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## **Profitsource**

# Your SOURCE for beef on dairy PROFIT.

Profit potential begins with a good strategy. Consider your source for genetics, fertility, marketability and service. ProfitSOURCE is aptly named to be a source of profit for your dairy. The program has been carefully crafted and curated to drive profit to dairy producers while meeting supply chain desires.



#### Your **SOURCE** for **SUPERIOR FERTILITY**

ProfitSOURCE sires must meet the same elite fertility standards dairy producers have trusted to protect their reproductive efficiency and bottom line.



#### Your **SOURCE** for **MARKET FLEXIBILITY**

ProfitSOURCE's traceability-driven insights confirm a superior end product ensuring market access through diverse marketing options.



#### Your **SOURCE** for **ELITE SERVICE**

Your Select Sires representative will support your dairy with consultation and guidance to optimize inventory management and help select ProfitSOURCE sires to satisfy your buyers.





#### **Percent Choice and Prime**

Holstein-based ProfitSOURCE	95%
Jersey-based ProfitSOURCE	90%
Unknown dairy-beef crosses	85%
Native beef	83%

As program cattle have made their way through the supply chains, the data is impressive. ProfitSOURCE cattle at harvest have consistently graded Choice and Prime at spectacular rates, and have out competed nonprogram beef on dairy crosses and native cattle when it comes to branded program acceptance.





### **GIVE YOUR CALVES A HEALTHY START!**

Growers want to source calves that are thrifty and ready to hit the ground growing. The ProfitSOURCE program includes management guidelines to ensure calves are thrifty and healthy.

An organized record management program is vital. Detailed records will assure that an animal's genetics, identity, date of birth, calving ease information, vaccination and treatment record, as well as performance levels are traceable and transferable from one owner or location to the next.

These simple measures will add value to your calves.

Your Select Sires representative will be there every step of the way with consultative services to help you succeed with your beef on dairy program.

Daily gain difference for a steer that was healthy as a calf versus treated for an illness as a calf.







Feed Conversion Ratio = 7.5:1
Daily Gain = 2.5 pounds

The 0.5 pound-per-day difference in daily gain adds up across the feedyard: [0.5 lbs. reduced gain x 30 days = 15 pounds-per-head, per month]  $[15 \text{ lbs. x } 100 \text{ steers} = 1,500 \text{ pounds of gain lost} = 1 \text{ finished steer}]^1$ 

#### CONTACT YOUR LOCAL SELECT SIRES REPRESENTATIVE TO LEARN MORE!

