWINS, due approximately February 21, 2026. Because of her close proximity to calving, we recommend she goes home sale day with her new owner (as we recommend for all of the close-calving females).
- * C77 is a stylish heifer - she is a pretty fronted, bigger framed female that will make a picture-perfect cow! She is a 13th generation descendant of one of Walt Hoover's foundational cows sired by Revolution's Bell Boy and there are several awesome cows down this line.
- * C77 offers one of the top Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPDs among sale females (I guess I can't argue with this one, she did settle first service AI with twins)!
- * Dam N106 has been a solid cow that has stood up to the test of time - she has 10 calves on record with a superior 361 day calving interval. Fertility is the most economically important trait, and N106 and C77 sure have it!
- * N106 has sons and daughters working for Melvin & Annette Warren, James Humble, Gareld Carpenter, Kevin Putz, Jason Hunt, and Brian Taglauer. Gareld's heifer was the 2nd top IMF female of her crop, and now N106 records 7-106 IMF ratio and 7-102 ribeye ratio.
- * N106's most recent son weaned at 771 pounds when she was 11 years of age!
- * Grandam L52 put 5 daughters in our replacement herd, which is as many as any non-donor cow!

**137****MISS ERICA ELLSTON C130**

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048791 TATTOO: C130 2/10/2024

*#Mohnen General 548	#**Baldridge Colonel C251	BW	77
*MOHNEN GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	754/108
Mohnen Jilt 1848	#**S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	1045/109
	#Mohnen Jilt 2504	%IMF/Ratio	3.67/94
#*MOGCK Entice	#SvdGen Enhance	RE/Ratio	10.2/97
MISS ERICA ELLSTON A72	#*MOGCK Erica 2255		
Miss Erica Ellston R295	#Connealy Impact		
	Miss Erica Ellston N250		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+9	-.4	+67	+132	+9	+1.83	+6	+31	+21
	30%	20%	30%	20%	5%		20%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+3.1	+5.0	+3.3	+4.5	+3.7	+0.11	+48	+89	+129	+215
	25%	3%							

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-119	2-113	1-109	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	8-98	8-101	6-101	3-\$3675	1-\$7000	

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 21, 2026.
- * C130 will make a classic Angus cow! She is super long spined, as typical of the General Lee heifers. For those interested in the newest maternal EPDs, C130 ranks in the best 5-10% of the breed for Teat, Udder, and FL.
- * C130 was the 7th top yearling weight heifer of her crop! Her dam, A72, is the #1 indexing cow of the herd with an awesome 2-113 wean ratio! A72's second calf was the #1 weaning weight heifer of her crop. A72 has a 363 day calving interval which will tighten up further when she calves in 2026.
- * Grandam R295 is a fertile cow with a 363 day calving interval on her 8 calves. Two of her sons work for John Spencer, and the other for Scott Pettit. Her pretty daughter works in South Dakota for Jade Jandel.
- * Great grandam N250 is a tank! She's a big gal, but has tons of body to go along with her added frame. Two excellent daughters work in the herd, one of which is a Pathfinder. She brought two photo feature progeny to auction.
- * I must mention fourth generation dam B297 - she was also a super deep-sided, broody cow. She ended her career with 14 progeny at a perfect 365 day calving interval! She brought an unprecedented 4 photo feature sons to auction, and averaged \$5500 on her 6 sons - an impressive figure for a cow who would be 23 years old if still living!



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139 QUEENMERE OF ELLSTON C158

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21050905 TATTOO: C158 2/14/2024

#*K C F Bennett Southside #*MEAD MAGNITUDE #*Mead Primrose N198 #*Bruns Top Cut 373 QUEENMERE OF ELLSTON T75 Queenmere of Ellston P95	#Nichols Extra K205 #*K C F Miss 208 S11 #*Plattemere Weigh Up K360 #Mead Primrose K247 #*Bruns Uppercut 610 #Dakota Miss 669 Baf #*Hoover Dam Queenmere of Ellston M73	BW 80 ADJ. 205/WR 657/94 ADJ. 365/YR 977/102 %IMF/Ratio 4.23/108 RE/Ratio 10.6/101
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CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+5	+1.4	+79	+148	+1.2	+1.47	+6	+32	+23
		25%	15%	3%	15%			

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+57	+58	+60	+51	+84	-.006	+65	+102	+152	+262
25%									

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	6-99	6-95	4-100	2-\$4500	None	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mohnen Force 6473, due approximately February 16, 2026.
- * C158 is a nice bodied, feminine fronted heifer with a different pedigree for most of our repeat customers or those who have a Hoover-sired bull in their pasture.
- * Dam T75 is a neat uddered cow with a 372 day calving interval which will tighten up significantly when she is due to calve this year nearly a month sooner than last year. Harold Fuller and Matt Brown own T75's two sons.
- * T75 is a moderate sized cow that weans a large portion of her body weight each year.
- * Ten Pathfinders are found in this 3-generation pedigree! Right off the 3-generation pedigree on the dam's side are two highly productive Pathfinder cows.



140 LADY IDA OF ELLSTON C239

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048836 TATTOO: C239 2/28/2024

#*Mohnen General 548 #*MOHNNEN GENERAL LEE Mohnen Jilt 1848 #*Baldridge 38 Special #*LADY IDA OF ELLSTON V39 #*Lady Ida of Ellston P68	#**Baldridge Colonel C251 #*S A V Madame Pride 5290 #**S A V Sensation 5615 #Mohnen Jilt 2504 #*EF Commando 1366 #*Baldridge Isabel Y69 Hoover Hawkeye #Lady Ida of Ellston C164	BW 75 ADJ. 205/WR 624/90 ADJ. 365/YR 888/93 %IMF/Ratio 4.07/104 RE/Ratio 10.6/101
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CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+7	+1.3	+75	+124	+6	+97	+12	+32	+27
		20%	15%			15%	15%	15%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+62	+41	+38	+71	+54	+030	+108	+88	+142	+292
20%									

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-93	5-93	4-96	1-\$4750	1-\$5000	1-107

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 21, 2026.
- * C239 is a nice footed heifer with good length of body. She is the only spring bred heifer from the highly successful Lady Ida cow family to sell this year!
- * C239 does well on the \$Maternal Weaned Calf Value Index - 2nd highest of any female selling!
- * Dam V39 is a fertile cow with a 366 day calving interval. Every year she has calved between February 11 and February 28 without fertility-enhancing protocols or synchronization. Grant and Katie McIntosh in Ohio own V39's first daughter to come to auction.
- * V39's daughter in the Hoover herd is doing great with a sub-365 day calving interval and 2-107 wean ratio. If she keeps it up, she may just earn Pathfinder honors.
- * Grandam P68 was a beautiful cow that put three replacement daughters in the herd. One of these has been on my radar as a potential donor cow for several years, and we only flush about the top 3% of our cows, so you know she's at the very top!
- * Pathfinder great grandam C164 is regarded as one of the herd's all-time greats! She is likely one of the best 10 cows to ever be in production at Hoover Angus - from her fertility to her udder, and tremendous progeny, she nails it all.
- * C164 recorded 10-107 WR and a 362 day calving interval and had been flushed 5 different times. She had 28 progeny registered at Hoover Angus. At the end of her career, she had grossed over \$186,000 on registered progeny sales (excluding embryo sales), with her 13 sons averaging over \$10,000! C164's top-selling son was the \$56,000 Hoover Inspiration - the second top-selling bull in our history.



141 KEYMURA OF ELLSTON C132

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048792 TATTOO: C132 2/10/2024

#*Mohnen General 548 #*MOHNNEN GENERAL LEE Mohnen Jilt 1848 #**Deer Valley Growth Fund #*KEYMURA OF ELLSTON A209 #*Keymura of Ellston V475	#**Baldridge Colonel C251 #*S A V Madame Pride 5290 #**S A V Sensation 5615 #Mohnen Jilt 2504 #**Babin Payweight 1682 #*Deer Valley Rita 36113 #*MBC Delmonico Keymura of Ellston R289	BW 75 ADJ. 205/WR 698/100 ADJ. 365/YR 965/101 %IMF/Ratio 4.12/106 RE/Ratio 9.4/90
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CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+7	+1.4	+63	+111	+3	+1.44	+7	+27	+19
20%								

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+59	+53	+55	+62	+26	+024	+71	+98	+144	+258

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-108	1-100	1-101	None	None	None

GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-90	4-97	2-93	None	None	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 19, 2026.
- * C132 is an easy fleshing, slick haired, square made, wide based heifer with a little bit different pedigree for most Hoover customers on the bottom side of her pedigree. She traces back to one of Landi's show heifers.
- * Dam A209 was a first calf heifer with C132.
- * Grandam V475 has a 364 day calving interval and has calved between February 13 and February 18 with every calf - I'd say her fertility time clock is working quite well!
- * Great grandam R289 is a powerful No Doubt cow backed by a long line of productive females. She has daughters working for Jeremy Loving, Nate Britz, and Martens Angus Farms, all repeat customers.
- * I have to mention fourth generation dam E13 - she had a 363 day calving interval on her 10 calves, showing her excellent fertility. She brought three photo feature sons or daughters to auction and placed progeny in 4 states!



142 EDELLA OF ELLSTON C188

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048812 TATTOO: C188 2/18/2024

#*Musgrave 316 Stunner #*E L K TROPHYCLASS #*Pine Coulee Black Annie U7 #*Mogck Bullseye EDELLA OF ELLSTON S501 #Edella of Ellston H232	#**LD Capitalist 316 #MCATL Blackbird 831-1378 #*Connealy Onward War Hill Blackbone Annie #MOGCK Sure Shot Mogck Mary 1255 #*SydGen C C & 7 Edella of Ellston D270	BW 80 ADJ. 205/WR 658/94 ADJ. 365/YR 914/95 %IMF/Ratio 4.24/109 RE/Ratio 9.9/94
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CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+7	+2.3	+60	+102	+5	+1.22	+11	+32	+25
		30%	25%	15%	25%			

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+67	+55	+56	+71	+58	+033	+93	+90	+144	+280
10%									

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-95	5-101	3-100	3-\$5850	None	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mohnen Force 6473, due approximately March 15, 2026.
- * C188 is a super long bodied heifer. Some of the Angus breed has become more compact with less length of spine, but not here!
- * Dam S501 is a beefy, easy fleshing cow whose sons work for Curt Pierschbacher, Gareld Carpenter, and Brian Christensen, all repeat customers. She can certainly put some thickness in her progeny!
- * S501 recently weaned an 824 pound bull calf who sells as Lot 83.
- * Pathfinder grandam H232 worked until old age, recording a superb 10-105 wean ratio! Her progeny work for Reed McCormick (the 4th top weaning weight heifer of her crop), Terry Shaffer, Rex Ritter, and Jeff Bellamy. One other excellent daughter worked in the Hoover herd.
- * Eight Pathfinders are found in this 3-generation pedigree!



SPRING BRED HEIFERS

Hoover Trophyclass B59
Owned by Mohnen Angus
\$16,500 Maternal Brother to Lot 143



143 **BLACK BEAUTY OF ELLSTON C200**
SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048820 TATTOO: C200 2/18/2024

*Mohnen General 548	#*Baldridge Colonel C251	BW	67
*MOHNNEN GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	661/95
Mohnen Jilt 1848	#*S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	874/92
	#Mohnen Jilt 2504	%IMF/Ratio	4.24/109
#*MOGCK Entice	#SydGen Enhance	RE/Ratio	9.1/87
#*BLACK BEAUTY OF ELLSTON X46	#*MOGCK Erica 2255		
#Black Beauty of Ellston J46	#*Bassin Excitement		
	#Black Beauty of Ellston G205		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+15	-2.1	+64	+113	+4	+2.66	+5	+32	+22	
2%	3%				1%		15%		
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+56	+62	+51	+65	+11	+039	+90	+74	+119	+244

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-102	4-105	3-104	1-\$16,500	1-\$5000	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 17, 2026.
- * C200 is an easy fleshing heifer with lots of body. She will make a beautiful Angus female and is backed by three consecutive generations of Pathfinder cows!
- * C200 ties as the 4th top CED EPD and 3rd lowest BW EPD female to sell! She also has the largest Scrotal EPD of any animal selling today! Larger scrotal genetics are correlated with earlier heifer puberty. Not surprisingly, she has the 2nd highest Functional Longevity (FL) EPD of any female selling.
- * Pathfinder dam X46 has done an excellent job for us. She has a 357 day calving interval and is a slow and easy-going cow. Her son was a photo feature and sold to Mohnen Angus in our 2024 sale. Steve Mohnen was in attendance to buy the bull and said he was, "the best bull of the sale".
- * X46's first daughter works for repeat customer Clint Welsh. She was the 6th top weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- * Pathfinder grandam J46 had a tremendous career! J46 served as a working donor with 10 natural progeny and an additional 14 ET progeny. Despite two years of stealing flushes, she maintained a 368 day calving interval.
- * J46's first daughter also served as a Pathfinder donor. J46 is one of only a few cows in the herd to have grossed over \$100,000 on registered progeny sales! Numerous of her progeny were among the top 10 adjusted weaning weight calves of their respective crops.
- * J46 also had excellent mothering skills and was a great, calm cow to work with - she never got in a hurry!
- * Pathfinder great grandam G205 deserves a mention - she was the sweetest temperament cow in the herd!
- * This pedigree runs deep with very highly productive cows! Once again, here is a great maternal-trait type female that will raise big calves and should stay in the herd a long time. Rancher profitability comes not in extremes of terminal traits, but rather the steady, consistent females that raise a big calf every year and stay in the herd for a long time.
- * Ten Pathfinders are found in this 3-generation pedigree



Got longevity?
Got **documented** longevity?
We do!

The females in this sale average a Functional Longevity (FL) EPD in the best 25% of the breed, but there is *data* behind that too - 18% of the females selling have a dam that has stayed in the herd until 10 years of age or older! Our goals at Hoover Angus are not to churn generations faster and faster in order to achieve the highest EPDs, but to create sound, profitable cattle - and some of the biggest keys to profitability are fertility and longevity!

144 **MISS ERICA ELLSTON C193**
SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048816 TATTOO: C193 2/19/2024

*Mohnen General 548	#*Baldridge Colonel C251	BW	70
*MOHNNEN GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	629/90
Mohnen Jilt 1848	#*S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	925/97
	#Mohnen Jilt 2504	%IMF/Ratio	3.45/88
#*Baldridge 38 Special	#*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	9.9/94
MISS ERICA ELLSTON V412	*Baldridge Isabel Y69		
Miss Erica Ellston R63	#*Hoover No Doubt		
	Miss Erica Ellston E138		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+10	-8	+56	+102	+1	+78	+7	+32	+25	
20%	15%						15%	25%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+63	+36	+36	+43	+30	+043	+90	+59	+95	+213
10%	10%				10%				

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-98	3-96	2-99	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	7-98	6-98	6-97	1-\$10,000	1-\$5000	

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately March 17, 2026.
- * C193 is a super soggy, easy fleshing female that is more moderate and broody.
- * Dam V412 is a more moderate sized 38 Special cow with a 358 day calving interval.
- * V412 scanned a 7.62 IMF to be the 2nd top IMF heifer of her crop as well as a 12.9" ribeye to be the #1 ribeye scanning female!
- * Grandam R63 produced a \$10,000 son for Ralph Ballanger and a daughter for Lyle Olson that was the 3rd top IMF heifer of her crop. R63 has a superior 6-119 IMF ratio!
- * Great grandam E138 was a great 'ole cow that had a 361 day calving interval on her 11 progeny. Three of her daughters work in the Hoover herd. She was a really gentle female also.
- * Fourth generation dam B320 has been gone for many years, but achieved Pathfinder status, as did two of her daughters.



145 **GAMMER OF ELLSTON C245**
SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048839 TATTOO: C245 2/29/2024

*Mohnen General 548	#*Baldridge Colonel C251	BW	65
*MOHNNEN GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	674/97
Mohnen Jilt 1848	#*S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	946/99
	#Mohnen Jilt 2504	%IMF/Ratio	3.62/93
*Frey's Cowboy Logic	#*HA Cowboy Up 5405	RE/Ratio	8.9/85
GAMMER OF ELLSTON X168	*F A R Princess 1482		
#Gammer of Ellston R273	#Connealy Impact		
	#Gammer of Ellston N107		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+15	-2	+70	+126	+9	+1.50	+12	+35	+23	
2%	20%			20%	15%	15%	10%		
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+65	+48	+45	+54	+51	+040	+83	+120	+164	+296
						15%	15%	30%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-102	4-99	2-97	None	1-\$7000	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	7-99	7-103	5-103	2-\$8875	2-\$5500	

- * Ultrasound safe to Mohnen Force 6473, due approximately April 25, 2026.
- * C245 is a long, attractive heifer with nice bone. She will add pounds to her progeny by length of body!
- * C245 ties as the 4th highest CED EPD female to sell!
- * Dam X168 is an excellent uddered cow that is an easy, calm cow to work with at calving time. Her first daughter works for Ryan McConahay and Ryan reports that she settled quickly and raised a big heifer that he is keeping as a replacement. X168 has a calving interval of 357 days, showcasing her excellent fertility. X168's nice son sells as Lot 77.
- * Pathfinder grandam R273 is still going strong at 9 years of age. Her sons work for Dana Hotz and Musgrave Angus and her daughters work for Grant Varner and Jacob Tamme. Two of these were photo features.
- * With 5-108 ribeye ratio on her progeny, R273 is among the top 15 cows of the herd for ribeye ratio!
- * There are lots of Pathfinders as you trace down the dam's side of this pedigree, including the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 6th generation dams!



