

You will soon notice that Ciq and EastGen have collaborated to produce a joint proof sheet this proof round that will feature the same offering of bulls in both regions for our Component Breeds. In most breeds, this initiative will provide producers in each region access to a greater selection of bulls and increase efficiencies in the production costs of proof sheets.

AYRSHIRE



We will start with the two newly proven additions for our Ayrshire breeders **Kamouraska VISION** and **Misyl TARZAN**. The phenomenal matriarch **Kamourask Orra Xuby VG 12*** reliably delivers again this proof round with the highest newly proven sire **VISION** and whose daughters by Valpas rank #1 and #2 on both the GLPI and Pro\$ lists. The R Facet son **VISION** ranks # 3 for Pro\$ (\$1818), #4 GLPI (+3051), while offering outstanding Milk (+1284), Fat (+63 kg, +.12%), Protein (71 kg, +.32%), and solid Conformation (+5). Additionally, **VISION** is an **A2A2** carrier and is one of our best for Semen Fertility with 60%.

Misyl TARZAN by Bigstar, debuts with +2729 GLPI, +993 Milk, +34 Fat (-.08%), +38 Protein (+.06%), and +11 for Conformation. The **A2A2** carrying **TARZAN** stems from a VG-86 Landscape from the high producing **Misyl Normandin Janelle EX-4E 90** who has a seven lactation average of 278-282-282 BCA. **TARZAN** will make a solid choice for shallow udders (+11 Mammary System), correct Feet & Legs (+6), and strong, capacious frames (+9 Dairy Strength).

We have literally doubled our list of Ayrshires on our proof sheet with this new collaboration which increases our published **Immunity+™** line-up. We have made two new **Immunity+™** additions with balanced sire **Des Coteaux RUBYWAY** (Paraguay x **Kamouraska Poker Ruby VG-86 13***) and the double-digit type sire **Des Coteaux RAFTING** (R Facet x EX-2E 91 ELITE 2* Mordicus). We have added four sires available both conventionally and now sexed (**Des Cretes FANTASTIC**, **Des Coteaux AMAZING**, **Ruisseau Clair ARBITER**, **Kamouraska RENOIR**). We have added locally-bred **Visserdale SWIFTCODE**, our new top ranked Ayrshire with +3227 GPA LPI and \$2082 Pro\$ and we have added the heterozygous polled **Margot CATERPILLAR-P** for those Ayrshire breeders looking to introduce the polled gene into their herd.

BROWN SWISS

Our Brown Swiss list now contains information on eleven sires including the new locally-bred, genomic sire **Gubelman A KASPER**. **KASPER**, our new top ranked Brown Swiss with +2283 GPA LPI, is an Antonov from two generations of VG dams from the well-respected matriarch **Gubelman Brookings Katie EX-3E 94**. As a product of agreements with **Swiss Genetics** and more recently **New Generation Genetics**, we have also added four sires which will be available to import on an "order only" basis. Breeders will need to expect procedural and import delays, however, this

does give local Brown Swiss enthusiasts information on some truly unique and elite genetics. Included in this list are: **Portmann BS Bays JONMAR**, **Jolahofs Superstar DREAMER**, **La Rainbow Sweet SALSA**, and **Jolahofs Sascha APPLE**. All four of these special sires are from deeply-bred and immensely renowned Brown Swiss cow families.

JERSEY

Our Jersey breeders also see a continued expansion to their line-up of sires due partially to new additions, but as importantly or even more importantly, due to the continued efforts to expand our list of Jersey sires available sexed. We now list eight Jersey sires available sexed; four of these eight are available conventionally as well. Newly added to our available sexed line-up is **Unique WEBCAM** and our popular **VIRAL** son **St-Lo VIDEO**. Both sires stem from prominent, respected cow families, and both offer extremely high Conformation (**WEBCAM** +14, **VIDEO** +12) while **WEBCAM** will give a larger boost for Milk (+1321) and the **A2A2** designated **VIDEO** will offer higher deviations (+.49% Fat, +.16% Protein). **JX River Valley CHIEF {6}** and **JX Progenesis CIRCLE {5}** round out our additions to our sexed line-up. Both are available conventionally, as well and progeny from either sire born in Canada will be registered as PB Jerseys and will not have the JX or the brackets in their name. If **CHIEF** or **CIRCLE** is bred to a purebred Jersey, the resulting progeny will be considered PB in Canada's Jersey herdbook. Both offer solid Conformation (+5). **CHIEF** can be expected to offer slightly higher Milk potential than the **CHIEF** son **CIRCLE** (+1847 kg vs +1642), while **CIRCLE** has an advantage of offering positive Fat deviations (+.03%).

New to our conventional Jersey semen line-up is the **Immunity+™**, **Robot Ready™**, and **A2A2** designated **Missika ROTOR**. **ROTOR** (Bourbon x Comanche) debuts with +2098 GPA LPI, \$2747 Pro\$, 1661 Milk, +7 Conformation, and a pleasing +8 Mammary System. Following close behind is the high-ranking **CHIEF** son **Rowleys DROPTINE**. **DROPTINE** will be another profit driver with +2053 GPA LPI, \$2573 Pro\$, +1465 Milk, high Fat (+79 kg, +0.04%) and Protein (+63 kg, +.08%), and +4 Conformation. Rounding out our Jersey additions is **Perkins SKYCLASS**. **SKYCLASS** (Chrome x Valentino) is just short of the threshold for an official production proof, but did receive an early official Conformation proof (+9 Overall). When protected for deviations, the **A2A2** designated **SKYCLASS** will be an udder specialist (+11 Mammary System) with ample Milk (+1421). In all, our Jersey enthusiasts have more choices than ever which include; 8 sires 2000+ for GPA LPI, 10 sires 1000+ for Milk, 11 sires with positive Fat & Protein deviations, and 8 sires +10 or higher for Conformation!



Other News: **Spring-Hill JAVA-ETV-P** is our one new Guernsey addition. By Herald, **JAVA** is from the four-time winner at the WDE, **Spring-Hill Meteor Jazzy EX-95!** Our #1 Milking Shorthorn is still **Oceanbrae FOSTER** with +2137 LPI and +12 Conformation.