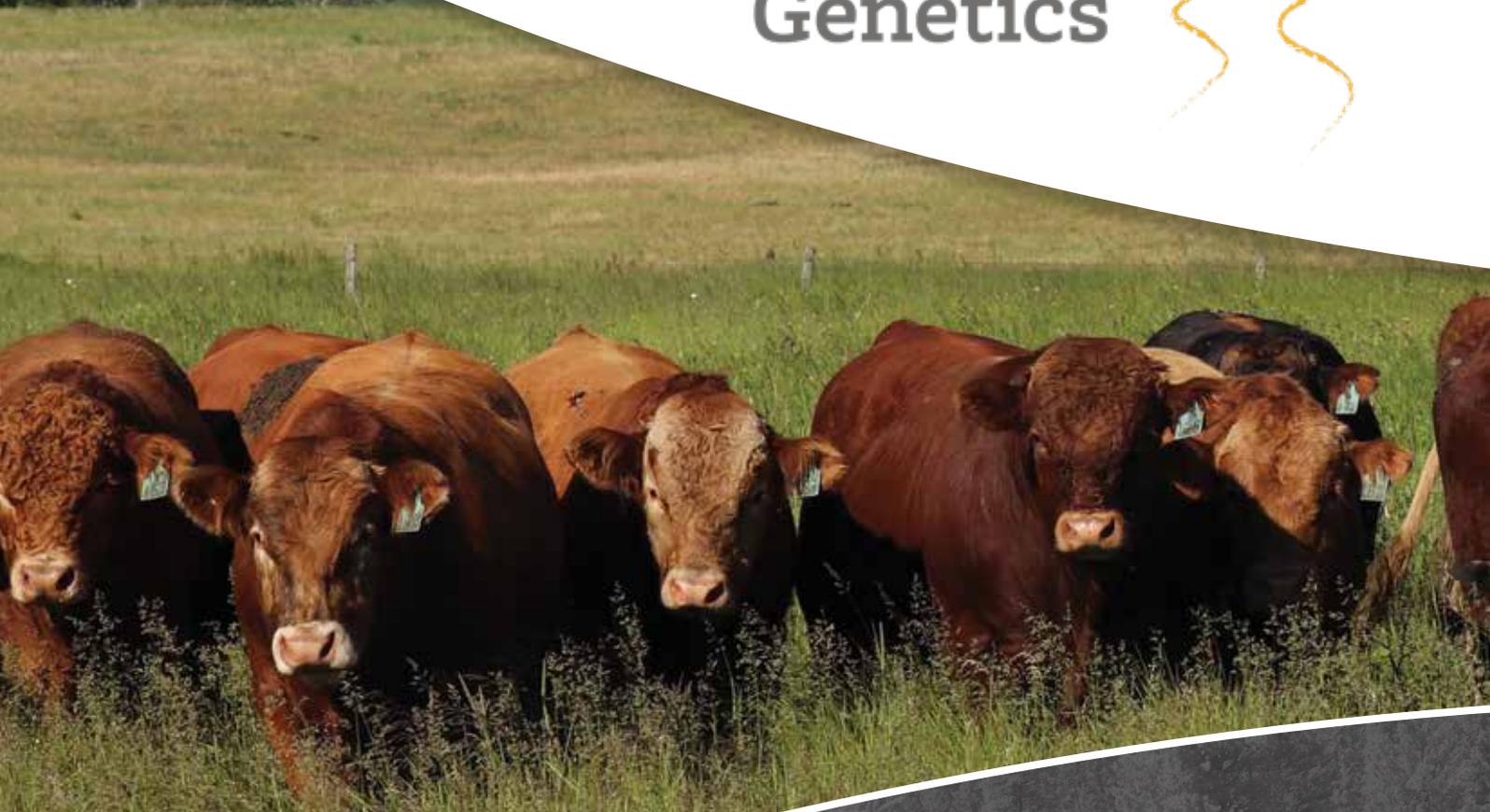


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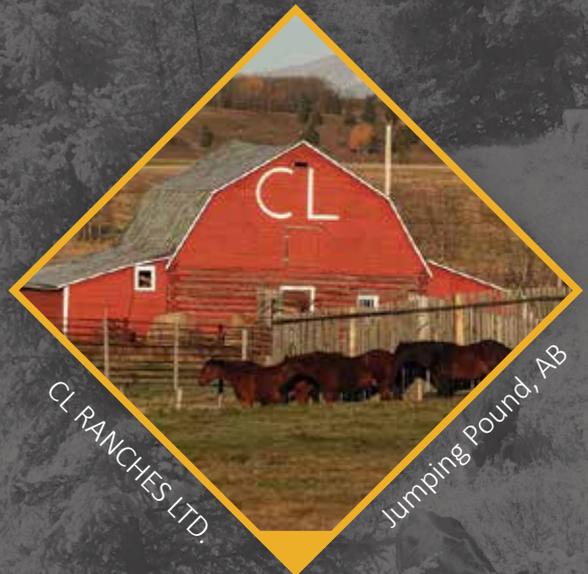
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Proudly Featuring our Founding Members