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BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON C175

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: 21048808 TATTOO: C175 2/16/2024

*RBM RAVE #HOOVER RAVE X151 Miss Erica Ellston N269	*Jindra Acclaim #RBM Polly B66 #Mogck Bullseye #Miss Erica Ellston H25	BW 69 ADJ. 205/WR 694/100 ADJ. 365/YR 910/96 %IMF/Ratio 3.55/91 RE/Ratio 9.6/91
#*Baldridge 38 Special BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON T433 #Blkcp Empress Ellston N413	*EF Commando 1366 *Baldridge Isabel Y69 #*Basin Excitement *Blkcp Empress Ellston K403	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+11	-1.4	+68	+124	+6	+68	+17	+24	+30	
15%	10%					1%		10%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+47	+52	+44	+73	+43	+042	+58	+100	+152	+255

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-94	5-105	4-103	1-\$7500	None	1-103
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	8-105	8-107	7-105	1-\$14,000	3-\$3475	

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 16, 2026.
- * C175 is a long bodied, pretty fronted female. She ties as the 2nd highest CEM EPD female to sell!
- * Dam T433 is a low birth weight, yet high growth cow with a 358 day calving interval. Her first son was a photo feature and the #1 bull people came to see on the farm prior to the sale. Long-time repeat customer Dustin McCoy selected him.
- * T433's 2025 calf weaned at 882 pounds to be the 2nd top weaning weight bull of the entire crop! He sells as Lot 62.
- * T433's daughter that works in the herd was the 6th top weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- * Pathfinder grandam N413 has been a tremendous cow and is currently 11 years old and still going strong (and looking great)! She serves as the herd's 12th top indexing cow (quite a feat for as old as she is)! She has a 366 day calving interval. Three of her progeny have been photo features in our past sales, with her top son selling to Lindskov LT Ranch for \$14,000. He was the #1 weaning weight, #1 yearling weight bull of his crop. N413's daughters are owned by Chase Beeby, Dana Russell and Chad Beeley.
- * The sire of C175 is a Rave son that we liked and retained for use - he comes from a strong cow family with lots of longevity - his dam recently weaned an 827 pound bull calf at 11 years of age!



2025 Cream of the Crop

Hoover Angus was voted "Best Angus Breeder" in Iowa as well as the coveted "Best Overall Breeder" in Iowa Farmer Today's Best of Iowa - Cream of the Crop Awards. This year's contest had thousands of nominations and tens of thousands of votes cast. Thanks to those who voted for us!



Dear Autocorrect:

Please learn more bovine jargon.

"Homer" is not riding the cows, but the GOMER is.

"Recip" cows are not "recipes". I promise.

The "caves" don't need checked for health and well-being, but the "calves" sure do!

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MISS ERICA ELLSTON C253

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048846 TATTOO: C253 3/3/2024

*RBM RAVE #HOOVER RAVE X151 Miss Erica Ellston N269	*Jindra Acclaim #RBM Polly B66 #Mogck Bullseye #Miss Erica Ellston H25	BW 78 ADJ. 205/WR 725/104 ADJ. 365/YR 1029/108 %IMF/Ratio 4.01/103 RE/Ratio 9.9/94
#*MOGCK Entice MISS ERICA ELLSTON V20 Miss Erica Ellston M66	#SydGen Enhance #*MOGCK Erica 2255 #Connealy Direct Deposit Miss Erica Ellston F61	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+9	+2.1	+87	+155	+1.1	+1.32	+9	+20	+26	
30%		10%	10%	10%	25%			20%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
-.02	+49	+49	+71	+51	+001	+75	+97	+152	+272
2%						30%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-98	5-100	3-102	2-\$6125	None	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 18, 2026.
- * C253 is a long bodied, calm temperament heifer that will put some frame and growth in her progeny. She will be good for rescue country, as she has the 2nd lowest (best) Hair Shed (HS) EPD of any female to sell!
- * C253 also fares very well in the Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPD and ties with the second-best HP EPD of any female to sell!
- * Dam V20 is a fertile cow with a 362 day calving interval on her 5 calves. Her 2025 heifer calf by Galactic is a nice one! V20's sons work for Loehner Family Farms and Mark Lents, both repeat customers. V20 and her twin sister both work in the Hoover herd.
- * V20 was one of the top weaning weight heifers of her crop and turned in the 5th top yearling weight!
- * Grandam M66 was a fertile cow too with a 363 day calving interval on her 8 calvings. She was always a calm, gentle cow at calving time.



Gwen had a blast as the Ringgold County Fair Princess!



Gwen & Ty are too young for 4-H, but take a bottle calf or bottle lamb to the fair each year in the Pee Wee Wrangler Show.



SPRING BRED HEIFERS

149 ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON C249

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: 21048842 TATTOO: C249 3/3/2024

#*Bruns Top Cut 373 HOOVER TOP CUT S1 #Miss Erica Ellston L102	*Bruns Uppercut 610 #Dakota Miss 669 Baf #*Hoover Dam Miss Erica Ellston J118	BW 90 ADJ. 205/WR 691/99 ADJ. 365/YR 990/104 %IMF/Ratio 3.17/81 RE/Ratio 12.1/115
*Hoover Headliner J32 ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON R326 Elbamere Queen Ellston L256	*SydGen C C & 7 #Blkcp Empress Ellston C109 SydGen Journey 8200 #Elbamere Queen Ellston F168	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+7	+1.7	+58	+111	+9	+11	+9	+38	+25	
				20%				2%	25%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+49	+51	+35	+31	+1.09	-.026	+72	+97	+142	+256
				5%	15%	15%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	8-106	8-100	4-101	2-\$4650	2-\$4550	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 27, 2026.
- * C249 is a long, feminine fronted heifer that is just the right size. She is certainly a big ribeye heifer, scanning 1.21" of ribeye per hundred pounds of body weight!
- * C249 ties as the 2nd top Milk EPD female to sell!
- * Dam R326 is starting to get up in her years, but is still going strong with a 366 day calving interval on her 8 progeny. She serves as the herd's 6th top ribeye ratio cow with 4-109 ribeye ratio!
- * R326 progeny work for Hilltop Stock Farms, Terry Shaffer, Glenn Troendle, and Doug Gross.
- * Sire S1 was a herd sire we owned with the Mickey family in Illinois, where he saw use in both herds for many years. His dam, a Pathfinder, was one of the great cows of her day for bringing in one of the best calves of the crop each year.
- * Trace this cow family back to the great N46 cow who has put 27 daughter descendants in the Hoover herd. N46 was a Pathfinder, and gave rise to 12 more Pathfinder descendants - what an amazing accomplishment!



151 BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON C262

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048849 TATTOO: C262 3/5/2024

*MOGCK Fortress 517 *MOGCK EMPIRE 110 *MOGCK Eraline 1748	*K C F Bennett Fortress *Mogck Rosebud 1545 #SydGen Enhance #*Mogck Eraline 855	BW 67 ADJ. 205/WR 665/95 ADJ. 365/YR 894/93 %IMF/Ratio 4.06/104 RE/Ratio 11.0/105
*RAML Optics 0710 *BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON A273 *Blueblood Lady Ellston V11	*RAML Rangefinder 7536 **RAML Ruby 710 **Hoover Cut Above P427 Blueblood Lady Ellston M3	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+12	-1.4	+76	+124	+3	+63	+13	+22	+32
				10%				3%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+59	+45	+62	+83	+98	+003	+92	+112	+179	+324
				25%	10%	25%	30%	20%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-98	2-97	1-93	None	None	None

GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction
	13-100	13-106	12-104	1-\$8000	1-\$5000

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 21, 2026.
- * C262 is thick and a bit more moderate framed. She is a 20th generation bred, born, and raised Hoover female! Where else in America can you find a cow family that has been reared by the same family for 20 generations?
- * C262 ties as the 5th top Docility EPD female to sell!
- * Dam A273 is a near perfect-udered cow who had C262 as her first calf. Her next calf weaned at 768 pounds, but was just too young to make the bull pen. A273 bred back quicker this past year and will calve earlier in 2026.
- * Grandam V11 is a heavy milking cow whose son works for repeat customer Wayne Reinhart - this bull was the 4th top weaning weight bull of his crop! V11's other daughter, who was also one of the top weaning weight calves of her crop, works for Jonathan Ernst. Check out V11's 2025 son - he sells as Lot 10.
- * Between C262's 4th and 9th generation dams, there are five Pathfinder dams as you trace down the dam's cow line - this is an extremely rare occurrence to have 5 out of 6 dams in a row earn the honor, and certainly a testament to their fertility and productivity!
- * Great grandam M3, now owned by Bo Slovek in South Dakota, put 7 replacement daughters in the Hoover herd. M3's greatest claim to fame was producing the \$39,000 top-selling bull of our 2018 sale.
- * I have to mention 4th generation dam H118. At 12 years of age, she raised the #1 weaning weight heifer of the entire crop at 798 pounds! How can we ask for more? Her 7 progeny to come to auction averaged over \$12,000 - a whopping feat for a cow this age!



150 ERICA OF ELLSTON C272

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048854 TATTOO: C272 3/9/2024

*Mohnen General 548 *MOHNEN GENERAL LEE Mohnen Jilt 1848	#*Baldridge Colonel C251 *S A V Madame Pride 5290 #*S A V Sensation 5615 #Mohnen Jilt 2504	BW 72 ADJ. 205/WR 688/99 ADJ. 365/YR 963/101 %IMF/Ratio 4.13/106 RE/Ratio 10.9/104
*Frey's Cowboy Logic ERICA OF ELLSTON X449 Erica of Ellston T423	*HA Cowboy Up 5405 *F A R Princess 148Z #*Baldridge 38 Special Erica of Ellston R430	

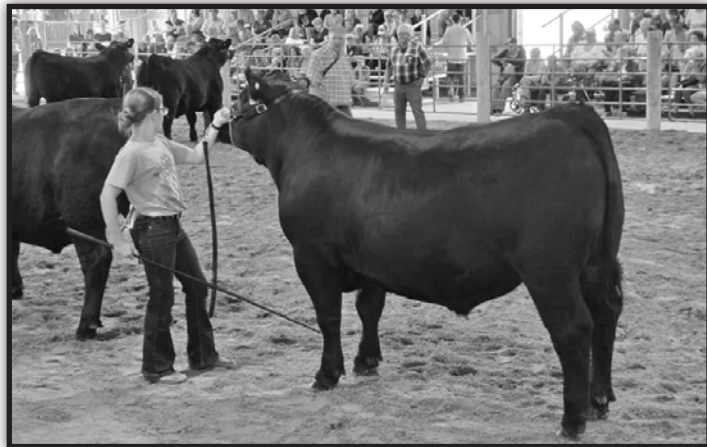
CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+6	+1.4	+80	+127	+6	+1.65	+4	+23	+14
				20%				10%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+86	+52	+34	+56	+56	+010	+86	+66	+115	+235
				4%				15%	

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-97	1-99	1-101	None	None	None

GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction
	5-95	5-104	4-101	None	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 18, 2026.
- * C272 is a soft-made heifer with plenty of length. She's a tank! She has a pretty Angus head.
- * Dam X449 was a high performing female, weaning at 750 pounds to be the 6th top weaning heifer of her crop and YW 988 pounds to be the 3rd top YW heifer. Her first bull calf weaned at 795 pounds.
- * Grandam T423 is a picture-perfect cow with a nice udder. Her most recent daughter is a pretty Empire female slated for the replacement herd.
- * My footnotes generally get plenty long, so I don't talk about the sires or the service sires in the heifers' footnotes, but please refer to our sire directory glued in the front of your catalog or www.hooverangus.com for more information on them. The Hoover Angus website details 28 of our past and present sires.



Congratulations to Brinnly Rea for winning Champion Rate of Gain at the Allamakee County Fair with her steer gaining 4.73 pounds per day! This steer was sired by Hoover 38 Special Z3, purchased by Brinnly's parents, Matt & Becky Rea, from our 2022 sale. This bull was one of the last sons of the great Erica of Ellston G366 cow, who would be 17 years old if still living - and her growth genetics still come through strong!



Elbamere Queen Ellston N431
Pathfinder Hoover Donor
Dam of Lot 152



Elbamere Queen Ellston G461
Pictured at 15 years of age
Grandam of Lot 152

153 ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON C250
SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048843 TATTOO: C250 3/3/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	76
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	684/98
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	1004/105
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	3.88/99
*2XL Weigh Up 7113	#*Plattmere Weigh Up K360	RE/Ratio	11.6/110
*ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON X495	*2XL LGL Lilly 4133		
Elbamere Queen Ellston G461	#*SydGen C C & 7		
	#Elbamere Queen Ellston D507		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+10	+1.0	+76	+136	+9	+1.59	+8	+36	+26	
20%		30%	25%	20%	15%		4%	20%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+52	+57	+51	+73	+89	+009	+76	+73	+134	+250
25%									

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-109	2-103	2-106	1-\$4500	None	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Hoover Choice, due approximately March 17, 2026.
- * C250 is a long bodied, square-made heifer and one of 6 spring bred heifers to sell from Legitimate's first crop (and we are certainly excited about getting these Legitimate daughters in production - we think they will make excellent cows)!
- * C250 has one of the highest Milk EPDs of any female to sell! She is also among the 19 females to sell that offers a Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPD in the best 1-5% of the breed.
- * Dam X495 is a bigger framed cow with a nice udder and calm temperament. John Probasco selected her first son, and C250 was X495's second calf. X495 has a 358 day calving interval.
- * Please read about tremendous grandam G461 turned donor (at 15 years of age) in the bottom of Lot 152's footnote.



152 ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON C213
SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048825 TATTOO: C213 2/24/2024

#*Deer Valley Growth Fund	#*Basin Payweight 1682	BW	81
HIGH POINT INVESTOR	*Deer Valley Rita 36113	ADJ. 205/WR	659/95
High Point Mimi 777	#*V A R Generation 2100	ADJ. 365/YR	899/94
	S A F Mimi 044-M94	%IMF/Ratio	2.97/76
#*Basin Excitement	+Basin Expedition R156	RE/Ratio	9.1/87
*ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON N431	Basin Lady S532 AK		
Elbamere Queen Ellston G461	#*SydGen C C & 7		
	#Elbamere Queen Ellston D507		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+7	+1.0	+77	+133	+8	+91	+7	+32	+33	
		30%	30%	25%			15%	2%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+75	+62	+48	+49	+55	+010	+77	+106	+151	+273
25% 30%									

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	9-112	9-106	7-105	8-\$9450	1-\$9500	2-105

- * Ultrasound safe to Hoover Choice, due approximately March 14, 2026.
- * C213 is a long bodied female and a maternal sister to the top-selling bull of our 2025 sale (see B440's picture on Empire's page in our herd sire directory)! C213 ties with the 3rd highest Docility EPD and 3rd highest Functional Longevity (FL) EPD of any female to sell!
- * Pathfinder donor dam N431 is one of my all-time favorites! She is a beautiful, feminine, excellent uddered female that puts superior growth in her progeny! Numerous progeny of hers were among the top calves of their respective crops for weaning and/or yearling weight.
- * This cow family has been one of the most prolific cow families at Hoover Angus where the Elbamere Queens can be counted on to bring in one of the very best calves of the crop each year.
- * One N431 daughter in the Hoover herd has excellent mothering skills and raised the 4th top weaning weight, #1 yearling weight heifer of her crop last year!
- * N431's fertility is exemplified by her 364 day calving interval on 7 calves before we pulled her out of production for one season to flush her.
- * N431's progeny work for Bruner Angus, Jeremy Loving, Brandon & Lori Hardman, Shane Triggs, Darwin Germann, Jared Richman, Don Williams, John Palmer, and Mark Lents.
- * Grandam G461 was made a donor at 15 years of age and then retired at 16. G461 was selected to be a donor because of her tremendous longevity, disposition, foot and udder quality, and progeny performance. She was the oldest living cow at Hoover Angus at the time. The picture of her above was taken just shy of 16 years of age. What a cow!
- * G461 recorded a 360 day calving interval on her 14 calvings and an average 106 weaning ratio on her progeny. G461 put four replacement daughters in the Hoover herd.
- * G461 was the #1 weaning weight heifer of her crop, and has raised 4 sons or daughters among the top 4 weaning weight calves of their respective crops at Hoover Angus!



This year, the American Angus Association began the **Data Driven herd recognition program**, in which Hoover Angus was one of the 20 herds in the nation (among 21,000 members) to receive the highest level of achievement, the **Gold Award**. Gold Award recipients have submitted a minimum of 12 traits in addition to whole-herd reporting through Maternal Plus®. See the back of our sire directory to see the traits Hoover Angus collects and submits.

The AAA reported 1,302,350 data points were submitted in 2025. Hoover Angus submitted nearly 7000 data points - 1/2 of 1% of the total!

2025 Gold Herds

- Branch View Angus, KY
- Dalebanks Angus Inc, KS
- Fuller Angus Ranch, OK
- Grassy Valley Farm, TN
- Hoover Angus Farm, IA
- LakeView Farms, AR
- Maples Stock Farm, AL
- Meinders Stock Farms, IA
- Mill Brae Ranch LLC, KS
- Montana Ranch LLC, MT
- Oak Hollow, KW
- Danny Poss, NE
- Providence Angus Farm, VA
- Rocking M Farm, IA
- The Biltmore Company, NC
- W 3 Ranch, OK
- Weaver Family Angus, MN
- Werner Family Angus, IA
- Yon Family Farms, SC



Hoover Attraction
Owned by Mickey Angus
\$15,000 Sire of Lots 126,
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155 **MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON C276**
SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048866 TATTOO: C276 3/9/2024

#*MOGCK Entice *HOOVER ATTRACTION Queen of Ellston S22	#SydGen Enhance #*MOGCK Erica 2255 *SydGen Sizzle #Queen of Ellston K11 *MOGCK Empire 110 *MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON A166 Miss Blackcap Ellston S255	#SydGen Enhance #*MOGCK Erica 2255 *SydGen Sizzle #Queen of Ellston K11 *MOGCK Fortress 517 *MOGCK Eraline 1748 #*Brunns Top Cut 373 Miss Blackcap Ellston 195G	BW 72 ADJ. 205/WR 678/97 ADJ. 365/YR 934/98 %IMF/Ratio 3.74/96 RE/Ratio 10.7/102
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CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+9	+5	+78	+129	+4	+1.98	+9	+29	+29
30%		25%			3%		30%	10%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+0.03	+4.9	+5.4	+7.7	+1.17	-.034	+73	+118	+187	+316
3%				10%	10%		15%	25%	20%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-103	2-102	1-98	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	6-97	6-101	6-101	2-\$5000		2-\$8500

- * Ultrasound safe to Mohnen Force 6473, due approximately April 2, 2026.
- * C276 is a soggy, deep-chested female. Although she is legal for registry, she does have white on her udder and some right behind her navel.
- * C276 is one of the lowest (best) Hair Shed EPD females to sell, indicating she would work well in fescue country. She is also one of the largest Ribeye EPD females to sell!
- * Dam A166 was a first calf heifer with C276. A166 is a picture-perfect uddered young female that is a nice, calm cow to work with at calving time. An ideal cow! Her 2025 son that weaned at 826 pounds sells as Lot 86. A166 has a 357 day calving interval with these two calves and is on track to calve even earlier this spring.
- * Grandam S255 has put two daughters in the herd, and one featured daughter works for Deep Creek Angus Ranch. This heifer was the 6th top weaning weight, 3rd top yearling weight heifer of her crop and TJ reports she is a great cow! S255's other progeny work for repeat customers Clint Welsh, Mitch Weymiller, and the Claiser & Kelley family.
- * Great grandam 195G produced until the ripe age of 13 with 12 calves on record at a 366 day calving interval. She did what she was supposed to do year after year, and did it with an excellent udder!



