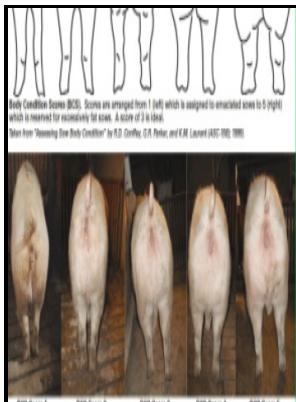


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C When the goal is an improvement in percentage lean boars B and E would be expected to produce the greatest improvement but A, C, and G would also improve leanness. Seedstock suppliers can use EPDs and indexes for pricing. But remember, the difference in genetic merit between the boars is the same regardless.

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The actual EPD values of boars A and B change dramatically with changes in base.

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Commercial producers should require seedstock suppliers to follow a sound genetic improvement program and then use genetic information when purchasing breeding animals along with acceptable health, reproductive soundness, and skeletal structure.

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The majority of the producers were using at least some home-raised replacement gilts. What Does NPPC do for Pork Producers? Most offspring will be marketed on a carcass merit program, some gilts will be retained. Genetic trend within a particular breed is also important.

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Low accuracy values are caused by very few pieces of information on the animal being evaluated or by low heritability for a given trait.

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