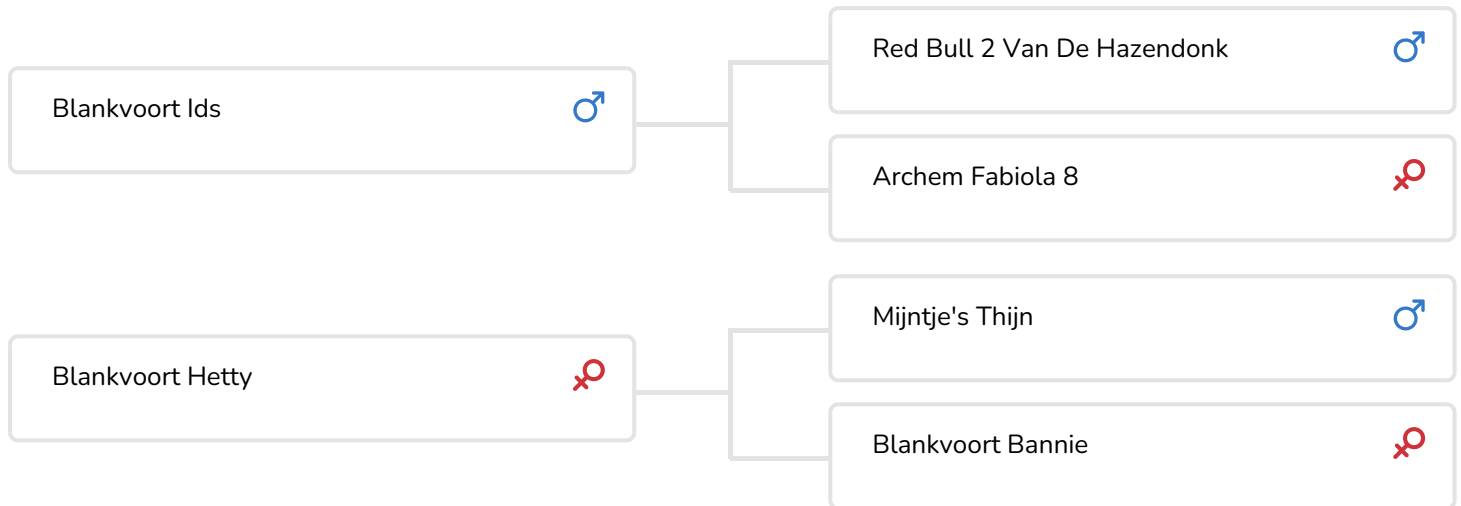




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## BULL INFORMATION

Name	Blankvoort Klaas-Jan	Date of birth	2014-05-17
Herdbook number	NL 721423757	Kappa Casein	
A.I.-code	361065	Beta Casein	
aAa code	435	Cow family	
colour	RW	Straw colour	beige
Breed	100% LV		



The dark-red Dutch Belted (Lakenvelder) bull Blankvoort Klaas-Jan is bred and raised by Karel Fentsahm from Lochem. He was approved for the herd book by the breeding counsel and was awarded 88 points. He showed that he is a sturdy built, well-muscled bull with good feet & legs.

The bull Ids is the sire of Klaas-Jan, bred and raised by Landgoed Archem which is a farm with very impressive cows. Klaas-Jan's dam Blankvoort Hetty is a daughter of Mijntje's Thijn, who is from the valuable breeding cow Willie's Mijntje (from the Boink family from Udenhout, the Netherlands). Overall, a well-developed maternal line.

The Dutch Belted (Lakenvelders) of Karel Fentsahm are still raised on the farm where his father-in-law Jan Schutte used to raise MRIJ cattle. So it's not too difficult to guess which type of Lakenvelder they prefer to see in Veenweg, the Netherlands.

Except for great-grandmother Willie's Mintje, all the parents, grandparents and great-grandparents have the red colouring. It's not surprising that Klaas-Jan is very suitable in terms of bloodline for the average Dutch Belted (Lakenvelder) population. Especially given that at both the Fentsahm farm and at Landgoed Archem the choice is to work with (herd) bulls the natural way. Klaas-Jan does not have any...