154 **MISS ERICA ELLSTON C218**
SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048827 TATTOO: C218 2/25/2024

#*MOGCK Entice *HOOVER ATTRACTION Queen of Ellston S22	#SydGen Enhance #*MOGCK Erica 2255 *SydGen Sizzle #Queen of Ellston K11 #**Basin Payweight 1682 **Deer Valley Rita 36113 *Freys Cowboy Logic #Miss Erica Ellston P313	BW 82 ADJ. 205/WR 761/109 ADJ. 365/YR 1014/106 %IMF/Ratio 3.67/94 RE/Ratio 10.9/104
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CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+3.8	+89	+158	+1.0	+1.38	+5	+33	+29
		10%	10%	10%	20%		10%	10%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+0.06	+3.6	+4.8	+1.3	+8.2	+0.020	+86	+112	+142	+270
4%	10%					15%	25%		

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-105	2-104	1-106	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-96	3-101	3-102	1-\$6000		None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 23, 2026.
- * C218 has lots of length from nose to tail! She is a super slick haired heifer that is the right kind to start or grow a herd with!
- * C218 was the 9th top weaning weight heifer of the crop! Her growthy genetics earned her the 3rd highest YW EPD of any female to sell.
- * C218 is one of the lowest (best) Hair Shed EPD females to sell, indicating she would work well in fescue country.
- * Dam A217 was a heavy milking first calf heifer with C218. Her next calf is a nice Galactic son. A217 has a 351 day calving interval on her first two calves, which will shorten up even more in 2026.
- * Grandam X62 produced the 3rd top IMF bull of our 2024 sale selling to long-time repeat customer Tracy Shaffer. A beautiful daughter is featured as Lot 170.
- * Great grandam P313 has 9 calves on record with a 363 day calving interval and she is still going strong! Her 2025 calf was younger, but weaned at 808 pounds! He sells as Lot 87.
- * P313's sons work for Bryant Cottrill, Andy Stein, Don Obermuller, Curt Johnson and Steve Medlin.



HOOVER ANGUS FAMILY:
170 YEARS OF FAMILY FARMED GROUND
(6 GENERATIONS OF THE HOOVER FAMILY)
98 YEARS OF QUALITY ANGUS CATTLE
(4 GENERATIONS OF THE HOOVER FAMILY)

THANKS TO THE FULL AND PART TIME CREW THAT KEEPS US RUNNING!



Ann Newberry and
Mike Pudlo



David Hoyt



Derek Jones



Jeff Livingston



Franklin Akers



Andrew & Landi

SPRING BRED HEIFERS





MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON C221 - LOT 156

156 MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON C221

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21050902 TATTOO: C221 2/25/2024

#*K C F Bennett Southside	#Nichols Extra K205	BW	75
#*MEAD MAGNITUDE	#*K C F Miss 208 S11	ADJ. 205/WR	657/94
#*Mead Primrose N198	#*Plattemere Weigh Up K360	ADJ. 365/YR	988/103
	#Mead Primrose K247	%IMF/Ratio	4.42/113
#*MOGCK Entice	#SydGen Enhance	RE/Ratio	10.9/104
MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON V17	#*MOGCK Erica 2255		
Miss Blackbird Ellston L52	#*Hoover Dam		
	Miss Blackbird Ellston C224		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+7	-5	+74	+136	+7	+1.03	+8	+29	+26
15%		25%		30%		20%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+53	+45	+50	+77	+89	-018	+96	+102	+166	+311
15%		4%		25%					

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-101	4-96	3-100	None	1-\$3750	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 25, 2026.
- * C221 is an easy fleshing, big bodied, super long heifer. She's one of the best! She has a nicely balanced set of EPDs and indexes. C221 offers one of the top Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPDs in a sale where over 20% of the females that sell rank in the best 1-5% of the breed for this trait! She also ties as the 3rd top Functional Longevity (FL) female to sell.
- * Dam V17 is an easy fleshing cow with a 368 day calving interval. C221 is her second photo feature daughter; her first was a featured open heifer in our 2023 sale selling to Ethan Medenwald.
- * V17's twin sister was the 4th top weaning weight heifer of her crop!
- * Grandam L52 put 5 daughters in our replacement herd, which is as many as any non-donor cow! She was a great 'ole Hoover Dam daughter that just kept going and going.
- * Great grandam C224 had a perfect 365 day calving interval on her 10 calves, and a picture-perfect udder even into old age.
- * Sire Magnitude was one of the few outside AI sires we have used in recent years. Alan Mead reports the Magnitude females make heavier milking, excellent cows.



157 MISS ERICA ELLSTON C295

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: 21048863 TATTOO: C295 3/20/2024

#*Baldridge 38 Special	#*EF Commando 1366	BW	86
HOOVER SPECIAL EDITION S454	*Baldridge Isabel Y69	ADJ. 205/WR	700/100
#Edella of Ellston N473	#Connealy Direct Deposit	ADJ. 365/YR	945/99
	Edella of Ellston K264	%IMF/Ratio	4.43/114
#Connealy Impact	#*Connealy Impression	RE/Ratio	8.2/78
#MISS ERICA ELLSTON P163	#Elza of Conanga 8265		
Miss Erica Ellston M240	*Hoover Emperor		
	#Miss Erica Ellston K228		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+1.4	+68	+122	+9	+58	+3	+20	+27
20%		15%						

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+67	+49	+42	+48	+64	+005	+55	+75	+120	+211
25%									

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	9-113	9-103	5-101	1-\$2750	3-\$5850	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately February 27, 2026.
- * C295 is a level-topped heifer with a nice small head to aid in calving ease.
- * Pathfinder dam P163 is still rocking along at 10 years of age raising big calves with a calving interval less than 365 days. This past fall she weaned an 872 pound bull calf to be the 4th top weaning weight bull of his crop!
- * Longevity comes in from both sides of this pedigree, as paternal grandmother N473, also a Pathfinder, is still working in the Hoover herd at 11 years of age and hasn't missed a beat! In this catalog, 31 lots have a dam that is 10+ years of age. THAT is longevity.
- * Beginning with great grandam K228, there are three consecutive generations of Pathfinder cows down the dam's side of this pedigree (and look how many Hoover-owned sires earned the honor back there too!)



158 MISS ERICA ELLSTON C300

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048860 TATTOO: C300 3/25/2024

*Mohnen General 548	#*Baldridge Colonel C251	BW	82
*MOHNE GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	720/103
Mohnen Jill 1848	#*S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	1000/105
	#Mohnen Jill 2504	%IMF/Ratio	3.49/89
*RBM RAVE	#*Jindra Acclaim	RE/Ratio	9.1/87
MISS ERICA ELLSTON Z62	#RBM Polly B66		
#Miss Erica Ellston P313	#*Mogck Bullseye		
	Miss Erica Ellston L105		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+9	+8	+82	+145	+6	+1.32	+13	+29	+25	
30%		20%		15%		10%		25%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+26	+48	+32	+51	+65	-041	+86	+99	+150	+281
20%		3%		5%		15%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-97	2-100	2-104	None	None	None

GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction
	9-104	9-105	8-100	5-\$3350	1-\$2900

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 21, 2026.
- * C300 is a good temperament heifer that has added bone and length. The General Lee females have made nice uddered, beautiful young cows, and I would expect C300 to be the same. She's a couple months younger than the oldest heifers, but that won't affect her ability to raise a good calf!
- * Although PAP is not a concern for the vast majority of our customers, if you are raising cattle at altitude, C300 has the best PAP EPD projection of all the spring bred heifers selling.
- * Dam Z62 is an easy-going cow whose first son weaned at 711 pounds and C300 was her second calf.
- * Pathfinder grandam P313 has 9 calves on record with a 363 day calving interval and she is still going strong! Her 2025 calf was younger, but weaned at 808 pounds! He sells as Lot 87.
- * P313's sons work for Bryant Cottrill, Andy Stein, Don Obermueller, Curt Johnson and Steve Medlin.



ALL bred females selling in this sale will NOT require an A.I. certificate to be purchased by the new owner in order to register her calf. Females due with an A.I. calf are sold with A.I. breeding privilege to save you time and expense.



SPRING BRED HEIFERS

Hoover Entice V125
Owned by Belle Point Ranch
\$20,000 Maternal Brother to
Lot 159



Maid of Ellston B172
Owned by Jandel Ranch
\$6000 Full Sister to Lot 160



159 **BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON C225**
SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048830 TATTOO: C225 2/25/2024

#**Deer Valley Growth Fund HIGH POINT INVESTOR High Point Mimi 777	#**Basin Payweight 1682 *Deer Valley Rita 36113 *V A R Generation 2100 S A F Mimi 044-M94	BW 78 ADJ. 205/WR 760/109 ADJ. 365/YR 981/103 %IMF/Ratio 4.57/117 RE/Ratio 9.6/91
#**Baldrige 38 Special #BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON S117 Blackcap Empress Ellston P42	#*EF Commando 1366 *Baldrige Isabel V69 #*Mogck Bullseye #Blkcp Empress Ellston H142	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+7	+1.2	+81	+138	+1.2	+1.21	+15	+25	+27
		20%	25%	3%	30%	3%		15%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+60	+39	+34	+60	+19	+051	+72	+77	+120	+228
	15%	4%							

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	6-100	6-105	5-103	3-\$10,500	None	1-96

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Promise 1844, due approximately February 21, 2026.
- * C225 is a bigger framed, high performing heifer. Despite her bigger frame, she still has enough body to go along with it!
- * C225 tied as the 10th top weaning weight heifer of her crop! Better yet, she ties as the 5th top CEM EPD female to sell! C225 also has some of the best foot EPD combinations in the sale and one of the highest Functional Longevity (FL) EPDs.
- * Pathfinder dam S117 has produced two photo feature sons, selling to Belle Point Ranch and Chris Nelson. Dan McCorkle selected a third son. She is a highly productive cow as three of her progeny have been among the top 15 adjusted weaning weight calves of their respective crops.
- * Grandam P42 was a fertile cow with a 366 day calving interval. Her progeny work for Layne Robinson and partner Six Mile Ranch in Canada, Twin States Ranch, John Stender, and David Stormer.
- * P42 is an easy-going cow that doesn't get in a hurry.
- * Pathfinder great grandam H142 has been retired for several years, but produced 3 sons averaging \$7100, selling to Varley Angus, Matthew Strueby, and Leo & Randy Huninghake. She ended her career with a 358 day calving interval.
- * Read about C225's ancestor, the great C57 cow, in the bottom of Lot 121's footnote. This cow family has been one of the most successful in the history of Hoover Angus!
- * Eight Pathfinders are found in C225's three generation pedigree!



160 **MAID OF ELLSTON C288**
SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: *21048865 TATTOO: C288 3/15/2024

#**Musgrave 316 Stunner *E L K TROPHYCLASS *Pine Coulee Black Annie U7	#**LD Capitalist 316 #MCATL Blackbird 831-1378 #*Connealy Onward War Hill Blackbone Annie	BW 85 ADJ. 205/WR 720/103 ADJ. 365/YR 1019/107 %IMF/Ratio 3.83/98 RE/Ratio 10.3/98
#*MOGCK Entice *MAID OF ELLSTON V100 Maid of Ellston R85	#SydGen Enhance #*MOGCK Erica 2255 #*Basin Excitement #Maid of Ellston L210	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+2	+3.1	+80	+139	+8	+1.63	+1	+33	+28
		20%	25%	25%	10%		10%	15%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+30	+56	+52	+66	+1.00	+023	+65	+104	+161	+274
				25%					

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-110	5-100	3-101	None	2-\$5375	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately February 18, 2026.
- * C288 is a wide-based heifer that fills her tracks when she walks. She has nice depth of body and will make a productive cow.
- * Dam V100 is a beefy cow with a 366 day calving interval. Erin Taylor purchased her last fall as a later-calving cow. V100's daughter the year before was a photo feature selling to repeat customer Jade Jandel in South Dakota. Douglas Hartwig owns V100's other daughter.
- * This Maid cow family has been solid for generations – grandam and great grandam (a Pathfinder) had a 363 and 356 day calving interval, respectively. Fourth generation dam B155 recorded a 362 day calving interval on her 11 progeny. She was a thick, beefy cow that put 5 replacement daughters in our herd. Next down the line was the great Pathfinder S34 cow that recorded 14-108 WR and had a 359 day calving interval at the end of her career! She brought 10 sons to auction. Those are profitable cattle!
- * Nine Pathfinders are found in this 3-generation pedigree!



A Year of Optimism

The following are highlights from Mark McCully's article in the December, 2025 Angus Journal. Mark serves as the CEO of the American Angus Association.

- Beef demand is at a 40-year high! Certified Angus Beef® had its 3rd best year ever, selling 1.235 billion pounds and the 10th straight year selling over 1 billion pounds!
- Angus bull sales (reported to the AAA) in FY 2025 were up \$1200 from the prior year and nearly double 2020 prices!
- AngusLink continues to gain traction in the marketplace allowing feeders to know more about the genetics they are buying. Premiums through summer video sales averaged over \$20/cwt.
- The AAA has seen a tremendous amount of new members, with nearly 1/3 of the membership new to the Association in the last five years.

EPDs (Expected Progeny Differences) are objective, science-based predictions created by an independent third party (the American Angus Association) used to help describe the Angus cattle population. More specifically, they are used to describe an animal's progeny relative to another animal's progeny.

Learn more about EPDs and accuracies at :

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High Point Investor
Sire of Lot 161

161 BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON C297

SPRING BRED HEIFER REG: 21048856 TATTOO: C297 3/22/2024

HIGH POINT INVESTOR
High Point Mimi 777

##Deer Valley Growth Fund
##Basin Payweight 1682
##Deer Valley Rita 36113
##V A R Generation 2100
S A F Mimi 044-M94

##Hoover Top Gun
BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON S522
Blkcp Empress Ellston N419

##Bruns Top Cut 373
*Blackcap Empress Ellston J54
*Hoover Emperor
#Blkcp Empress Ellston F501

BW	74
ADJ. 205/WR	656/94
ADJ. 365/YR	928/97
%IMF/Ratio	4.17/107
RE/Ratio	10.6/101

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+1.2	+57	+95	+6	+42	+13	+27	+8

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+78	+57	+39	+45	+24	+011	+80	+57	+96	+205

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-99	2-97	1-97	None	None	None

- * Ultrasound safe to Hoover Choice, due approximately April 25, 2026.
- * C297 is a wide based, level topped, attractive profiling heifer.
- * C297 has one of the top Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPDs of any female selling!
- * Dam has an unusual story at Hoover Angus. She was the last heifer of her crop to be born, and was orphaned to boot. These two things coupled together meant she was too small for breeding in her proper season, so we rolled S522 to the spring season, and made her a recip. Evidently I'm a slow learner, as it took me four years to realize what a good job S522 was doing as a recip (her 2 sons and 2 daughters averaged a 732 pound weaning weight). We moved her out of recip status and she produced the nice C297 heifer and this year the Lot 81 bull.
- * S522 is a slow and easy-going cow.
- * Third and fourth generation dams both earned Pathfinder honors.



Hoover Angus hosted the 2025 National Cattle Dog Finals in October. The highlight was having the entire Mount Ayr Elementary (250 students) out to view the dog trials and learn about agriculture. Gwen and Ty used Gwen's bottle calf to share cattle knowledge with their respective grades!

162 MISS ERICA ELLSTON C405

FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269144 TATTOO: C405 8/16/2024

##Tehama Patriarch F028
***CHERRY CRK BLUE COLLAR G275**
Cherry Crk Envita B211 S

##S S Niagara Z29
Tehama Elite Blackbird D826
##*KM Broken Bow 002
+Cherry Crk Envita 1042 S

##*Hoover No Doubt
MISS ERICA ELLSTON S195
Miss Erica Ellston B297

##*Mogck Bullseye
*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2
H&K Neutron T137
#Miss Erica Ellston T215

BW	61
ADJ. 205/WR	623/90
ADJ. 365/YR	820/85
%IMF/Ratio	4.29/67
RE/Ratio	9.8/92

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+5	+1.0	+62	+108	+1	+1.38	+10	+15	+26

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+52	+45	+39	+63	+79	+018	+57	+84	+138	+236

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	6-87	6-97	5-95	2-\$3900	1-\$4250	None

- * Al to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 15, 2025.
- * C405 is a more moderate framed, nice footed heifer.
- * Sire Blue Collar was chosen as an "outside Al sire" on some bigger cows that needed a little more moderation.
- * Dam S195 has excellent mothering skills - she is always right with her calf, yet she's gentle and not the least bit aggressive to humans. She's a bigger cow, but has tremendous depth of rib to go along with it.
- * S195's progeny work in three different states for Craig & Chad Davison, Ryan Kliethermes, and Keith Groshong, all repeat customers.
- * Grandam B297 has been gone for many years now, but she was also a super deep-sided, broody cow. She ended her career with 14 progeny at a perfect 365 day calving interval! She brought an unprecedented 4 photo feature sons to auction, and averaged \$5500 on her 6 sons - an impressive figure for a cow who would be 23 years old if still living!



163 MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON C426

FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269152 TATTOO: C426 8/23/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39
***DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203**
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013

##Woodhill Blueprint
Myers Miss Beauty M136
##Basin Rainmaker 4404
#Deep Creek MP Lass 933

#Connealy Impact
MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON R73
#Miss Blackcap Ellston C446

##*Connealy Impression
#Elza of Conanga 8265
#Roth Famous 1006
Miss Blackcap Ellston V180

BW	85
ADJ. 205/WR	676/98
ADJ. 365/YR	948/99
%IMF/Ratio	5.12/80
RE/Ratio	11.1/105

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+0	+2.5	+70	+114	+8	+1.66	+9	+25	+14

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+43	+44	+50	+47	+57	+010	+65	+69	+113	+212

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	7-107	7-97	6-98	2-\$5625	2-\$4375	None

- * Al to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 16, 2025.
- * C426 got Al bred the day I am writing this footnote, and I realized what a nice heifer she was! Sure, she has low EPDs because the bottom of her pedigree has some pretty "old" cows which are unfairly penalized by the genetic evaluation that creates our EPDs, but these cows have stood the test of time! C426 is a deep bodied heifer that looks like a great cow in the making.
- * C426 offers the 2nd largest Scrotal EPD in the fall heifer division - an important trait for early puberty.
- * Dam R73 raised C426 at 8 years of age, and I'd say she did a darn good job! R73 has excellent mothering skills as was noted in my calving book the first year she calved, it said, "best mother of the year"!
- * R73's progeny work for Ron & LuAnne Brown, Reiman Livestock, Ritter Angus Farm, and Jason Sieren, all repeat customers. Reiman's heifer was the #1 IMF scanning heifer of her crop, and R73 records an excellent 6-111 IMF ratio!
- * Pathfinder grandam C446 worked in the herd until 15 years of age, and the only reason she was culled at that time was because of a lump on her chin - otherwise her structure and udder were every bit as good as a cow half her age! The calf she raised at 15 years old weaned at 783 pounds! This is the type of cow America needs! She ended her career with a tremendous 106 average wean ratio on her calves.
- * Eight Pathfinders are found in C426's three-generation pedigree.



