



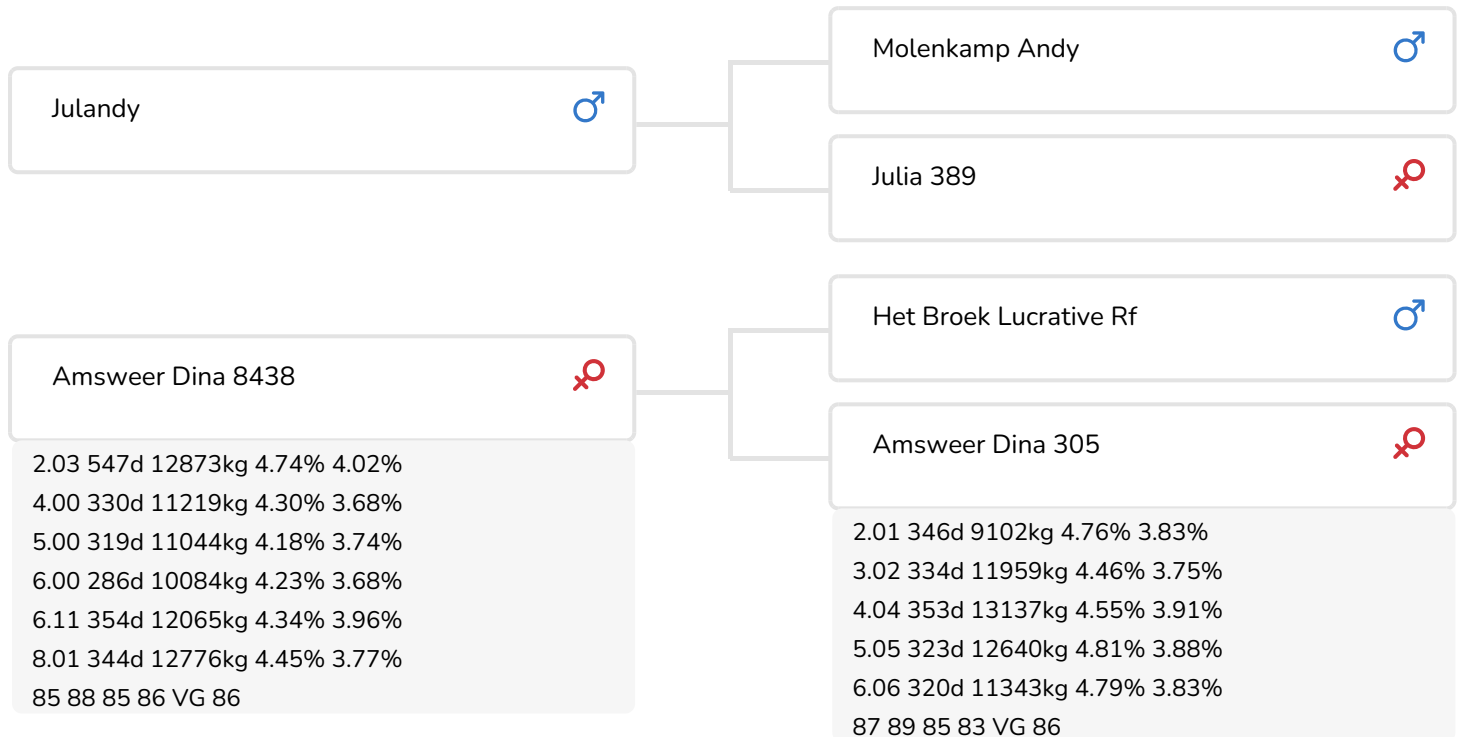
Alger Meekma

Breeder: Dhr. A. van Velzen, Meedhuizen

- + Pedigree with reliable, proven breeding bulls
- + Outcross
- + Calving ease bull
- + Beta casein A2A2

BULL INFORMATION

Name	Amsweer Joshua	Date of birth	2018-07-25
Herdbook number	NL 599791439	Gestation length	278
A.I.-code	361166	Kappa Casein	AA
aAa code	432	Beta Casein	A2/A2
colour	RB	Cow family	Dina
Breed	100% HF	Straw colour	



Descending from the black-and-white Dina line that has already produced a bull previously offered by K.I. SAMEN - Solution - we are currently testing a red-and-white Holstein bull. His name is Amsweer Joshua (Julandy x Lucrative x Stilst). A strongly built, nicely stretched bull with good conformation and protein scores and a pedigree that promises high longevity. In addition, Joshua has the A2A2 gene for beta casein.

Whereas Joshua's maternal line contributes great production partnered with high protein percentages, his sire Julandy adds plenty of milk with a protein score that remains constant. Julandy also vastly improves conformation and he has already sired a number of daughters with championship wins. His daughters are very nicely developed, good true types and have good udders and legs.

Joshua's protein-rich maternal line may not be the most famous cow family (certainly not within the red-and-white population), but the performances delivered by the cows in the line cannot fail to impress. The Dina line offers solid conformation, with highlights being good chest width and good body condition. What's more, this family already numbers 17 cows who have produced more than 100 tons of milk, which places them among the elite performers for this trait in the Netherlands One cow...

BREEDING VALUES

NVI	INET	Lgv.
69	145	114

PRODUCTIEVERERVING

% Rel	Daughters	Herds		
86	99	57		
KG milk	% Fat	KG fat	KG protein	Inet
604	-0.06	22	22	145

FUNCTIONAL TRAITS

Calving ease		102
Vitality		103

DAUGHTERS

Fertility		98
NR		103
Calving interval		93
Mat. calving process		102
Mat.Vitality		95
Persistency		101
Maturity rate		104
Udder health		103
Somatic cell count		103
Milking speed		98
Robot efficiency		97
Robot interval		99
Robot habituation		96
Claw health		100
Temperament		92
Body weight		99

TYPE SCORE

% Rel	Daughters	Herds
69	9	8

TYPE SCORE

Frame		103
Udder		101
Feet & Legs		101
Total Score		102

Stature		99
Chest width		100
Body depth		100
Angularity		99
Condition		99
Rump Angle		97
Rump Width		99
Rear legs Rear view		101
Rear leg Set		98
Foot Angle		100
Front feet orientation		93
Locomotion		102
For udder attachment		99
Front teat placement		91
Teat length		103
Udder depth		100
Rear udder height		103
Central ligament		97
Rear teat placement		94
Udder balans		107

