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	1	NORTHERN DANCER (B/C)	NEARCTIC
		DANZIG (I/C)	NATALMA
		PAS DE NOM	ADMIRAL'S VOYAGE
DANEHILL (Q)			PETITIONER
		HIS MAJESTY (C)	RIBOT
RAZYANA			FLOWER BOWL
1		SPRING ADIEU	BUCKPASSER
REDOUTE'S CHOICE (Q)			NATALMA
(96)		BLETCHINGLY (Q)	BISCAY
		CANNY LAD (Q)	COOGEE
		JESMOND LASS	LUNCHTIME
SHANTHA'S CHOICE			BEAUTIFUL DREAMER
		NIJINSKY II (C/S)	1 NORTHERN DANCER
DANCING SHOW			FLAMING PAGE
		SHOW LADY	SIR IVOR
			BEST IN SHOW
	1	NORTHERN DANCER (B/C)	NEARCTIC
		DANZIG (I/C)	NATALMA
		PAS DE NOM	ADMIRAL'S VOYAGE
ANABAA			PETITIONER
		GAY MECENE	VAGUELY NOBLE
BALBONELLA			GAY MISSILE
		BAMIERES	RIVERMAN
LA PRALINE			BERGAMASQUE
(2007)		SNIPPETS	LUNCHTIME
		PINS	EASY DATE
		NO FINER	KAORU STAR
VIENNETTA			HUMOUR
		CHRISTMAS TREE	BISCAY
BALI SUGAR			JOY AND FUN
		TASMAN DANCER	NEW REGENT
			RANGIORA

Sibling Identifier: odd numbers = same dam only; even numbers = same sire and dam

Roman Dosage Profile: (2-4-9-1-0)

D.I.: 1.91 C.D.: 0.44

Werk Quality Rating: Q 9

Dosage Points: 16 + Quality Points: 30 = Total Points: 46

Best of Sale:



5-Generation Inbreeding:

DANZIG - 3m x 3m
NORTHERN DANCER - 4m, 5m x 4m
NATALMA - 5m, 5f x 5m
BISCAY - 5m x 5m
LUNCHTIME - 5f x 5m

REDOUTE'S CHOICE

Stands at HARAS DE BONNEVAL, FRA for a fee of €70000

Stakes Winners from the REDOUTE'S CHOICE--ANABAA cross

Stakes Winner	Yob	Sex	Best	Dirt	AWS	Turf	Pedigree
TANGO'S DAUGHTER	2010	F	G2			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE--TANGO FIRE (ANABAA)
CRUDEN BAY	2010	C				Y	NOT A SINGLE DOUBT--ZIMARETTO (ANABAA)
COME HITHER	2006	F				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE--HANKY PANKY (ANABAA)

Stakes winners bred from the REDOUTE'S CHOICE--DANZIG cross

Stakes Winner	Yob	Sex	Best	Dirt	AWS	Turf	Pedigree
ALIYANA TILDE	2008	F	G3			Y	SNITZEL ex PATRONELLA (MISTER C.)
ALWAYS CERTAIN	2006	G				Y	NOT A SINGLE DOUBT ex AKARANA (AKAABER)
COME HITHER	2006	F				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex HANKY PANKY (ANABAA)
CRUDEN BAY	2010	C				Y	NOT A SINGLE DOUBT ex ZIMARETTO (ANABAA)
DARLINGTON ABBEY	2009	F				Y	STRATUM ex WYNYARD HALL (BLACKFRIARS)
GUNS AT FIVE	2007	G				Y	DUELLED ex ACCIDENTALLYINLOVE (CAPE CROSS)
JACKSON	2013	C				Y	NOT A SINGLE DOUBT ex ELEGANT ANGELA (PERUGINO)
MY DESTINY	2007	G				Y	STRATUM ex GRAND STORY (GRAND LODGE)
PETTY CURY	2008	F	G3			Y	NOT A SINGLE DOUBT ex BAHIRA (VOLKSRAAD)
PROMPT RETURN	2012	C	G3			Y	BENETEAU ex PROMPT (EXCEED AND EXCEL)
RARE DIAMOND	2005	F				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex LO ZIMBELLO (POLISH LAUGHTER)
RIDING SHOTGUN	2009	C				Y	PASSENGER ex BANDA NEIRA (LOVE A DANE)
SALADE	2008	C	G2			Y	SNITZEL ex JUST AS BEAUTIFUL (BEAUTIFUL CROWN)
TANGO'S DAUGHTER	2010	F	G2			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex TANGO FIRE (ANABAA)
UTAH SAINTS	2007	G				Y	GOD'S OWN ex HARD RIDER (MAROOF)
VA PENSIERO	2010	C	G3			Y	STRATUM ex ROSMARINO (LANGFUHR)