SPRING & FALL BRED HEIFERS



Erica of Ellston L5

Owned by Baldrige Performance Angus
Grandam of Lot 164; Great Grandam of Lot 165; Relative
of Lots 166-168



Erica of Ellston G366

Candid Picture at 8 years of age
Pathfinder Hoover Donor
Ancestor of Lots 164-168



ERICA OF ELLSTON C418 - LOT 164



Hoover Mahomes

Owned by Salt Fork Angus
\$15,500 Maternal Brother to
Lot 164

**PLEASE BRING THIS CATALOG
WITH YOU SALE DAY!**

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ERICA OF ELLSTON C418

FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269150 TATTOO: C418 8/21/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39
***DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203**
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013

#*Woodhill Blueprint
Myers Miss Beauty M136
#*Basin Rainmaker 4404
#Deep Creek MP Lass 933
#*Connealy Commander
#ERICA OF ELLSTON P44**
*Erica of Ellston L5
#*Connealy Consensus
Gespa of Conanga 9380
#**Connealy Counselor
#Erica of Ellston G366

BW	82
ADJ. 205/WR	739/107
ADJ. 365/YR	1029/107
%IMF/Ratio	9.30/145
RE/Ratio	10.9/103

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+4	+1.9	+77	+135	+1.0	+1.21	+4	+42	+16
		30%	30%	10%	30%		1%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+19	+41	+55	+1.02	+67	+0.24	+73	+103	+174	+299
		20%						30%	30%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	8-105	8-109	7-108	5-\$10,000	1-\$6500	1-98

* Hoover Angus reserves the right to one successful flush on this female (6 embryo minimum if conventional - preferred - or 10 if frozen IVF) at the buyer's convenience and Hoover Angus' expense.



* AI to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 16, 2025.

* C418 is a sale highlight and one of my favorites! She's a tank!

C418 has a very nice set of performance data and was one of the top

scanning IMF heifers of her crop.

* C418 is the #1 Milk EPD female to sell!

* Pathfinder dam P44, a working donor, ties as the 5th top indexing cow of the herd and is also 8th top for yearling weight ratios on her progeny!

* The Wise brothers from Texas selected P44's only daughter to come to auction who was the 6th top weaning weight heifer of her crop. P44's five sons averaging \$10,000 work for Brian Taglauer, Alta Genetics, Salt Fork Angus, Craig Eshelman, and Brice Erickson, 3 of which were photo features and several of which were among the very top calves of their crop for weaning weight and/or yearling weight.

* Grandam L5 produced 10 progeny sold by Hoover Angus to average a whopping \$24,100! Sons from Hoover Angus have worked at three AI studs: Alta Genetics, Select Sires, and Accelerated Genetics. After a successful career at Hoover Angus, L5 was purchased by Baldrige Performance Angus.

* L5 now has six Pathfinder daughters – three working Pathfinder donors in the Hoover herd, two in the Baldrige herd, and one working for Geidel Cattle Co.! This is an exceptionally rare feat!

* Superior udders run in this cow family, and the 5 generations of cows down the dam's side of this pedigree have been excellent uddered cows, even into old age. Great grandam G366's udder at over 12 years of age would rival most 3-4 year-old females in the breed today. Please see a picture of her udder on page __ and read about G366 in Lot 126's footnote. She is regarded as the best cow in our 98-year history.

* Each year, customers ask about what females in our sale would be good donor cows. In my opinion, that is certainly up to the customer depending on what their herd goals are and what traits are their priorities. Certainly, every heifer has her strengths and weaknesses. If a tremendous cow family, phenotype, and balanced EPDs are top of your list – there is none better than C418!



Erica of Ellston Z37

Owned by Moon Creek Farms and Hansine Ranch Partnership
\$36,000 Flush Sister to the Dam of Lot 165; Relative of Lots 164-168



Erica of Ellston Z40

Owned by Abernathy Ranches and William Vacek
\$30,000 Flush Sister to the Dam of Lot 165; Relative of Lots 164-168



Erica of Ellston Z33

Owned by S&J Farms
\$14,000 Flush Sister to the Dam of Lot 165; Relative of Lots 164-168



ERICA OF ELLSTON C433 - LOT 165



Erica of Ellston S7

Pathfinder Hoover Donor
Grandam of Lot 165; Relative of Lots 164-168



Erica of Ellston L5

Owned by Baldrige Performance Angus
Grandam of Lot 164; Great Grandam of Lot 165; Relative of Lots 166-168

- * AI to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 28, 2025.
- * C433 was the 6th top weaning weight of her crop – her exceptional length is where she packs in the pounds! She had the 3rd biggest ribeye scan of her crop! C433 is the #1 ribeye EPD animal to sell today! Check out the rest of her individual performance data – she aces it!
- * C433 has the highest Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPD of any fall heifer selling.
- * If you are raising cattle at altitude, C433 has the best PAP projection as anyone in the sale, ranking in the best 1% of the breed for that trait.
- * Dam Z54 was from a tremendous flush of females – her flush sisters sold for \$36,500 to Moon Creek & Hansine Ranch Partnership, \$30,000 to Abernathy Ranches & William Vacek, and \$14,000 to Nathan Lung! The Moon Creek heifer produced embryos that topped the embryo portion of their 2022 sale at \$1300/embryo – just 9 months after they purchased this heifer!
- * Z54's son was the 3rd top IMF bull of his contemporary group and sold to repeat customer Pat Hardy.
- * Z54 herself scanned a 13.6" ribeye to give her a phenomenal 1.33" of ribeye per hundred pounds of body weight!
- * Grandam S7 is easily among the best five living cows at Hoover Angus (maybe among the best five cows ever in production at Hoover Angus)! Her data sheets are getting so full of progeny sales it is hard to keep everything straight, but the info in the boxes above is accurate – she has sold six daughters to average nearly \$24,000 and 13 sons have averaged over \$11,000. She is one of only a few cows to gross well over a quarter million in progeny sales, and she's not done yet!
- * S7 started her career out strong, producing the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer of our 2019 crop that was the lead-off, top-selling female of our 2021 sale at \$32,000 to Pine View Angus.
- * S7 serves as a working donor and records 30-103 IMF ratio and 30-104 ribeye ratio. She recorded a 370 day calving interval at 5 years of age despite stealing flushes three separate years.
- * Please read about great grandam L5 in the footnote of Lot 164.
- * Fourth generation dam is G366, regarded as the best cow in our 98-year history! Please read more about her in the footnote of Lot 126.



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FALL BRED HEIFER

ERICA OF ELLSTON C433

REG: *21269155

TATTOO: C433

8/25/2024

#*Tehama Patriarch F028
***CHERRY CRK BLUE COLLAR G275**
Cherry Crk Envita B211 S

#**Hoover No Doubt
***ERICA OF ELLSTON Z54**
#**Erica of Ellston S7

#*S S Niagara Z29
Tehama Elite Blackbird D826
#**KM Broken Bow 002
+Cherry Crk Envita 1042 S

#*Mogck Bullseye
*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2
#**Baldrige 38 Special
*Erica of Ellston L5

BW	74
ADJ. 205/WR	767/111
ADJ. 365/YR	977/102
%IMF/Ratio	6.76/106
RE/Ratio	11.9/112

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+7	+2.3	+85	+146	+7	+1.13	+10	+18	+17
		15%	15%			30%		

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+67	+41	+44	+70	+1.49	-.046	+77	+119	+189	+322
		20%		2%	4%	25%	15%	20%	20%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-105	2-106	2-100	1-\$5500	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	5-97	5-104	5-103	13-\$11,300	6-\$23,950	



FALL BRED HEIFERS



Erica of Ellston R217
 Pathfinder Hoover Donor
 Grandam of Lot 166; Relative of Lots 164-168



Erica of Ellston N54
 Pathfinder Hoover Donor
 Great Grandam of Lot 166; Relative of Lots 164-168



Erica of Ellston T64
 Hoover Angus Donor
 Dam of Lot 167; Relative of Lots 164-168

166 **ERICA OF ELLSTON C403**
 FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269143 TATTOO: C403 8/15/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39 *DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203 Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	##Woodhill Blueprint Myers Miss Beauty M136 ##Basin Rainmaker 4404 #Deep Creek MP Lass 933	BW 65
*RAML Optics 0710 *ERICA OF ELLSTON A403 ##Erica of Ellston R217	##RAML Rangefinder 7536 *RAML Ruby 710 ##Bruns Top Cut 373 ##Erica of Ellston N54	ADJ. 205/WR 683/99
		ADJ. 365/YR 968/101
		%IMF/Ratio 11.45/179
		RE/Ratio 10.8/102

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+12	+1.0	+70	+115	+2	+04	+7	+32	+20
10%							15%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+51	+57	+52	+1.14	+1.00	-.010	+94	+92	+175	+321
			25%	25%	25%	5%		30%	20%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-101	1-99	1-101	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	6-94	6-103	6-104	8-\$9625	7-\$9000	

- * Al to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 18, 2025.
- * C403 is a moderate framed, deep bodied heifer that has the look of a beautiful cow in the making! She is a calm temperament heifer.
- * C403 was the #1 IMF scanning heifer of her crop! She has the 3rd top Marbling EPD of any female to sell today!
- * C403 has the 2nd highest Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPD of any fall heifer to sell!
- * Dam A403 was a first calf heifer with C403 and one of the first to calve of the season.
- * A standout maternal brother to A403 sells as feature Lot 102.
- * Pathfinder donor grandam R217 is certainly a low birth weight cow whose calves grow rapidly. You can see by her progeny sales in the boxes above that her progeny are very well accepted at auction! Progeny work for Brian Taglauer, Ron & LuAnne Brown, Karla Rogen, Tom Wallum (2), Chris Nelson, Lloyd Baxley, Brandon Taglauer, Jody Martens (2), Lynden Smith, Trent Deutmeyer, Murray Farms Inc., High Point Genetics and Crawford Angus. Numerous of these were photo features.
- * Beginning with R217, there are three consecutive generations of Pathfinder donor cows down the dam's side of the pedigree – what a rare find in the breed today! There are many cows deemed good enough to be donor cows in our breed, but I'd be curious to know how many are Pathfinders and backed by Pathfinders. Less than 1% of current Angus dams earn the Pathfinder honor in any given year.
- * Pathfinder donor great grandam N54 is my favorite cow in the herd. She'll turn 12 years old by sale time and is still going strong! We have stolen several flushes from N54 and then in 2024 pulled her out of production for 6 months to harvest more embryos. She has an exceptional udder and feet. She has put 6 daughters in the herd, which we are very proud of!
- * Both R217 and N54 are more moderate framed, super deep bodied cows that epitomize the image of the ideal Angus cow. Feminine fronted, beautiful uddered, and soggy. They calve on schedule and bring in a big calf every year.
- * Please read about great grandam G366 in the footnote of Lot 126. She has influenced 14% of today's auction!



167 **ERICA OF ELLSTON C497**
 FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269176 TATTOO: C497 9/17/2024

##Musgrave 316 Stunner *E L K TROPHYCLASS *Pine Coulee Black Annie U7	##*LD Capitalist 316 #MCATL Blackbird 831-1378 ##Connealy Onward War Hill Blackbone Annie ##*EF Commando 1366 *Baldridge Isabel Y69 ##Basin Excitement #Erica of Ellston G366	BW 73
		ADJ. 205/WR 697/101
		ADJ. 365/YR 982/103
		%IMF/Ratio 5.24/82
		RE/Ratio 10.6/100

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+1	+3.2	+90	+152	+1.2	+1.90	+7	+33	+18
		10%	10%	3%	4%		10%	

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+23	+53	+48	+59	+55	+030	+76	+126	+174	+302
						25%	10%	30%	30%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-100	4-98	3-99	1-\$8500	None	1-96
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	8-95	8-102	7-102	4-\$5450	2-\$13,250	

- * Al to Mogck Empire 110 on November 15, 2025.
- * C497 is a bigger framed, super long bodied heifer. She has the #1 YW and CW EPDs and 2nd highest WW EPD in the fall heifer division! This high growth has propelled her \$Feedlot Value to the highest of any female selling.
- * C497 offers the largest Scrotal EPD in the fall heifer division – an important trait for early puberty.
- * Dam T64 is the beautiful standout cow in our fall calving cows. She has served as a working donor and is one of the very best uddered cows of the herd – a trait that comes through strong in the Erica cow family.
- * T64's daughter that works in the herd is believed to be the 2nd highest IMF scanning female in our history! T64's son works for repeat customer Dresden Wulf.
- * Please read about superior grandam N54, a Pathfinder donor, in the bottom of Lot 166's footnote, and see her picture on page 68.
- * Great grandam G366 is the cow regarded as the greatest cow in our 98-year history! Please read about her in the footnote of Lot 126.
- * Nine Pathfinders are found in this 3-generation pedigree!



ALL bred females selling in this sale will NOT require an A.I. certificate to be purchased by the new owner in order to register her calf. Females due with an A.I. calf are sold with A.I. breeding privilege to save you time and expense.

Fall heifers were AI bred, then turned out with Mohnen Force 6473 clean-up. A pregnancy ultrasound update will be available on our website Friday, January 30 and available sale day.



ERICA OF ELLSTON C512 - LOT 168



Erica of Ellston Z144
Candid picture at 5 months of age
Dam of Lot 168; Relative of Lots 164-167



ERICA OF ELLSTON C439 - LOT 169

168 FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269179 TATTOO: C512 10/6/2024

*MOGCK Fortress 517	##*K C F Bennett Fortress	BW	65
*MOGCK EMPIRE 110	*Mogck Rosebud 1545	ADJ. 205/WR	629/91
*MOGCK Eraline 1748	#SydGen Enhance	ADJ. 365/YR	888/93
	##*Mogck Eraline 855	%IMF/Ratio	7.48/117
	##*Mogck Bullseye	RE/Ratio	9.3/88
##*Hoover No Doubt	*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2		
*ERICA OF ELLSTON Z144	##Basin Excitement		
##*Erica of Ellston M38	#Erica of Ellston G366		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+8	+1.1	+84	+144	+7	+1.14	+11	+20	+29
		15%	20%			25%		10%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+20	+35	+44	+92	+59	+002	+106	+113	+180	+339
15%	10%					1%	20%	30%	15%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-113	2-106	2-105	None	1-\$15,000	None

- * AI to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 17, 2025.
- * C512 is a little bit more moderate framed heifer that still has nice length of body. She is a pretty gal. She ties as the 3rd highest \$Maternal (\$M) female to sell and is the 2nd top Docility EPD fall heifer.
- * Dam Z144 is a beautiful young cow with a super calm disposition. She raised a \$15,000 daughter as her first calf that works for repeat customer Dustin Enabnit. This heifer was the #1 weaning weight heifer of her crop and the 3rd top yearling weight heifer! C512 is Z144's second calf.
- * Pathfinder donor grandam M38 was the highest indexing daughter of G366, the cow regarded as the best cow in our 98-year history! M38 was at one time the #1 indexing cow of the Hoover herd with the tremendous growth she puts into her calves. She served as a working donor until 11 years of age and recorded a tremendous 8-110 wean ratio. Numerous of her natural and ET calves were at the top of their crop for weaning weight.
- * At 10 years of age, M38's progeny and grand progeny led-off our 2023 sale catalog and included the 2nd and 3rd top-selling bulls! Her four daughters to come to auction averaged \$23,500 and six sons \$10,850!
- * M38 is the grandam of the most recognized female to ever leave Hoover Angus - Erica of Ellston T220 who has served as a donor in several of the most prestigious herds in the country and put several bulls in AI studs - one of her most recent being Baldrige Grindstone at Genex.
- * M38 was a fertile cow, recording a 355 day calving interval on her first 5 calves before we pulled her out of production for a year to flush her. She is an icon in the herd for her unbeatable depth of body and broodiness. She makes feminine daughters and masculine bulls.
- * Please read about third generation dam G366 in the footnote of Lot 126. Lots 126-129 and 164-168 descend from her.



169 FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269157 TATTOO: C439 8/25/2024

*MOGCK Fortress 517	##*K C F Bennett Fortress	BW	60
*MOGCK EMPIRE 110	*Mogck Rosebud 1545	ADJ. 205/WR	683/99
*MOGCK Eraline 1748	#SydGen Enhance	ADJ. 365/YR	888/93
	##*Mogck Eraline 855	%IMF/Ratio	9.39/147
	##*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	11.0/104
##*Baldrige 38 Special	*Baldrige Isabel Y69		
ERICA OF ELLSTON V404	##*SydGen C C & 7		
Erica of Ellston K318	Erica of Ellston X16		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+18	-2.6	+72	+116	+3	+1.14	+16	+27	+25
1%	2%					1%		25%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+42	+40	+50	+1.27	+93	+032	+122	+90	+176	+350
20%			20%	30%		1%		30%	10%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-99	4-96	3-102	None	2-\$4150	None

- * AI to Deep Creek Legitimate 203 on November 23, 2025.
- * C439 is a nice heifer that does things as well numerically as any female to sell! She ties as the highest CED female to sell, has the 2nd lowest BW EPD, and the highest Marbling EPD, \$M and \$C! She also has the highest CEM and FL EPDs among the fall heifers selling.
- * C439 a level-topped heifer that won't get too big mature size-wise while having a good amount of bone for such a calving ease heifer. She's got a pretty Angus head.
- * C439 was the 5th top IMF scanning heifer of her crop!
- * Dam V404 has produced daughters for Evan Botorff and Martens Angus, both repeat customers. V404 is a fertile cow with a 350 day calving interval on her four calves.
- * Grandam K318 was lost before her time to an injury, but she had one Pathfinder daughter and put two other replacement daughters in the herd. Her progeny work for Wayne Haisiak, Tom Ferguson, Randy Clough and Ben Ramsey.
- * Great grandam X16 had quite a career in Iowa before she went to work in Montana. X16 was the dam of Hoover Home Run who saw tenure at the ORigen bull stud. X16 was a full sister to the grandam of Hoover Dam!



