



Calving Ease

21.9%



fewer difficult births
vs other bulls

5.8%



fewer stillbirths
vs other bulls

CDCB proof data, APR*21

Over 50
Calving Ease
sires with

GTPI

Net Merit

over
2700

over
**\$570
NM\$**

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REPRODUCTION OF DAM AFTER EASY/ UNASSISTED CALVING

0.3 fewer services per conception
4 days quicker to 1st service (as cows)
10 days shorter calving interval

Eaglen et al, 2011



Daughters of Calving Ease bulls
vs. daughters of other bulls

1 day younger at 1st service
(as heifers)

CDN Fertility Measures by Sire, April 2017.

MORE MILK • FAT • PROTEIN



	COW @ 60-days	CALF @ 305-days
Milk	+42 kg (+93 lbs)	+245 kg (+542 lbs)
Fat	+0.05%	+4.5 kg (+10 lbs)
Protein	+0.03%	+4.4 kg (+10 lbs)

Berry et al, 2007

Eaglen et al, 2011

Easier Calvings For Herd Success