

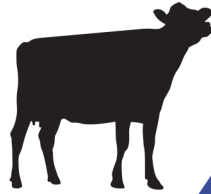
# Animal Registration Process

Is the animal typical of the Holstein breed?

# YES

**Entry Level Holstein**  
Typical of Holstein Breed

Base animal  
Dam/Sire birthdate may  
not be known



**RECORDED**

# NO

**Cross Bred Holstein**

F1 - 1<sup>st</sup> generation cross +  
F2 - 2<sup>nd</sup> generation cross +  
F3 - 3<sup>rd</sup> generation cross =  
Base animal

## PERCENTAGE

Typical of Holstein Breed and known Birthdate

Purebred Sire or Dam plus corresponding known  
or registered (Base animal) Sire or Dam

**50%**

Average of assigned step/level of registered sire and dam

**62%**

**75%**

**87%**

**94% (males only)**

## PUREBRED

Typical of Holstein Breed

Females

minimum of **94%** step/level

Males

minimum of **97%** step/level

All purebreds equate to 100% for categorization purposes.

Typical of Holstein Breed means compliance with distinct breed criteria, genetic makeup, physical resemblance and stability for breed characteristics.

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