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Important update regarding NH test results for 3F Epic 4631

The American Angus Association® recently became aware that 3F Epic 4631, AAA 17950219 is a carrier of Neuroathic Hydrocephalus (NH).

Once 3F Epic 4631 was identified as a carrier of NH over 1,000 of his progeny with genomic profile results were identified as part of our due diligence into the matter. A rapid response on cattle already genomically profiled was possible as genetic markers for NH are included on recent versions of genomic profile tests including, Angus GS, GGP-LD, GGP-HD, i50k, and HD 50K. However, results for NH and other genetic conditions are only reported to Angus Genetics, Inc. (AGI) when ordered. Once the issue was identified, Zoetis and Neogen were able to provide NH marker test results from those previously genotyped samples.

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