Stakes winners bred from the REDOUTE'S CHOICE--NORTHERN DANCER cross

Stakes Winner	Yob	Sex	Best	Dirt	AWS	Turf	Pedigree
ABSOLUTELY	2007	F	G1			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex CATSHAAN (CATRAIL)
ALIYANA TILDE	2008	F	G3			Y	SNITZEL ex PATRONELLA (MISTER C.)
ALWAYS CERTAIN	2006	G				Y	NOT A SINGLE DOUBT ex AKARANA (AKAABER)
ANAMATO	2003	F	G1			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex VOLTAGE (WHISKEY ROAD)
AUTOMATIC CHOICE	2012	C				Y	DELIGHTFUL CHOICE ex MISSUN (MASTERCLASS)
BATTLE HERO	2011	C				Y	STRATUM ex FROMM (O'REILLY)
BENETEAU	2007	C	G3			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex SLICE OF PARADISE (ENCOSTA DE LAGO)
BONARIA	2008	F	G1			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex DECIDITY (LAST TYCOON)
BOOMWAA	2011	G	G3			Y	MUTAWAAJID ex BOOM BOOM BABY (TRUE HERO)
BURNSTONE	2012	C				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex MERLENE DE LAGO (ENCOSTA DE LAGO)
BY THE GRACE	2010	C				Y	GOD'S OWN ex RAIN DANCE LADY (JUGAH)
CABAZON	2005	F				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex CAMBIATA (ALZAO)
CAELLUM	2008	C				Y	FAST 'N' FAMOUS ex CHEETIE (FELIX THE CAT)
CASTLETHORPE	2007	C	G3			Y	NOT A SINGLE DOUBT ex PARK HEIRESS (SADLER'S WELLS)
CHEEKY CHOICE	2003	F	G1			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex CHRISTCHURCH (CAERLEON)
CHEYENNE WARRIOR	2009	G				Y	NOT A SINGLE DOUBT ex MISS ARGYLE (IGLESIA)
CHIARAMONTE	2009	C				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex CHIARA (LAST TYCOON)
COME HITHER	2006	F				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex HANKY PANKY (ANABAA)
CRUDEN BAY	2010	C				Y	NOT A SINGLE DOUBT ex ZIMARETTO (ANABAA)
DANCES ON STARS	2009	C	G3			Y	SNITZEL ex STARNET (LAST TYCOON)
DARIANA	2006	F	G1			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex BELDARIAN (LAST TYCOON)
DARLINGTON ABBEY	2009	F				Y	STRATUM ex WYNYARD HALL (BLACKFRIARS)
DOUBTFILLY	2009	F				Y	NOT A SINGLE DOUBT ex AUSSIE ENCHANTEE (ALHAARTH)
DRUMBEATS	2005	C	G2			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex DELICATE CHOICE (LAST TYCOON)
ENQUARE	2010	F	G3			Y	STRATUM ex SKEWIFF (MOOKTA)
ESSINGTON	2006	G				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex BESAME MUCHO (ENCOSTA DE LAGO)
ESTEE	2005	F				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex TYCOON LIL (LAST TYCOON)
EXPRESS POWER	2009	F				Y	SNITZEL ex LADY'S DELIGHT (LOCAL TALENT)
EXQUISITE JEWEL	2011	F	G3			Y	LUCKY UNICORN ex GAME DUCHESS (MONTJEU)
FELL SWOOP	2011	C				Y	NOT A SINGLE DOUBT ex TOUCHED IN FLIGHT (FASLIYEV)
FLORENTINA	2008	F	G3			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex CELEBRIA (PEINTRE CELEBRE)
GLOBAL BALANCE	2009	F	G3			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex BALANCE OF NATURE (STORM CAT)
GRAND JARDIN	2005	G				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex LIBERTY ROSE (ROYAL ACADEMY)
GUNS AT FIVE	2007	G				Y	DUELLED ex ACCIDENTALLYINLOVE (CAPE CROSS)
HIGH ESTEEM	2009	C				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex PARK ESTEEM (SINGSPIEL)
INNER WARRIOR	2010	G				Y	GOD'S OWN ex EL MILAGRO (ENCOSTA DE LAGO)
JACKSON	2013	C				Y	NOT A SINGLE DOUBT ex ELEGANT ANGELA (PERUGINO)
KING'S ROSE	2007	F	G1			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex NUREYEV'S GIRL (NUREYEV)
KITTENS	2007	F	G3			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex ST. KATHERINE (BARATHEA)
LANKAN RUPEE	2009	G	G1			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex ESTRELLE COLLECTION (STRAVINSKY)
LET IT SLIP	2012	F				Y	NOT A SINGLE DOUBT ex OOPSY DOOPSY (GENERAL NEDIYM)
LILLIBURLERO	2009	F	G3			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex REGIMENTAL GAL (GENERAL NEDIYM)
LOVE ROCKS	2009	G				Y	STRATUM ex LOVESHACK (KNOWLEDGE)
LUCKY UNICORN	2002	C				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex LA BAMBA (LAST TYCOON)

