

Straw prints after introduction of Wave

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The minimum information that all BU's should print on the straw are:

- A) semen- type: C/F/M
- B) Breed: (max. 3 characters)
- C) Product code (6 digits)
- D) Bull Name (max. 9 characters)
- E) Lot number: preference yymmddx, if not allowed then ddmmyyx (7digits)
- F) Barcode that includes stud/marketing code (097), product code and lot number (16 characters)
- G) Bull ID (International registration)
- H) Number of Collection Centre

BU's will add, dependent on local demands, extra information on the straw, e.g. the **NAAB-code** for export of Holstein semen to the US

Example for: Dutch-Flanders and US production:

C HO **123456 PARAMOUNT 1102171** barcode NL339291027 NL8535 **097HO04794**

Format: A-B-C-D-E-F-G-H

Example for CZ:

C HO **123456 PARAMOUNT 1102171** barcode CZ339291027 CZ 21790100

Format: A-B-C-D-E-F-G-H

Example for Oceania:

NZ S03E C HO 1102171 barcode**123456 PARAMOUNT** DMLF 09-16

Format: H-A-B-E-F-C-D-G

Example for Laqoa:

SP-00012-4 **PARAMOUNT** barcode BR339291027 HO 1102171 C **123456**

Format: H-D-F-G-B-E-A-C

Example for CRV Deutschland:

11 **PARAMOUNT 10/171200** D-KBR019EWG **1308221** C 311922 bar code

Format: B-D-**Herdbook code**-H-E-A-C-F

Barcode

Barcode information: CRV code (097) – product code – Lot number.

Example: 0971234561102171.

Length of the barcode is approximately 2.2 cm

Bold print

The possibilities for printing information in Bold are limited. The order of priority for printing in Bold is: Bull Name, Product code and Lot number.

Markt specific information

It is possible to print market-specific information (e.g. local AI code) on the tubes. Example for the NL/FL market:

974794 Paramount