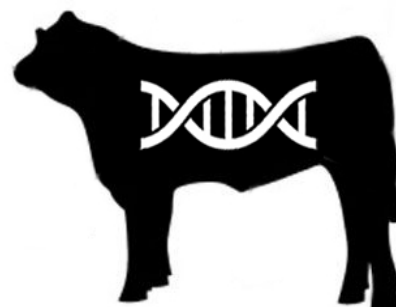


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## DNA FACT SHEET

### How do I submit DNA?

Instructions on how to collect hair samples are available on the back of the UQ Collection Cards. Collection Kits are available from the ALBS office, to order some kits please email [tessa@limousin.com.au](mailto:tessa@limousin.com.au)

Once the hair samples have been collected and placed in to the collection kits the kits should be returned to the ALBS office. The new DNA Application form (which can be downloaded here <http://limousin.com.au/member-services/forms/>) is to be emailed to [tessa@limousin.com.au](mailto:tessa@limousin.com.au) when the DNA Samples are posted.

**IMPORTANT!** Samples will not be submitted to the Lab for testing without a copy of the DNA Application Form

### I am an Overseas member; how do I submit DNA?

Due to quarantine requirements, Overseas members should use the following forms & instructional documents;

- Submitting DNA from Overseas
- Permit to import conditionally non-prohibited goods
- DNA Application Form

The above forms can be downloaded from the ALBS website - <http://limousin.com.au/member-services/forms/>

### How long will my DNA take?

- DNA & PV tests take 4-6 weeks once they have been received by the lab
- Poll, Coat, Proto & F94L tests take 6-8 weeks once they have been received by the lab.

As per the SSLA DNA is sent from the ALBS office to UQ every Friday. ALBS express posts the DNA Samples to UQ however 1 week's postage time should be allowed for.

### What will happen when the results come back?

Effective 1 August 2017 all DNA results will be emailed directly from UQ to the ALBS office and the member. Once the DNA results have been received by the office the results will be loaded to the database and any changes will be processed within a maximum of 5 working days.

To check to see if DNA results have been received & loaded to the database please use the Animal Enquiry on the ALBS website - <http://abri.une.edu.au/online/cgi-bin/i4.dll?1=37293431&2=2431&3=56&5=2B3C2B3C3A>

**IMPORTANT!** Results will only be emailed to the email address supplied on the DNA Application. If no email address is provided the DNA results will be emailed or posted out once they have been loaded to the database

### What will my DNA tests cost?

Below are the current DNA charges;

DNA	PV*	Poll/Horn	Proto	F94L	Myostatin	Colour	Semen	Urgent**
\$29.70	\$5.50	\$26.40	\$27.50	\$19.80	\$38.50	\$27.50	\$15.00	\$15.00

\*There is no cost for Parent Verification with a DNA test

\*\*Urgent tests will be processed 2 weeks faster than the normal turnaround time. Proto Tests cannot be Urgent

**IMPORTANT!** You will be invoiced for your DNA tests when the samples arrive in the office. Payment is required within 14 days of the invoice date

If you have any other questions regarding DNA Testing please email [tessa@limousin.com.au](mailto:tessa@limousin.com.au)