Stakes winners bred from the REDOUTE'S CHOICE--NORTHERN DANCER cross

Stakes Winner	Yob	Sex	Best	Dirt	AWS	Turf	Pedigree
LUCKYGRAY	2007	G	G1			Y	BRADBURY'S LUCK ex DAMAH LADY (MUKADDAMAH)
MALAVIO	2008	G	G3			Y	SNITZEL ex WIN HERE WIN THERE (DEHERE)
MAMA'S CHOICE	2009	F				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex RED HOT MAMA (GENERAL NEDIYM)
MASTER OF DESIGN	2005	C	G1			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex URGE TO MERGE (LAST TYCOON)
MAULES CREEK	2007	G				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex BRAMBLE ROSE (SHINKO KING)
METALLURGICAL	2006	G				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex LADY CAPEL (LAST TYCOON)
MIRRASALO	2006	F	G3			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex ST THERESE (DEHERE)
MISSTRUM	2009	F				Y	STRATUM ex MALAGRA MISS (BARATHEA)
MUSIR	2006	C	G1		Y	Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex DIZZY DE LAGO (ENCOSTA DE LAGO)
MY DESTINY	2007	G				Y	STRATUM ex GRAND STORY (GRAND LODGE)
MY SISTER LIL	2010	F				Y	SNITZEL ex DEPUTY LIL (FRENCH DEPUTY)
NO LOOKING BACK	2009	F				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex MIRROR MIRROR (DEHERE)
OPPORTUNITY	2002	F				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex TE AKAU BIRD (BLUEBIRD)
PACKING COMMANDER	2006	G				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex ABBADENA (RUNYON)
PEEPING	2011	F	G2			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex MISS MARIELLE (ENCOSTA DE LAGO)
PELLIZOTTI	2007	C				Y	STRATUM ex RED LABELLE (BLEVIC)
PETTY CURY	2008	F	G3			Y	NOT A SINGLE DOUBT ex BAHIRA (VOLKSRAAD)
PROMPT RETURN	2012	C	G3			Y	BENETEAU ex PROMPT (EXCEED AND EXCEL)
PROVENCE	2001	F				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex LA BAMBA (LAST TYCOON)
QUINTESSENTIAL	2008	F	G1			Y	FAST 'N' FAMOUS ex FLORETTE (SWORD DANCE)
RARE DIAMOND	2005	F				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex LO ZIMBELLO (POLISH LAUGHTER)
REDOUTE'S DANCER	2003	C	G1			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex CONDESCENDANCE (EL GRAN SENOR)