Nineteen sale females rank in the top 1-5% of the breed for Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPD! The 90 females selling average a HP EPD in the best 25% of the breed!

Read more about how HP EPD has changed and our current recommendations for utilizing the EPD at:

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MISS ERICA ELLSTON C509 - LOT 170

171 BLACKBIRD BONNIE ELLSTON C513
 FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269180 TATTOO: C513 9/10/2024

*MOGCK Fortress 517	##*K C F Bennett Fortress	BW	66
*MOGCK EMPIRE 110	*Mogck Rosebud 1545	ADJ. 205/WR	762/111
*MOGCK Eraline 1748	#SydGen Enhance	ADJ. 365/YR	954/100
	##*Mogck Eraline 855	%IMF/Ratio	5.11/80
#Connealy Impact	##*Connealy Impression	RE/Ratio	10.4/98
BLACKBIRD BONNIE ELLSTON V496	#Elza of Conanga 8265		
Blackbird Bonnie Ellston L413	##*Basin Excitement		
	#Blackbird Bonnie Ellston J413		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+16	-1.7	+78	+129	+8	+1.01	+13	+28	+10	
1%	5%	25%		25%		10%			
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+31	+34	+52	+27	+1.27	-.011	+92	+86	+130	+261
25%	10%			5%	20%	10%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-97	4-104	4-101	3-\$7500	None	None

- * All to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 20, 2025.
- * C513 is a long bodied, feminine-made heifer with the third highest CED EPD of any female to sell and has one of the lowest BW EPDs. Better yet, she still has genetics for muscle, as she is the 2nd highest RE EPD female to sell! C513 has the 3rd highest Functional Longevity (FL) EPD among the fall heifers selling.
- * Dam V496 is a 16th generation Blackbird Bonnie female to be bred, born, and raised at Hoover Angus. She traces back to the foundational sire Revolutions Bell Boy, who is estimated to be in the far reaches of 80% of our present-day cow herd. Walt Hoover would be proud! Herd sire Trophyclass traces back 12 generations to a son of Revolutions Bell Boy produced by Walt.
- * V496 is a nice uddered cow with a 368 day calving interval on her four calves. Her first 3 calves were all bulls weaning at an average 765 pounds and sold to Andy Eichelberger, John Hartley, and Don Williams, all repeat customers.
- * Grandam L413 was a hard working cow even into old age. Her progeny work for John Palmer, Brady Geidel, and Michael Kusgen. One daughter working in our herd was the #1 yearling weight heifer of her crop.
- * L413 had excellent performance herself, weaning at 817 pounds to be the #1 weaning weight heifer of her crop!
- * Great grandam J413 earned Pathfinder status and was the #1 weaning weight heifer of her crop, and a tremendous cow in her day!
- * Eight Pathfinders are found in C513's pedigree, showcasing maternal excellence!



170 MISS ERICA ELLSTON C509
 FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269178 TATTOO: C509 10/4/2024

##*Hoover No Doubt	##*Mogck Bullseye	BW	71
*HOOVER ABOUT IT	*Miss Blackcap Ellston J2	ADJ. 205/WR	651/94
*Erica of Ellston T78	##*Baldrige 38 Special	ADJ. 365/YR	952/99
	##*Erica of Ellston N54	%IMF/Ratio	6.34/99
*Frey's Cowboy Logic	##*HA Cowboy Up 5405	RE/Ratio	9.6/91
MISS ERICA ELLSTON X62	*F A R Princess 148Z		
#Miss Erica Ellston P313	##*Mogck Bullseye		
	Miss Erica Ellston L105		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+10	+7	+71	+131	+5	+1.07	+12	+27	+26	
20%						15%		20%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+37	+43	+40	+52	+84	+0.08	+84	+108	+158	+289
30%	20%			15%	30%				

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-96	3-101	3-102	1-\$6000	None	1-104
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	9-104	9-105	8-100	5-\$5350	1-\$2900	

- * All to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 24, 2025.
- * C509 is a pretty gal! She is feminine fronted, deep bodied, and more moderate in her frame.
- * Dam X62's first daughter is doing an excellent job in the herd. X62's son was the 3rd top IMF bull of our 2024 sale and works for long-time repeat customer Tracy Shaffer. C509 is her third calf.
- * Grandam P313 has earned Pathfinder status for her excellent calving interval of 363 days on 9 progeny and her high progeny weaning ratios. She is still going strong!
- * P313's progeny work for Bryant Cottrill, Andy Stein, Don Obermueller, Curt Johnson, Nathan Loutsch, and Steve Medlin. Bryant's bull was the #1 ribeye scanning bull of his contemporary group at 16.2"! Two of her progeny were among the top 15 weaning weight calves of their respective crops.
- * Great grandam L105 ended her career with a perfect 358 day calving interval.
- * Trace this pedigree back to find the great V50 cow and 'ole J327 - two of the greatest cows of their day.



172 BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON C485
 FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269171 TATTOO: C485 9/8/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	##*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	80
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	731/106
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	##*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	977/102
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	7.09/111
##*MOGCK Entice	#SydGen Enhance	RE/Ratio	9.4/89
*BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON X213	##*MOGCK Erica 2255		
Blueblood Lady Ellston P184	##*Hoover Dam		
	Blueblood Lady Ellston K110		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+2	+1.9	+75	+131	+1.0	+1.30	+11	+32	+25	
				10%	25%	25%	15%	25%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+31	+34	+42	+82	+62	-.026	+65	+87	+151	+261
25%	10%	25%			15%				

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-117	3-107	2-109	None	1-\$4750	None

- * All to Mogck Empire 110 on November 14, 2025.
- * C485 is a long bodied, calm heifer that is a 16th generation Blueblood Lady Ellston female to be bred by four generations of the Hoover family.
- * Dam X213 is a slick haired cow whose first calf was the 2nd top weaning weight, 3rd top yearling weight heifer of her crop and works for Ryan Reed. X213 ties with the 6th highest yearling weight ratios on her progeny of any cow in the herd, showcasing her excellent growth. X213 herself weaned at 736 pounds to be the 9th top weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- * Grandam P184 produced daughters for Karla Rogen, Jason Matthews, and Art Knutson, and a son that was the 5th top weaning weight bull of his crop for Dana Hotz. P184 put two replacement daughters in the Hoover herd.



184 Hoover-owned females have a Docility EPD in the best 1-10% of the breed!



MISS ERICA ELLSTON C406 - LOT 173

174 MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON C516
 FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269182 TATTOO: C516 10/12/2024

*RAML Rugby 7103	#**S A V Renown 3439	BW	72
*RAML ATHLETE	+*RAML Ruby 103	ADJ. 205/WR	691/100
*RAML Royce 536	#TC Aberdeen 759	ADJ. 365/YR	947/99
	*RAML Royce 335	%IMF/Ratio	5.31/83
*Baldrige Chairman	*Fortunes Conquest 224	RE/Ratio	11.3/107
*MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON Z160	+*Baldrige Isabel B061		
#Miss Blackcap Ellston V33	*Hoover 38 Special S4		
	#Miss Blackcap Ellston P275		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+5	+8	+61	+110	+6	+74	+8	+34	+23	
10%									
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+41	+41	+52	+39	+69	+070	+65	+82	+119	+219
20%									
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	1-104	1-100	1-99	None	None	None			
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction				
	5-103	5-105	4-106	1-\$8000	2-\$6250				

* Al to Mogck Empire 110 on November 18, 2025.
 * C516 is a super long bodied heifer from the same cow family that produced Hoover No Doubt! This line of females has been a highly potent, successful cow family – I can remember back 9 generations of this cow family, and they are as solid of a cow family as what we have!
 * Dam Z160 is a young, slick haired, nice uddered female.
 * Pathfinder grandam V33 is a tremendous cow. She raised feature Lot 67 bull in our sale this year. One daughter was feature heifer in our 2024 auction selling to repeat customer Nathan Palm. This heifer was the 9th top weaning weight heifer of her crop. Laura Cunningham and Erin Taylor own V33's two other progeny.
 * V33 has an excellent 354 day calving interval.
 * We were lucky to save V33 as her mother's replacement, as she was her only heifer calf! P275's sons have sold very well in our sales to Bonnie Campbell, Tracy Shaffer, Rod Lovitt, Jamie Humble, Darin Cerven, and Doug Niemann. She's one of those cows that had an excellent calf every year. P275 had a 362 day calving interval.
 * Fourth generation dam K97 produced the \$43,000 Hoover Hawkeye, whose influence you will see sprinkled through the offering on the dam's side of pedigrees. K97 was a twin sister to K98, the \$30,000 top-selling female of our 2013 auction to KDS Angus.



173 MISS ERICA ELLSTON C406
 FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269145 TATTOO: C406 8/17/2024

*Mohnen General 548	#**Baldrige Colonel C251	BW	77
*MOHNEN GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	788/114
Mohnen Jilt 1848	#**S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	1086/113
	#Mohnen Jilt 2504	%IMF/Ratio	6.47/101
#**Baldrige 38 Special	#*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	10.2/96
*MISS ERICA ELLSTON X34	*Baldrige Isabel Y69		
#Miss Erica Ellston S48	*Hoover Quintain		
	#Miss Erica Ellston H263		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+7	+1.5	+84	+151	+1.0	+74	+10	+30	+31	
15% 10% 10% 30% 25% 4%									
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+34	+50	+48	+54	+64	+041	+69	+90	+136	+245
30%									
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	3-107	3-106	3-104	None	1-\$6000	1-90			
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction				
	6-99	6-99	5-97	2-\$4000	None				

* Al to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 16, 2025.
 * A gorgeous heifer here! C406 was the 3rd top weaning weight and 6th top yearling weight heifer of her crop! This growthy heifer is big bodied with lots of length.
 * C406 has the 2nd highest YW EPD of any fall heifer to sell. She also has the highest Docility EPD in the fall heifers selling.
 * Dam X34 is an excellent uddered cow whose first daughter is a tight uddered, nice female working in the Hoover herd. Her next daughter works for repeat customer Jeremy Loving.
 * Pathfinder grandam S48 has a 367 day calving interval which will shorten up this spring when she calves a little earlier. One son was the #2 weaning weight bull of his crop and works for Mark Grossman; her other son works for Brady Wolfgram.
 * Pathfinder great grandam H263 was lost to lightning before her days should have been done, but she recorded a whopping 9-106 WR and a 364 day calving interval. Two daughters earned Pathfinder honors! Two other daughters were retained in the herd. Three daughters were among the top 10 adjusted weaning weight heifer calves of their crops.
 * This cow family has some really strong cows through the generations, and 7th generation dam N46 has put 27 daughter descendants in the Hoover herd. N46 was a Pathfinder, and gave rise to 12 more Pathfinder descendants – what an amazing accomplishment!



175 FANTASIA OF ELLSTON C436
 FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269156 TATTOO: C436 8/25/2024

*Mohnen General 548	#**Baldrige Colonel C251	BW	71
*MOHNEN GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	706/102
Mohnen Jilt 1848	#**S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	944/98
	#Mohnen Jilt 2504	%IMF/Ratio	4.33/68
*Frey's Cowboy Logic	#*HA Cowboy Up 5405	RE/Ratio	10.3/97
FANTASIA OF ELLSTON X454	*F A R Princess 148Z		
#Fantasia of Ellston M81	*Hoover Headliner J32		
	#Fantasia of Ellston G273		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+9	+1.5	+78	+120	+7	+51	+9	+25	+21	
30% 25%									
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+28	+37	+31	+20	+30	+028	+96	+78	+104	+231
20% 10% 2% 4%									
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	3-97	3-98	3-100	1-\$7500	1-\$6000	None			
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction				
	10-102	10-102	9-102	2-\$6250	5-\$4650				

* Al to Mogck Empire 110 on November 20, 2025.
 * C436 is a super long-bodied heifer with a good quarter. She has one of the best sets of Claw and Angle EPD combinations of any female to sell.
 * Dam X454 was the 8th top weaning weight heifer of her crop!
 * X454 produced a son for Massa Ranch and a daughter for James Humble. She has a 368 day calving interval.
 * Pathfinder grandam M81 has 10 calves on record and still a superior udder! M81 is a low birth weight cow that brings in a good calf every year. Her progeny work for Martens Angus Farms, Pat Peak, Eddie Coyle, Todd Creason, Carl Wibholm, and James Humble. One son and one daughter were photo features in our past sales.
 * Great grandam G273 was also a Pathfinder that recorded a 363 day calving interval. Plenty of Pathfinders run in this cow family, as G273's grandam also earned the honor.



**200 sale animals
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 15% of the breed!**



FALL BRED HEIFERS

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BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON C518

FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269183 TATTOO: C518 10/14/2024

*#Musgrave 316 Stunner	#*LD Capitalist 316	BW	70
*E L K TROPHYCLASS	#MCATL Blackbird 831-1378	ADJ. 205/WR	651/94
*#Pine Coulee Black Annie U7	#*Connealy Onward	ADJ. 365/YR	902/94
	War Hill Blackbone Annie	%IMF/Ratio	10.48/164
*Baldridge Chairman	*Fortunes Conquest 224	RE/Ratio	10.6/100
#BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON T184	*#Baldridge Isabel B061		
*Blackcap Express Ellston R92	*#Bruns Top Cut 373		
	Blkcp Express Ellston L299		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+11	+6	+67	+112	+2	+1.55	+12	+36	+7	
					15%	15%	4%		
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+42	+59	+53	+89	+80	+031	+82	+73	+138	+261
					20%				

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-97	5-105	5-102	6-\$10,800	2-\$8750	3-106

- * Al to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 14, 2025.
- * C518 is a 17th generation Blackcap Express Ellston female to be bred, born, and raised by the Hoover family, starting with herd founder Walt Hoover! She is really deep and cow-like.
- * C518 ties as the 4th highest Milk EPD fall heifer to sell.
- * Pathfinder donor dam T184 is the kind of cow that can knock it out of the park every year with her progeny. She's a low birth weight cow whose calves get right up and grow rapidly. Check out her outstanding son that sells as Lot 4 - he might just lead-off the sale!
- * T184 had a superb calving interval of 357 days prior to holding her out of production for one season to flush her in the fall.
- * T184 was selected to serve as a donor because of her fertility, superior udder quality, and progeny performance - traits that run strong in this cow family. She's that extraordinary cow that can raise a whopper of a calf with a remarkably tidy udder! T184 has proven she has earned a spot among the most elite donors at Hoover Angus! She will quickly become one of the most impactful cows of recent times!
- * T184's first son was the #1 weaning weight bull of his crop, and the 2nd top-selling bull of our 2022 sale to repeat customer John Orr at \$20,000.
- * T184's 2022 son was the 6th top weaning weight bull of his crop and sold for \$10,500 to long-time repeat customer Roger Cerven. He was super stout, slick haired, and long.
- * Repeat customers Dan Olson and Mill Coulee Angus own T184's two daughters.
- * Other sons of T184 sold to LeRoy & Lane Stortenbecker, Pat Hardy, BJ & Wyatt Thompson, and a second son to Roger Cerven. Thompson's bull was the #1 IMF bull of our sale!
- * T184 scanned an 8.76 IMF, ratio 201 to be the #1 IMF heifer of her crop! T184 also records 15-111 IMF ratio.
- * Grandam R92 served as one of the herd's top IMF ratio cows with a whopping 5-133 IMF ratio! R92 maintained a 366 day calving interval.
- * Great grandam L299 had a 362 day calving interval on her 8 calves when she was lost to an injury.
- * Searching back through this cow line you will find the C109 cow - read about her in the bottom of Lot 96's footnote.

The Pathfinder Honor

Designated by the "#", the Pathfinder honor describes excellence validated by an independent third party (American Angus Association) using actual production records, not genomics and projections.

To become a Pathfinder cow, she must have at least 3 progeny with an average weaning ratio of 105. A cow must have a regular calving interval and her first calf must be born close to the average calving date of the herd. These requirements, along with others, make the "Pathfinder" name a prestigious honor designated by the American Angus Association. A bull must have at least 5 Pathfinder daughters in one year to become a Pathfinder sire. Pathfinders are designated by the "#" symbol in pedigrees. Once a Pathfinder, always a Pathfinder, although a bull or cow may not be included in the current year's report because they don't meet the requirements that year.

In the 2025 Pathfinder Report, Hoover Angus is home to eleven Pathfinder sires: **Hoover Dam, Hoover Elation, Hoover No Doubt, Hoover Counselor N29, Mogck Entice, SydGen CC&7, Baldridge 38 Special, Mogck Bullseye, Bruns Top Cut 373, Basin Excitement and Connealy Counselor.**

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BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON C514

FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269181 TATTOO: C514 10/11/2024

*MOGCK Fortress 517	#*K C F Bennett Fortress	BW	61
*MOGCK EMPIRE 110	*Mogck Rosebud 1545	ADJ. 205/WR	621/90
*MOGCK Eraline 1748	#SydGen Enhance	ADJ. 365/YR	947/99
	*#Mogck Eraline 855	%IMF/Ratio	5.54/87
#*Mogck Bullseye	#MOGCK Sure Shot	RE/Ratio	11.7/110
*BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON S276	Mogck Mary 1255		
#Blkcp Express Ellston C344	#Roth Famous 1006		
	#Blkcp Express Ellston V127		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC		
+10	-4	+82	+129	+1.0	+1.34	+12	+26	+27		
					20%	20%	10%	25%	15%	15%
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+24	+46	+50	+67	+1.15	+029	+102	+93	+152	+299	
					15%	10%	2%	30%		

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-91	4-93	4-95	None	3-\$3350	None

- * Al to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 22, 2025.
- * This younger heifer is sure easier fleshing than most calves near the end of their calf crop. She is a nice heifer with the 3rd largest Ribeye EPD in the fall heifer division.
- * C514 is one of 10 females selling to break the elite +100 \$Maternal mark!
- * Dam S276 is an easy-going, superior uddered, easy fleshing cow - all traits that have come down through many generations in this cow line. In fact, this cow line traces back to the great C57 cow born 5 months after I was. C57 has 105 daughter descendants that have worked in the herd, as well as 9 that have served as donors and 19 Pathfinders! Truly a highly productive cow family running generations deep! S276's daughters work for Martens Angus Farms, Lywanda Case and Derek Sawyer.
- * Pathfinder grandam C344 is the renowned working donor that had quite a career at Hoover Angus! She has a long record of highly successful progeny, many of which were among the top weaning weight calves of their calf crop. I'll try to hit the highlights here.
- * C344 maintained a 359 day calving interval on her first 13 natural progeny, which included stealing flushes 5 different years, a testament to her exemplary fertility! C344 was laid to rest at 16 years of age with an average 107 wean ratio on her natural calves. Her udder was still impeccable, and her feet were still amazing. C344 joined the elite \$100,000+ club when her gross progeny sales topped the \$100,000 mark.
- * One daughter of C344 was the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer of her crop. A natural calf of C344 was the 14th top weaning weight heifer calf of her crop when C344 was 13 years old! See C344's picture on page 50.
- * Pathfinder great grandam V127 recorded 12-106 WR and a 362 day calving interval. She was a tremendously easy fleshing cow.