ANTELOPE BUTTE LIVESTOCK LTD.

Lundbreck, AB



CL RANCHES LTD.

Jumping Pound, AB

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"Over the past few years of feeding CL Ranch calves we have been very impressed with their performance in the feedyard and on pasture. Their growth and feed efficiency have both been significantly better than average, as has their morbidity and mortality."

– Bob Lowe, Bear Trap Feeders



"We have used Antelope Butte Livestock bulls for (over) 30 years with great success. Some of their high indexing bulls are used on mature cows but of note, some more moderate types are used on second calf cows. With small cows we like a moderate bull for the second year even after an easy calver is used the first year. There is a lot of gas in many of their bulls and a wide range to select from depending on the purpose."

- Clay Chattaway, Bar S Ranch

"The TEAM Electronic Sale has been selling Antelope Butte ranch calves for the past several years. Any of the calves I have sold have performed well either in the feedlot or going to grass. They also go on to grade very well." - Will Irvine, TEAM

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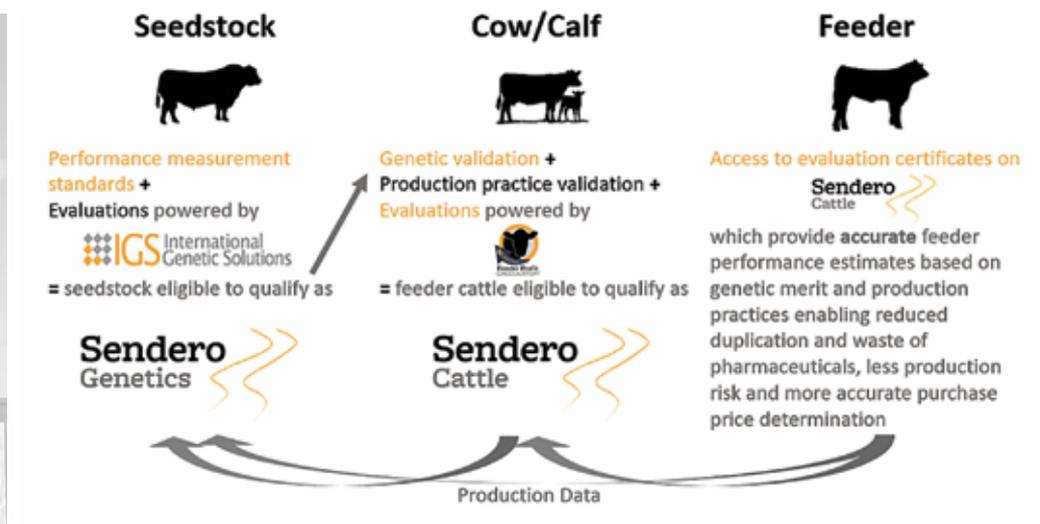
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ACCURACY
PRACTICALITY

SENDERO MEANS “THE PATH”

We are a group of similar minded seedstock breeders, cow/calf producers and cattle feeders with the goal of creating a path to increase production efficiency by raising healthier, more efficient and more predictable cattle for all stages of the cattle supply chain. Not only will this make Sendero Cattle more profitable, it will benefit the land, water and human resources ensuring the farms and ranches on which they are raised remain sustainable for the next generation.



To achieve the accuracy & practicality desired from Sendero Genetics bulls, all bulls offered for sale undergo rigorous data collection and culling requirements. All Sendero Genetics bulls have undergone feed efficiency testing, ultrasound testing, BSEs and have genomically enhanced EPD's for maximum accuracy. To view the most up-to-date data on each individual bull please check out our website at www.senderolimited.com.



