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**Brown Swiss
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ASSOCIATION



Dear friends of Brown Swiss

Already several months have passed since our last meeting in Kincardine, Ontario. The Ontario Association prepared a great Annual General Meeting for us. Thanks to the organization for the whole operation of this activity. Wine and cheese on the day before the AGM, a good banquet following the meeting and to end the evening, we honoured some members who knew how to make the breed move forward. I raise my hat to those people. The next day, we visited three wonderful farm operations. Thank you for your welcome, it was a beautiful tour.

The AGM went very well. Good positive discussions where each participant expressed themselves, this provided the Board with some guidance. An item under discussion was for the Genetics Committee to be represented by members outside the Board. After discussion, each regional association will nominate their representative on the Committee. The Committee will be composed of Sarah Donaldson for Western Canada, Rejean Mathis for Manitoba, Troy and Mark McConnell

for Ontario and for Québec, Dave Rousseau and Serge Bilodeau. The Chairman of that Committee: Ernst Gubelmann. Congratulations to all and good discussions since there are several topics to be discussed. With the formation of this committee, there was a change on the Board with Ken Drummond replaced Dave Rousseau.

I hope that you all had good weather for your planting. And with this beautiful summer, I hope that you all had good weather for your hay harvesting and I wish you some good weather to complete all the crops.

I cannot leave you without talking about shows. The shows are the showcase of our breed. It is a nice place for breeders to compare themselves, a place to fraternize, to encourage the exhibitors. Let's not forget that for the RAWF, we need 75 entries and 75 animals to be presented.

I wish you a nice end of summer and a beautiful fall. I am looking forward to seeing everyone during the shows.

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CLRC – Calvin Raessler, Renald Dumas, Jessie Weir

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Canadian Dairy Breeds – Renald Dumas, Ernst Gubelmann, and Jessie Weir

Quebec Show – Dave Rousseau

Manitoba Show – Armin Dueck

Ontario Show – Daniel Bates

Genetic Committee – Ernst Gubelmann (Chairman), Sarah Donaldson, Rejean Mathys, Troy McConnell, Mark McConnell, Dave Rousseau and Serge Bilodeau

Amendments – Ken Drummond, Ian Peden, Armin Dueck, CLRC and Jessie Weir

Star Brood Cow & Master Breeder – Dave Rousseau, Dale Phillips and Jessie Weir

**The next Annual Meeting will be hosted by the
Quebec club in spring of 2015.**

More details to follow.

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2014 Excellents (January - August 2014)

Reg.	Name	Class	Score	Owner	Province	
BSCANF104477178	DAYRY SWISS ZEUS US LUCKY	EX	93	2E	FERME BROWN HEAVEN	QC
BSCANF9695511	GUBELMAN SPECIAL DANISH	EX	93	1E	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
BSUSAF958708	SILVER TOP DY CHARLOTTE	EX	93	1E	FERME BROWN HEAVEN	QC
BSCANF101999845	BARONETS PREMIUM HOLLY	EX	92	3E	LÉONARD CHABOT	QC
BSCANF101614839	ANFIELD COLL JANE'S EILEEN ET	EX	92	3E	SWISS DREAM FARM	MB
BSCANF9779232	SWISSLANE SCIPIO MIIA	EX	92	2E	SWISSLANE FARMS	ON
BSCANF9695472	GUBELMAN VIGOR DIZZY ET	EX	92	2E	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
BSUSAF68103991	ROLLING KNOLLS SPECIAL ET	EX	92	1E	BRADNER FARMS	BC
BSCANF9597106	SWISS DREAM FSTBRK PROMISE ET	EX	92	1E	SWISS DREAM FARM	MB
BSCANF105175666	BROWN HEAVEN GRIFFIN TOOTIE	EX	92	1E	FERME BROWN HEAVEN	QC
BSCANF9695511	GUBELMAN SPECIAL DANISH	EX	92	1E	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
BSCANF7409991	GUBELMAN EVEN BETTER WHITNEY	EX	91	6E	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
BSCANF9481237	NOR BELLA BLAZER MEADOW	EX	91	5E	NOR BELLA ACRES INC.	ON
BSCANF8987975	CRISIDE HEARTBREAKER	EX	91	2E	CRISIDE FARMS	MB
BSCANF8987940	CRISIDE SILKIE	EX	91	2E	CRISIDE FARMS	MB
BSCANF105158025	PAUFERLOU ZEUS URIELE	EX	91	2E	PAUFERLOU INC	QC
BSCANF105491883	ISIDORE FERRARI BRIA	EX	91	1E	FERME LEHMANN	QC
BSCANF9563210	MAYCCO FANELLO	EX	91	1E	AMANDA & ANDREW DENHAAN	ON
BSCANF10883139	NOR BELLA SCIPIO REMI	EX	91	1E	NOR BELLA ACRES INC.	ON
BSCANF9809613	DUN ROVIN STARBUCK GLORIOUS	EX	91	1E	DUN ROVIN ACRES LTD	ON
BSCANF105175654	CASTEL FASTBREAK CHIPITS	EX	91	1E	FERME BROWN HEAVEN	QC
BSCANF41319	EDENCREST KING MOLLY	EX	90	10E	EDENCREST SWISS	ON
BSCANF8821364	SPRING ROSE EVEN BELLA	EX	90	5E	STEPHEN HENHOEFFER	ON
BSCANF7801501	NORTHEND Rooter's GAY	EX	90	4E	BAJEMA	AB
BSCANF9481201	NOR BELLA TALISMAN LINDSAY	EX	90	4E	NOR BELLA ACRES INC.	ON
BSCANF7488272	PRINSVILLE CARTOON SAPPHIRE	EX	90	4E	PRINSVILLE DAIRY FARMS INC.	ON
BSCANF102038974	FRAGANCES DYNASTY TORIE	EX	90	4E	FERME FRAGANCES ENR ET FRANCE OUELLET	QC
BSCANF9348430	UPLOOK PENTACLE KAYLIN	EX	90	4E	BRIAN BRODIE	ON
BSCANF102106704	RENCIE CARTOON PRINCY	EX	90	4E	FERME RENCIE INC.	QC
BSCANF7677876	CRISIDE JUNIPER	EX	90	3E	CRISIDE FARMS	MB
BSCANF103966508	HIRONDELLE POWER SURGE JUDY	EX	90	3E	FERME HIRONDELLE SAINTE-HÉLÈNE INC.	QC
BSCANF103301754	DAYRY SWISS DYNASTY LIBERTY	EX	90	3E	FERME BROWN HEAVEN	QC
BSCANF7855573	GUBELMAN DRAFT DEANA	EX	90	3E	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
BSCANF8937302	PRINZEN CARTOON REBECCA ET	EX	90	2E	PHILIP & DAVID PRINZEN	ON
BSCANF104917361	FRAGANCES CARTOON ZEPHYRE	EX	90	2E	FERME FRAGANCES ENR	QC
BSCANF9695459	GUBELMAN PAYOFF WALDI	EX	90	2E	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
BSCANF103944919	ANFIELD TOKYO TANIA ET	EX	90	2E	SWISS DREAM FARM	MB
BSCANF104265174	MILEC ZEUS BEAUTY ET	EX	90	2E	FERME MCF LECLERC INC.	QC
BSCANF105491879	ISIDORE VIGOR SUEDE	EX	90	2E	FERME LEHMANN	QC
BSCANF8987978	CRISIDE PRINCE SUNDOWN	EX	90	2E	CRISIDE FARMS	MB
BSCANF7810660	SHOWLINE FARGO FASCINATION	EX	90	2E	LARRY BENNETT & JEFF NURSE	ON
BSCANF105117433	ANFIELD FB JANE'S EMMA ET	EX	90	1E	MARKUS MUELLER & SWISS DREAM FARM	QC
BSCANF7771584	EXCELSIOR BANKER MARVEL ET	EX	90	1E	JOHN G & LOUISE DEELSTRA	ON
BSCANF104911637	SABONO POET JULIE	EX	90	1E	FERME CARBONNEAU	QC
BSCANF9819775	ELOC AGENDA ROSCO	EX	90	1E	A. DEAN COLE	NS
BSCANF8968656	EASTWIND DIABLO VALLEY	EX	90	1E	HEIDI & WALTER VON AH	ON
BSCANF9555171	ROBIN NEST VIGOR ROSE	EX	90	1E	OSCAR BOWMAN	ON
BSUSAF68105155	MS HILLBILYS ELLIE MAE ET	EX	90	1E	BRADNER FARMS	BC
BSCANF7954293	BRADNER SUPREME TATTI	EX	90	1E	BRADNER FARMS	BC
BSCANF103135198	VIADUC KLASSIC PUFFA	EX	90	1E	LA FERME HANS ENR.	QC
BSCANF104878900	GOULAISE SCIPIO UGOLINE	EX	90	1E	FERME GOULAISE INC.	QC
BSCANF9889675	SIGEL PARKER META	EX	90	1E	MICHAEL & CORDULA INAUEN	ON
BSCANF9917012	WILLOW WATERS CARTOON KAY	EX	90	1E	DALE PHILLIPS	ON
BSCANF7912909	DUN ROVIN ACRES LEGACY JUDITH	EX	90	1E	GEOFFREY MCCONNELL	ON
BSCANF9830947	BATESDALE LEGACY SADDIE	EX	90	1E	BATESDALE FARMS	ON
BSCANF106031610	SEROL DEVONTE GRACE	EX	90	1E	FERME SEROL SENC	QC
BSCANF105175662	BROWN HEAVEN DANIEL SEXY DALLY	EX	90	1E	FERME BROWN HEAVEN	QC
BSCANF105175666	BROWN HEAVEN GRIFFIN TOOTIE	EX	90	1E	FERME BROWN HEAVEN	QC
BSCANF105175654	CASTEL FASTBREAK CHIPITS	EX	90	1E	FERME BROWN HEAVEN	QC
BSCANF9809626	DUN ROVIN SUPREME SPECIAL	EX	90	1E	DUN ROVIN ACRES LTD	ON
BSCANF8987966	CRISIDE KOLA	EX	90	1E	CRISIDE FARMS	MB
BSCANF7677890	CRISIDE AMMIE	EX	90	1E	CRISIDE FARMS	MB
BSCANF10883150	NOR BELLA DOMINATE SARLA	EX	90	1E	NOR BELLA ACRES INC.	ON
BSCANF10883146	NOR BELLA PARKER LANDRY	EX	90	1E	NOR BELLA ACRES INC.	ON
BSCANF8988036	NOR BELLA BLAZER LOTTO	EX	90	1E	NOR BELLA ACRES INC.	ON
BSCANF10883139	NOR BELLA SCIPIO REMI	EX	90	1E	NOR BELLA ACRES INC.	ON
BSCANF104431138	RENCIE CHEVRON PICRON	EX	90	1E	FERME RENCIE INC.	QC
BSCANF9695491	GUBELMAN AGENDA JANE 2	EX	90	1E	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
BSCANF9695518	GUBELMAN VIGOR DANIELLE	EX	90	1E	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
BSCANF7801517	NORTHEND BANKER'S BG	EX	90	1E	BAJEMA	AB

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2014 Very Good Two Year Olds (January - August 2014)

