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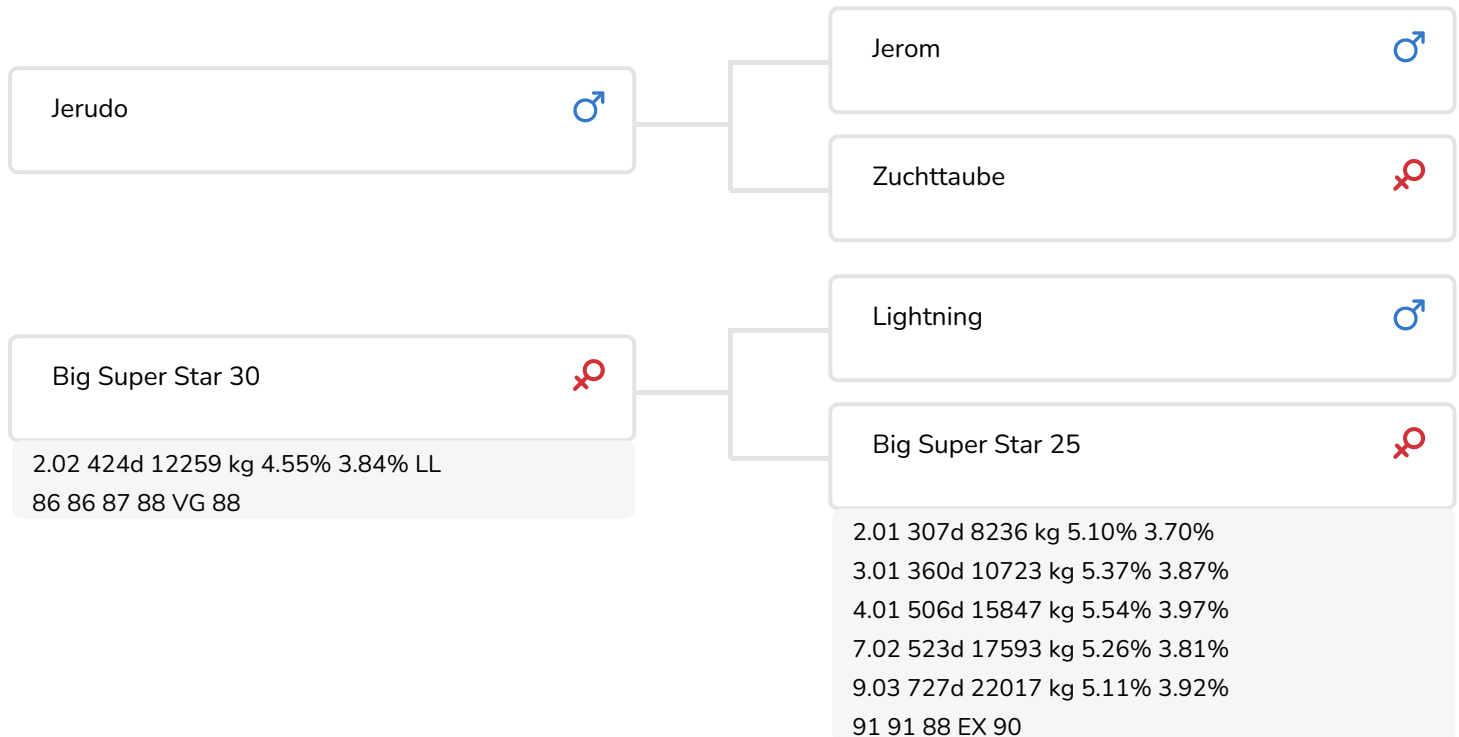
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Big Super Star 30 (VG 88)
(dam of Redbone)

BULL INFORMATION

Name	Big Redbone	Date of birth	2011-01-04
Herdbook number	NL 730565626	Gestation length	276
A.I.-code	36870	Kappa Casein	AB
aAa code	234	Beta Casein	A2/A2
colour	RB	Cow family	Super Star
Breed	100% HF	Straw colour	Mintgroen

Pedigree

Jerudo ♂
- **Jerom** ♂
- **Zuchttaube** ⚲

Big Super Star 30 ⚲
2.02 424d 12259 kg 4.55% 3.84% LL
86 86 87 88 VG 88
- **Lightning** ♂
- **Big Super Star 25** ⚲
  2.01 307d 8236 kg 5.10% 3.70%
  3.01 360d 10723 kg 5.37% 3.87%
  4.01 506d 15847 kg 5.54% 3.97%
  7.02 523d 17593 kg 5.26% 3.81%
  9.03 727d 22017 kg 5.11% 3.92%
  91 91 88 EX 90

Dairy type with a lot of openness is the description of Big Redbone (Jerudo x Lightning rc x Lucky Leo). He is a bull with a very good durability in his pedigree. Combined with very good productions and solid conformation, we expect from Redbone that he will breed daughters with high lifetime productions.

His maternal line, the Super Star family (same family of proven bull Big Winner), is already giving the right example.

Redbone's sire, Jerudo, has been used worldwide as sire of sires. In red & white Holstein terms, Jerudo is a bull with a different bloodline and proved to be an all-round top bull based on his daughters performances. Jerudo has a solid production index (with average contents and a good plus for kgs milk) and also a solid conformation index. Jerudo improves frames, udders and feet & legs, without excelling in any trait particular. Besides this he has good scores for secondary traits.

The maternal line of Redbone, the Super Star family, proved (through the years) to be an amazingly strong breeding family in which conformation, production and longevity go hand in hand. To start with their conformation: 7 generations of VG or EX cows of which 4 cows were rewarded with the EX status. Besides this conformation power they all produced very well with high...

BREEDING VALUES

NVI	INET	Lgv.
-60	-166	39

TYPE SCORE

% Rel	Daughters	Herds
88	32	22

PRODUCTIEVERERVING

% Rel	Daughters	Herds			
95	130	80			
KG milk	% Fat	% Protein	KG fat	KG protein	Inet
-736	0.03	0.13	-31	-17	-166

TYPE SCORE

Frame		104
Udder		99
Feet & Legs		92
Total Score		97
Stature		102
Chest width		98
Body depth		100
Angularity		99
Condition		99
Rump Angle		102
Rump Width		105
Rear legs Rear view		99
Rear leg Set		114
Foot Angle		93
Front feet orientation		98
Locomotion		97
For udder attachment		103
Front teat placement		96
Teat length		92
Udder depth		102
Rear udder height		95
Central ligament		96
Rear teat placement		95
Udder balans		96

FUNCTIONAL TRAITS

Calving ease		99
Vitality		96
Beef index		103

DAUGTHERS

Fertility		105
NR		113
Calving interval		100
Mat. calving process		97
Mat.Vitality		98
Persistency		93
Maturity rate		97
Udder health		105
Somatic cell count		103
Milking speed		97
Robot efficiency		97
Robot interval		96
Robot habituation		99
Claw health		87
Temperament		101
Body weight		100