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How to use a NLIS scanner



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Part one

Scanning cattle

What will you need?

- Two people (one for recording information and the other for operating the scanner)
- Fully charged NLIS scanner
- Recording sheet

| Exhibitors Name & PIC of where animals are from | Session Number | No of Cattle | No Scanned | Returning Pic Code (if different from origin) |
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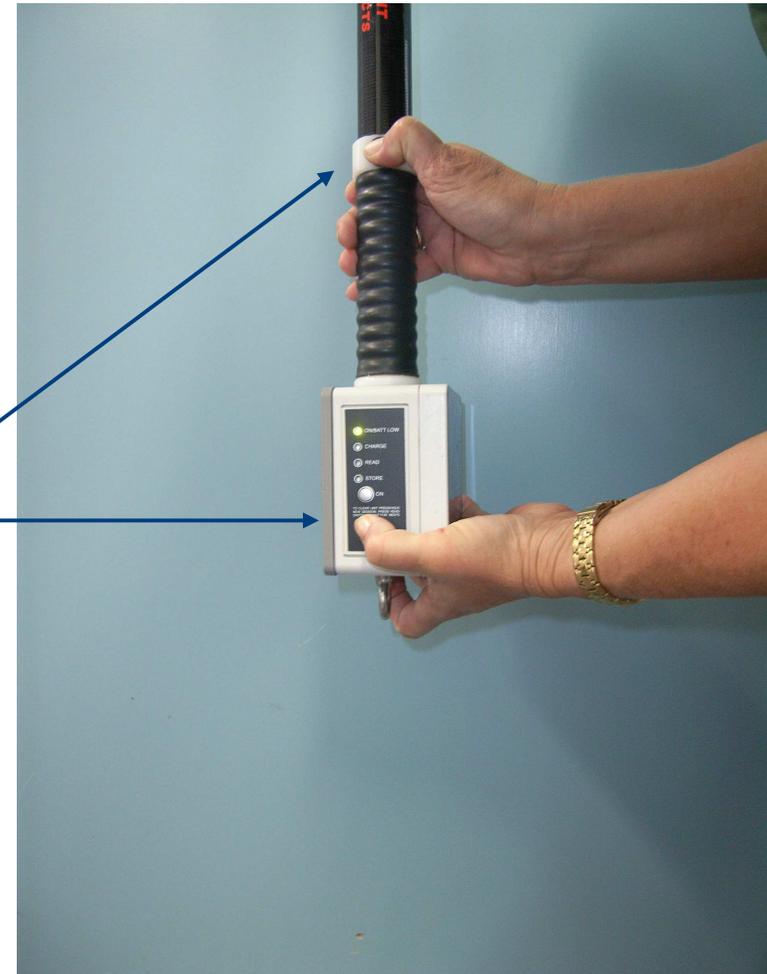
Operating the scanner

- Switch on the scanner by pressing the 'ON' button the green 'ON' light will come on.



Operating the scanner

- Before you use the scanner you MUST ensure that it has been cleared of all previous data. To clear the unit press 'new session' & the 'read' button 3 times until the scanner beeps four times after a long beep



Scanning Cattle – The recorder

- The recorder should complete the record sheet for the exhibitor (one row per exhibitor)
- It is 'CRITICAL' that all fields of the record sheet are completed correctly!

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Scanning Cattle – The scanner operator

- The scanner operator should create a new session on the scanner for **each exhibitor** by pressing the ‘new session’ button for three seconds. The scanner will beep four times to confirm a new session.



Scanning Cattle – The scanner operator

- To scan cattle point the end of the scanner close to the NLIS tag and press the 'read' button. The scanner should emit a two tone beep for each animal scanned. (If the animal has already been scanned in the current session the scanner will emit a one tone beep)



Scanning cattle

- **IT IS CRITICAL THAT A NEW SESSION ON THE SCANNER BE CREATED FOR EACH EXHIBITOR.**
- Repeat the scanning and record keeping process for each exhibitor including rodeo and sporting event cattle.