Reg.	Name	Class	Score	Owner	Province
BSCANF11138658	BATESDALE GALAXY ROXINE	VG2	86	BATESDALE FARMS	ON
BSCANF11014236	GUBELMAN MAC DARBY	VG2	86	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
BSCANF11014237	GUBELMAN BROOKINGS CLAIRE	VG2	86	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
BSCANF11014224	GUBELMAN WAGOR CHARLIE	VG2	86	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
BSCANF11014243	GUBELMAN BROOKINGS DOLLY ET	VG2	86	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
BSCANF10883187	NOR BELLA VIGOR EMERALD	VG2	86	NOR BELLA ACRES INC.	ON
BSCANF10883178	NOR BELLA ALLOY SMOKEN	VG2	86	NOR BELLA ACRES INC.	ON
BSCANF10883182	NOR BELLA SCIPIO ROOTBEER	VG2	86	NOR BELLA ACRES INC.	ON
BSCANF10883184	NOR BELLA VIGOR DILLY	VG2	86	NOR BELLA ACRES INC.	ON
BSCANF10925937	DUN ROVIN FRONTIER ISABEL	VG2	86	DUN ROVIN ACRES LTD	ON
BSCANF106157107	BROWN HEAVEN TRACTION LADYGAGA	VG2	86	FERME BROWN HEAVEN	QC
BSCANF107095068	ANFIELD GORGEOUS JANE ET	VG2	86	BROWN HEAVEN & MARKUS MUELLER	QC
BSCANF11470385	BATESDALE WURL ROXALOT ET	VG2	86	BATESDALE FARMS	ON
BSCANF11253376	ELISCHWAND PARRY YELLOW	VG2	86	DAVID & MELISSA LAWRENCE	ON
BSCANF11241989	FOUR OAK GRANDSLAM LEA ET	VG2	86	FOUR OAK FARMS	MB
BSCANF11253076	WILLOW WATERS LESTER DOMINO	VG2	86	DALE PHILLIPS	ON
BSCANF107585593	SHADY LANE SWISS WONDER BUNS	VG2	86	BARRIE A & DIANE DRUMMOND	QC
BSCANF106823894	SHADY LANE SWISS ALOTASTYLE ET	VG2	86	BARRIE A & DIANE DRUMMOND	QC
BSCANF107364037	DES AULNETS JAPON AERO	VG2	86	FERME DES AULNETS (1994) INC	QC
BSCANF11301121	BRADNER SUPREME TA-DU	VG2	86	BRADNER FARMS	BC
BSCANF107047444	MILEC VIGOR BEAST ET	VG2	86	FERME MCF LECLERC INC.	QC
BSCANF107114179	VIBERT JONGLEUR SUGARCRISP	VG2	85	VICKY PLANTE	QC
BSCANF11175510	EASTWIND LESTER DORA	VG2	85	HEIDI & WALTER VON AH	ON
BSCANF11354372	SWISSLANE PAYOFF KITTEN	VG2	85	SWISSLANE FARMS	ON
BSCANF11323258	KEVIOTT ACRES GOLDWYN ZANDRA	VG2	85	KEVIN ELLIOTT	ON
BSCANF10883176	NOR BELLA BANKER SHERRY	VG2	85	NOR BELLA ACRES INC.	ON
BSCANF107095065	ANFIELD GYPSIE JANE ET	VG2	85	SWISS DREAM FARM	MB
BSCANF106482375	ANFIELD MARINDA JANE ET	VG2	85	SWISS DREAM FARM	MB
BSCANF106157104	BROWN HEAVEN DRAGON DAISY	VG2	85	FERME BROWN HEAVEN	QC
BSCANF106157107	BROWN HEAVEN TRACTION LADYGAGA	VG2	85	FERME BROWN HEAVEN	QC
BSCANF107363016	BROWN HEAVEN SECRET COCO	VG2	85	FERME BROWN HEAVEN	QC
BSCANF106615560	CAVAGLIA QUINZA POWER SURGE	VG2	85	FERME CAVAGLIA S.E.N.C.	QC
BSCANF11141407	CRISIDE QUICKSTEP RUFFLES	VG2	85	CRISIDE FARMS	MB
BSCANF11511214	PRINSVILLE WURL PEARL	VG2	85	PRINSVILLE DAIRY FARMS INC.	ON
BSCANF11253076	WILLOW WATERS LESTER DOMINO	VG2	85	DALE PHILLIPS	ON
BSCANF10925945	DUN ROVIN WONDERMENT CAMILLE	VG2	85	C MARK MCCONNELL	ON
BSCANF11236829	SPRING ROSE SIMBA FARRAH	VG2	85	STEPHEN HENHOEFFER	ON
BSCANF107010685	GOULAISE WAGOR RODEO	VG2	85	FERME GOULAISE INC.	QC
BSCANF107010688	GOULAISE WAGOR PIROULINE	VG2	85	FERME GOULAISE INC.	QC
BSCANF107585592	SHADY LANE SWISS ALI ICEBURG	VG2	85	BARRIE A & DIANE DRUMMOND	QC
BSCANF10925944	DUN ROVIN FRONTIER CLEMENTINE	VG2	85	C MARK MCCONNELL	ON
BSCANF106595207	REYLA SHEBANG SIERRA	VG2	85	AUBREY MACDOUGALL & LAURA JOHNSTON	QC
BSCANF107497013	RENCIE GOLDMINE SUISGO	VG2	85	FERME RENCIE INC.	QC
BSCANF107108601	SCHWEIZER VIGOR CATRINA	VG2	85	LA FERME HANS ENR.	QC
BSCANF107108598	SCHWEIZER CARTOON TRIXI	VG2	85	LA FERME HANS ENR.	QC
BSCANF107095063	ANFIELD JOLLY JANE ET	VG2	85	ALAIN ET CLAUDINE POIRIER	ON
BSCANF10925950	DUN ROVIN STRBUCK BUTTERLICIOUS	VG2	85	DUN ROVIN ACRES LTD	ON
BSCANF107310036	MILEC WONDERMENT CAPUCINE ET	VG2	85	FERME MCF LECLERC INC.	QC
BSCANF11014247	GUBELMAN DALLY DALLAS	VG2	85	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
BSCANF11085857	PER SWISS PARKER HELENA	VG2	85	HENRY S. MARTIN	ON
BSCANF11177635	ROBIN NEST DRAGON DANDY	VG2	85	OSCAR BOWMAN	ON
BSCANF11621253	CRISIDE PADDY	VG2	85	CRISIDE FARMS	MB

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Production Records (January - July 2014) Ranked by Composite Milk, Fat, Protein

Yearlings

1	BSCANF107156959	PAUFERLOU LESTER YANIA	PB G	78	1	10	309	9730	433	4.5	352	3.6	323	355	332	1010	PAUFERLOU INC	QC
2	BSCANF11014211	GUBELMAN TAU PENNY	PB GP	83	1	11	386	10331	412	4	352	3.4	337	327	329	993	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
3	BSCANF11175957	SWISSLANE SOLUTION BARBI	75 G	77	1	11	329	10611	377	3.5	335	3.2	335	295	302	932	SWISSLANE FARMS	ON
4	BSCANF11014218	GUBELMAN VIGOR VIPER	PB GP	87	1	11	339	9723	375	3.9	324	3.3	317	305	303	925	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
5	BSCANF11014201	GUBELMAN ALIBABA ALICE	PB VG	87	1	11	316	9936	392	4	331	3.3	315	304	301	920	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
6	BSCANF11083801	TOP SWISS HURAY HILDA	PB G	78	1	11	318	9181	400	4.4	309	3.4	298	317	286	901	SIGVIEW FARMS	ON
7	BSCANF11014215	GUBELMAN PROHUVO DEBBIE	PB GP	84	1	9	374	8547	362	4.2	323	3.8	289	297	314	900	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
8	BSCANF11014206	GUBELMAN VIGOR DIPLOMA	PB GP	81	1	11	305	9721	356	3.7	312	3.2	317	283	292	892	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
9	BSCANF106432112	SIMMABEC GOLDMINE POILUE	PB GP	80	1	10	376	8535	376	4.4	316	3.7	284	306	301	891	LA FERME HANS ENR.	QC
10	BSCANF11028591	EXCELSIOR ALIBABA HONEYSUCKLE	PB GP	82	1	11	369	8516	382	4.5	306	3.6	278	311	286	875	JOHN G & LOUISE DEELSTRA	ON

Jr. 2 Yr Old

1	BSCANF11014202	GUBELMAN ALIBABA DINY	PB GP	83	2	4	305	10635	462	4.3	423	4	322	347	368	1037	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
2	BSCANF11175953	SWISSLANE WONDERMENT MIA	87 VG	89	2	0	334	10675	401	3.8	356	3.3	331	306	315	952	SWISSLANE FARMS	ON
3	BSCANF11014212	GUBELMAN VIGOR DAKOTA	PB GP	82	2	0	359	9441	409	4.3	347	3.7	301	320	315	936	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
4	BSCANF11175508	EASTWIND GALAXY MAGIC	PB GP	82	2	0	305	10018	388	3.9	342	3.4	319	303	311	933	HEIDI & WALTER VON AH	ON
5	BSCANF11014192	GUBELMAN VASIR DOREEN	PB VG	87	2	0	443	10838	412	3.8	363	3.4	322	301	308	931	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
6	BSCANF106591136	SCHWEIZER PAYOFF MAUDE	75 GP	82	2	0	336	9682	369	3.8	334	3.5	310	288	306	904	LA FERME HANS ENR.	QC
7	BSCANF106277066	PAUFERLOU GOLDMINE YABA	PB G	78	2	0	309	8974	400	4.5	321	3.6	288	317	294	899	PAUFERLOU INC	QC
8	BSCANF11175948	SWISSLANE ALIBABA KELLY	93	2	3	366	10473	405	3.9	337	3.2	311	296	286	893	SWISSLANE FARMS	ON	
9	BSCANF9883736	GLEN LILAC MILLENIUM LUNA	PB	82	2	0	596	9381	415	4.4	356	3.8	280	303	304	887	STEPHEN M HIGGS	BC
10	BSCANF106711155	MILEC WAGOR LISETTE	PB GP	81	2	3	326	8465	447	5.3	338	4	258	334	294	886	FERME MCF LECLERC INC.	QC

Sr. 2 Yr Old

1	BSCANF11014176	GUBELMAN JUHUS CRYSTAL	PB VG	85	2	9	456	13704	601	4.4	514	3.8	382	414	408	1204	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
2	BSCANF11014185	GUBELMAN JUHUS DELILA	PB VG	87	2	7	305	11437	518	4.5	431	3.8	326	365	350	1041	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
3	BSCANF106277049	PAUFERLOU AGENDA SCOTTIA	PB GP	83	2	11	303	10452	571	5.5	377	3.6	289	389	299	977	PAUFERLOU INC	QC
4	BSCANF11014186	GUBELMAN GLENN LUCKY	PB VG	85	2	8	323	11242	446	4	412	3.7	322	314	338	974	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
5	BSCANF106277050	PAUFERLOU GLENN SILA ET	PB GP	84	2	10	334	10658	530	5	371	3.5	298	366	297	961	PAUFERLOU INC	QC
6	BSCANF11014180	GUBELMAN VASIR TEXAS	PB VG	85	2	9	305	10301	470	4.6	398	3.9	291	326	321	938	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
7	BSCANF11084562	MAPLE BOOM HOLLANDA	87	2	8	413	9501	470	5	363	3.8	263	322	288	873	RIMANN'S MAPLE BOOM FARM	ON	
8	BSCANF11014188	GUBELMAN TAU LAINEY	PB VG	88	2	7	305	9114	423	4.6	360	4	264	300	298	862	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
9	BSCANF11083781	TOP SWISS VITAL VITALIA	PB VG	86	2	11	338	9475	406	4.3	364	3.8	265	282	291	838	SIGVIEW FARMS	ON
10	BSCANF106221303	SYLGO WONDERMENT JULIE	PB G	75	2	9	449	10309	427	4.1	359	3.5	277	285	276	838	FERME SYLGO SENC	QC

Jr. 3 Yr Old

1	BSCANF106277052	DAYRY SWISS JONGLEUR PEKA	PB VG	87	3	0	321	11440	530	4.6	404	3.5	317	366	321	1004	DAVE, DANY & YVAN ROUSSEAU	QC
2	BSCANF11014175	GUBELMAN ALIBABA DOMINIC	PB VG	88	3	1	324	10632	477	4.5	409	3.9	292	324	322	938	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
3	BSCANF9956917	SWISS DREAM WONDER URSULA	PB VG	88	3	4	349	12539	500	4	403	3.2	321	318	294	933	SWISS DREAM FARM	MB
4	BSCANF9943461	SPRING ROSE WONDER BELLE	PB VG	86	3	4	361	12839	492	3.8	406	3.2	326	311	294	931	STEPHEN HENHOEFFER	ON
5	BSCANF11014162	GUBELMAN PAYDAY VERONA	PB VG	85	3	5	305	11558	475	4.1	406	3.5	307	315	308	930	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
6	BSCANF11014170	GUBELMAN ALIBABA WHISPER	PB VG	87	3	0	425	10808	465	4.3	403	3.7	292	310	310	912	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
7	BSCANF11014168	GUBELMAN TD MONALISA	PB VG	85	3	3	306	11206	468	4.2	384	3.4	303	314	295	912	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
8	BSCANF106277042	PAUFERLOU GLENN SIRENA	PB G	79	3	1	378	10635	528	5	362	3.4	279	345	272	896	PAUFERLOU INC	QC
9	BSCANF105618783	MILEC POWER BELLA ET	PB VG	87	3	3	457	11992	493	4.1	391	3.3	302	306	281	889	FERME MCF LECLERC INC.	QC
10	BSCANF11014179	GUBELMAN JUHUS DUFF	PB GP	81	3	0	314	9797	468	4.8	372	3.8	271	318	295	884	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON

Sr. 3 Yr Old

1	BSCANF9956892	SWISS DREAM PEPINO FLORA	PB GP	80	3	9	332	13869	585	4.2	418	3	341	361	294	996	SWISS DREAM FARM	MB
2	BSCANF9780194	KAMA SUPREME NUGGET	87 VG	86	3	6	418	12306	613	5	389	3.2	310	386	280	976	KARIN RICHARDSON	AB
3	BSCANF9941409	SWISSLANE AGIO DEBBE	93 G	77	3	7	320	12155	472	3.9	447	3.7	301	293	317	911	SWISSLANE FARMS	ON
4	BSCANF9695507	GUBELMAN VIGOR DOLPHIN	PB VG	85	3	9	317	12359	486	3.9	415	3.4	310	304	296	910	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
5	BSCANF10957047	SWISSLANE SCPIO UTAH II	87 VG	85	3	7	318	10417	476	4.6	372	3.6	273	311	280	864	SWISSLANE FARMS	ON
6	BSCANF9915652	MORSAN DAVID AVA	PB GP	82	3	7	350	10312	475	4.6	369	3.6	262	301	267	830	MORSAN FARMS LTD	AB