RIDING SHOTGUN	2009	C				Y	PASSENGER ex BANDA NEIRA (LOVE A DANE)
RINGA RINGA ROSIE	2007	F				Y	BRADBURY'S LUCK ex LA GUICHET (AL HAREB)
ROCK DIVA	2010	F	G1			Y	LUCKY UNICORN ex BOHEMIAN BLUES (BLUES TRAVELLER)
RUNNING TALL	2008	C	G2			Y	STRATUM ex FLEETING TOUCH (TOUCH GOLD)
SALADE	2008	C	G2			Y	SNITZEL ex JUST AS BEAUTIFUL (BEAUTIFUL CROWN)
SEASIDE	2009	F	G3			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex LIVING SPIRIT (HENNESSY)
SHAAHEQ	2007	F	G3			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex DAMASCHINO (LAST TYCOON)
SHEER TALENT	2009	C	G3			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex ST. KATHERINE (BARATHEA)
SINGLE SPICE	2008	F				Y	NOT A SINGLE DOUBT ex ZAFFRON GAL (GALILEO)
SIZZLING	2009	C	G1			Y	SNITZEL ex ADMIRELLE (GENERAL NEDIYM)
SNITZERLAND	2009	F	G1			Y	SNITZEL ex MONTE ROSA (FRAAR)
STRAWBERRY BOY	2008	C	G3			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex STRAWBERRY GIRL (STRAWBERRY ROAD)
SUREASYOUWEREBORN	2010	F				Y	LUCKY UNICORN ex GREY SWALLOW (PENTIRE)
TAHNI GIRL	2001	F	G3			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex BALLROOM BABE (CITIDANCER (IRE))
TAJMEEL	2008	F	G2			Y	NADEEM ex ASALEEB (ALHAARTH)
TANGO'S DAUGHTER	2010	F	G2			Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex TANGO FIRE (ANABAA)
TAZAHUM	2008	C				Y	REDOUTE'S CHOICE ex HUJA (ALZAO)
TRIPLE ASSET	2008	F	G3			Y	NADEEM ex CARALOWE (HENNESSY)
UTAH SAINTS	2007	G				Y	GOD'S OWN ex HARD RIDER (MAROOF)
VA PENSIERO	2010	C	G3			Y	STRATUM ex ROSMARINO (LANGFUHR)
VATICAN	2008	G				Y	GOD'S OWN ex OUR SISTINE (PEINTRE CELEBRE)
WANDJINA	2011	C	G1			Y	SNITZEL ex LA BAMBA (LAST TYCOON)

Stakes winners bred from the REDOUTE'S CHOICE--NORTHERN DANCER cross

Stakes Winner	Yob	Sex	Best	Dirt	AWS	Turf	Pedigree
WHATS NEW PUSSYCAT	2011	F				Y	FAST 'N' FAMOUS ex MISS PURRFECTION (ONE COOL CAT)
YGRITTE	2011	F				Y	SNITZEL ex DEPUTY LIL (FRENCH DEPUTY)



HYPOTHETICAL: =Redoute's Choice (AUS) -- =La Praline (AUS)