CL Ranches Ltd. Jumping Pound, AB



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Sendero Genetics Private Treaty Yearling Bull Offering *from* **CL RANCHES LTD. & ANTELOPE BUTTE LIVESTOCK LTD.**

- Bulls are available for viewing on their respective ranches
- Bulls sold off the ranch on a first come, first served basis.
Please call Jim or Cherie to book an appointment to view the bulls.

CL Ranches Ltd. and Antelope Butte Livestock Ltd. are founding partners in Sendero Limited. Sendero is a collaboration of seedstock breeders, cow/calf producers and cattle feeders developing a scalable cattle improvement model to foster insight sharing across the cattle value chain for improved production efficiency, more marketing options and ultimately better profitability for all participants.

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Hands Off Profitability

The Ranch

Antelope Butte Ranch was started by my great grandfather Richard Lynch-Staunton around 1890 in the foothills of the Livingstone Range just south of the Oldman River. The ranch is primarily native grasses in hilly country with about 10% tame grass and farmland. We own a small feedlot to round out the operation.

Genetics

My grandfather Frank Lynch-Staunton had a predominately Hereford cow herd. Red Devon was introduced in the 1970's. In 1980, we joined Beefbooster and added Angus, Saler, Tarantais, and the Kinsella Beef Hybrid to the mix. We became breeders for Beefbooster and remained there until the spring of 2020. Our current genetics would be approximately 80% Angus, 10% Red Devon, and 10% of all the others.

Breeding Philosophy

Our goal is to breed profitable cattle that you don't have to touch. The cattle have always been selected to have high fertility and growth on marginal land. There is a continuous attempt to select for measurable economic traits. We started weighing cattle individually in 1969. Lately, we are measuring net feed efficiency and carcass traits to add to our rigorous selection. Cattle are culled for infertility, assisted births, problem udders, bad feet, disposition, performance, and many other undesirable traits.

The result of our selection is a moderately sized cow that requires minimal supplemental feed and still re-breeds. We have good feedlot performance and excellent carcass quality.

ANTELOPE BUTTE LIVESTOCK LTD. **PERFORMANCE RESULTS**

With a mature bull ratio of 40 cows/bull the first cycle conception averaged 84.1% over the last 5 years.
Carcass results are typically 1.5% Prime, 60% AAA, 35.5% AA, and 3% A.



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Building on a Past to Create a Sustainable Future



Commercial Horned Hereford cattle dominated the CL ranch herd until the 1960's. At this time, through the use of widely accumulated research and on-ranch testing, an extensive system of crossbreeding was undertaken. Select American Brown Swiss, Braunvieh and Simmental genetics were added to the Hereford cow base through AI and home bred bulls. In 1973, the herd was closed and a process of intense selection for maternal characteristics through the BeefBooster system was carried out until 1996.

Our Program

The CL SuperCross seedstock cattle breeding program does not focus on selection for any one trait in particular. We aim to produce cattle that will succeed through all the levels of the industry to the consumers' plates, with true economic efficiency and the overall satisfaction received by the end user. We insist upon a cow that will raise a strong calf every year under extensive range conditions. Then we insist upon this cow's calf to maintain a high and efficient post-weaning gain in the finishing lots. When our cattle are slaughtered, we strive for them to be high yielding, tender, and tasty. Our cows function on a 40-45 day breeding interval in rugged range conditions. We expect conception rates in the upper 90% range, and focus hard on pounds weaned per cow in the fall. Our calving dates start approximately on the 10th of April for our main cow herd. Conformation and overall environmental compatibility are essential in the selection process of our cattle, as well as the selection based on the performance figures that we collect at all the stages of production.

We here at CL Ranch are constantly striving to improve upon the genetic composition of our cowherd in order to maximize the CL herd's overall potential. We remain vigilant with regards to maintaining a herd with maternal qualities that are second to none. We are determined to capture the maximum value available for carcasses but also keeping in mind an ever-changing feeding environment. For us, the answer to this was Sussex.

Today over 50% of our cow herd contains varying degrees of Sussex in their genetic makeup. Their ability to adapt to our harsh Alberta environment has been beyond our expectations. The crossbred Sussex cattle are highly efficient in today's high cost grain markets. They are easily maintaining body condition, fertility and now longevity within the CL herd on nothing but a forage based diet. We believe in raising natural cattle that do not require hormones in order to perform and this is where the SussexCross cattle are truly beginning to shine.

Though most of our progeny are retained and "fed or bred" through our various systems, CL does offer a select group of bulls each year through the Annual CL SuperCross Bull Sale in the Spring of each year.

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www.senderolimited.com