7	BSCANF9995255	BROWNSTAR VIGOR MAGGIE	PB	VG	85	3	8	370	10098	473	4.7	355	3.5	260	303	261	824	MARCO PFISTER	ON
8	BSCANF9695151	GUBELMAN TD MOCCA	PB	EX	90	3	11	373	10798	444	4.1	370	3.4	273	279	268	820	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
9	BSCANF10881490	MAPLE BOOM SIMVITA	75			3	8	324	11258	403	3.6	348	3.1	293	260	260	813	RIMANN'S MAPLE BOOM FARM	ON
10	BSCANF9597164	SWISS DREAM PEPINO SUNRISE	PB	VG	86	3	11	587	11163	487	4.4	379	3.4	266	288	258	812	SWISS DREAM FARM	MB
4 Yr Old																			
1	BSCANF9695500	GUBELMAN WAGOR DAIRYMAID ET	PB	GP	84	4	4	333	13226	578	4.4	493	3.7	330	359	352	1041	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
2	BSCANF9883644	GLEN LILAC DIGGER DOLLY	PB			4	3	416	12784	564	4.4	472	3.7	313	344	330	987	STEPHEN M HIGGS	BC
3	BSCANF9779232	SWISSLANE SCIPIO MIIA	75	EX	92	4	8	312	14860	508	3.4	464	3.1	356	304	318	978	SWISSLANE FARMS	ON
4	BSCANF9779225	SWISSLANE ACE BROOKS	75	GP	80	4	6	339	14896	561	3.8	449	3	344	326	297	967	SWISSLANE FARMS	ON
5	BSCANF9695517	GUBELMAN DORINO KIMBERLEY	PB	EX	90	4	0	331	11774	509	4.3	431	3.7	299	322	312	933	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
6	BSCANF9695455	GUBELMAN BEAMER CAROL	PB	VG	85	4	1	633	12137	481	4	440	3.6	297	293	308	898	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
7	BSCANF9950414	EASTWIND JOLDEN JOLANDA	PB	VG	85	4	3	387	11424	509	4.5	399	3.5	283	314	283	880	HEIDI & WALTER VON AH	ON
8	BSCANF9695491	GUBELMAN AGENDA JANE 2	PB	EX	90	4	1	354	11858	498	4.2	434	3.7	281	296	293	870	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
9	BSCANF9950432	EASTWIND TD MARIETTA	PB	GP	84	4	0	324	11090	476	4.3	383	3.5	282	301	278	861	HEIDI & WALTER VON AH	ON
10	BSCANF105430351	SCHWEIZER RANSOR IONA	75	GP	83	4	2	298	12599	430	3.4	397	3.1	311	264	280	855	LA FERME HANS ENR.	QC
5 Yr Old																			
1	BSCANF9578569	SWISSLANE SCIPIO UTE	87	GP	83	5	4	352	12855	566	4.4	468	3.6	287	320	298	905	SWISSLANE FARMS	ON
2	BSUSAF958708	SILVER TOP DY CHARLOTTE	PB	EX	93	5	5	547	12764	557	4.4	480	3.8	284	309	306	899	FERME BROWN HEAVEN	QC
3	BSCANF7855600	GUBELMAN SCIPIO LINDA	PB	EX	92	5	1	471	12183	485	4	430	3.5	286	284	289	859	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
4	BSCANF7820683	SIGEL DECKER CAMI	PB	VG	87	5	4	394	11257	539	4.8	407	3.6	262	315	271	848	MICHAEL & CORDULA INAUEIN	ON
5	BSCANF9702427	TOP SWISS HOSTROF SNOWFLAKE	PB	G	76	5	3	304	10673	490	4.6	409	3.8	256	295	280	831	SIGVIEW FARMS	ON
6	BSCANF9749597	MAPLE BOOM DUCKALIA	75			5	3	309	11273	513	4.5	404	3.6	263	298	269	830	RIMANN'S MAPLE BOOM FARM	ON
7	BSCANF9555149	ROBIN NEST SCIPIO KONE	PB	VG	88	5	3	317	11635	528	4.5	397	3.4	264	302	258	824	OSCAR BOWMAN	ON
8	BSCANF8968585	EASTWIND CARTOON JOSEE	PB	VG	85	5	6	324	11177	500	4.5	401	3.6	259	291	266	816	HEIDI & WALTER VON AH	ON
9	BSCANF9779221	SWISSLANE ACE BROOK	75	GP	83	5	1	319	12288	424	3.5	384	3.1	296	255	265	816	SWISSLANE FARMS	ON
10	BSCANF8987994	NOR BELLA TURMOIL DIMPLES	PB	EX	94	5	8	596	12201	453	3.7	416	3.4	281	260	274	815	NOR BELLA ACRES INC.	ON
Mature Cow																			
1	BSCANF8988007	NOR BELLA SUPREME DABBLE	PB	EX	95	6	0	353	17752	847	4.8	575	3.2	407	487	376	1270	NOR BELLA ACRES INC.	ON
2	BSCANF7855568	GUBELMAN BEAMER IRENE	PB	VG	89	6	4	408	15347	610	4	561	3.7	340	343	355	1038	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD.	ON
3	BSCANF101614839	ANFIELD COLL JANE'S EILEEN ET	PB	EX	92	9	2	325	12766	565	4.4	469	3.7	302	340	317	959	SWISS DREAM FARM	MB
4	BSCANF8729610	EASTWIND CARTOON MANDY	PB	VG	85	9	1	309	13263	532	4	440	3.3	303	309	288	900	HEIDI & WALTER VON AH	ON
5	BSCANF7818389	BROWNSTAR JOLT MOLCCA	PB	EX	90	6	9	314	13189	565	4.3	425	3.2	299	323	276	898	MARCO PFISTER	ON
6	BSCANF104402052	HIBRO AGENDA JOLANDA	PB	GP	80	6	1	391	12834	597	4.7	431	3.4	282	332	271	885	ROLF HIRT	QC
7	BSCANF7991465	KOOPYCREST ESKIMO MARISSA	PB	EX	90	6	4	311	12344	526	4.3	410	3.3	289	309	273	871	SHAWN KOOPMANS	ON
8	BSCANF102673203	DUHOVENT GOLDMINE MYKA	87	VG	85	6	10	305	11422	543	4.8	425	3.7	266	318	283	867	FERME RUISSEAU CLAIR INC.	QC
9	BSCANF7860473	GLEN LILAC DIGGER BELL	PB			6	8	435	11860	546	4.6	431	3.6	269	312	280	861	STEPHEN M HIGGS	BC
10	BSCANF9481228	NOR BELLA JETWAY PORTRAIT	PB	EX	96	8	3	566	11108	567	5.1	353	3.2	259	336	235	830	NOR BELLA ACRES INC.	ON
Aged Cow																			
1	BSCANF8295438	LOR PAT PREVIEW TRUDANCE	PB			11	3	549	9586	387	4	355	3.7	233	242	247	722	HENDRIKUS ZOMER	SK
2	BSCANF7260775	KEVIOTT ACRES PRELUDE MYRTLE	PB	GP	83	10	0	392	10373	455	4.4	388	3.7	225	254	240	719	KEVIN ELLIOTT	ON
3	BSCANF8444739	SWISS DREAM JETVIN SYLVIA	PB	EX	92	10	8	387	9436	422	4.5	337	3.6	225	259	229	713	SWISS DREAM FARM	MB
4	BSCANF9272032	PLEASANT VIEW WINNIE 3	PB	GP	80	11	2	364	9549	395	4.1	325	3.4	229	245	223	697	CORNELIS VERHOEF	AB
5	BSUSAF884309	MAYCCO FINELEE ET	PB	EX	94	13	6	775	9370	405	4.3	323	3.5	221	248	218	687	MAY FARM	ON
6	BSCANF101616727	BERTNOR EPEE MINIE	87	G	77	10	1	401	9555	399	4.2	333	3.5	212	228	211	651	FERME BERTNOR INC	QC
7	BSCANF100245577	FRAGANCES VALIANT TORREN	PB	VG	88	10	2	352	8566	373	4.3	316	3.7	203	227	214	644	FERME FRAGANCES ENR ET FRANCE OUELLET	QC
8	BSCANF9481201	NOR BELLA TALISMAN LINDSAY	PB	EX	90	10	3	315	9960	349	3.5	292	2.9	231	207	193	631	NOR BELLA ACRES INC.	ON
9	BSCANF8824043	CRISIDE PAMMY	PB	VG	87	10	5	370	8514	316	3.7	268	3.1	205	195	184	584	CRISIDE FARMS	MB
10	BSCANF10018551	KEVIOTT ACRES STAR FLORENCE	PB	VG	85	16	3	637	7254	292	4	230	3.2	195	206	177	578	KEVIN ELLIOTT	ON

Provincial and National Averages Used as Benchmarks for Genetic Herd Inventory Reports

Moyennes provinciales et nationales à titre de point de repère pour les rapports d'inventaire génétique du troupeau

Breed: Brown Swiss

- August 2014 / Août 2014 -

Race: Suisse Brune

All Active Cows / Toutes les Vaches Actives														
Province	No. Cows	% Inbreeding	Milk	Fat	Protein	% Fat	% Protein	SCS	CONF	Mammary System	Feet & Legs	Dairy Strength	Rump	LPI
	No. Vaches	% Consanguinité	Lait	Gras	Protéine	% Gras	% Protéine	CCS		Système mammaire	Pieds & membres	Puissance laitière	Croupe	IPV
PEI	0	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
NS / NÉ	23	7.43	-47.1	4.3	2.9	0.08	0.05	2.98	3.6	2.7	3.0	3.4	2.8	976
NB	2	8.54	-134	-4.5	-0.5	0.02	0.06	2.95	1	-1.5	3.0	1.5	1.5	791
QC	948	6.59	68.3	2	2.7	-0.01	0.00	2.98	1.7	1.5	1.6	1.3	1.9	964
ON	713	6.67	254	10.1	8.8	0.00	-0.01	2.95	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.2	2.3	1062
MB	230	7.37	-60	-2.2	-2.8	0.01	0.00	2.96	2.8	2.3	1.5	2.1	3.8	888
SK	7	3.78	497.1	10.1	12.4	-0.11	-0.07	2.86	0.3	-0.1	3.3	1.3	2.4	1091
AB	50	3.96	543	10.4	13.9	-0.13	-0.07	2.96	-0.2	0.0	-0.9	0.6	2.9	1064
BC / CB	78	9.22	-3.6	-2.8	-1.5	-0.03	-0.02	2.97	3.8	3.1	2.2	3.4	3.5	918
CANADA	2051	6.74	127	4.4	4.4	-0.01	0.00	2.97	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.4	2.4	991

Active Cows With Publishable Production Indexes / Vaches Actives avec Indices de Production Publiables														
Province	No. Cows	% Inbreeding	Milk	Fat	Protein	% Fat	% Protein	SCS	CONF	Mammary System	Feet & Legs	Dairy Strength	Rump	LPI
	No. Vaches	% Consanguinité	Lait	Gras	Protéine	% Gras	% Protéine	CCS		Système mammaire	Pieds & membres	Puissance laitière	Croupe	IPV
PEI	0	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
NS / NÉ	21	7.53	-44	4.7	3.2	0.08	0.05	2.97	3.5	2.6	2.9	3.2	3	988
NB	2	8.54	-134	-4.5	-0.5	0.02	0.06	2.95	1.0	-1.5	3.0	1.5	1.5	791
QC	533	6.85	76.8	2.7	3.1	0.00	0	2.98	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.5	2	989
ON	646	6.86	257	10.5	9.1	0.00	-0.01	2.95	1.8	1.7	1.3	1.2	2.2	1073
MB	219	7.53	-62.7	-2.3	-2.9	0.01	0	2.96	2.9	2.4	1.6	2.1	3.7	889
SK	7	3.78	497.1	10.1	12.4	-0.11	-0.07	2.86	0.3	-0.1	3.3	1.3	2.4	1091
AB	48	4	542.3	10.5	13.9	-0.13	-0.07	2.95	-0.3	-0.1	-0.9	0.6	2.8	1066
BC / CB	74	9.23	5.8	-2.5	-1.2	-0.03	-0.02	2.97	3.8	3	2.2	3.4	3.6	923
CANADA	1550	6.97	143	5.3	4.9	0.00	-0.01	2.96	2.2	1.9	1.6	1.5	2.5	1009

Active Cows With Unpublishable Production Indexes / Vaches Actives avec Indices de Production Non-Publiables														
Province	No. Cows	% Inbreeding	Milk	Fat	Protein	% Fat	% Protein	SCS	CONF	Mammary System	Feet & Legs	Dairy Strength	Rump	LPI
	No. Vaches	% Consanguinité	Lait	Gras	Protéine	% Gras	% Protéine	CCS		Système mammaire	Pieds & membres	Puissance laitière	Croupe	IPV
PEI	0	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
NS / NÉ	2	6.42	-80.5	0.5	-1	0.05	0.03	3.1	4.5	3.5	3.5	5.5	1	855
NB	0	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
QC	415	6.26	57.4	1.1	2.2	-0.01	0	2.99	1.0	0.8	1.1	1.0	1.9	932
ON	67	4.86	225.1	6.9	6.7	-0.03	-0.02	3	0.2	-0.4	1.1	0.9	2.6	955
MB	11	4.24	-6.8	-0.8	-0.3	0	0	2.94	1.1	0.4	0.3	1.5	4.9	874
SK	0	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
AB	2	2.85	560.5	8.5	15.5	-0.18	-0.06	3.11	1.0	1.5	-1	1.0	4.5	1016
BC / CB	4	8.88	-178.3	-8.5	-7.3	-0.02	-0.01	2.99	4.8	5.0	1.8	4.3	1.8	811
CANADA	501	6.04	78	1.8	2.7	-0.02	0.00	2.99	0.9	0.7	1.1	1.0	2.1	933

TOP BROWN SWISS YOUNG BULLS BY GENOMIC PARENT AVERAGE FOR LPI (GPA LPI) - AUGUST 2014 GENETIC EVALUATIONS
MEILLEURS JEUNES TAUREAUX SUISSE BRUNE SELON LA MOYENNE DES PARENTS GÉNOMIQUES POUR L'IPV (IPV MPG) - ÉVALUATIONS GÉNÉTIQUES D'AOUT 2014
(Based on young bulls at least 11 months old with semen available in Canada / Basée sur les jeunes taureaux âgés d'au moins 11 mois dont la semence est disponible au Canada)

