



Importing NAIT Tag bucket files

Overview

When NAIT tags are manufactured an associated Tag Bucket File is created. This file contains the following information about your tag order:

- EID tag number
- AHB number
- Year
- Tag number

A tag bucket file is created for each order of tags. This file is usually an Excel or CSV format. Below is an example of what a file may look like in Excel.

	А	В	С	D
1	00000 0 982 000153059000	3206123	10	1
2	00000 0 982 000153059245	3206123	10	2
3	00000 0 982 000153059258	3206123	10	3
4	00000 0 982 000153059888	3206123	10	4
5	00000 0 982 000153059987	3206123	10	5
6	00000 0 982 000153059223	3206123	10	6
7	00000 0 982 000153059774	3206123	10	7

For tags ordered from PBB, you can request the Tag bucket file PBB which we can email to you. This includes orders from previous years. If you purchase you tags elsewhere the Tag bucket file may be included on a CD with your tags. For Allflex tags if you have your Tag purchase Order Number you can download your tag buckets from the Allflex website. Contact your tag supplier for assistance with obtaining your tag bucket files.

Prior to entering Calves in HerdMASTER import your Tag bucket file(s) for that year. Then as you enter new calves, ensure Use Tag bucket file is ticked and the EID numbers will automatically be assigned as you enter each calf.

For animals you already have in your HerdMASTER database you can use these files to get your 16 digit EID numbers entered against each of your animals in HerdMASTER 4.

There are two steps to the process:

- Import Tag Bucket
- NAIT ID Audit (only required to update animals already in HerdMASTER4)

Know your Animal Tag format

The critical factor when importing a tag bucket is that the VID format matches exactly the Animal Tag format that you use in your database. To ensure you get this correct open the Animal List so you can see your most recent calving year.

In the below example, the tag format is YYNNN. ie two year numbers and then 3 animal numbers.

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	+	10003	123451100003	3	10/07/2010		2010				FEMALE	
<u>s</u>		10004	123451100004	4	15/07/2010		2010				FEMALE	
		10005	123452100005	5	15/07/2010		2010				STEER	
		10006	123450100006	6	27/07/2010		2010				MALE	
		10007	123450100007	7	03/08/2010		2010				MALE	
		10008	123450100008	8	06/08/2010		2010				MALE	
		10009	123450100009	9	07/08/2010		2010				MALE	
		10010	123450100010	10	13/08/2010		2010				MALE	
		10011	123451100011	11	15/08/2010		2010				FEMALE	
		10012	123451100012	12	16/08/2010		2010				FEMALE	
		10013	123451100013	13	18/08/2010		2010				FEMALE	

Other variations may be that you have a Letter to denote the Year, or have 4 animal numbers rather than 3.

Another factor is if your Animal Tag column is Zero padded or Zero stripped. The above example is zero padded to 3 digits. EG animal number 3 is recorded as 003.

Once you have established your tag format you are ready to import you Tag bucket.

Have you tag bucket files save on your computer ready to import.

Import Tag Bucket

- 1. Click NAIT | Import Tag bucket
- 2. Click the browse button and select you Tag bucket file and click Open

Note: You may need to change the file type between CSV and XLS to see your tag bucket file

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3. A preview of your tag bucket will be displayed

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	982 000153059	3206123	10	0004	100004	-
	982 000153059	3206123	10	0005	100005	
	982 000153059	3206123	10	0006	100006	
	982 000153059	3206123	10	0007	100007	
	982 000153059	3206123	10	0008	100008	
	982 000153059	3206123	10	0009	100009	
	982 000153059	3206123	10	0010	100010	
	982 000153059	3206123	10	0011	100011	
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- 4. 'Remove Leading zeros (EID)' and 'Zero Pad Single Digit Year No' should always be ticked.
- 5. In this screen you need to get the VID column to display the <u>exact</u> format of you Animal Tag in HerdMASTER.
- 6. In our preview <u>above</u> the VID is padded out to 4 digits, when it only needs to be 3. Therefore we need to adjust the Zero Pad tag from 4 to 3 as below.

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	982 000153059	3206123	10	005	10005	
	982 000153059	3206123	10	006	10006	
	982 000153059	3206123	10	007	10007	
	982 000153059	3206123	10	008	10008	
	982 000153059	3206123	10	009	10009	
	982 000153059	3206123	10	010	10010	
	982 000153059	3206123	10	011	10011	
	982 000153059	3206165	10	012	10012	
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7. Our VID Column now matches our Animal Tag in our Animal List.

TIP: If you have a year letter rather than number click on <u>Bulk Change Year</u> <u>Number</u> and type in your year letter and click OK. The year number will then be replaced with your Year letter.

TIP: If you animal numbers are zero stripped, set Zero Pad tag to 1.

- 8. Now click Import then Yes.
- 9. The Import Results screen will then be displayed. Check the number of tags added is correct and that none have failed.

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- 10. Click Finish
- 11. You will now be able to view the imported tag bucket under the NAIT | View Edit Tag Bucket menu.
- 12. Repeat the import for each Tag Bucket file you have.

These tags are now available for use. If they are for calves you are yet to enter the job is complete. Remember to tick **Use Tag bucket** when you begin entering calves as show below.

🕑 Ac	ld Calf		
	Breeding Group	Code NZANG 💌	Animals Location Current Location Reset to Defaults
ģ	Animal Tag	110789	Add Animal Navigation
Þ	Electronic ID		Previous Tag 110788 Next Animal ->
Ξ	National ID		Next Tag
A	Default ID		
F-	Society ID	12345U12110789	Use TagBucket
	Prefix	PBB DEMO	
	Suffix	789	Additional information Purchase Information Worksheets
	Sex	Unknown 👻	Colour
	DOB	20/07/2012 -	Right Tattoo 789 Horn Status
	Birth Year	2012	Grade

Update EID for animals already in your Database

If you wish to load these EID tag numbers against animals already in your database the process is as follows:

- 1. Click NAIT | NAIT ID Audit
- 2. Select Field to Match of Animal Tag (VID)
- 3. Click Next
- 4. Tick Update Existing Electronic ID's (EID)
- 5. Click Select All
- 6. Click Process Selected Records
- 7. An Audit Summary will be displayed showing the results
- 8. Click Finish

Close and reopen the animal List. The EID column will now display the EIDs.

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		10005	123452100005	5	15/07/2010	2010	982 000153059987		STEER	
		10006	123450100006	6	27/07/2010	2010	982 000153059223		MALE	
		10007	123450100007	7	03/08/2010	2010	982 000153059774		MALE	