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**Prediction of Dairy Bull Fertility from Field Data: Use of Multiple Services and Identification and Utilization of Factors Affecting Bull Fertility.** *By Kuhn and Hutchison, page 2481.* The objectives of this research were to assess the use of multiple services and an expanded service sire term for prediction of bull conception rates in the United States. Factors considered for an expanded service sire term included age of the bull at the time of mating, stud, inbreeding of the service sire, inbreeding of the mating (potential embryo), and an additive genetic effect. This research is important to the dairy industry because it begins to increase accuracy in bull fertility evaluations through statistical modeling and editing.