RANK	GPA LPI	REGISTRATION	NAME	AI. CONTROLLER	SEMIEN CODE	AGE	MILK	FAT	PROT	%F	%P	SCS	CONF	MS	F&L	DS	RP	NAME of SIRE	NAME of DAM
RANG	IPV MPG	ENREGISTREMENT	NOM	CENTRE d'I.A.	CODE DE SEMENCE	ÂGE	LAIT	GRAS	PROT	%G	%P	CSS	CONF	SM	P&M	PL	Cr	NOM du PÈRE	NOM de la MÈRE
1	2020	USA 68144448	LIME ROCK SEASIDE BLOOM	200	0200BS00303	24	1248	56	50	0.03	0.06	2.78	7	6	5	2	2	R N R PAYOFF BROOKINGS ET *TM	LIME ROCK NARCISSUS PETUNIA
2	1973	USA 68129315	JOBO VIGOR BUSH ET	7	0007BS00854	43	830	39	34	0.05	0.04	2.61	11	12	7	4	-2	SUN-MADE VIGOR ET	FRONT LINE PRONTO BESS ET
3	1897	USA 68129646	COZY NOOK TWILIGHT TWIN	200	0200BS00117	41	563	29	30	0.06	0.12	2.77	10	11	8	3	2	R N R PAYOFF BROOKINGS ET *TM	FRONT LINE PRONTO BESS ET
4	1893	USA 68147388	OLSONS MEL PAY IMPROVER ET	11	0011BS00685	19	712	53	35	0.28	0.10	2.68	6	9	2	1	-2	PAYSLI ET	OLSONS BRINKS MELODY *TM
5	1890	ITA 48990043795	MIR GASOL	200	0200BS07736	35	689	40	37	0.12	0.14	2.91	4	6	7	-3	-4	KULP GEN PRONTO DALLY ET *TM	MIR HURAY GASSA ET
6	1867	USA 68150445	BLESSING BROOKINGS ADVISOR	7	0007BS00871	20	475	33	28	0.17	0.13	2.62	8	10	8	0	0	R N R PAYOFF BROOKINGS ET *TM	BLESSING VIGOR ALESSA ET
7	1816	USA 68123683	READS DRIVER KANNON *TM	14	0014BS00358	50	863	50	35	0.17	0.04	2.85	3	6	4	0	-2	HILLTOP ACRES H DRIVER ET *TM	READS KILO VAR SHELLY
8	1804	CAN 11625261	GUBELMAN DAZZLER	200	0200BS00122	24	975	46	47	0.04	0.13	2.80	-1	-1	4	0	0	R N R PAYOFF BROOKINGS ET *TM	GUBELMAN JUHUS DAZZEL
9	1781	840 3004509739	HOLYLAND TOUGHER ET	200	0200BS00121	30	875	38	33	0.02	0.02	2.71	5	7	3	-1	4	R N R PAYOFF BROOKINGS ET *TM	COZY NOOK JOEL TIPS ET
10	1733	ITA 248990383092	TOP ALPI BEACON ET	200	0200BS00797	18	752	31	34	-0.01	0.09	2.68	4	6	3	1	3	R N R PAYOFF BROOKINGS ET *TM	MARGH PREMIUM PARADISE ET
11	1679	USA 68137884	HILLTOP ACRES BK DAMIAN ET	7	0007BS00866	31	374	32	29	0.20	0.20	2.62	7	7	5	0	3	R N R PAYOFF BROOKINGS ET *TM	CUTTING EDGE PREM DALLY ET
12	1635	CAN 11014270	GUBELMAN DIRECT	200	0200BS00120	37	954	30	36	-0.13	-0.01	2.78	3	2	5	2	0	SUN-MADE VIGOR ET	GUBELMAN PRONTO DORISSA
13	1599	CAN 11014273	GUBELMAN DELEGATE	200	0200BS00119	39	751	38	35	0.08	0.10	2.73	4	3	4	1	4	VASIR	GUBELMAN VIGOR DREW ET
14	1578	USA 68129318	JOBO WONDER BOSEPHUS ET *TM	7	0007BS00852	42	695	36	24	0.10	-0.01	2.66	11	8	8	10	4	TOP ACRES C WONDERMENT ET	FRONT LINE PRONTO BESS ET
15	1577	USA 68135214	HILLTOP ACRES W DURHAM ET	14	0014BS00387	34	492	29	24	0.11	0.09	2.70	13	11	10	9	4	TOP ACRES C WONDERMENT ET	HILLTOP ACRES V DOLLY ET
16	1572	USA 68153988	LIME ROCK TOLEDO	200	0200BS00123	21	302	31	22	0.21	0.14	2.72	2	3	4	-3	-1	OLSONS MEL ZEUS W TOWN ET	LIME ROCK LALA PEORIA
17	1562	ITA 48990028036	MIR PAYUS *TW *TM	200	0200BS00760	65	433	24	26	0.08	0.11	3.03	2	6	3	-2	-1	TRIANGLE ACRES PO PAYOFF ET	MIR-ZEUS-EROS
18	1547	USA 68125611	SUN-MADE SD BRONX ET	7	0007BS00851	45	427	21	20	0.05	0.06	2.61	10	10	5	3	3	OLD MILL WDE SUPREME ET	FRONT LINE PRONTO BOUNTY ET
19	1530	ITA 10990017553	LAVAGE BROOKLYN	200	0200BS07776	21	-33	8	18	0.12	0.24	2.62	8	10	6	0	3	R N R PAYOFF BROOKINGS ET *TM	LAVAGE ASIA
20	1520	USA 68112035	CUTTING EDGE HAMIL ET	200	0200BS00415	64	1145	30	33	-0.21	-0.10	2.94	6	4	3	8	2	TOP ACRES POWER SURGE	ALFA CREEK JAMARR HOLLY

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TOP 10 BROWN SWISS HERDS BY LPI / 10 MEILLEURS TROUPEAUX SUISSE BRUNE SELON L'IPV
(minimum 20 active cows with official LPI) / (minimum de 20 vaches actives avec un IPV officiel)

August/Août 2014

Rank	LPI IPV	No. Cows No. Vaches	% G	Name of Farm / Owner Nom de la Ferme / Propriétaire	City Ville	Province	Milk Lait	Fat Gras	Protein Protéine	Fat % Gras	Prot % Prot	SCS CCS	CONF	MS SM	F&L P&M	DS PL	RP Cr
1	1415	62	3	GUBELMANN BROWN SWISS LTD	WALTON	ON	478	27	25	0.08	0.07	2.93	2.4	2.9	2.0	0.2	1.9
2	1378	46	0	SWISS LANE	LISTOWEL	ON	920	29	28	-0.11	-0.08	2.89	2.7	2.4	2.2	2.1	3.9
3	1284	39	0	FERME HANS ENR.	ACTON VALE	QC	745	21	23	-0.10	-0.05	2.92	1.6	1.4	1.9	1.4	1.2
4	1255	20	45	PAUFERLOU INC.	POHENE GAMBROOK	QC	309	19	15	0.08	0.04	3.04	4.0	3.7	4.2	3.1	2.1
5	1229	41	0	SIGVIEW FARMS	MOOREFIELD	ON	311	21	17	0.10	0.05	2.91	-0.2	0.4	-0.5	-1.2	2.2
6	1209	23	0	HEIWA FARM	ST-ALBERT	ON	362	17	14	0.03	0.00	2.90	3.2	3.4	2.2	1.3	2.4
7	1107	24	0	FERME BLYVIAN INC.	ST-HENRI CO LEVIS	QC	317	11	8	-0.02	-0.05	3.01	4.5	4.0	2.8	3.3	2.2
8	1096	55	0	SPRING ROSE	AYR	ON	358	13	11	-0.02	-0.03	2.99	1.6	2.1	0.9	0.6	0.3
9	1075	27	0	EXCELSIOR FARM	WYOMING	ON	210	13	10	0.06	0.02	2.89	1.1	0.9	1.4	0.7	0.9
10	1074	26	0	FERME DES BELLES PRAIRIES INC.	ST-JEAN-SUR-RICHELIEU	QC	144	9	7	0.04	0.02	2.91	2.5	1.8	1.7	3.1	4.1

AUGUST 2014 BROWN SWISS EVALUATIONS



ÉVALUATIONS SUISSE BRUNE - AOÛT 2014

Taureaux Brown Swiss Bulls

Newly Proven Bulls by LPI		Top 5 LPI Bulls		Bulls with Biggest LPI Change		Sires of Top 25 LPI Bulls (Average LPI)					
Nouvellement Évalués selon IPV		5 Meilleurs selon l'IPV		Taureaux avec changement d'IPV important		Pères des 25 Meilleurs (Moyenne d'IPV)					
10 DALLY	ALTA PRONTO	1435		1 PAYOFF	1732	WONDERMENT	-116	1145	PRESIDENT	8%	1575
12 MAC	VIGOR	1424		2 ALTARANSOM	1647	ALIBABA	112	1632	PROPHET	8%	1449
15 LESTER	GLENN	1352		3 ALIBABA	1632	MILLENIUM	110	1547	EUS	8%	1412
				4 WAGOR	1555				VIGOR	8%	1388
				5 MILLENIUM	1547				ENSIGN	8%	1342
Milk / Lait (kg)		Fat / Gras (kg)		Protein / Protéine (kg)		Conformation					
1 ALTARANSOM		1129		1 WAGOR	48			1 SUPREME			14
2 PAYOFF		1014		2 DALLAS	42			2 JONGLEUR			12
3 JAMARR		933		3 LESTER	40			3 GLENN			11
4 WAGOR		912		4 POET	39			3 STARBUCK			11
5 WONDERMENT		828		5 DALTON	35			5 WONDERMENT			10
				5 GORDON	35			5 SHEBANG			10
								5 TURMOIL			10
								5 JADE			10

Vaches Brown Swiss Cows

Top 5 LPI Cows		Sires of Top 400 LPI Cows		Dams of Top 400 LPI Cows		New Top LPI Cows				
5 Meilleures Vaches selon l'IPV		Pères des 400 Meilleures selon l'IPV		Mères des 400 Meilleures selon l'IPV		Meilleures Nouvelles Vaches selon l'IPV				
1 GUBELMAN JUHUS CRYSTAL		1976		VIGOR	1484	13.50%	1484	8 EXCELSIOR ALBABA HONEYSUCKLE	1830	
2 SWISSLANE SCIPIO MIA		1928		PAYOFF	1560	7.00%	1560	35 BLYVIAN DALLY FELINA	1706	
3 GUBELMAN ALIBABA DNY		1917		CARTOON	1458	6.75%	1458	43 GUBELMAN WAGOR CHARLE	1672	
4 GUBELMAN JUHUS DA EL		1904		WAGOR	1545	6.25%	1545	55 SCHWEI ER ALBABA ERMA	1652	
5 ANFIELD FB JANE'S EMMA ET		1901		ALIBABA	1543	5.50%	1543	57 SCHWEI ER VIGOR CATRINA	1642	
Milk / Lait (kg)		Fat / Gras (kg)		Protein / Protéine (kg)		Conformation				
1 POPLAR OAK CALEY		2215		1 SWISSLANE DALLAS KAT	75			1 SWISSLANE WONDERMENT MIA	0	14
2 SWISSLANE ACE BROOKS		1938		2 MAPLE BOOMDERORA	74			2 BROWN HEAVEN GLENN FANTASY		13
3 SCHWEI ER RANSOM IONA		1860		3 TOP SWISS JUHUS JUVA	67			2 EDENCREST CARTOON LEE ET	0	13
4 SWISSLANE WAGOR OLLAS		1793		4 SWISSLANE WAGOR OLLAS	66			4 SWISS DREAM WONDER URSULA	0	12
5 SWISS DREAM PEPINO FLORA		1714		4 GUBELMAN JUHUS CRYSTAL	66			4 BRADNER SHANIA WONDERMENT ET		12

Table with columns: RANK, RANG, BREED/RACE, GENOMIC, GENOMIQUE, COW NAME, NOM DE LA VACHE, BIRTH D, STIRE, DAM, L CALV, L DIM, L HERD, LAC, #, SUP, REL, MILK, FAT, PROT, RC, GRAS, %GRAS, %PROT, CONF, RC, CCS, ACT, ACT.