Based on the cross of Redoute's Choice (AUS)/Anabaa

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Variant = 15.05

Hypothetical Foal	=Redoute's Choice (AUS), 96 b	Danehill, 86 b	Danzig, 77 b	Northern Dancer, 61 b	Nearctic, 54 br
				Pas de Nom, 68 dk b/	Natalma, 57 b
					Admiral's Voyage, 59 dk b/
		=Shantha's Choice (AUS), 92 b	Razyana, 81 b	His Majesty, 68 b	*Petitioner, 52 b
				Spring Adieu, 74 b	*Ribot, 52 b
					Flower Bowl, 52 b
		=Canny Lad (AUS), 87 br		=Bletchingly (AUS), 70 br	Buckpasser, 63 b
				=Jesmond Lass (AUS), 75 ch	Natalma, 57 b
					=Biscay (AUS), 65 ch
	=La Praline (AUS), 07 b	Anabaa, 92 b	Danzig, 77 b	Northern Dancer, 61 b	=Coogee (GB), 59 b
				Pas de Nom, 68 dk b/	=Lunchtime (GB), 70 ch
					=Beautiful Dreamer (AUS), 67 gr
		Balbonella (FR), 84 b		Nijinsky II, 67 b	Northern Dancer, 61 b
				Show Lady, 76 b	Flaming Page, 59 b
					Sir Ivor, 65 b
		=Pins (AUS), 96 b			Best in Show, 65 ch
				=Snippets (AUS), 84 b	Nearctic, 54 br
				=No Finer (AUS), 79 ch	Natalma, 57 b
	=Viennetta (NZ), 01 ch	=Bali Sugar, 90 ch		Gay Mecene, 75 dk b/	Admiral's Voyage, 59 dk b/
				=Bamieres (FR), 78 dk b/	*Petitioner, 52 b
					*Vaguely Noble, 65 b
		=Christmas Tree (AUS), 84 b			Gay Missile, 67 b
				=Tasman Dancer (AUS), 84 ch	Riverman, 69 b
					=Bergamasque (FR), 69 br
		=Bali Sugar, 90 ch			=Lunchtime (GB), 70 ch
					=Easy Date (AUS), 77 b
					=Kaoru Star (AUS), 65 ch
		=Bali Sugar, 90 ch			=Humour (AUS), 62 b
					=Biscay (AUS), 65 ch
					=Joy And Fun (AUS), 78 b
		=Bali Sugar, 90 ch			New Regent, 77 ch
					=Rangiora (AUS), 77 ch

Pedigree Statistics

Coefficient of Relatedness: 8.40%	Pedigree Completeness: 100.00%
Inbreeding Coefficient: 5.33%	Unique Ancestors: 321/510

Dosage Information

Dosage Profile: 2 4 9 1 0	
Dosage Index: 1.91	Center of Distribution: +0.44

Notes on terminology in this report: **Coefficient of Relatedness** measures the degree of relatedness between sire and dam to six generations; **Inbreeding Coefficient** measures the mating's degree of inbreeding to eight generations; **Pedigree Completeness** is the portion of the pedigree that is on file to eight generations; **Unique Ancestors** is the number of unique names found to eight generations; **Dosage Information**: visit www.chef-de-race.com/dosage.htm **Direct Cross** refers to the exact sire over exact broodmare sire; **Rated Cross** is the cross used to base the TrueNicks rating and may differ from the direct cross to maintain statistical significance; **AEI**: Average Earnings Index; **AWD**: Average Winning Distance (in furlongs). All currency figures are converted to U.S. dollars at the time of race or sale.

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HYPOTHETICAL: =Redoute's Choice (AUS) -- =La Praline (AUS)

Based on the cross of Redoute's Choice (AUS)/Anabaa

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Variant = 15.05

Starters Considered in Rated Cross		Auction Results - All Foals on Direct Sire/Broodmare Sire Cross				Surface Performance for Rated Cross			
Direct Sire/ Broodmare Sire Cross		Type	#Sold	Avg	Med	Type	Dirt	Turf	AW
Additional Starters on Rated Cross	-	Weanlings	-	-	-	Starters	-	7	2
Total Starters	7	Yearlings	5	\$402,053	\$353,600	Winners	-	5	1
		2YOs	1	\$3,443	\$3,443	SW	-	2	-

Sire		Broodmare Sire	
Sire Name	=Redoute's Choice (AUS)	Broodmare Sire Name	Anabaa
Sire AEI	2.75	Broodmare Sire AEI	1.69
Progeny AWD	7.04 f	Progeny AWD as BM Sire	8.77 f
Chief Earner	Lankan Rupee (AUS) (\$3,648,956)	Chief Earner	Treve (FR) (\$9,459,441)