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MISS ERICA ELLSTON C521

FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269185 TATTOO: C521 10/17/2024

*RAML Rugby 7103	#*S A V Renown 3439	BW	78
*RAML ATHLETE	**RAML Ruby 103	ADJ. 205/WR	673/98
*RAML Royce 536	#TC Aberdeen 759	ADJ. 365/YR	958/100
	*RAML Royce 335	%IMF/Ratio	4.10/64
*Baldridge Chairman	*Fortunes Conquest 224	RE/Ratio	9.9/93
MISS ERICA ELLSTON X448	*#Baldridge Isabel B061		
Miss Erica Ellston M232	*#Mogck Bullseye		
	Miss Erica Ellston H324		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+3	+2.3	+84	+142	+1.2	+84	+9	+28	+26	
					15%	20%	3%	20%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+55	+47	+58	+23	+95	+023	+60	+114	+150	+255
					30%	20%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-104	3-100	3-101	1-\$7500	1-\$3750	None

- * Al to Mogck Empire 110 on November 19, 2025.
- * C521 is a younger heifer that is wide based and square made.
- * Dam X448 is one of Mike's favorite fall calving cows. She is very nice uddered and has excellent maternal instincts. I love the Chairman daughters - they are easy fleshing, nicely-made females with the udder quality all cattlemen crave.
- * X448's daughter that was the #1 yearling weight heifer of her crop works for repeat customer Todd Glendenning.
- * Grandam M232 also had very good mothering skills and produced one Pathfinder daughter. Keith Groshong and Kyle VanHouweling selected her daughters to come to auction.



MISS ERICA ELLSTON C468 - LOT 179



Miss Erica Ellston A419
Owned by Elanor Mrozinski and Panther Creek Ranch
\$13,000 Maternal Sister to Lot 179

180 MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON C471 TWIN W/COW
FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269164 TATTOO: C471 9/5/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#Woodhill Blueprint	BW	62
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	705/102
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	951/99
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	6.53/102
*JAR Incredible 6104 808	#*Panther Cr Incredible 6704	RE/Ratio	10.1/95
*MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON Z151	+Jar Erica 6104		
*Miss Blackcap Ellston T224	+*Hoover Cut Above P427		
	Miss Blackcap Ellston R199		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+7	+1.1	+77	+118	+8	+84	+7	+22	+19	
30%			25%						
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+62	+38	+41	+91	+68	+007	+74	+94	+161	+283
15%		20%		30%					
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
				None	None	None			
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction				
	5-106	5-104	4-102	1-\$3250	2-\$5625				

* All to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 23, 2025.
* Twin sister to Lot 181. Please see footnote under Lot 181.
* C471 is a long bodied, nicely made female.



181 MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON C472 TWIN W/COW
FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269165 TATTOO: C472 9/5/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#Woodhill Blueprint	BW	60
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	655/95
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	893/93
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	7.52/118
*JAR Incredible 6104 808	#*Panther Cr Incredible 6704	RE/Ratio	10.4/98
*MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON Z151	+Jar Erica 6104		
*Miss Blackcap Ellston T224	+*Hoover Cut Above P427		
	Miss Blackcap Ellston R199		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+7	+1.1	+77	+118	+8	+84	+7	+22	+19	
30%			25%						
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+62	+38	+41	+96	+70	+006	+75	+94	+164	+288
15%		20%		30%					
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
				None	None	None			
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction				
	5-106	5-104	4-102	1-\$3250	2-\$5625				

* All to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 27, 2025.
* Twin sister to Lot 181.
* C472 is a sweetheart heifer; if any young cattle enthusiast is looking for a calm heifer as a 4-H project or to start a herd, consider this gal! She is square made and doing great for being a twin.



* If you are raising cattle at altitude, these twins have the 2nd and 3rd best PAP projections of any females in the sale, ranking in the best 2% of the breed.
* Dam Z151 is a beautiful young cow with a picture-perfect udder. She has a well-attached udder with small teats. No dam information shows in the boxed above, because Z151's first calves were twins, and twins do not reflect in a cows BWR, WWR, and YWR.
* Z151 was the #1 ribeye scanning female of her crop with a 14.3" ribeye!
* Grandam T224 is a showy female with an ideal udder. Progeny work for Evan Bottorff, Loren Parkhurst and Grayham's Angus, all repeat customers. Grayham's heifer was the 9th top weaning weight, 3rd top weaning weight heifer of her crop.
* A maternal sister to T224 produced photo feature bull Lot 106.
* Great grandam R199 was a really pretty female with a very nice udder - our favorite No Doubt donor cow! She produced the lead-off, top-selling bull in our 2023 sale at \$41,000 to Belvin Angus Farm in Alberta. This bull, named High Country, was the 2nd top weaning weight bull of his crop, and a true standout. A High Country son was one of the top-selling bulls in our 2025 sale.
* R199's daughter was the top-selling female in our mini online sale in the fall of 2022, going to Staci Mitchell in Indiana. This female was the #1 weaning weight heifer of her crop and what I believe to be the 2nd top heifer weaning weight in our history!
* Three beautiful daughters of R199 work in the herd. R199 records an incredible 9-126 IMF ratio on her progeny!
* Fourth generation dam K317 worked in the herd until 11 years of age and had a perfect 365 day calving interval on her 10 calves!

179 MISS ERICA ELLSTON C468

FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269162 TATTOO: C468 9/4/2024

#*Musgrave 316 Stunner	#*LD Capitalist 316	BW	78
*E L K TROPHYCLASS	#MCATL Blackbird 831-1378	ADJ. 205/WR	660/96
*Pine Coulee Black Annie U7	#*Connealy Onward	ADJ. 365/YR	958/100
	War Hill Blackbone Annie	%IMF/Ratio	5.18/81
Hoover Top Cut S1	#*Brun's Top Cut 373	RE/Ratio	10.9/103
*MISS ERICA ELLSTON V262	#Miss Erica Ellston L102		
Miss Erica Ellston S148	#Connealy Impact		
	#Miss Erica Ellston M229		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+10	+1.1	+69	+127	+7	+79	+11	+34	+27	
20%			25%			15%			
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+28	+48	+49	+89	+96	+033	+70	+105	+172	+293
20%		25%							
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	3-106	3-96	3-98	None	2-\$9000	None			

* All to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 24, 2025.
* C468 is a stylish Trophyclass with a bit more frame than most. She is a super long bodied, nicely made heifer.
* A maternal sister to C468 was a photo feature and one of the top-selling females in our 2024 auction selling to Panther Creek Ranch and granddaughter Eleanor Mrozinski. This heifer was the 2nd top IMF scanning heifer of her crop and one of the highest IMF heifers in our history!
* Dam V262 was a big ribeye female, scanning a 12.4" ribeye, ratio 119 to be the 3rd top of her crop! V262's progeny scan well, as she has 3-128 IMF ratio and 3-104 ribeye ratio!
* V262's other daughter to come to auction works for repeat customer Trace Steere.
* Pathfinder great grandam M229 was a super easy-going cow that left her mark through the generations that came after her. M229 had a 357 day calving interval on her 9 calves and we retained two daughters.



182 BLACKBIRD BONNIE ELLSTONC480

FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269168 TATTOO: C480 9/7/2024

*RAML Rugby 7103	#**S A V Renown 3439	BW	51
*RAML ATHLETE	*RAML Ruby 103	ADJ. 205/WR	627/91
*RAML Royce 536	#TC Aberdeen 759	ADJ. 365/YR	878/92
	*RAML Royce 335	%IMF/Ratio	6.21/97
	#**EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	10.8/102
	*Baldrige Isabel Y69		
	*Connealy Commander		
	Blackbird Bonnie EllstonH408		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+13	-1.8	+66	+112	+1.1	+4.1	+14	+30	+22	
10%	4%			10%		5%	25%		
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+49	+4.5	+5.0	+6.6	+8.2	+0.72	+80	+105	+156	+282
					20%				

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-91	4-100	4-98	None	3-\$4100	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-94	4-93	3-96	None	2-\$4250	

* AI to Mohnen Force 6473 on November 29, 2025.

* C480 is a long bodied, nice profiling heifer. She is a 15th generation Blackbird Bonnie female to be bred, born and raised by the Hoover family! There is some great history deep in this pedigree, as well as tracing back to one of Landi's 4-H heifers.

* C480 has the 2nd lowest BW EPD and ties with the 2nd highest CEM EPD among the fall heifers selling! She also has one of the best PAP EPDs of any female selling.

* Dam V401 is a moderate sized cow with an excellent udder that we just bred AI the day I am writing this footnote. Her first three daughters work for Martens Angus, Joe Lingenfelter, and Ben Durrell.

* V401 had a real nice ultrasound scan of a 6.90 IMF, ratio 132, ribeye 10.7", ratio 101. She was the 4th top IMF scanning heifer of her crop!

* Grandam S486 produced daughters for Martens Angus and Keith Groshong (also the 4th top IMF heifer of her crop). S486 is a maternal sister to the grandam of Lot 183 who is still going strong at 12 years of age!



184 B RIBBON HEIRESS ELLSTONC487

FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269173 TATTOO: C487 9/9/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	79
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	700/102
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	1010/106
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	5.57/87
	#*Connealy Counselor	RE/Ratio	11.2/106
	#*Connealy Mentor 7374		
	Jaze of Conanga 234		
	#*SydGen C C & 7		
	#Blue Ribbon Heiress B536		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+9	+7	+75	+123	+8	+1.62	+12	+38	+16	
30%				25%	10%	15%	2%		
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+25	+5.1	+6.4	+7.5	+8.3	-.003	+97	+98	+160	+305
					20%		30%	4%	25%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-102	4-102	3-101	1-\$5500	None	1-106

* AI to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 16, 2025.

* C487 is a long bodied, level-topped heifer. She ties as the 3rd highest Milk EPD female to sell! She also has one of the top Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPDs among all females in an offering where 19 females rank in the top 1-5% of the breed for the trait!

* C487 has the 2nd highest Functional Longevity (FL) EPD among the fall heifers selling.

* Dam M419 has a 367 day calving interval, which included moving up in time one year after twins. With 3-140 IMF ratio, M419 serves as the herd's 9th top IMF ratio cow!

* M419's son that was the 3rd top weaning weight, 4th top yearling weight, 3rd biggest ribeye scanning bull of his crop was a photo feature and works for Ryan Thornton.

* Pathfinder grandam H436 was a beautiful uddered CC&7 female that was slick haired to work well in fescue country. Her progeny work for Gerald Swelling, Allan Dolecheck, Dusty Goodman, and DNA Angus. Allan's bull was the 8th top weaning weight bull of his crop, and Gerald's heifer was the 3rd top yearling weight, 5th top ribeye scanning heifer of her crop.

* Great grandam B536 has been retired from the herd, but earned Pathfinder status for her excellent progeny ratios and a 364 day calving interval.

* Eight Pathfinders are found in this 3-generation pedigree!



183 BLACKBIRD BONNIE ELLSTONC483

FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269170 TATTOO: C483 9/8/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	#*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	69
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	683/99
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	#*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	952/99
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	8.58/134
	#*V A R Discovery 2240	RE/Ratio	9.4/89
	Diablo Erica Dianna 9034		
	#*Hoover Dam		
	Blackbird Bonnie EllstonH408		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+11	-8	+72	+120	+4	+7.9	+14	+28	+19	
15%	15%					5%			
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+05	+3.8	+4.2	+8.5	+6.1	-.017	+106	+77	+142	+290
	3%	15%	25%		20%	1%			

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-92	2-87	2-96	None	1-\$4750	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	9-94	9-95	8-98	1-\$3500	1-\$4500	

* AI to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 25, 2025.

* C483 is a super long bodied heifer, and length is the easiest way to add pounds to a calf crop without increasing calving difficulty. Her CEM EPD is the 2nd highest among the fall heifers selling. She has one of the nicest balanced sets of EPDs of any heifer to sell, especially looking at the maternal side of the equation. She ties as the 3rd highest \$Maternal female to sell. I'll point out her excellent Hair Shed (HS) EPD and Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPD both in the best 3% of the breed.

* Dam Z404 is the 5th top IMF ratio cow in the herd with 2-135 IMF ratio on her progeny! Her first daughter who works for Joe London in Georgia was the 3rd top IMF heifer of her crop! Joe sends good reports on her.

* Z404 has a 347 day calving interval on her first two calves, and C483 was her second calf.

* Grandam M415 is 12 years of age and still going strong! Her teat size is still exceptional. She has a perfect 365 day calving interval on her 10 calvings! Her legacy will be left in her daughters - she has put 3 nice daughters in our herd.



The Malvern Community Christmas Tree was donated by the Stortenbecker Family. They wanted matching sweatshirts for the family photo by the tree, so Hoover Angus sweatshirts it was!



Blackcap Empress Ellston T60
Hoover Angus Donor
Dam of Lot 185



Prim Lassie of Ellston A476
Owned by Duane Thompson
\$7750 Maternal Sister to Lot 186

Hoover Leadman
Owned with Alta Genetics
and Diamond J Angus Ranch
\$17,500 Maternal Grand sire
of Lot 185



186 FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269177 TATTOO: C502 9/25/2024

*Musgrave 316 Stunner	#*LD Capitalist 316	BW	72
*E L K TROPHYCLASS	#MCATL Blackbird 831-1378	ADJ. 205/WR	626/91
*Pine Coulee Black Annie U7	#*Connealy Onward	ADJ. 365/YR	911/95
	War Hill Blackbone Annie	%IMF/Ratio	6.21/97
*Baldridge Chairman	*Fortunes Conquest 224	RE/Ratio	10.3/97
*PRIM LASSIE OF ELLSTON T197	*Baldridge Isabel B061		
Prim Lassie of Ellston P33	#*Mogck Bullseye		
	#Prim Lassie of Ellston L233		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+7	+2.4	+69	+117	+4	+95	+9	+33	+24
							10%	30%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+27	+55	+61	+55	+98	+054	+74	+97	+146	+263
				25%			30%		

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-98	4-99	4-100	1-\$8000	2-\$6375	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	9-95	9-103	8-99	4-\$11,350	1-\$5000	

- * All to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 23, 2025.
- * C502 is a pretty heifer! She is broody yet stylish.
- * Dam T197 produced a pretty photo feature heifer that was the 4th top IMF scanning heifer of her crop that sold to Duane Thompson in South Carolina. Another daughter works for Staci Mitchell in Indiana. Might as well make her progeny work in three states – Miller Angus in South Dakota owns her excellent son!
- * T197 was an excellent scanning female herself with a 7.03 IMF, ratio 161, ribeye 11.9", ratio 111. She is now one of the top IMF ratio cows in the herd with a superior 4-124 IMF ratio.
- * Grandam P33 is one of the herd's great cows – she has a 359 day calving interval on her 9 progeny and is still in the herd and doing great – she'll be 11 years old by sale day.
- * Three of P33's progeny have been photo features in our past auctions. Her latest sold for \$14,000 to repeat customer Kriss Lightner. A featured son and daughter were selected by Miller Angus of Draper, SD. The bull was the \$23,000 5th top-selling and 2nd biggest ribeye scanning bull of his crop. The heifer was the #1 IMF scanning sale heifer. Brady Wolfram and Patrick Plant selected her other two progeny.
- * P33 has put three replacement daughters in the herd.
- * P33 is a unique cow that not only puts highly maternal qualities in her progeny, but good carcass traits too – she has an incredible 8-115 IMF ratio and 8-108 ribeye ratio!
- * These highly maternal traits are reflected in P33's \$M – she is the #1 \$M Hoover-owned female among over 700+ females! In fact, there are only 9 dams breed-wide that can beat P33's \$M index, one of which is the daughter of P33 that works for Miller Angus!
- * This pedigree is really cool – starting with great grandam L233, there are six consecutive generations of Pathfinder cows down the dam's side of this pedigree – I believe this is the only cow family in the herd that can lay claim to this feat – it is exceptionally rare!
- * I've talked so much I have to really summarize great grandam L233 – she ended her career with 10 calves at a 361 day calving interval! She put 5 replacement daughters in the herd.



185 FALL BRED HEIFER REG: *21269174 TATTOO: C489 9/11/2024

*Mohnen General 548	#*Baldridge Colonel C251	BW	90
*MOHNEN GENERAL LEE	*S A V Madame Pride 5290	ADJ. 205/WR	802/116
Mohnen Jilt 1848	#*S A V Sensation 5615	ADJ. 365/YR	1095/114
	#Mohnen Jilt 2504	%IMF/Ratio	3.73/58
*Hoover Leadman	#*Connealy Commander	RE/Ratio	12.4/117
BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON T60	#Blkcp Empress Ellston G403		
Blkcp Empress Ellston P229	#*Bruns Top Cut 373		
	Blkcp Empress Ellston H4		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
-5	+5.5	+93	+149	+9	+1.29	+4	+36	+27
		4%	15%	20%	25%		4%	15%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+49	+72	+43	+29	+99	-036	+79	+96	+139	+259
				30%	25%	10%	20%		

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-95	5-102	5-100	3-\$6250	3-\$4700	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	9-95	9-98	7-97	2-\$3300	1-\$4000	

- * All to Mogck Empire 110 on November 19, 2025.
- * C489 was the 2nd top weaning weight heifer of her crop, topping that 800 pound mark! She tied as the #1 yearling weight heifer! She is a bigger framed, proud heifer. C489 was also the #1 ribeye scanning heifer of our fall crop.
- * C489 offers the highest WW EPD in the fall heifer division and ties with the 3rd highest WW EPD of all females selling! She ties as the 4th highest Milk EPD fall heifer to sell.
- * Dam T60 is one of the lowest birth weight cows in the herd that was selected as a donor because of her past progeny, superior udder quality and added phenotype and muscle she puts in her progeny. T60 was one of the top females of her crop for growth, weaning at over 700 pounds and then turning in over a 1000 pound yearling weight.
- * T60's two featured progeny work for Jeremy Rudolph and Andy Eichelberger. Other progeny work for Pat Carr, Michael Perry, John Hartley, and Martens Angus.
- * Grandam P229 has a 360 day calving interval on her 10 calves and will calve this spring at 11 years of age. She's doing great and still has an exceptional udder! P229 has put three replacement daughters in the herd and has progeny working for Brett Barnett, Medlin Angus and Reiman Livestock. Steve Medlin brags on the calves out of his P229 son.
- * I remember great grandam H4 as being one of the most perfect uddered cows on the farm. She was very feminine fronted and slick haired – truly the epitome of what a model Angus female should look like. She had a 363 day calving interval on her 9 progeny.