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TOP LPI BULL REPORT / RAPPORT DES MEILLEURS TAUREAUX SELON L'IPV

BREED/RACE: BROWN SWISS

RANK	LPI	RK	TC	A.I.	CODE	NUMBER	GENOMIC	NAME	HERDS	DAUS	TDR	REL	MILK	RK	FAT	RC	PROT	RC	%GRAS	%PROT	PERS	SCS	CONF	RK	HL	DF					
																											RANG	IPV	RC	CT	CT
1	1732	99	D	014BS00288	193627		TRIANGLE	ACRES PO	31	71	1043	96	1014	99	29	92	41	97	-0.15	0.03	93	2.91	2	63	MS/SM	3	102	110	MSP/VT	104	
								Lactation 1			485	91	1123	35	47				-0.14	0.02	94	2.96			FL/PM	5				MT/TT	96
						G		Lactation 2			321	90	866	23	32				-0.14	-0.02	91	3.09			DS/PL	0				CA/AV	102
								Lactation 3			237	89	1095	31	42				-0.14	0.01	96	2.73			UD/PP	2S				DCA/AFV	111
2	1647	99	I	011BS00503	39421		BLESSING	PROPHET	27	51	898	90	1129	99	23	84	25	86	-0.27	-0.19	105	3.04	0	48	MS/SM	1	116	103	MSP/VT	105	
								Lactation 1			404	86	1070	23	23				-0.25	-0.19	104	2.81			FL/PM	10				MT/TT	94
						G		Lactation 2			275	85	1238	30	33				-0.23	-0.16	103	2.98			DS/PL	3				CA/AV	103
								Lactation 3			219	83	1046	19	23				-0.26	-0.17	105	3.33			UD/PP	1D				DCA/AFV	106
3	1632	99	I	196BS13193	120033040506		SCHARZ	BS	29	66	542	88	294	81	21	81	28	92	0.11	0.19	107	2.88	1	56	MS/SM	2	111	104	MSP/VT	107	
								Lactation 1			424	88	285	14	26				0.01	0.15	104	2.99			FL/PM	3				MT/TT	112
						G		Lactation 2			117	85	378	23	30				0.10	0.17	107	2.88			DS/PL	3				CA/AV	97
								Lactation 3			1	80	83	13	23				0.12	0.22	111	2.77			UD/PP	3S				DCA/AFV	105
4	1555	97	I	196BS11288	8581270		HANNY	SWISS	42	89	1037	95	912	99	48	99	46	99	0.12	0.12	101	3.01	3	70	MS/SM	6	96	98	MSP/VT	98	
								Lactation 1			590	92	624	41	37				0.14	0.13	102	3.08			FL/PM	3				MT/TT	104
						G		Lactation 2			310	90	1109	52	51				0.10	0.09	102	2.87			DS/PL	2				CA/AV	112
								Lactation 3			137	88	729	36	43				0.09	0.16	97	3.10			UD/PP	3S				DCA/AFV	105
5	1547	97	D	200BS00002	199360		OLSON	MILLENUM	30	46	558	88	535	89	24	84	24	86	0.01	0.04	98	2.95	2	63	MS/SM	7	107	103	MSP/VT	107	
								Lactation 1			324	85	683	31	32				0.01	0.05	101	3.04			FL/PM	1				MT/TT	98
						G		Lactation 2			225	84	640	28	27				0.03	0.03	96	2.99			DS/PL	3				CA/AV	104
								Lactation 3			9	79	348	16	20				0.03	0.08	98	2.91			UD/PP	6S				DCA/AFV	109
6	1526	94	I	196BS10295	110121201483		PETERS	'TOP	41	75	1194	97	405	86	18	81	20	84	0.01	0.06	95	2.77	2	63	MS/SM	6	107	110	MSP/VT	106	
								Lactation 1			504	92	400	17	17				-0.01	0.01	97	2.84			FL/PM	2				MT/TT	99
						G		Lactation 2			384	91	341	19	18				0.07	0.06	96	2.77			DS/PL	7				CA/AV	106
								Lactation 3			306	90	120	2	10				-0.04	0.06	93	2.74			UD/PP	3S				DCA/AFV	107
7	1518	94	I	054BS00374	195618		SUN-MADE	VIGOR	69	212	2395	97	210	65	1	47	11	63	-0.10	0.04	102	2.59	8	93	MS/SM	10	113	102	MSP/VT	102	
								Lactation 1			1379	96	105	8	6				-0.14	0.02	99	2.77			FL/PM	9				MT/TT	107
						G		Lactation 2			703	95	187	1	8				-0.09	0.01	102	2.61			DS/PL	1				CA/AV	98
								Lactation 3			313	94	25	-11	4				-0.15	0.03	107	2.35			UD/PP	4S				DCA/AFV	99
8	1453	91	D	196BS13322	120023664460		SCHAMAUN	BS	17	27	332	87	203	65	29	92	21	86	0.25	0.15	83	3.22	11	97	MS/SM	8	102	101	MSP/VT	99	
								Lactation 1			212	80	168	27	25				0.21	0.19	87	3.13			FL/PM	5				MT/TT	97
						G		Lactation 2			114	77	284	31	21				0.25	0.11	80	3.15			DS/PL	9				CA/AV	96
								Lactation 3			6	71	88	24	17				0.25	0.15	84	3.27			UD/PP	1S				DCA/AFV	106
9	1449	91	D	200BS00410	1042335621		TRIANGLE	ACRES	28	42	583	87	319	84	39	97	31	97	0.31	0.19	98	3.02	-3	24	MS/SM	0	99	108	MSP/VT	99	
								Lactation 1			271	83	551	50	37				0.28	0.16	97	2.91			FL/PM	3				MT/TT	97
						G		Lactation 2			196	82	125	31	29				0.33	0.28	103	3.03			DS/PL	0				CA/AV	94
								Lactation 3			116	79	111	34	23				0.36	0.21	96	2.99			UD/PP	1D				DCA/AFV	100
10	1435	88	I	014BS00320	197305		KULP	GEN	7	19	107	77	55	39	8	68	9	60	0.11	0.12	94	3.04	4	78	MS/SM	5	106		MSP/VT	112	
								Lactation 1			103	68	160	4	4				0.12	0.11	94	3.17			FL/PM	8				MT/TT	91
						G		Lactation 2			4	59	-75	5	5				0.11	0.09	93	3.20			DS/PL	4				CA/AV	90
								Lactation 3			0	54	-296	-3	-4				0.11	0.08	94	3.25			UD/PP	8S				DCA/AFV	

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BREED/RACE: BROWN SWISS

TOP 100 FOREIGN BULLS BY MLPI (MEETING MINIMUM RELIABILITIES)

100 MELLEURS TAUREAUX A L'ETRANGER SELON L'IPVM (CONFORME AU MINIMUM DE LA FIABILITE)

AUGUST/AOUT 2014

MLPI IPVM	CNTRY PAYS	GENOMIC GENOMIQUE	NUMBER NUMERO	NAME NOM	BIRTH NAISS	SEMIN CODE CODE INT'L	CONT CONT	DAUS FILLES	HERDS TROUP	REL FIAB	MILK LAIT	FAT GRAS	PROT PROT	FAT% %GRAS	PROT% %PROT	REL FIAB	CONF CONF	MS SM	FL PM	DS PL	SCS CCS	HL DV
2530	DEA	G	DEU935830301	HURAY	2002	0504BS00052	0504	16039	6326	94	1951	77	75	-0.05	0.04	91	3	3	8	1	2.88	110
2294	DEA	G	DEU943159317	HARLEY	2009		79	79	67	76	2065	71	75	-0.18	0.01	64	-1	-2	0	-2	2.81	107
2239	DEA	G	DEU942089722	HACKER	2008		75	68	75	75	1563	45	56	-0.23	0.00	61	2	2	11	-3	2.84	112
2192	DEA	G	DEU942606868	HAGO	2009		28	27	68	75	1753	65	67	-0.11	0.03	59	3	3	8	3	2.87	105
2136	CHE	G	ITA10990008842	HILLTOP ACRES H DRIVER ET *TM	2003	0014BS00314	0014	572	235	84	1281	69	63	0.18	0.19	80	1	1	-2	-2	2.74	110
2082	DEA	G	DEU814204901	LAVAGE ZEUS VINO ZEPHIR	2007		131	119	81	491	491	57	56	0.45	0.47	74	0	3	3	-4	2.77	106
2077	DEA	G	DEU941920045	HURONTO	2008		27	25	70	1608	47	60	-0.25	0.02	61	-1	-2	6	-3	3	3.03	108
2071	DEA	G	DEU936949086	HEGALL	2008		83	75	76	1444	83	67	67	0.26	0.18	59	-2	-1	4	1	2.89	101
2048	DEA	G	DEU943460337	GS HIEFLAU	2009	0504BS00053	0504	11270	4608	89	1582	86	60	0.23	0.04	86	1	-1	4	1	2.89	101
2048	DEA	G	DEU813034326	PAYSLI ET	2005	0504BS00051	0504	1324	871	84	1073	37	45	-0.10	0.08	77	7	9	6	3	2.78	106
2038	CHE	G	CHE120064785308	HAIFA	2008		77	74	74	1078	68	53	60	0.27	0.17	59	-2	-1	2	-3	2.95	102
2022	DEA	G	DEU941920060	HAWADA	2009		153	119	79	1370	72	59	0.18	0.12	73	0	-2	3	4	2.88	101	
2021	DEA	G	DEU942620106	HAVANNA *TM	2008		48	47	70	1514	70	68	0.07	0.15	60	0	-1	3	4	2.89	102	
2021	DEA	G	DEU943506480	HARDROCK	2008		86	80	75	1342	76	49	0.22	0.01	61	-1	-2	4	0	2.79	103	
1998	DEA	G	DEU942878951	HARLEKIN	2008		137	102	82	1217	30	45	-0.25	0.02	67	4	8	6	-1	2.72	111	
1990	DEA	G	DEU942530314	VINOLD	2008		111	101	78	1297	72	59	0.20	0.15	64	0	0	1	2	2.86	101	
1976	DEA	G	DEU943674867	HAMILTON	2009		68	65	75	1459	65	58	0.04	0.06	62	0	1	-1	1	2.95	103	
1969	DEA	G	DEU941920049	HUCK	2008		75	71	75	994	30	47	-0.14	0.12	60	0	1	9	-5	3.13	110	
1966	DEA	G	DEU942118004	HIGHLAND	2007		69	69	77	1137	68	51	0.25	0.11	63	-2	-4	-4	-3	2.99	101	
1962	DEA	G	DEU813323063	MODEST	2005		89	75	79	1730	53	61	-0.23	-0.01	65	-7	-7	-1	-4	2.79	109	
1952	DEA	G	DEU814247303	HUPRON	2008		64	53	74	718	51	40	0.26	0.17	61	-2	-1	5	-5	2.71	108	
1949	DEA	G	DEU813384234	PATRIOT	2005		115	104	79	774	28	44	-0.06	0.20	65	3	9	0	0	2.89	102	
1927	DEA	G	DEU939830728	PAYBOY *TM	2009		96	89	78	1094	46	47	-0.01	0.09	65	4	6	0	2	2.88	102	
1926	DEA	G	DEU943159309	HARDROCK *TM	2009		60	56	77	1167	56	47	0.08	0.06	63	-2	-1	3	-5	2.66	108	
1921	DEA	G	DEU943506494	EMARCO	2009		53	49	77	963	55	44	0.16	0.11	67	4	3	2	5	2.94	101	
1915	DEA	G	DEU812891894	HUSSANT	2004		585	416	82	1240	43	56	-0.11	0.14	68	-6	-2	-1	-3	3.18	104	
1900	DEA	G	DEU936432728	JURUS	2003		3657	2179	88	80	71	42	0.84	0.48	80	-2	-1	2	-2	2.55	99	
1894	ITA	G	ITA21001423860	SUPERBROWN MILKSTAR	2005		125	118	81	1605	91	63	0.27	0.06	69	-9	-13	-9	-3	2.81	103	
1891	DEA	G	DEU814127028	EVITEL	2008		85	69	75	1496	52	52	-0.13	-0.02	61	-3	-3	3	-1	3.09	104	
1888	DEA	G	DEU943346872	HABANERO	2009		41	36	71	1216	46	62	-0.07	0.21	61	3	2	1	6	3.09	99	
1867	DEA	G	DEU943363531	HAMLET	2009		42	34	70	1449	50	53	-0.12	0.00	59	-1	-2	6	1	2.89	100	
1865	DEA	G	DEU813857674	EMENTO	2008		79	59	76	1283	61	52	0.07	0.06	64	-3	-4	5	-1	3.02	104	
1849	DEA	G	DEU941263566	VAROFF *TM	2009		73	63	74	1055	68	52	0.28	0.17	61	-2	-4	5	3	2.88	99	
1847	DEA	G	AUT812100272	HUXOY	2004		764	529	80	1297	21	46	-0.39	0.00	70	7	6	4	5	2.81	108	
1847	DEA	G	DEU942113967	HOPRO *TM	2008		70	62	76	525	16	25	-0.07	0.08	61	4	5	9	-1	2.92	113	
1846	DEA	G	DEU942217360	HUROFF	2008		42	38	72	1410	39	51	-0.24	0.01	60	1	2	2	-2	2.90	103	
1846	DEA	G	DEU942297353	HAPLOID	2008		96	90	76	1247	36	46	-0.19	0.01	61	1	1	3	-3	2.90	106	
1832	DEA	G	AUT405590509	PADUA	2005		122	112	79	316	21	34	0.10	0.29	65	5	10	6	-2	2.74	107	
1819	DEA	G	DEU941736604	ERASCO *TM	2008		94	87	76	1529	39	57	-0.29	0.01	62	-3	-7	0	3	2.97	104	
1818	DEA	G	DEU941915739	HUGER	2008		96	84	77	358	40	28	0.31	0.19	64	2	6	2	-2	3.06	107	
1816	DEA	G	DEU937639120	PROTEUS	2004		361	269	81	502	32	31	0.13	0.16	67	0	6	8	-6	2.97	111	
1814	DEA	G	DEU814192558	EMESSLI	2009		30	26	72	662	48	47	0.24	0.28	63	-5	5	6	0	2.78	103	
1811	DEA	G	DEU942789591	HABSBURG	2008		53	49	72	944	51	39	0.14	0.06	59	5	5	4	3	2.95	102	
1808	DEA	G	DEU943460349	NEVADA	2009		31	33	69	775	30	44	-0.02	0.19	61	0	4	6	-5	2.66	111	
1807	DEA	G	DEU943522327	HAINDLING	2009		57	54	73	1065	46	53	0.02	0.17	59	-2	1	1	-1	3.18	103	
1791	ITA	G	ITA22990098446	SUPERBROWN EMERAN *TM	2008		80	70	74	1414	50	55	-0.13	0.04	67	1	-3	1	5	2.96	101	
1785	ITA	G	AUT382583472	VINCENT	2004		419	283	85	1390	46	48	-0.14	-0.01	71	-7	-4	2	-7	2.78	111	
1783	USA	G	USA198772	R N R PAYOFF BROOKINGS ET *TM	2006	0054BS00438	2138	283	120	82	416	29	30	0.14	0.19	77	9	9	7	2	2.64	104



The Truth About Low Heritability Traits

"I just manage for those things", or "It takes too long to improve those traits," or "Selecting for those traits won't lead to any real difference in my herd". Have any of these thoughts crossed your mind when considering low heritability traits? We often encounter comments such as these and would like to set the record straight - selection for low heritability traits does make a difference in female performance and will affect your bottom line!

Heritability - The Highs and Lows

Simply put, heritability is the amount of total variation for a trait in a population that can be attributed to genetics. For example, the heritability of protein yield is high at 40%. Imagine two cows in two different herds that each have a different protein yield. Around 40% of the difference in their protein yields can be explained by genetics and the other 60% of the difference is due to herd management and environment. Protein yield is a win-win trait - it is of high economic importance and also has a moderately high heritability.

Table 1: Low Heritability (<15%) Traits with High Economic Importance

Trait	Heritability (%)
Mastitis Resistance	12
Herd Life	10
Daughter Fertility	7
Calving Ability	6
Daughter Calving Ability	6

Similar to protein yield, traits associated with health, fertility and longevity are of great economic importance. However, unlike yield traits, these traits are among those that are lowly heritable because they are complex, which makes them difficult to define, record and evaluate. Traits with heritability below 15% (Table 1) are, therefore, strongly influenced by environmental effects and require attention in terms of herd management in order to reach optimal levels.