All Foals Bred on Rated Cross				By Sire Line with Other Mares	Out of BM Sire Line with Other Sires
	All Foals	Colts	Fillies	All Foals	All Foals
Foals of Racing Age	13	6	7	1,540	1,948
Starters (% Foals of Racing Age)	7 (54%)	2 (33%)	5 (71%)	1,064 (69%)	1,194 (61%)
Winners (% Starters)	5 (71%)	2 (100%)	3 (60%)	801 (75%)	759 (64%)
SW (% Starters)	2 (29%)	-	2 (40%)	124 (12%)	53 (4%)
Earnings	\$449,458	\$53,122	\$396,336	\$103,411,899	\$71,255,110
Avg Distance Raced	6.29 f	5.41 f	6.52 f	7.21 f	8.90 f
Avg Winning Distance	5.77 f	5.47 f	5.84 f	7.05 f	8.79 f

Top 15 Foals Bred on Rated Cross				
Name	Sex	Foaled	Sire/Broodmare Sire	Best Race
TANGO'S DAUGHTER (AUS)	Mare	2010	Redoute's Choice (AUS)/Anabaa	G2SW
COME HITHER (AUS)	Mare	2006	Redoute's Choice (AUS)/Anabaa	SW
<u>Barbados (AUS)</u>	Horse	2008	Redoute's Choice (AUS)/Anabaa	Wnr
<u>Brand New Choice (AUS)</u>	Mare	2010	Redoute's Choice (AUS)/Anabaa	Wnr
<u>Lord Mahinda (AUS)</u>	Gelding	2012	Redoute's Choice (AUS)/Anabaa	Wnr
<u>Ram's Choice (AUS)</u>	Mare	2011	Redoute's Choice (AUS)/Anabaa	Rnr
<u>Liquid Desire (AUS)</u>	Mare	2008	Redoute's Choice (AUS)/Anabaa	Rnr
<u>Gainsbourg (AUS)</u>	Colt	2013	Redoute's Choice (AUS)/Anabaa	Unr
<u>Modern Etiquette (AUS)</u>	Mare	2009	Redoute's Choice (AUS)/Anabaa	Unr
<u>Pipeline (AUS)</u>	Colt	2013	Redoute's Choice (AUS)/Anabaa	Unr
<u>So Choosy (AUS)</u>	Filly	2012	Redoute's Choice (AUS)/Anabaa	Unr
<u>Unnamed</u>	Horse	2009	Redoute's Choice (AUS)/Anabaa	Unr
<u>Unnamed</u>	Horse	2008	Redoute's Choice (AUS)/Anabaa	Unr

Note: This cross has fewer than 15 foals of racing age.

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PEDIGREE RATING SCORES - “NICKS”

It's a simple formula – It's all about risk reduction.

Nicks have become an integral part of the decision-making process in the mating and purchasing of thoroughbreds. Most breeders recognise that an affinity or compatibility can exist between two thoroughbred sire lines, such that, when crossed, those lines yielded a greater proportion of superior runners than when either one of them are crossed with any other sire lines. Great breeders, from Federico Tesio to present-day breeders around the world have relied on observed nicks to help guide their breeding plans and buying decisions.

Over 70% of ALL Stakes Winners are “A” Rated Nicks

In order to identify nicks in a systematic way, the software database we use developed an evaluation method based on sire-line analysis. Ongoing studies by researchers show that approximately 25% of the Thoroughbred population is the product of highly successful nicks ("A" rated nicks) while over 70% of stakes winners come from these "A" rated nicks!

Statistics:

There are approximately 20,000 live foals born each year –
25% (5,000) are A Rated whilst 75% (15,000) are rated below.

There are 541 Stakes Races in Australia this racing season.

70% (379) will be won from the 5,000 A rated foals born (7.6%)

30% (162) will be won from the 15,000 foals in the lower rated group (1.08%).

For a practical businessperson seeking a return on money invested, it makes no sense to ignore statistically unfavorable odds. Buying a superior racehorse is already a difficult enough proposition. The Rating systems we use allow us to see into the future by looking into the past and thereby to avoid those mating patterns that have failed. The Nick Rating enables us to avoid crosses that have had little or no success in the past. At the same time, it enables us to identify and thus duplicate successful sire-line crosses, dramatically increasing the chances of success.

