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Eligibility and Registration Rules

Eligibility Rules Based on Aubrac Percentage:

1. F = Full Bloods: 100%.
2. B = Bred Up Full Bloods: greater than or equal to 99.0% but less than 100%.
3. P = Purebreds: greater than or equal to 90.0% but less than 99.0%.
4. X = Cross Breds: greater than or equal to 25.0% but less than 90.0% (applies to females and males).

Note 1: Animals with greater than or equal to 90.0% Aubrac parentage that do not conform to all aspects of the Aubrac breed standard for color will be designated as "Cross Breds" (Code "X") on the pedigree (See parentage and color codes).

Note 2: The animal percentage will appear on the pedigree rounded down to the tenth decimal. Examples, 89.42% will be rounded down to 89.4%, and 89.49% will be rounded down to 89.4%

Note 3: The words "Full Blood," "Bred Up Full Blood," or "Pure Bred "(codes F, B, or P in the parentage eligibility rules) will appear in prominent letters at the top of the pedigree in the Aubrac Herdbook Registration box. The name "Cross Bred" (code X) will not appear at the top of the pedigree in the Aubrac Herdbook Registration Box.

Registration Rules

Parentage and Color Codes (Eight Possible Combinations)

1. FAU = Full Blood with Aubrac color (conforms to all color aspects of the US Aubrac breed standard)
2. BAU = Bred Up Full blood with the Aubrac color
3. PAU = Purebred with the Aubrac color.
4. XAU = Cross bred with the Aubrac color.
5. XBL = Cross bred with a black color
6. XRE = Cross bred with a red color
7. XBR = Cross bred with a brindle color
8. XZZ = Crossbred with another color or any combination of colors other than those listed above.

Full Animal Name: The full animal name will consist of the owner code, animal name, herd number and international year code: Spring Valley Blossom 005B. "Spring Valley" is the owner code, "Blossom" is the name of the animal, "005" is the herd number, and international year code is "B" for 2014.

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Note: an owner code is not limited to four letters. The owner code can designated as a farm or ranch name, such as ""Spring Valley" in the example above..

Registration Number: The registration number format will consist of a country code, parentage a color code, and a CLRC number: [USA] PAU123456. "USA" is the country code, "P" is the code for a pure bred Aubrac, "AU" is the Aubrac color code, and "123456" is a CLRC identifier number (up to 12 digits long).

The animal above would be represented by the following two lines on the pedigree:

Line 1: Spring Valley Blossom 005B (Full Animal Name)
Line 2: [USA]PAU123456   (Unique Registration Number)

> **Note:** Tattooing or branding each animal is recommended using the last digit of the year ("4" for 2014) followed by the herd number. For example, the first animal born in 2014 would be: 4001; the one-thousandth animal born in 2014 would be 41000. Two zeros for animals 1 through 9, and one zero for animal 10 through 99 will be used for the first 99 animals born for that year.   This is not a unique numbering system but it will be very rare for two animals with the same tattoo or brand to be in the same place at the same time.