Take Daughter Fertility, for instance, which has a heritability of 7%. On average, 93% of all factors influencing a given cow's reproductive performance are non-genetic. Since environment and herd management are so impactful when it comes to Daughter Fertility, does this mean it should only be managed for and ignored genetically? Absolutely not! While heritability tells us how closely genetic merit follows phenotypic performance, it tells us nothing about the economic value of better performance.

Selection for Low Heritability Traits Makes a Difference

To show that selection for low heritability traits can result in improvement, a recent Canadian Dairy Network (CDN) analysis examined the performance of daughters of the five highest and lowest sires for Daughter Fertility and Herd Life that had over 1000 daughters in their proofs. It's important to note that these aren't sires that just happened to be good for the traits we're interested in, these are progeny proven sires that were returned to active service, most likely based on their LPI, and became popular for various reasons and heavily used in Canada.

Table 1 shows the average daughter performance for sires that excel or are poor for Herd Life based on actual survival data for at least 1000 daughters. The top five sires averaged 109 for Herd Life, while the bottom five sires averaged 93 (breed average is 100). Daughters of the top five sires for Herd Life had a greater average number of calvings, a longer productive life, and had higher survival rates to later lactations compared to daughters of the bottom five sires. This is especially evident when looking at the survival rates to 3rd and 4th calving, where sires that excel for Herd Life had approximately 20% more daughters still alive to start their 3rd and 4th lactation relative to sires that were poor for Herd Life. For a producer, this translates to more profitability and the option to have fewer herd replacements.

Table 1: Average Daughter Performance for the Top 5 and Bottom 5 Sires for Herd Life with Greater than 1000 Daughters

Sire Group	Average Herd Life Proof	Performance Measures of Daughters				
		No. Calvings	Productive Life (Months)	Survival to 2nd Calving	Survival to 3rd Calving	Survival to 4th Calving
Top 5 Sires	109	3.28	35	86%	67%	46%
Bottom 5 Sires	93	2.60	29	73%	48%	25%
Difference	+17	+0.68	+6	+13%	+19%	+21%

Table 2 shows the average daughter performance for sires that are high end or inferior for Daughter Fertility based on actual reproductive data for at least 1000 daughters. The top 5 sires had a proof that averaged 19 points higher for Daughter Fertility than the bottom 5 sires. Milking daughters of top sires required 13% fewer inseminations per conception and averaged 10 fewer days open. Research suggests the cost of each extra day open is approximately \$4. Based on this estimate, the genetic disadvantages alone of a daughter of a bottom end sire for Daughter Fertility translates to an opportunity cost of \$40 per female.

Table 2: Average Daughter Performance for the Top 5 and Bottom 5 Sires for Daughter Fertility with Greater than 1000 Daughters

Sire Group	Average Daughter Fertility Proof	Performance Measures of Daughters	
		No. Services per Conception (Cows)	Days Open
Top 5 Sires	108	2.05	117
Bottom 5 Sires	90	2.35	127
Difference	+19	-0.30	-10

Daughters of the sires in the two examples above are found across Canada, in a wide variety of management systems and environments. The performance differences seen between the top and bottom groups can be attributed exclusively to genetics. Despite the low heritability of Herd Life and Daughter Fertility, using sires that excelled (or were poor) for these traits resulted in notable differences in daughter performance. These examples prove that low heritability traits can make a difference. Genetic evaluations for this category of traits help to identify the extreme sires on each end of the spectrum. When it comes to determining which traits are included in your breeding goals, turn to economic importance before heritability - your bottom line will thank you for it.

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 Date: July 2014

Message from the Royal

The Royal Agricultural Winter Fair is getting ready to welcome Brown Swiss exhibitors to the 2014 Fair. The Royal staff and Dairy Committee are hard at work to make this year's dairy competition the best yet. The Royal is the leading destination for dairy breed exhibitors and buyers in Canada because:

- The Royal creates maximum value for your breedstock, delivering top prices from International and domestic buyers for your animals and their genetics. More dairy exhibitors show at The Royal than any other breed show.
- The Royal welcomes the most international visitors. Buyers from more than 40 countries come to evaluate and purchase livestock genetics at The Royal.
- Working together with dairy breed associations, The Royal maintains fair and rigorous competition standards, including highly qualified judges from around the world.

This year's Brown Swiss competition is Friday, November 14. Watch for more news soon on hospitality, travel and parking arrangements and everything else you need to compete and enjoy the 2014 Royal. Go to royalfair.org for complete details on the 2014 competition. And even if you're not planning to show at The Royal, why not come to the Fair? See the new milking demonstration unit installed by Dairy Farmers of Ontario, part of DFO's 50th anniversary celebration. For a taste of what the 2014 Royal is all about, watch our launch video on Youtube: <http://youtu.be/OgZCB8RVmH4>
 The 2014 Royal runs November 7-16. Questions about this year's show? Contact Peter Hohenadel, Director, Agriculture and Food at: phohenadel@royalfair.org.
 See you at the Fair!

Royal Exhibitors

If there was ever a time when we needed to pull together as a team to make something happen ... that time is now! In order for the Royal Brown Swiss Show to continue, we must have at least 75 animals entered for the show and at least 75 animals through the show ring. We are asking for everyone's help to meet the minimum requirements for this year. If you have animals you wish to send but need help please contact the office. If you are aware of animals that should be attending please contact the owner or the office. If you require further information please contact the office. As with other years, we will once again be contacting exhibitors to obtain numbers in order to meet the goal.

Royal Grand Champions ... Then & Now!



Alfalfa Acres Beautician Sonya
Grand Champion 1976 for Dun Rovin Acres



Stonehaven Angel
Grand Champion 1978, 1979, 1981 and Reserve Grand Champion 1977, 1980



Eventide Duke Daisy
Grand Champion 2005, 2006, 2007 and Junior Champion 2003



Brown Heaven Glenn Fantasy
Grand Champion 2013, Intermediate Champion 2013 and 2012

Interesting Royal Facts from the Past

- November 22nd, 1922 was the first Brown Swiss Show at the Royal Winter Fair, Toronto, ON. Brown Swiss was one of the six dairy breeds that exhibited the first year of the Royal.
- The Brown Swiss breed had a break from showing at the Royal until November of 1976 and they have shown at the Royal every year since.
- The Grand Champion of the 1976 Royal was Alfalfa Acres Beautician Sonya owned by Dun Rovin Acres. Dun Rovin Acres also were awarded with the Premier Breeder and Premier Exhibitor for this the Brown Swiss entry back to the Royal.
- The largest Brown Swiss Show at the Royal was in 1989 with 125 animals exhibited.
- Impressive multiple Royal winners:
 - Stonehaven Angel, Edenridge Farms, Grand Champion 1978, 1979, 1981, & Res Grand Champion 1977 and 1980.
 - Eventide Duke Daisy, Edencrest Swiss, Grand Champion 2005, 2006, 2007 and Junior Champion 2003
 - Crikside Trinket, Crikside Farms, Grand Champion in 1980 and 1982.
 - Dun Rovin Acres Fradern, Dun Rovin, Grand Champion 1985 and Junior Champion 1982.
 - Jills Improver Trinket, Rowntree Farms, Grand Champion 1988, 1993 & Res Grand Champion 1990.
 - Maycco Finelee, May Farms, Res Grand Champion 2006, 2007 and Res Junior Champion 2000.
 - Nor L Bonnie Talisman, Eldon Craig, Grand Champion 1983 and Res Grand Champion 1976.
 - North Lanes Simon Kelly, Cormdale, Grand Champion 1994 and Res Grand Champion 1993.
 - Nossatera Governor Brenda, Markus Mueller, Grand Champion 1991 and Res Grand Champion 1994.
 - Poplar Oak Courtney, Morsan Farms, Grand Champion 2003 and 2004.
 - Terra Nova Sarajevo, James A Walker & Ken Bender, Grand Champion 1987, Res Grand Champion 1986 and 1988.
 - We Sell Convincing Lessee, F Hopkins & Edenridge, Reserve Grand Champion 1992 and Junior Champion 1991.
 - Nor Bella Jetway Reba, Nor Bella, Junior Champion 1999 and Reserve Junior Champion 1998.
 - Old Mill JP Grace, Bradner Farms, Grand Champion 2010 and Reserve Grand Champion 2009 for Elite Dairy.
 - Dublin Hill Treats, Elite Dairy, Grand Champion 2011, Reserve Grand Champion 2008.
 - Edencrest Cartoon Lacy, Edencrest, Reserve Grand Champion 2013 and Reserve Intermediate Champion 2011.
- Herds receiving the Premier Breeder Banner multiple times are:
 - Dun Rovin 8, Crikside 7, Nor Bella 7, Shady Lane 3, Edenridge 2, Gubelman 2, May 2 and Vanderpost 2.
- Herds receiving the Premier Exhibitor Banner multiple times are:
 - Edenridge 10, Dun Rovin 6, Elite Dairy 4, Gubelman 3 and Shady Lane 3.

The Brown Swiss breed has a rich history of Royal winners!

Grand Champion

2013	Brown Heaven Glenn Fantasy	Brown Heaven
2012	Eloc Wagor Kandid	Elite
2011	Dublin-Hill Treats	Elite
2010	Old Mill JP Grace	Bradner
2009	Sunnyisle KB Tristan	Elite
2008	Forest Anthem Busy	Elite
2007	Eventide Duke Daisy	Edencrest
2006	Eventide Duke Daisy	Edencrest
2005	Eventide Duke Daisy	Edencrest
2004	Poplar Oak Courtney	Morsan
2003	Poplar Oak Courtney	Morsan
2002	Jonlee Louis Sawrey Holly	Leonard Chabot
2001	Shen-Val Jades Cara	Dale & Deanna Bendig & John Heizer
2000	PRV Petes Rose Lyn	Nelson McCammon & Elm Park Farms
1999	Shen-Val Jades Cara	Dale & Deanna Bendig & Ernest Kueffner
1998	Bo Joy Ensign Gredel	Callum McKinven
1997	R Hart CD Clar	Elm Park Farms
1996	Ken IR Jetway Adrea	Elm Park Farms
1995	Marana Jades Jenny	Donald Graft
1994	North Lanes Simon Kelly	Cormdale Genetics
1993	Jills Improver Trinket	Rowntree
1992	Brook View Jades Jolly	Paul, Tim & Jeff Witschi
1991	Nossaterra Governor Brenda	Markus Mueller
1990	Forest River Reba	Vanderpost
1989	Kies Haven Billy's Jingle	Kies Haven
1988	Jills Improver Trinket	Rowntree
1987	Terra Nova Sarajevo	James A Walker
1986	Hawthorne Jubilant Janice	Larry & Beanie Hill, NY
1985	Dun Rovin Acres Fradern	Dun Rovin
1984	E.S. Stretchy Gail	Don Graft
1983	Nor L Bonnie Talisman	Eldon Craig
1982	Crikside Trinkle	Crikside
1981	Stonehaven Angel	Edenridge
1980	Crikside Trinkle	Crikside
1979	Stonehaven Angel	Edenridge
1978	Stonehaven Angel	Edenridge
1977	Rockdale Noreen Tess	Springbank Chalet Farms, Walter Reid
1976	Alfalfa Acres Beautican Sonya	Dun Rovin

Reserve Grand Champion

2013	Edencrest Cartoon Lacy	Edencrest
2012	Brothers Three Wisp	Elite
2011	Ja-Ka Hillary Hillbilly	Bradner
2010	Edencrest Supreme Angel	Edencrest
2009	Old Mill JP Grace	Elite
2008	Dublin-Hills Treats	Elite
2007	Maycco Finelee	May Farms
2006	Maycco Finelee	May Farms
2005	Gubelman Earnest Willow	Ernst Gubelmann
2004	Edenridge Jates Jackie	Edencrest
2003	Eventide Jetway Royalty	Edencrest
2002	Nor Bella Jetway Riva	Norval McConnell
2001	Crikside Stella	Crikside
2000	Timberline Jetway Toni	S. Tucker S. Johnson
1999	Nor Bella Patrick Eve	Norval McConnell
1998	Campswiss Supreme Faith	Doug Beatty
1997	Viking Valley Tal Melody	Elm Park Farms
1996	Eventide Emory Grace	Chris Bender
1995	Vanpost Jinxs Tracy	Vanderpost
1994	Nossatera Governor Brenda	Markus Mueller

1993	North Lanes Simon Kelly	Cormdale
1992	We Sell Convincing Lessee	F Hopkins & Edenridge
1991	Mort Jinxson Sugar Candy	Alberta Vilela
1990	Jills Improver Trinket	Rowntree
1989	IE Bowers Johnny Mazella	Sheila Petty
1988	Terra Nova Sarajevo	James A Walker
1987	Edenridge White Catherine	Edenridge
1986	Terra Nova Sarajevo	Ken Bender
1985	Crikside Haley	Crikside
1984	R.H.P. Ray Freedom	Don Graft, USA
1983	?	?
1982	Dun Rovin Flute	Dun Rovin
1981	Pens Elgin Jet Ohio Zane	Dun Rovin
1980	Stonehaven Angel	Edenridge
1979	Springbank Chalet Tara	Springbank Chalet Farms
1978	Glen Heights Mona Gem	Glenhill Farms
1977	Stonehaven Angel	Edenridge
1976	Nor L Bonnie Talisman	Eldon Craig

Intermediate Champion

2013	Brown Heaven Glenn Fantasy	Brown Heaven
2012	Brown Heaven Glenn Fantasy	Brown Heaven
2011	Cutting Edge JP Swift	Elite