Over the years evaluating Nicks have proven to be an invaluable tool in the stallion selection process when identifying yearlings for purchase. Dean Watt, Managing Director of Dynamic Syndications has enjoyed great success as a result of utilising such information. For example:

SAVABEEL, POLAR SUCCESS, HE'S NO PIE EATER, ATOMIC FORCE, ECONSUL, DE BEERS, BRADBURY'S LUCK, TENANT'S TIARA and REWARD FOR EFFORT were all superior racehorses who had superior pedigree ratings.

ECONSUL	A+ +	13,862%
SAVABEEL	A+ +	9,325%
DEBEERS	A+ +	4,270%
POLAR SUCCESS	A+ +	2,240%
REWARD FOR EFFORT	A+	1,175%
ATOMIC FORCE	A+	988%
BRADBURY'S LUCK	A	485%
TENANT'S TIARA	A	238%
HE'S NO PIE EATER	A	161%

Further afield, in 2008 the Top 5 Racehorses in the world had the following ratings:

1 CURLIN	A+	1,375%
2 NEW APPROACH	A+	1,472%
3 RAVEN'S PASS	A+ +	5,961%
4 DUKE OF MARMALADE	A	409%
5 HENRYTHENAVIGATOR	A+ +	1,531%

Then to further support the theories, in 2008 there was 67 Group 1 races run in Australia. These races were won by 48 individual horses. When these 48 individuals' pedigrees were analysed it showed:

35 / 48 Rated A or above = 73% of Individual Group 1 Winners Rates A or above

Affinity between sire lines was long ago observed by the world's best thoroughbred breeders. Today through modern technologies we are able to quantify what was once only a subjective judgment based on the observations of a relatively small equine population.

Ratings are essentially the objective measurement of success, or lack therefore, of sire-line crosses. Success is quantified by being the winners of stakes races with a prizemoney of at least \$50,000. Through software databases, containing the pedigrees of all such winners since 1977 (over 30,000 winners), we are able to more easily identify what sire-line crosses have succeeded in producing stakes winners and compare those numbers with the stakes winning population on the whole.

Often a sire line may appear to be successful with a particular broodmare sire line. However, if the level of success is no better than that sire line's success with the entire population, then there is not a true nick.

In order to understand the ratings for easy use, a letter-grade scale was developed. As in the scholastic setting, the scales ranges from F (Fail) through to A with A+ also A++ and now since 2011 the software system now identifies A+++ as possible to be achieved in some select instances. The Variants (percentages) shown in the table below are the deviation from the norm that has been observed by that sire line cross in question. On this

scale -15% to +15% (C) is considered average, meaning that the sire-line cross has yielded results that are statistically no better and no worse than what would be expected with the entire population.

An "A" rated nick indicates that a far greater percentage of stakes winners have resulted from that cross than expected. An "F" rated nick indicates that the number of stakes winners resulting from a cross is at least 50% below expectations. This does not mean that there cannot be success or will not be success from such a mating in the future. It does mean that in all the experience of the last 20 + years of winners of stakes races, that type of mating has had a significant lack of success as measured by stakes winner production.

It must be stressed that a below "Average" rating does not guarantee or even predict failure. It means only that, to date, the particular sire-line cross has fallen at least 16% short of what would be expected. Nicks can and do change over time.

Consequently, an above Average Rating must be kept in proper perspective as there are other factors that must be considered when selecting a horse for purchase. Specifically, conformation evaluation is critical. A thoroughbred may have a brilliant pedigree on paper that rates as either Excellent, Superior, Superb or Outstanding on our Ratings Score however if the skeletal structure and/or the overall constitution of the individual is lacking then the horse is rejected as a candidate for purchase.