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FALL BRED HEIFERS

187**KEYMURA KATY ELLSTON C520**

FALL BRED HEIFER

REG: *21269184

TATTOO: C520

10/15/2024

#**Hoover No Doubt
***HOOVER ABOUT IT**
 *Erica of Ellston T78

#Connealy Impact
KEYMURA KATY ELLSTON R117
 *Keymura Katy Ellston L151

#*Mogck Bullseye
 *Miss Blackcap Ellston J2
 #**Baldrige 38 Special
 #**Erica of Ellston N54
 #*Connealy Impression
 #Elza of Conanga 8265
 #*SydGen C C & 7
 #*Keymura Katy Z99

BW	85
ADJ. 205/WR	735/107
ADJ. 365/YR	945/99
%IMF/Ratio	7.72/121
RE/Ratio	9.5/90

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+3	+1.8	+60	+115	+1.0	+63	+10	+34	+28
				10%	30%		10%	15%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+62	+41	+41	+54	+42	-.009	+71	+87	+134	+245
		20%	20%	25%					

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	7-107	7-104	4-100	None	None	1-95

- * AI to Mogck Promise 1844 on November 18, 2025.
- * C520 was a super calm and curious calf growing up. She never got in a hurry! If the Angus breed is getting too moderate in frame size for your liking, check out C520.
- * Dam R117 is much like C520 in that she is a bigger frame, super long bodied cow. R117's daughter that works in the herd was the 8th top weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- * Grandam L151 produced several top weaning calves and left three replacement daughters in the herd.
- * Great grandam Z99 served as a Pathfinder working donor. She will be remembered as one of the herd's all-time great producing cows. She ended her career with an extraordinary 117 average weaning ratio on her progeny! She had a phenomenal 14.0" ribeye as a yearling heifer. Seventeen progeny (natural and ET) averaged a ribeye scan that was over three inches above breed average!

**MAID OF ELLSTON D110 - LOT 189**

Maid of Ellston J316
 Candid Picture at 14 years of age
 Hoover Angus Donor
 Grandam of Lot 189

189**MAID OF ELLSTON D110**

OPEN HEIFER

REG: *21343862

TATTOO: D110

1/27/2025

*SydGen Blueprint
***S ARCHITECT 9501**
 S Blossom 7514

#**KM Broken Bow 002
 **Sitz Florabelle Fanny 4735
 #*S Whitlock 179
 S Blossom 5525
 #*Diablo Deluxe 1104
 **Galaxy Blackbird 4551
 #TC Friction 5130
 Maid of Ellston B155

BW	68
ADJ. 205/WR	696/101
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	

*Galaxy Detail 8546
***MAID OF ELLSTON Z24**
 Maid of Ellston J316

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+10	-.9	+82	+138	+8	+1.52	+12	+30	+35
				20%	10%	20%	25%	25%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+13	+45	+53	+62	+56	+0.14	+102	+96	+147	+293
		10%			2%				

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	2-95	2-97	1-97	1-\$5750	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	13-96	13-101	12-103	3-\$8850	4-\$6125	

- * D110 is a showy, beautifully made heifer from one of the strongest maternal lines at Hoover Angus! She has a nicely balanced set of EPDs as well as a Heifer Pregnancy EPD in the best 1% of the breed - she's the #1 HP female selling!
- * D110 offers the highest Docility EPD and highest \$Maternal among the open heifers selling.
- * Dam Z24 is a nice uddered cow with a 359 day calving interval on her calves. In 2024 she had a set of twins, then moved up in time to calve 10 days earlier in 2025! Now I call that fertility! One of these twins was Gwen's bottle calf that settled first service AI and will calve for us this spring for the first time and her twin sells as the 8th top weaning weight heifer of her crop, Lot 133.
- * Z24's son works for Jay Engle.
- * Z24 was a high performing female herself, weaning at 734 pounds, WR 108, YW 1067 lbs., YR 110. She scanned a whopping 12.7" ribeye to ratio 115!
- * Grandam J316 was flushed at 14 years of age for her fertility, productivity, and awesome daughters she put into the herd. She ended her career with a 364 day calving interval on 13 progeny! Her progeny and grand progeny were the lead-off bulls in our 2024 sale catalog.
- * J316 has been one of our best daughter-makers, and has four daughters in the Hoover herd ratioing an average 104 WR on their progeny, two of which have earned Pathfinder honors!
- * J316 is the type of cow that you can count on to bring in a good calf every single year, and do it with lower than average birth ratios. Her progeny work for Dusty Goodman, Renee Neuenkirk, Wayne Reinhart, Larson Angus Cattle Co., and Dwayne Scar.
- * Great grandam B155 has been gone for many years now, but recorded a 362 day calving interval on her 11 progeny. She was a thick, beefy cow that put 5 replacement daughters in our herd.
- * To show how many generations deep the maternal strength runs in this pedigree, fourth generation dam S34 recorded 14-108 WR and had a 359 day calving interval at the end of her career! She brought 10 sons to auction.
- * This cow family has stamped each generation of females with a thick, brood cow look.

**188****ELLSTONS MISS BLACKBIRD C474**

FALL BRED HEIFER

REG: *21269166

TATTOO: C474

9/5/2024

#*Musgrave 316 Stunner
***E L K TROPHYCLASS**
 *Pine Coulee Black Annie U7

*Hoover Longevity T40
ELLSTONS MISS BLACKBIRD X419
 Ellstons Miss Blackbird L63

#**LD Capitalist 316
 #MCATL Blackbird 831-1378
 #*Connealy Onward
 War Hill Blackbone Annie
 #**Hoover No Doubt
 #Queen of Ellston H115
 #*Basin Excitement
 Ellstons Miss Blackbird J58

BW	66
ADJ. 205/WR	700/102
ADJ. 365/YR	946/99
%IMF/Ratio	5.26/82
RE/Ratio	11.4/108

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+12	-1.1	+66	+116	+6	+1.06	+10	+37	+17
				10%	10%	30%		3%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+61	+51	+51	+68	+98	+0.28	+98	+97	+155	+299
				25%	3%		30%		

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-95	3-98	3-100	2-\$7150	None	None

- * Exposed to Mohnen Force 6473 from December 10, 2025 on.
- * C474 is a pretty fronted heifer with a tick more frame size than most Trophyclass heifers.
- * C474 has the 3rd highest Milk EPD among the fall heifers to sell.
- * Dam X419 is a pretty cow whose sons work for Tim Peters and Kevin Lingenfelter. C474 is her first daughter.
- * X419 had really nice performance data herself: BW 73 pounds, WW 730 lbs., WR 105, YW 920 lbs., YR 102, IMF 6.44, ratio 139, ribeye 11.6", ratio 120.
- * Grandam L63 was a beautiful uddered female who produced 4 progeny among the top 10 weaning weight bulls or heifers of their respective crops. One standout featured son hit the \$12,000 mark, selling to long-time repeat customer Lyle Olson.
- * L63 has one Pathfinder maternal sister working in the herd.

**FALL BRED & OPEN HEIFERS**



Erica of Ellston D10
Candid Picture at 7 months of age
Twin Sister to Lot 190



Erica of Ellston C54
Owned by Deep Creek Angus Ranch, 406 Ranch and
Hansine Ranch Partnership
\$16,000 Full Sister to Lot 190



ERICA OF ELLSTON D11 - LOT 190



Erica of Ellston L5
Owned by Baldrige Performance Angus
Grandam of Lot 190



Erica of Ellston S7
Pathfinder Hoover Donor
Full Sister to the Dam of Lot 190

190 **ERICA OF ELLSTON D11** **TWIN W/COW**
OPEN HEIFER REG: *21343826 TATTOO: D11 12/30/2024

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39
***DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203**
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013

#**Baldrige 38 Special
****ERICA OF ELLSTON X89**
*Erica of Ellston L5

#*Woodhill Blueprint
Myers Miss Beauty M136
#*Basin Rainmaker 4404
#Deep Creek MP Lass 933
#*EF Commando 1366
*Baldrige Isabel Y69
#**Connealy Counselor
#Erica of Ellston G366

BW	62
ADJ. 205/WR	756/110
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+3	+2.8	+99	+157	+9	+1.09	+7	+26	+27
		2%	10%	20%				15%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+39	+43	+59	+1.09	+1.06	-.003	+89	+92	+173	+313
	30%		30%	20%	30%	10%			25%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-99	3-110	2-103	1-\$4500	1-\$16,000	None

* D11 is a tank and a mile long! It's easy to tell how she packed in so much weaning growth and earn a WW EPD in the best 2% of the breed and the 2nd highest of any female selling today. D11 was the 10th top weaning weight heifer of her crop! D11 has the 4th highest YW EPD of any female to sell. Besides high growth EPDs, she has carcass potential too! D11 offers one of the top Marbling EPDs in the females selling.
* A full sister to D11 was the 2nd top-selling female of last year's sale at \$16,000, and what a heifer she was! She was the 6th top weaning weight heifer of her crop and among the open heifers in our sale, she was the #1 IMF and #1 ribeye scanning heifer!



* Dam X89 earned Pathfinder honors in 2025 and maintains a superior 350 day calving interval! Better yet, she is the 4th top indexing cow of the herd! X89 was successfully flushed in 2025 – babies to come in 2026!
* X89's first son was the 4th top weaning weight bull of his crop. Her second son works for repeat customer Dan McCorkle.
* D11's twin sister will be retained in the Hoover herd as her mother's replacement.
* Grandam L5 produced 10 progeny sold by Hoover Angus to average a whopping \$24,100! Sons from Hoover Angus have worked at three AI studs: Alta Genetics, Select Sires, and Accelerated Genetics. After a successful career at Hoover Angus, L5 was purchased by Baldrige Performance Angus.
* L5 now has six Pathfinder daughters – three working Pathfinder donors in the Hoover herd, two in the Baldrige herd, and one working for Geidel Cattle Co.! This is an exceptionally rare feat!
* Pathfinder donor great grandam G366 is the epitome of what a model Angus female should be. Currently, 5 direct descendants of G366 rank among the top 15 indexing cows of the Hoover herd! No cow family has ever had this much presence on this distinguished herd list before!
* G366's udder at over 12 years of age would rival most 3-4 year-old females in the breed today, and she consistently passes this trait on through the generations.
* Four direct daughters of G366 and one son (Hoover Counselor N29) have earned the Pathfinder designation, as well as more descendants! At least 15 of her daughter descendants have served as donors. G366 grossed \$238,000 worth of direct progeny sales, not including embryos sold.
* Too numerous to mention are G366's progeny that have found themselves in the very top of the crop for weaning weight. It is neat, however, that she had three-in-a-row #1 adjusted weaning weight calves of their respective crops. Even at 12 years of age, her growth genetics were still powerful, as an ET daughter was the #1 adjusted weaning weight ET heifer of her crop!
* At the end of her career, G366 recorded 9-98 BWR and 9-107 WR on her natural calves. Females Lots 126-129, 164-168, and 190 all descend from G366.



OPEN HEIFERS

191**MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON D117**

OPEN HEIFER REG: *21343864 TATTOO: D117 1/28/2025

*MOGCK Fortress 517	##*K C F Bennett Fortress	BW	77
*MOGCK EMPIRE 110	*Mogck Rosebud 1545	ADJ. 205/WR	674/98
*MOGCK Eraline 1748	#SydGen Enhance	ADJ. 365/YR	
	##*Mogck Eraline 855	%IMF/Ratio	
	##*EF Commando 1366	RE/Ratio	
##*Baldrige 38 Special	*Baldrige Isabel V69		
MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON V28	##*SydGen C C & 7		
Miss Blackcap Ellston K97	Miss Blackcap Ellston G278		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+14	-9	+75	+123	+1.0	+1.19	+13	+35	+26	
4%	10%			10%	30%	10%	10%	20%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+45	+41	+63	+1.15	+45	-.006	+100	+95	+172	+323
	20%		25%		25%	3%			20%
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	5-102	5-99	4-100	1-\$5000	2-\$4750	None			

- * D117 is a wide based, long, level topped heifer with more frame than found in most Empire progeny. She comes from the same cow family that produced Hoover No Doubt!
- * D117 has one of the top CED EPDs and FL EPDs of any female selling! Better yet, she has the 2nd highest Marbling EPD among all females!
- * D117 is one of 10 females selling that hits the +100 mark for \$Maternal, which puts her in the best 3% of the breed for this index.
- * Dam V28 is a heavy milking, fertile cow with a 362 day calving interval on her progeny. One bred heifer daughter that settled first service AI has been retained in our herd and will calve for the first time in 2026. Other progeny work for Chamness Angus, Harold Fuller and Todd Glendenning, all repeat customers.
- * V28 offers really nice carcass qualities, scanning a 6.58 IMF, ratio 148 and an 11.5" ribeye, ratio 111.
- * Grandam K97 produced sons for Three Trees Ranch, Andrew Herzberg, Glen Hanson, Brian Taglauer, and Josh Lohman. The Tree Trees bull was the \$43,000 Hoover Hawkeye, whose influence you will see sprinkled through the offering on the dam's side of pedigrees.
- * K97 was a twin sister to K98, the \$30,000 top-selling female of our 2013 auction to KDS Angus.
- * Great grandam G278 was a super beefy cow, and produced progeny selling for \$30,000, \$25,500, and \$17,000.
- * Fourth generation dam D154 is the grandam of No Doubt!

**BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON D30 - LOT 193****193****BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON D30**

OPEN HEIFER REG: 21343829 TATTOO: D30 1/6/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	##*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	71
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	720/105
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	##*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	
	##*Connealy Impression	RE/Ratio	
##*Connealy Impact	##Elza of Conanga 8265		
BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON P72	##*Mogck Bullseye		
Blackcap Empress Ellston M99	##Blkcp Empress Ellston E169		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+6	+1.6	+76	+127	+7	+1.09	+9	+29	+26	
		30%					30%	20%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+46	+45	+46	+82	+82	+0.07	+96	+100	+165	+310
					4%				25%
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	9-99	8-101	7-98	4-\$4150	None	None			

- * D30 is a long bodied heifer, yet has plenty of depth. This calm heifer would make an excellent foundational heifer for any youngster excited about getting into the cattle business!
- * For those interested in the new Functional Longevity EPD (FL), she ranks in the best 3% of the breed at +1.20 - one of the best in the sale for this trait.
- * Dam P72 is still going strong and will turn 11 years of age on sale day! She has a 357 day calving interval on her 9 calves. Her featured daughter sells as Lot 121. P72's sons work for Max Shaffer, Ted Halls, Garry Nickell, and Russell & Sharon Kelley.
- * Grandam M99 had a 365 day calving interval, and descended from the same cow line as Hoover Know How and many other great cows.
- * Pathfinder great grandam E169 had a successful career with a 354 day calving interval which included two sets of twins. She was a highly productive cow and her first daughter earned Pathfinder honors. Her dam and grandam were just like her - fertile, highly productive cows from the great Blackcap Empress Ellston cow family.
- * Foundational dam C57 has put 105 daughter descendants in the Hoover herd, including 19 Pathfinders and 9 donor cows! Four bulls selected for use in the Hoover herd have also stemmed from C57. To say C57 has had an impact on the herd would be an understatement! She has truly helped write the history books at Hoover Angus.

**192****BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON D39**

OPEN HEIFER REG: *21343834 TATTOO: D39 1/8/2025

*Myers Fair-N-Square M39	##*Woodhill Blueprint	BW	80
*DEEP CREEK LEGITIMATE 203	Myers Miss Beauty M136	ADJ. 205/WR	680/99
Deep Creek Rain Lass 013	##*Basin Rainmaker 4404	ADJ. 365/YR	
	#Deep Creek MP Lass 933	%IMF/Ratio	
##*Hoover Elation M123	##*Basin Excitement	RE/Ratio	
BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON T138	##*Pride of Ellston K68		
Blkcp Empress Ellston R310	Moore Gold Mine		
	Blackcap Empress Ellston L75		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+5	+1.4	+68	+109	+3	+58	+8	+33	+26	
							10%	20%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+40	+51	+44	+69	+50	+042	+90	+71	+122	+248
					10%				
DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd			
	6-98	6-99	4-101	3-\$6500	None	1			

- * D39 is a deep, broody gal with a nice quarter. She is a little more moderate framed than most Hoover cattle.
- * Dam T138 has a 359 day calving interval on her 6 calves, showing her excellent fertility. Her sons work for Andy Yoder, Trilight Inc., and Lee & Tammie Brown. Her daughter in the herd doesn't have ratios reported by AAA because her only calving so far was twins.
- * T138 is a low birth weight cow whose four sons have weaned at an average 755 pounds despite her first son being injured in an accident prior to weaning.
- * Grandam was lost earlier in life than we had hoped due to an injury, but she had a perfect 365 day calving interval.
- * Several of these heifers trace back to the great C57 cow, and so does B39. Please read about C57 in the bottom of Lot 193's footnote.



Yearling heifers have blank boxes for yearling weight and ultrasound data. This data will be available one week prior to the sale at https://hooverangus.com/sales_2026. Sale order should be posted online by the evening of January 30 at the same location, or on our page at DVAuction where our videos will be located.