Reserve Intermediate Champion

2013	Brown Heaven J Butterfly	Brown Heaven
2012	Jo-Dee Wonderment Nuclear	Elite
2011	Edencrest Cartoon Lacy	Fred Hopkins

Junior Champion

2013	Rose Lane Jetways Damsel	Lindsay Rucks
2012	Cutting Edge P Sherry	Kyle Barton, Elite
2011	Cutting Edge Reba Ruth	Elite
2010	Jo-Dee Janes Nikeisha	Arethusa
2009	Dan Maur Logic Shilo	Bradner
2008	Maycco JSF Sugar	Jim Farrell
2007	Round Hill Premium Wink	Bradner
2006	Fragances Cartoon Eva	Gaetan Ouellet
2005	Morsan Jolt Courtney	Morsan
2004	Edenridge Mascot Janna	Daetwyler
2003	Eventide Duke Daisy	Edencrest & Leon Bender
2002	Poplar Oak Jemstone Valient	Applegrove Dairy
2001	Swiss Dream Emory Reba	Four Oaks
2000	Four Oak Jet Way Poppy	Poppy Syndicate
1999	Nor Bella Jetway Reba	Norval McConnell
1998	Edencrest Image Leila	Edencrest & Leon Bender
1997	Durham View S Brenda Barbie	John & Marlene Lendvay
1996	Maycco Fantasee	May Farms
1995	Brook View Image Lorna	Edenridge
1994	Des Aulnets Bretty	Bruno Castonguay
1993	Crikside Marci	Crikside
1992	Ka Wa Shamrock Renee	Jocelynn Cote
1991	We Sell Convincing Lessee	Fred Hopkins
1990	Edenridge Talisman Peggy	Edenridge
1989	Will-Do-It Sweetie Rose	James A Walker
1988	My T Fine Daquari	James A Walker
1987	El-A-Ray JD Temper	Larry & Beanie Hill
1986	Petdale Mary 3S	Bruce Mason
1985	?	Edenridge
1984	?	?
1983	Nor Bella Improver Barbie	Norval McConnell
1982	Dun Rovin Acres Fradern	Dun Rovin
1981	?	Edenridge

1980	Edenridge Alando Angel	Edenridge
1979	Glen Heights Minorca	Glen Hill Farms
1978	Dun Rovin Elaine	Dun Rovin
1977	Queenholm Cindy	Lloyd & Betty Balsdon
1976	?	?

Reserve Junior Champion

2013	Towpath Teaton Sky	John Dortmans
2012	Fairdale Elite Debra	Michael Barton, Elite
2011	Covells Agenda T Show Me	Arethusa
2010	Nor Bella PS Skylar	Norval McConnell
2009	Thompsview Shanas Shanny	Bradner
2008	Cutting Edge W Rachel	Elite
2007	Gubelman Wurl Sarah	Bradner
2006	Edencrest Cartoon Lee	Edencrest
2005	Edencrest Cartoon Lee	Edencrest
2004	Swiss Dream Jetvin Sylvia	Swiss Dream
2003	Applegrove Prelude Disney	Applegrove
2002	Gubelman Collection Georgia	Ernst Gubelmann
2001	Gubelman Banker Daisy	Ernst Gubelmann
2000	Maycco Finelee	May Farms
1999	Edencrest Image Leila	Edencrest
1998	Nor Bella Jetway Reba	Norval McConnell
1997	Nor Bella Jetway Brenda	Norval McConnell
1996	Stein Haven Tru Image Moka	T Magnussen
1995	Mapleyard Emory Iona	Bruce Sayles
1994	Ken IR Dotson Jolly	Edenridge
1993	Swiss Dream Blend Lisa	Swiss Dream
1992	Bironniere King Charm	Ferme Bironniere
1991	Lyndale Elno Licorice	Gene Henderson
1990	Edenridge Talisman Chrisele	Edenridge
1989	Laufs Improver Cinnamon	X-Cell-O Farms
1988	X-Cell-O Jade Lotti	X-Cell-O Farms
1987	Bronze Haven Gretchen	Glen McConnell
1986	Swissvale Prof. Connie	Larry & Beanie Hill, NY
1985	?	Edenridge
1984	?	?
1983	Dun Rovin Flute	Dun Rovin
1982	Bronze Haven Bella	Glen McConnell
1981	?	Dun Rovin
1980	Dun Rovin Samatha	Dun Rovin
1979	?	
1978	?	Bruno Rossetti
1977	?	Dun Rovin
1976	?	?

Premier Breeder

2013	Nor Bella Acres Inc.
2012	Brown Heaven
2011	Bradner
2010	Norval McConnell
2009	Norval McConnell
2008	Norval McConnell
2007	May Farms
2006	Shady Lane
2005	Shady Lane
2004	Shady Lane
2003	Big Spring
2002	Ernst Gubelmann
2001	Ernst Gubelmann
2000	Norval McConnell
1999	May Farms
1998	Norval McConnell

1997	Norval McConnell
1996	Vanderpost
1995	Vanderpost
1994	Dun Rovin
1993	Dun Rovin
1992	Dun Rovin
1991	?
1990	Edenridge
1989	Armbruster Bros
1988	Dun Rovin
1987	Crikside
1986	Crikside
1985	Edenridge
1984	Dun Rovin
1983	Dun Rovin
1982	Dun Rovin
1981	Crikside
1980	Crikside
1979	Crikside
1978	Crikside
1977	Crikside
1976	Dun Rovin

Premier Exhibitor

2013	Brown Heaven
2012	Elite Dairy
2011	Bradner
2010	Elite Dairy
2009	Elite Dairy
2008	Elite Dairy
2007	Swiss Dream
2006	Shady Lane
2005	Shady Lane
2004	Shady Lane
2003	Big Spring & Ernst Gubelmann
2002	Ernst Gubelmann
2001	Ernst Gubelmann
2000	Norval McConnell
1999	Edenridge, Leon & Dean Bender
1998	Edenridge, Leon & Dean Bender
1997	Edenridge, Leon & Dean Bender
1996	Vanderpost
1995	Edenridge, Leon & Dean Bender
1994	Edenridge, Leon & Dean Bender
1993	Edenridge, Leon & Dean Bender
1992	Ferme Bironniere
1991	?
1990	Edenridge, Leon & Dean Bender
1989	Edenridge, Leon & Dean Bender
1988	Edenridge, Leon & Dean Bender
1987	Larry & Beanie Hill, NY
1986	Larry & Beanie Hill, NY
1985	Edenridge
1984	Dun Rovin Acres
1983	Dun Rovin Acres
1982	Dun Rovin Acres
1981	Dun Rovin Acres
1980	Dun Rovin Acres
1979	Glenhill Farms
1978	Walter Reid
1977	Walter Reid
1976	Dun Rovin Acres

Coloured Breed Highlights - August 2014 -

Two Young Sire Graduates Penetrate the Top 15 LPI for Brown Swiss

After being proven in the United States, Kulp Gen Pronto Dally ET receives his first official LPI and lands at #10 LPI. Two newly proven young sires also draw attention this round, namely Olsons Macys Vigor Mac at #12 LPI (Vigor x Scipio) and Gubelman Glenn Lester at #15 LPI and #3 Protein (Glenn x Scipio). Former breed leaders maintain their elite status as Triangles Acres PO Payoff ET holds on at #1 LPI (#2 Milk, #2 Protein) followed by Blessing Prophet Ransom at #2 LPI (#1 Milk). Scharz BS Presid Alibaba gains 112 points to grab #3 LPI. Both Hanny Swiss Ace Wagor and Olson Millenium also achieve LPI gains and climb the list to occupy #4 and #5 positions, respectively. For cows, Gubelman Juhus Crystal becomes the new breed leader at #1 LPI, just ahead of Swisslane Scipio Miia who now occupies #2 LPI spot. Gubelman Alibaba Diny gains 107 points and jumps from #14 to #3 LPI, therefore landing ahead of the former LPI leader, Gubelman Juhus Dazzel at #4 LPI after slipping 100 points. Anfield FB Jane's Emma ET rounds off the list of Top 5 LPI cows this round. The highest newly indexed cow is Excelsior Alibaba Honeysuckle at #8 LPI.

Other interesting reports from CDN can be viewed at: http://www.cdn.ca/files_ge_articles.php

2014 World Dairy Expo Brown Swiss Show and Sale Schedule

Wednesday, October 2

2:00 PM International Brown Swiss Show - heifers (C)

Thursday, October 2

7:30 AM International Brown Swiss Show - cows & groups (C)

2:00 PM World Premier Brown Swiss Sale (SP)

Saturday, October 4

5:00 PM Parade of Champions and Selection of 2014 Supreme Champions (C)

Royal Winter Fair Brown Swiss Schedule

Please submit your entries to the Royal office by October 1st (earlier than Royal entry deadline in order to allow time to obtain more entries if necessary).

Time of Arrival: Tuesday, November 11, 5:00 a.m.

In Place By: Tuesday, November 11, 9:00 a.m.

Friday, November 14

8:30 a.m. Brown Swiss Show, Scotiabank Ring of Excellence

Saturday, November 15

2:00 p.m. Quality Seeds Ltd. Supreme Dairy Champion, Scotiabank Ring of Excellence

Outdoor Farm Show

September 10, 11 and 12, 2014

8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

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Brown Swiss Spring Sale and International Dairy Showcase

Results of the Brown Swiss Spring Sale in April 2014

Lot	Name	Price	Buyer	Consigner
1	Goulaize Twilgith Alka	\$1800	Ferme Lehmann	Ferme Goulaize Inc.
2	Milec Glenncore Caramel	\$6200	Lookout, F&D Borba, J Stephens	Ferme MCF Leclerc Inc.
3	Edencrest Pepper Lana	\$2200	Ferme Vannod & Associates	Edencrest Swiss
4	Eloc Brooking Ketchup ET	\$1500	Les Elevages Celestar Inc.	A Dean Cole
5	Edencrest Parker Remy	\$2600	Ferme MCF Leclerc Inc.	Edencrest Swiss
6	Anfield Vigor Daisy	\$2600	Ferme Lehmann	Fred Mathys
7	Schweizer Proud Fella ET	\$2100	Ferme Charluson Inc.	Ferme Hans Enr
9	Anfield Mac Dream	\$2600	Ferme Lehmann	Fred Mathys
11	Anfield TD Daytime	\$2500	Paufferlou Inc.	Fred Mathys
12	Anfield Vigor Fina ET	\$3500	Ferme Majestein	Fred Mathys
13	Anfield Vickie Jane	\$2400	Ferme Duvalnier	Fred Mathys
14	Anfield Jet Flash	\$3700	Ferme Labrie & Dionne Enr	Fred Mathys
15	Anfield Jane's Edge	\$3000	Ferme Joliday Inc.	Fred Mathys

Total for Sale: \$36700 • Average: \$2823 • Number of Lots: 13

International Dairy Showcase Judging Results

Intermediate Heifer

- 1 MARLAIT TWILIGHT EKINAM, Pierre Goulet
- 2 BROWN HEAVEN KINGPIN TWITIE, Brown Heaven

Senior Heifer

- 1 BROWN ZEUS HEAVEN US VALSIE, Brown Heaven
- 2 MILEC BROOKINGS ARLENE, Farm MCF Leclerc Inc.
- 3 GOULAISE TWILIGHT ALKA, Ferme Lehmann

Summer Yearling

- 1 MILEC GLENNCORE CAMEL, Lookout, Frak & Dianne Borba & Jeff Stephens
- 2 MILEC JOEL LUTE, Ferme MCF Leclerc Inc.
- 3 BROWN HEAVEN JET SPEEDY DALLY, Brown Heaven
- 4 FRAGANCES ASTEROID PLUTONNE, Ferme Fragances ENR
- 5 MILKSHAKE BROOKING ORACLE, Antonin Marcoux

Junior Yearling

- 1 ANFIELD THUNDER RAISIN, Brown Heaven
 - 2 CUTTING EDGE B SNOWEY, Jeff Stephens & Jeff Woods
 - 3 ARNOLD GLENN SKYFALL, Sonia Dumont, Antonin Marcoux & Ilona Oguay
 - 4 MILKSHAKE GOLDMINE ANAELLE, Antonin Marcoux
 - 5 EDENCREST PARKER REMY, Ferme MCF Leclerc Inc.
 - 6 ELOC BROOKINGS KETCHUP, Les Elevages Celestar Inc.
- EDENCREST PEPPER LANA, Ferme Vannod & Associes ENR

Intermediate Yearling

- 1 BROWN HEAVEN THUNDER BETSY, Brown Heaven
- 2 MILEC JOEL FRANCE, Ferme MCF Leclerc Inc.
- 3 ANFIELD VIGOR DAISY, Ferme Lehmann

Senior Yearling

- 1 BROWN HEAVEN JET VIENNA ET, Brown Heaven

Junior Premier Breeder Banner

- 1 BROWN HEAVEN
- 2 MILEC
- 3 ANFIELD

Junior Premier Exhibitor Banner

- 1 BROWN HEAVEN
- 2 FERME MCF LECLERC INC
- 3 ANTONIN MARCOUX

Junior Breeder's Herd

- 1 Brown Heaven

Junior Champion

- 1 ANFIELD THUNDER RAISIN, Brown Heaven

Reserve Junior Champion

- 1 MILEC GLENNCORE CAMEL, Lookout, Frank & Dianne Borba & Jeff Stephens

Honorable Mention Junior

- 1 BROWN HEAVEN THUNDER BETSY, Brown Heaven

Best Bulls (Junior)

- 1 RNR Payoff BROOKINGS ET *TM
- 2 RED BRAE DAA ACE JOEL *TM
- 3 RED BRAE PRELUDE ZEUS (M *)

2 Year Old

- 1 ANFIELD GORGEOUS JANE ET, Brown Heaven
- 2 DES AULNETS JAPON AERO, Ferme des Aulnets (1994) Inc

Junior 3 Year Old

- 1 ELISCHWAND PARRY YELLOW, David & Melissa Lawrence
- 2 MILEC VIGOR BEAST, Ferme MCF Leclerc Inc.

