

NSIP OFFICE

Data Fees, Coding and Data Submission

FEES

- ✘ Annual enrollment
- ✘ Data Fees

ANNUAL ENROLLMENT

- ✘ One year enrollment is for data entry for one year of lambing – Based on number ewes who lamb for the year
- ✘ Office does not invoice this normally
 - + If you have data fees that I bill out for a year that you have not paid enrollment for then I will send out an invoice based on Lambplan information
- ✘ Enrollment form on NSIP website
 - + Print, fill out, send in with a check

DATA FEES

\$2/head once in animals lifetime

- ✘ Animal which has any post-90 day measurement
 - + Unless CO – commercial or CU – Culled coding is in the 11th & 12th position in the ID prior to the post-90 day measurement being sent to Lambplan
- ✘ Billed quarterly
 - + March 15
 - + June 15
 - + September 15
 - + December 15
- ✘ As of June 15 – Lambplan not rolled over to 2011 so no 2011 will be billed out until the Sept. 15

VALID FLOCK LIST

Created twice a month at run time

- ✘ Includes all flocks that are current with A/Rec
 - + This means that payment of an invoice is due within 30-days
- ✘ If you are not current and you send data in to Lambplan
 - + Your data will be run but it will not be sent out to you until you are current

CODING

16-digit unique ID for every animal

- ✘ First 6-digits

- + Always your flock ID for anything born in your flock or if it is a purchase from a non-NSIP flock

- ✘ Next 4-digits – 7 to 10

- + Must always be the year of birth

- ✘ Last 6-digits – 11 to 16

- + Under your discretion with some exceptions

11TH & 12TH DIGITS

- × Lambplan preference
 - + The last 2 digits of the year of birth
- × Your choice – letters or numbers
- × Exceptions
 - + CO & CU
 - × will stop data fee
 - × you will see no EBVs on animal
 - × no more than 25% of lamb crop can have this coding
 - + XB – crossbred
 - + RL – Ram lamb with unknown sire

OTHER EXCEPTIONS FOR 11, 12 & 13TH

- ✘ DAB – Dead at Birth
- ✘ DRY – Dry ewe
- ✘ SYN – Syndicated Ram

LAST 4-DIGITS

- ✘ Combination of numbers and letters that are on your animal's eartag
- ✘ Exception
 - + 15 2-letter combos – can't be in the 15th & 16th if you want to see data back
 - ✘ RT, NT, LT, AG, RL, AM, SN, MS, LS, RR, MM, BK, FK, LM, 00

PURCHASED ANIMALS

- ✘ From another NSIP flock
 - + Get the ID from previous owner
 - + Do not change this number
- ✘ From non-NSIP flock
 - + Give it an ID that starts with your flock ID & it's birth yr.
 - + Next you could use 2 letters to represent the breeder, but that is not necessary
- ✘ Will not go into your PW until he or she has offspring in your flock

DATA SUBMISSION

Check data run cutoff

- ✘ Go to NSIP website – nsip.org
- ✘ Choose NSIP Info tab
- ✘ Choose Data Run Calendar
- ✘ Click on link which takes you to Lambplan's Run Schedule
- ✘ Remember that is Australia time
 - + E.g.: August 15 at 5 pm is August 15 at 2 am in US Central time/1 am US Mountain time

AFTER VALIDATION DO BACKUPS

Email backup

- ✘ The one sent to Lambplan at database@sheepgenetics.org.au
- ✘ If you use Outlook or some of other regular programs
 - + Automatic attached to a blank email which you need to address
- ✘ If you use other email programs
 - + You will see a couple of MAPI errors
 - + You will have to open a new email and go find your file that you just made
 - ✘ It is a file in Lambplan\PW4 called flockID.zip

OTHER BACKUPS

Do the C drive backup

- ✘ Recommend this every time you do the email backup
 - + Reason – if and when you lose data this is the file that you use to do a restore (Utilities/Restore from previous backup)

PW does do a monthly backup automatically so if you loose data and have not done the above then:

- ✘ Go to Information/Update from OLD database files
- ✘ Choose the folder with the most current data then the data.dbf file and follow the prompts

AFTER SUBMISSION

Roughly on date of run - you will receive a confirmation from Stephen that data was received

Between 3 to 5 days after run date

- ✘ Will receive email from Stephen
 - + 5 or 6 PDF reports attached
 - ✘ If have a pedigree problems report – fix the errors
- ✘ Link in email takes you to a Lambplan web page to do your update to PW
 - + Do soon – link stays live ~ 3 months – do it before you forget
 - + Do the Add and Update Pedigree steps