OPEN HEIFERS

194**QUEEN OF ELLSTON D209**

OPEN HEIFER REG: *21343899 TATTOO: D209 2/14/2025

#*Deer Valley Growth Fund
HIGH POINT INVESTOR
 High Point Mimi 777

#*Basin Payweight 1682
 #*Deer Valley Rita 36113
 #*V A R Generation 2100
 S A F Mimi 044-M94
 *Fortunes Conquest 224
 #*Baldrige Isabel B061
 #Connealy Impact
 #Queen of Ellston C50

BW	86
ADJ. 205/WR	708/103
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+7	+6	+72	+127	+7	+11	+12	+28	+21

15%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+91	+50	+48	+25	+71	+053	+79	+105	+137	+257

20%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-105	5-105	3-102	1-\$7000	1-\$5750	1-106
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	8-102	8-102	4-104	1-\$3000		None

- * D209 is the youngest heifer to sell, but she is attractive, square made, and has a nice quarter. She's got a little more hair if a young person is looking for a show heifer.
- * Dam V86 has earned Pathfinder honors for her excellent calving interval of 365 days plus her superior progeny performance. Her first daughter works for repeat customer Lynden Smith. Her next daughter works in our herd and raised a beautiful heifer calf this past year. V86's son works for repeat customer Doug Gross.
- * Grandam R9 has 8 calves at a superior 358 day calving interval. Fertility is very strong in this cow line. R9 also makes some awesome daughters - TWO back-to-back daughters have earned Pathfinder honors! This is extremely rare for a cow that has not served as a donor.
- * R9 was born in a set of awesome flush sisters. One of these flush sisters we are getting ready to flush in November as I am writing this footnote. These sisters will be 10 years old by sale day and still going strong! They certainly add some style to their progeny.
- * Pathfinder great grandam is the phenomenal C50 cow - regarded as the 2nd best cow ever in production at Hoover Angus! The following is an extremely condensed version of her successes. At just a couple short months away from 17 years of age, we laid C50 to rest north of our bull barn, next to the other greats like CC&7, Gridiron, Bullseye, and G366.
- * Prior to holding C50 out of production for one year to flush her, she had a 363 day calving interval on her 13 natural progeny, which included stealing flushes 6 different years! C50 weaned her 14th natural calf at over 16 years of age and recorded 14-106 WR. This longevity shines through in D209's Functional Longevity EPD projection in the best 3% of the breed.
- * C50 was a superior uddered cow even into old age, and offered foot and structure quality rarely found. She grossed over a quarter million dollars on her registered sons alone. C50 has an amazing three Pathfinder daughters, two of which have served as working donors. In all, C50's ten direct daughters that have worked in the Hoover herd average a 103 wean ratio on their 60 progeny. Thirty-six sons of C50 have come to auction at Hoover Angus, more than any other cow in our history, and averaged \$7050. Twelve of her sons or daughters were photo features. One stout son was the heaviest weaning weight bull of the entire spring 2024 Hoover crop!

**MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON D67 - LOT 195****195****MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON D67**

OPEN HEIFER REG: *21343842 TATTOO: D67 1/16/2025

#*Sitz Stellar 726D
***SITZ GALACTIC 723G**
 *Sitz Barbaramere Jet 328E

#*Mohnen Substantial 272
 *SITZ Pride 200B
 *Sitz Emblem 11125
 #*Sitz Barbaramere Jet 771Z
 #Connealy Cool 39L
 **WK Hazel 9201
 SydGen Journey 8200
 Miss Blackcap Ellston G417

BW	85
ADJ. 205/WR	715/104
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/Ratio	
RE/Ratio	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
+0	+3.8	+76	+134	+1.3	+1.67	+7	+32	+18

30% 30% 2% 10% 15%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+05	+39	+43	+14	+58	+039	+67	+95	+120	+223

3% 15% 30%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	4-98	4-105	3-106	1-\$8000	1-\$8250	None

- * D67 is a wide based, bigger framed heifer with plenty of length. She reaches near the top of the breed with her Functional Longevity (FL) EPD of +1.20 in the best 3% of the breed - what a great heifer to start a young cattleman or cattlemans herd with! Twenty sale females have a FL EPD in or above the best 3% of the breed!
- * D67 offers the 2nd highest Scrotal EPD in the open heifer division and has the lowest (best) Hair Shed EPD among the sale open heifers.
- * My notes remind me that dam V482 had excellent mothering skills as a first calf heifer. She now has a 358 day calving interval and is a low birth weight cow. Her 2024 daughter settled first service AI and will calve for the first time this year at Hoover Angus.
- * V482's son works for repeat customer Dusty Goodman, and her daughter for repeat customer Karla Rogan.
- * Grandam L474 has been retired, but put two replacement daughters in the herd and has nice sons working for Nate Britz and Steve McKay, both repeat customers.
- * Great grandam G417 served as a working donor and achieved the amazing feat of three of her daughters (by three different sires) earning the Pathfinder honor. This is extremely rare!
- * I must mention fourth generation dam C446, a Pathfinder who worked in the herd until 15 years of age, and the only reason she was culled at that time was because of a lump on her chin - otherwise her structure and udder were every bit as good as a cow half her age! The calf she raised at 15 years old weaned at 783 pounds! This is the type of cow America needs! She ended her career with a tremendous 106 average wean ratio on her calves.



Brinnly Rea attended our 2025 sale to select a breeding heifer and begin her own herd - she got her own bidder's number, did her own bidding, and bought her own heifer! What a great learning experience!

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BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON D2

OPEN HEIFER REG: 21343822 TATTOO: D2 12/23/2024

*#Musgrave 316 Stunner *E L K TROPHYCLASS *#Pine Coulee Black Annie U7	*#*LD Capitalist 316 #MCATL Blackbird 831-1378 #*Connealy Onward War Hill Blackbone Annie	BW 45 ADJ. 205/WR 650/94 ADJ. 365/YR %IMF/Ratio RE/Ratio
*#Basin Excitement BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON N112 Blueblood Lady Ellston L135	*Basin Expedition R156 Basin Lady 5532 AK SydGen Journey 8200 Blueblood Lady Ellston F10	

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+15	-1.0	+71	+117	+8	+2.10	+14	+28	+20	
2%	10%			25%	2%	5%		10%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+52	+52	+50	+31	+71	+0.09	+57	+95	+132	+228

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	10-95	10-101	6-105	3-\$5700	1-\$12,500	2-102

- * D2 is a pretty, deep, wide based heifer that will make a beautiful cow! She has a nice, small head to aid her progeny in calving easily (and supportive of her high CED EPD). In fact, she ties as the 4th top CED EPD female to sell and is one of the top CEM EPD heifers.
- * D2 offers the highest Scrotal EPD in the open heifer division (important for early puberty).
- * Dam N112 raised this nice heifer at 11 years of age! When we talk about longevity, this is what we mean! N112 has a 358 day calving interval on her 10 progeny - that's what I call fertility! If a cow has stayed in our herd for 11 years that means her udder and feet have stayed good, she has a desirable temperament at calving time, and has done what we have asked her to do. I would certainly expect D2 to do the same for you. Sure, because of the age of her dam, her EPDs aren't as shiny as some, but that hasn't affected her mother's ability to be a great cow!
- * N112 produced a photo feature daughter selling to Eagle Grip Cattle Co. and Abernathy Ranches for \$12,500. Two nice replacement daughters of N112 work in the herd allowing us to part with D2. One of these females was the 3rd top IMF heifer of her crop!
- * Sons of N112 work for Mike & Sue Beun (the 13th top weaning weight bull of his crop), Randy Euken and Gordon Houser.



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MISS ERICA ELLSTON D49

OPEN HEIFER REG: *21343838 TATTOO: D49 1/11/2025

*#MOGCK Fortress 517 *MOGCK EMPIRE 110 *#MOGCK Eraline 1748	*#*K C F Bennett Fortress *#Mogck Rosebud 1545 #SydGen Enhance *#Mogck Eraline 855 *#*EF Commando 1366 *#Baldridge Isabel V69 Moore Gold Mine Miss Erica Ellston K78	BW 70 ADJ. 205/WR 662/96 ADJ. 365/YR %IMF/Ratio RE/Ratio
*#*Baldridge 38 Special MISS ERICA ELLSTON V60 Miss Erica Ellston R290		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+13	-3.4	+65	+112	+6	+4.6	+14	+32	+11	
10%	1%					5%	15%		
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+38	+47	+55	+80	+40	+0.034	+82	+78	+134	+256

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-100	5-97	3-103	3-\$5850	None	None

- * D49 offers excellent length of spine! She still offers an adequate amount of bone, something that is often lost when you get into elite calving ease like she does. She is the lowest BW EPD female to sell and has one of the top CEM EPDs!
- * For those interested in the new Functional Longevity EPD (FL), she is one of 20 sale females that rank in or above the best 3% of the breed for the trait and is the highest in the open heifer division!
- * I feel like a broken record, but dam V60 has an excellent calving interval of 356 days! She has settled AI every year and is carrying her 7th AI calf as I write this footnote. Although sometimes antagonistic with fertility, V60 has high marbling too and serves as the 4th top IMF ratio cow of the herd with 3-142 IMF ratio! She herself scanned a 6.32 IMF, ratio 142.
- * V60's sons work for Darrell Wagoner (the 5th top IMF bull of his crop), Robert Wetzel, and Russell Kelley (the 2nd top IMF bull of his crop).
- * Great grandam K78's first daughter earned Pathfinder status, and two other daughters were retained in the herd.
- * This cow family goes back to the old J327 cow - ask Joy about her, she was one of the greatest cows of the 1990's at Hoover Angus!



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MAID OF ELLSTON D207

OPEN HEIFER REG: *21343898 TATTOO: D207 2/14/2025

*#Mohnen General 548 *MOHNEN GENERAL LEE Mohnen Jilt 1848	*#*Baldridge Colonel C251 *S A V Madame Pride 5290 #*S A V Sensation 5615 #Mohnen Jilt 2504 *#Fortunes Conquest 224 *#Baldridge Isabel B061 *#*MOGCK Entice *#Maid of Ellston S318	BW 68 ADJ. 205/WR 661/96 ADJ. 365/YR %IMF/Ratio RE/Ratio
*#Baldridge Chairman *MAID OF ELLSTON B237 *#Maid of Ellston Z301		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+7	+0	+62	+113	+5	+1.16	+8	+38	+29	
25%							2%	10%	
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+27	+49	+35	+57	+92	-.002	+99	+67	+121	+256

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-100	1-96		None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	3-95	3-100	1-99	None	None	None

- * Valentine's Day baby! My calving book notes say she was born quickly to her first calf heifer mother. D207 is a level topped, deep bodied heifer that still has enough bone despite her lower birth weight.
- * D207 is one of 7 open heifers selling that ranks in the top 1-10% of the breed for the \$Maternal Weaned Calf Value (\$M) index! She ranks among the best for Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPD and is one of 19 females selling to be in the best 1-5% of the breed for the trait.
- * D207 offers the highest Milk EPD among the open heifers selling!
- * Dam B237 was a near perfect uddered heifer who once again settled first service AI for her second calf.
- * B237 had a nice ultrasound scan of a 5.48 IMF, ratio 115 and a 12.1" ribeye, ratio 110.
- * Grandam Z301 is a hard-working cow with a 366 day calving interval. Her calving window has been between February 17-23 each year - I'd say her time clock is working well, as we don't use estrus synchronization or fertility-enhancing protocols on our females. Z301's nice Trophyclass son sells as Lot 57.
- * Great grandam is still going strong at 9 years of age with a 363 day calving interval. Sons work for Joel Greenley and Chad and Craig Davison. Her second daughter is going into the replacement herd this spring.



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BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON D26

OPEN HEIFER REG: *21343828 TATTOO: D26 1/6/2025

*#K C F Bennett Southside *MEAD MAGNUDE *#Mead Primrose N198	*#Nichols Extra K205 *#K C F Miss 208 S11 *#Plattemere Weigh Up K360 #Mead Primrose K247 *#Plattemere Weigh Up K360 *#2XL LGL Lilly 4133 S A V New Design 3105 #Blackcap Empress Ellston A80	BW 80 ADJ. 205/WR 661/96 ADJ. 365/YR %IMF/Ratio RE/Ratio
*#2XL Weigh Up 7113 BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON V37 Blkcp Empress Ellston G259		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC	
+7	+1.2	+76	+135	+9	+5.8	+17	+32	+18	
30%	30%	30%	20%			1%	15%		
HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+31	+35	+44	+68	+1.10	-.027	+59	+87	+150	+254

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	5-96	5-96	3-98	1-\$4750	None	1-98

- * D26 is a long, level topped heifer with just the right frame size. Some how I have dug into the older, really nice heifers for this year's sale!
- * D26 ties as the 2nd highest CEM EPD female to sell!
- * Dam V37 has a superior 356 day calving interval, showcasing her excellent fertility. She has settled AI every single year, and we only give cows one AI opportunity before they are kicked out with the clean-up bull.
- * V37's son works for long-time repeat customer Harold Fuller. V37's daughter in the Hoover herd was the 4th top ribeye scanning female of her crop!
- * V37 was her dam's last calf, but we retained her and one other daughter as replacements. G259 ended her career with 10 calves at a perfect 362 day calving interval! The reason I don't include some grandam's production in the boxes above (like on D26) is because the cow is no longer in the herd. If the cow is still in the herd, her information is displayed.
- * Nine Pathfinders are found in D26's three generation pedigree!





Blackcap Empress Ellston A53
 Dam of Lot 200
 Pictured at 8 months of age



Blkcp Empress Ellston V236
 Grandam of Lot 200



BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON D106 - LOT 200



Hoover Mercury D86
 Flush Brother to Lot 200
 Sells as Lot 1



Hoover Mercury D87
 Flush Brother to Lot 200
 Sells as Lot 2



Blackcap Empress Ellston D93
 Candid picture at 6 months of age
 Flush Sister to Lot 200

200 **BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON D106**
 OPEN HEIFER REG: +*21344684 TATTOO: D106 1/25/2025

*Basin Safe Deposit 9324	**Basin Deposit 6249	BW	80
*MEAD MERCURY	**Basin Joy 2006	ADJ. 205/WR	746/111
*Mead Beauty V971	*Connealy Convoy	ADJ. 365/YR	
	Mead Beauty R523	%IMF/Ratio	
*MOGCK Empire 110	*MOGCK Fortress 517	RE/Ratio	
*BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON A53	*MOGCK Eraline 1748		
Blkcp Empress Ellston V236	*Baldrige Chairman		
	Blackcap Empress Ellston N23		

CED	BW	WW	YW	YH	SC	CEM	MILK	DOC
-2	+2.8	+108	+186	+1.1	+77	+8	+37	+30
		1%	1%	10%			3%	10%

HS	CLAW	ANGLE	MB	RE	FAT	\$M	\$F	\$B	\$C
+6.3	+39	+49	+69	+1.22	+0.10	+88	+117	+180	+321
		15%		10%		10%	15%	30%	20%

DAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters in Herd
	1-79	1-98	1-97	None	None	None
GRANDAM	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	
	4-101	4-100	4-104	1-\$5250	None	

* D106 is a powerfully made, attractive heifer with a calm temperament. She's a tank! D106 was the 3rd top ET weaning weight heifer of the crop. Two of D106's sisters will be retained in the herd, one of which was the 2nd top WW ET heifer of the crop. These siblings are 16th generation bred, born, and raised Hoover females!



- * D106 offers the highest WW and YW EPDs of the entire sale! Better yet, she is from one of the best cow lines at Hoover Angus.
- * D106 is one of 15 females to sell that ranks in the best 1-10% of the breed for Docility EPD. She also has the best Ribeye EPD projection in the open heifer division.
- * Flush brothers to D106 sell as Lots 1-2 (photo features) and 3. Check out these bulls, they are stout, correct, and good!
- * Dam A53 is a picture-perfect uddered female selected to be a donor at an unusually young age for Hoover Angus, and her first flush was phenomenal!
- * Grandam V236 is a beautiful female whose son that was the 11th top weaning weight bull of his crop works for Justin Ellsworth. Her other daughter that was the 3rd top weaning weight, 2nd top yearling weight, and 3rd top ribeye scanning female of her crop was retained in the herd and is raising her first calf now.
- * Great grandam N23 was a highly productive cow that brought in a good calf every year. For her high weaning ratios, she was the herd's 6th top indexing cow at the time a severe cut to her udder meant she would be unable to raise another calf.
- * N23's sons have sold to Diamond J Angus Ranch, the 3rd top weaning weight bull of his crop, and Russell & Sharon Kelley, the 10th top weaning weight bull of his crop.
- * Search this pedigree back past N23 and you will find that three of the next four generations of dams have earned Pathfinder honors!



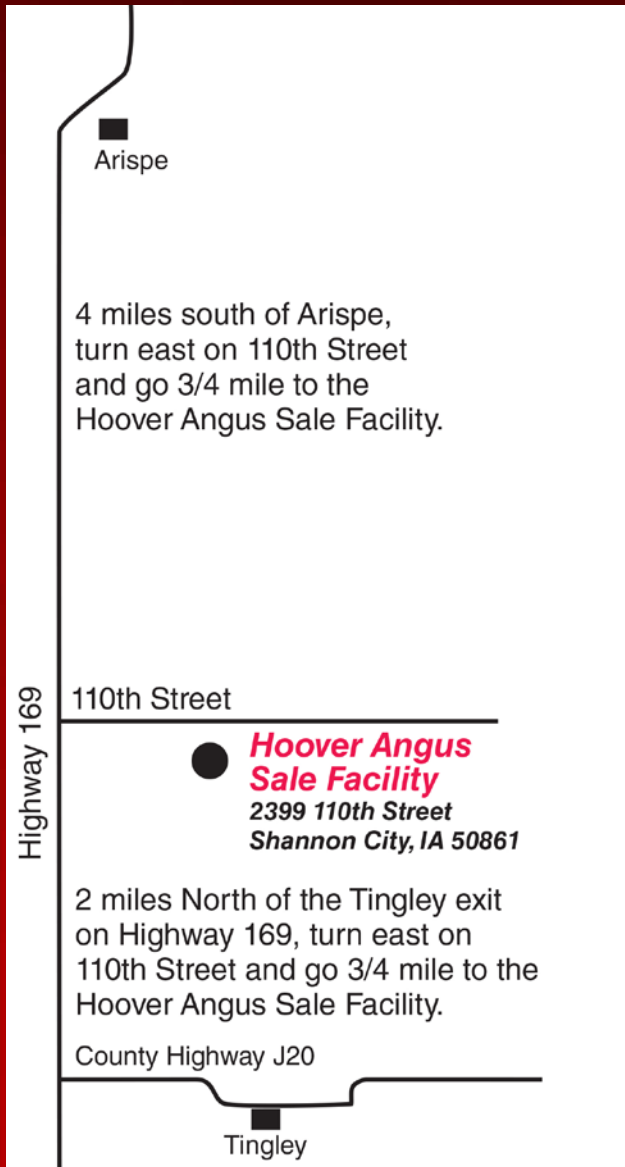
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ERICA OF ELLSTON C418 - LOT 164



HOOVER GALACTIC D44 - LOT 43



MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON C238 - LOT 111



HOOVER MERCURY D86 - LOT 1



BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON D106 - LOT 200



HOOVER EMPIRE D134 - LOT 64



MISS ERICA ELLSTON C509 - LOT 170



HOOVER LEGITIMATE C435 - LOT 106

*** PLEASE DO NOT GPS TO OUR ADDRESS, AS GPS MAY TAKE YOU DOWN A MUD ROAD OR A ROAD WITH A BRIDGE OUT!
 PLEASE GPS TO TINGLEY OR ARISPE, THEN FOLLOW THIS MAP FROM HIGHWAY 169.**