Senior 3 Year Old

- 1 BROWN HEAVEN J BUTTERFLY, Brown Heaven
- 2 GOULAISE JONGLEUR LOVER, Ferme Goulaize Inc.
- 3 ANFIELD TD DAYTIME, Paufferlou Inc.

4 Year Old

- 1 BROWN HEAVEN GLENN FANTASY, Brown Heaven
- 2 JONLEE EDDIE CAISTON ZIX, Ferme MCF Leclerc Inc.
- 3 JONLEE JAVA HAWESWATER, Ferme MCF Leclerc Inc.

5 Year Old

- 1 BROWN HEAVEN GRIFFIN TOOTIE, Brown Heaven
- 2 CASTEL FASTBREAK CHIPITS, Brown Heaven

- 3 DES AULNETS TAU TALIANA, Ferme des Aulnets (1994) Inc.

Mature Cow

- 1 GOULAISE SCPIO UGOLINE, Ferme Goulaize Inc.
- 2 GOULAISE SUPREME UTILE, Ferme Goulaize Inc.
- 3 CUTTING EDGE SOL TRINA, Ferme des Aulnets (1994) Inc.

Progeny of Dam

- 1 AURIOLE
- 2 FOUR OAK PRINCE VICKI

Premier Breeder Banner

- 1 BROWN HEAVEN
- 2 GOULAISE
- 3 MILEC

Premier Exhibitor Banner

- 1 BROWN HEAVEN
- 2 FERME MCF LECLERC INC
- 3 FERME GOULAISE

Breeder's Herd

- 1 BROWN HEAVEN
- 2 FERME GOULAISE INC.

Grand Champion

- 1 BROWN HEAVEN GLENN FANTASY, Brown Heaven

Reserve Grand Champion

- 1 BROWN HEAVEN J BUTTERFLY, Brown Heaven

Honorable Mention

- 1 GOULAISE SCPIO UGOLINE, Ferme Goulaize Inc.

Best bulls (of the day)

- 1 SCHAMAUN BS GORDON GLENN ET
- 2 JOLAHOFS POLO JONGLEUR ET *TM
- 3 SUN-MADE VIGOR *TM



Genetics for Life®

FORGING AHEAD ALWAYS WITH OUR BROWN SWISS PROGRAM!!

By: **Russell Gammon, Semex Sire Analyst**



Semex continues to be highly motivated by the offering of Brown Swiss genetics that we make available to those enthusiastic people breeding Brown Swiss in Canada.

We live part of our lives in the future as we are constantly seeking great young sires to add to our sampling program. We have a high selection intensity with regard to bulls as we genotype tens of bulls and review many genotyping results from bulls tested by others. From this we select 3 to 5 bulls per year for health testing and possible semen production.

We strive for high GLPI numbers with as good a numbers for GPPR-the US measure-as possible. Drilling down we target for lower SCS numbers, a high type level and good mammary systems with above average production. In addition to these filters we look for genetic diversity in sire lines and also cow families.

As an example of this philosophy we have five young sires lined up for health testing and/or semen production testing. These five bulls have the following high level averages on performance measures.

GLPI: 1816
Direct Genomic Value for LPI: +1865
Overall conformation: +6.6
Mammary Systems: +8.4

GPPR: 196
Milk: +797
Fat: +37 kgs +.05% fat
Protein: +37 kgs +.10%
SCS: 2.74

These five bulls are by five different sires Nelgor, Carter, Anibal, Astro and Zephir.

To add to the diversity aspect we have a Motown son from the Lime Rock in stud who will begin sampling in the latter part of 2014.

Looking forward to August proofs it is possible that two Swiss bulls form our long term sampling program will appear with official proofs as of August 12th. They are Olsons Macys Vigor Mac and Gubelman Glenn Lester. We are excited to add a Vigor son to our line up as our sire selection team have been very impressed by Vigor daughters in our travels. Vigor Mac is on track to be a definite improver of overall type with appealing ratings for the crucially important measures of feet and legs and mammary systems. Glenn Lester will deliver profitable production with very high component percentages and an overall above average type proof. Watch for detailed information on proof day!

We invite anyone with bull calves with high genetic potential to contact us about forwarding hair samples for genotyping. The more bulls that are genotyped, the more and better future breed leaders we'll find.

We continue to invest considerable time and energy and dollars in accessing high quality genetics to make the next generation of Brown Swiss superior to today's population! We share your passion for the breed and look to a bright future for the breed!

New Generation Genetics

-- Press Release --

54BS374 Vigor added yet another 1000 daughters and has risen up the list again! He is at or near the top of the Net Merit, Somatic Cell, DPR, Productive Life and Udder Composite lists. This cements his place in history as one of the most complete bulls of all-time!

54BS438 Brookings added 100 new daughters, and over 300 pounds of milk! His consistent type pattern, outstanding udders and near ideal feet and legs have made him a breeder favorite across the country. We look forward to his further development.

54BS437 Torch also added second crop daughters and improved across the board. His daughters excel in dairy strength and udders, work easily and breed back quickly.

54BS462 Austin maintains his place as the #1 Active proven bull for type. Balanced and stylish frames, his best feature is superb udders and happy owners.

New On the Scene...

54BS473 Logan (Wonderment X Exclaim X Starbuck) improved his already elite production proof and crested the 1000 milk level with solid components.

54BS483 Dominator (Alloy X Vigor X Premium) is an exciting 1st release bull who has been very impressive on farm. Balanced cows with moderate size and well attached udders, they know what dairy cows are made for as evidenced by his +1365 milk proof.

54BS485 Michelob (Tau X Zoldo Zeus X Brinks) is another exciting 1st release bull that offers excellent out-cross opportunity. He can be used on most popular pedigrees, and delivers outstanding udders and extreme daughter fertility.

For full details, go to www.BrownSwiss.com or give us a call and we will be happy to talk cows!



- Tattoo letter for 2014 is B.
- If you have cattle or embryos for sale please send a list to the office so interested parties requesting this information can be made aware.
- Suggestions, comments, stories, jokes, articles that would be of interest in the newsletter are always welcome.
- Rates for Placing a Newsletter Advertisement;

Business Card Ad	\$25.00
Quarter Page Ad	\$65.00
Half Page Ad	\$125.00
Pre-Approved Stuffers	\$250.00

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Provincial Brown Swiss Club Reports

Ontario

Greetings from Ontario to all of our fellow Brown Swiss Breeders and friends. We are having a cool, wet summer here. We got together on June 28 at the home of Rita and Stefan Gubelmann and their children Katrina, Courtney and Simon for our annual picnic. The Gubelmanns welcomed everyone with a lunch of pulled pork. After visiting and catching up we were treated to a tour of the barn.

We chose our Ontario Brown Swiss Miss for 2014 at the picnic. Hilary Schramm is 16 years old in Grade 11 at Goderich District Collegiate Institute. She plays in the jazz band and plays drums, trombone, sax and baritone. Hilary is also involved in the Environmental Club, OSAID, rugby, the Seaforth All Girls

Marching Band, 4-H Clubs and the Blyth Theatre. Hilary works on their dairy farm at their home in Auburn and respects the uniqueness of the Brown Swiss Breed. We thank Hilary for her interest in helping the Association. She is the third sister in the family to be our Brown Swiss Miss.

The rest of the summer promises to remain busy, with our Brown Swiss Shows at the Hanover Fair on Saturday August 16 and the Kincardine Fair on Saturday August 30. We also look forward to seeing everyone at the Royal and at our Annual General Meeting at the end of November. Best wishes to all as the summer winds down.

Submitted by:

Tracy Reid, Ontario Brown Swiss Secretary

Quebec

Looks like a great turn out and fun had by all at the Brown Swiss Picnic in Quebec at Ferme Des Aulnets new robot barn!



Swiss Genetics Semen Orders

We will place two orders annually for Swiss Genetics, following April and August proofs. If demand increases we can schedule an interim shipment if necessary. A new listing of sires from Swiss Genetics will be available following April & August proofs through your local A.I. centre. Orders will be scheduled for May 15th and September 15th. Contact your local A.I. unit for further information.

Association Clothing Available!

Please contact the office if you wish to purchase Association clothing.

What a great way to promote the breed!

- Golf Shirts \$40.00
- Long Sleeve Dress Shirts \$40.00
- Jackets \$40.00
- Caps \$12.00



Get Your Brown Swiss Classified

Classification Schedule Mid August – November 2014

Mid August

Qc – Lapointe, Dubuc, Charlevoix, Chicoutimi, Vaudreuil, Soulanges, Huntingdon, Chateaugay, St. Jean

Qc – mid round: Kamouraska Saskatchewan

Late August

On – Thunder Bay, Northern Ontario

Qc – Beauharnois, Laprairie, Napierville, Iberville, Brome Shefford

Early September

On – Dundas, Stormont, Glengarry, Niagara, Wentworth, Brant

On – mid round: Perth

Qc – Compton, Richmond, Missisquoi

Qc – mid round: Riviere Du Loup, Temiscouata, Rimouski, Matapedia, Matane, Bonaventure, Arthabaska, Megantic, Wolfe

Mid September

On – Haldimand, Norfolk, Russell

Qc – Stanstead, Sherbrooke

British Columbia – mid round

Late September

On – Prescott, Carleton

On – mid round: Leeds, Grenville, Renfrew, Lanark

Qc – Frontenac, Beauce

Qc – mid round: Lotbiniere, Nicolet, Yamaska, Drummond

Early October

On – mid round: Grey, Bruce, Huron, Halton, York, Peel, Simcoe, Dufferin, Ontario

Qc – Dorchester

Qc – mid round: Abitibi, Temiscamingue

Mid October

On – Lambton

Qc – Levis, Quebec & Montmorency

Qc – mid round: Bagot, St. Hyacinthe, Labelle, Papineau, Gatineau, Argenteuil, Pontiac, Deux Montagnes, Terrebonne

ALBERTA – South/Central

Late October

On – Middlesex, Essex & Kent, Elgin

On – mid round: Northumberland, Lennox & Addington, Frontenac, Hastings, Prince Edward

Qc – mid round: Richelieu, Vercheres, Rouville

ALBERTA – Northern

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Early November

On – mid round: Peterborough

Qc – Bellechasse, Montmagny

Mid November

On – Oxford

On – mid round: Victoria, Durham, Waterloo

Qc – L'Islet, Kamouraska

Qc – mid round: L'Assomption, Montcalm, Joliette, Berthier, Maskinonge, St. Maurice, Champlain, Lavolette, Portneuf, Lac St. Jean, Roberval, Lapointe, Dubuc, Charlevoix, Chicoutimi

PE, NB, NS, NL – mid round

If you would like to start classifying your Brown Swiss, contact the Classification department of Holstein Canada at (519) 756-8300

Fees: \$11.00 + \$2.00 levy per animal plus \$75.00 herd fee + gst
Mid Round is an additional \$100.00

From the Secretary Manager's Desk ...

Summer is quickly coming to an end and the fall season will be here before we know it. Once again there will be a Brown Swiss cow on display at the Outdoor Farm Show in Woodstock, September 9, 10 and 11. Thank you to the Ontario club for helping with the display and to Ernst & Stefan Gubelmann for providing the cow. If you are planning on attending the show, make sure to visit the cow display in the EastGen Dairy Producers Pavillion. Plans are also well underway for the Canadian Dairy Xpo in Stratford, February 4 and 5. At this all dairy show there will be two Brown Swiss animals on display in the cow coliseum, a first for this show.

As mentioned throughout this newsletter, the Brown Swiss breed has a strong background and a rich history at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair. As a breed there have been many high quality animals showcased at the Royal. The show has been an annual event for Brown Swiss since 1976 when Dun Rovin Acres had the Grand Champion female with Alfalfa Acres Beautican Sonya, as well as Premier Breeder and Premier Exhibitor. For the past dozen years, the champion cow has been represented from coast to coast. In 2002, Leonard Chabot from Quebec held the honours, to Morsan in Alberta,

Edencrest in Ontario, Elite from New York, Bradner in British Columbia and then back to Quebec with Brown Heaven Glenn Fantasy at last year's show. Through the years it has required the support from all across this country to insure this wonderful show continues. This year we are at a critical point where we must have 75 animals entered and 75 animals shown in order for the Brown Swiss show at the Royal to continue. If you are not a regular exhibitor at the Royal and wish to bring animals to the show however require help please let the office know and we will do everything possible to help. I know we can meet this target with the dedication of everyone. Bruce Mason, Serge Bilodeau and I will be contacting exhibitors the end of September to make sure we meet the goal. We are asking exhibitors to submit their entries as early as possible or by October 1st at the latest so we can gauge the situation.

Just as a reminder, the association allows for parentage verification at the time of genotyping through Holstein Canada. Forms are located on the association, CDN or Holstein Canada website. Animals must be registered in our herdbook and forwarded to CDN before testing can be completed. For parentage verification through

Holstein Canada of the first calf of a flush please contact CLRC to notify them to register the animal as pending until parentage is verified. As not all countries accept the new genotyping technology, the Board still recommends for animals, embryos or semen for export to continue with DNA testing through GenServe in Saskatchewan. Effective December 2014, CDN will implement changes to their reporting where the top LPI list for cows and heifers will only include genotyping animals. Owners of high LPI females need to be genotyped in coming months to remain on the top lists. The top herds by LPI will still be listed but will show the percent of genotyping in the herd. The importance of genotyping your females has increased as the testing will also determine probable haplotype carriers.

In reviewing the statistics for the first 7 months of 2014, the registrations and transfers are down slightly from last year. The number of members is up from the same time period last year. Please continue to register your animals on a regular basis. If you require help from the office please let me know.

Enjoy your fall season!

Jessie Weir Secretary Manager

Brown Swiss on Facebook Check it out at the below link!

Ontario: <http://www.facebook.com/home.php#!/pages/ontario-brown-swiss-club/117089315003708>

Quebec: <http://www.facebook.com/brownswiss.quebec?ref=ts>

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