The Rating Scale is shown below:

Nick	Horse	Variant %
A+++	Excellent	+20,000 and above
A++	Superior	+1,501 to + 19,999
A+	Superb	+500 to +1,500
A	Outstanding	+150 to +499
B+	Very Good	+100 to +149
B	Good	+50 to +99
C+	Acceptable	+16 to +49
C	Average	-15 to +15
D+	Weak	-16 to -34
D	Poor	-35 to -49
F	Unsuccessful	-50
0 SW	Zero Stakes Winners	0 SW

Dynamic Syndications uses these rating tools along with additional pedigree analysis systems from other software databases which skewer the data to local environmental factors and we have introduced a ranking on the class of Stakes Races which are won to establish what we consider is an inherent opportunity of greater racetrack success. Often a horse can have a very high Nick rating and yet score lowly on the variant and visa versa. We use this information to assist us in pedigree selections after the physical inspections have also been considered. Also we cannot blindly accept a rating score. For example Australia has only 2.9% of our races listed as Stakes Races whilst New Zealand has 9.7% and Ireland has 13.1%. Obviously the data will be weighted in certain directions if we did not counter this information with a ranking on the Stakes Races based upon country and class of race, racing region within the country and climatic conditions in the region. After adjustments the rating scale is presented below.

Quality Rating Summary

It is undeniable that racing class is in great part a function of the *quality* of ancestors contributing to new individual. It follows that certain quality stallions tend to contribute more favorably than other sires. When Quality points contributed by such deserving sires are combined with dosage points, the total points more accurately reflect the overall class of a pedigree.

The *Quality sires* in a pedigree contribute quality points (QP) to the new individual in exactly the same way as ancestral sires contribute dosage points (DP). The total number of *Quality points* is added to the *Dosage points* to get *Total Points* (TP).

The Quality Rating, which ranges from zero, as the low, to ten, as the high, is scaled to the number of total points in the pedigree:

Total Points	Quality Rating
0	Q0
1 to 4	Q1
5 to 9	Q2
10 to 14	Q3
15 to 19	Q4
20 to 24	Q5
25 to 29	Q6
30 to 39	Q7
40 to 44	Q8
45 to 54	Q9
55 +	Q10

What is a Best of Sale Rating ?

Selecting yearlings that excel on the racetrack takes expert analysis of pedigree and conformation as well as luck. Best of Sale recommendations offers a unique, proven method of identifying potential superstars based on a variety of pedigree factors.

The approach to evaluating auction entries draws upon data of successful breeding patterns of the winners identified by analysing the pedigrees of the winners of stakes races run since early 1990's. The target is to identify the compatibility of matings as reflected in part, by the initial pedigree rating + the quality of mating based upon the performance of sire + broodmare sire + female families. Then add in the aptitude balance of matings as supplied by the contributions of specific *chef de race* ancestors, and successful patterns of inbreeding.

While some of these may be obvious choices to most buyers, the majority of them are not so obvious and many potential buyers, whom do not understand the genetic aspects of pedigrees or dismiss the relevance of same, overlook these potential superstars.

Best of Sale Recommendations

Each lot number in a sale is rated for both its genetic compatibility and to the Best of Sale recommendation. They are given a simple Star Rating, from 5 Stars being the highest rating to 1 Star being the minimum qualifier. Best of Sale rating is an overall pedigree rating and takes into account all pedigree-related indicators as declared above.

However it only refers to the auction sale database against which it's being compared. Outside of these parameters, we return specifically to the pedigree rating alone. We are searching for competitive advantage against all other catalogued lots which is vitally important in closed race series races.

We embrace the favorable information and disregard horses with unfavorable aspects to pedigree rating, inbreeding, strength of the female family, evaluation of a stallion's stats and/or potential, sex biases, etc.

Frequently, selections are 'A' or better genetic nicks but we do see entries that are 'B' and 'C' (average) nicks occasionally that correspond with some very favorable breeding pattern that swings the balance in their favor. Only the Best of Sale recommendations get a Star Rating, so a one-star selection raises a mating well above its peers and merits a physical inspection.

Using Best of Sale recommendations in conjunction with our rigorous physical inspection systems of each of the horses, can dramatically improve our chances of selecting a potential quality runner.

Past Best of Sale Success

The formula for evaluating all the pedigrees of specific auction sale has proven very successful for us.

Our resume speaks for itself.

The data used commenced collection in 1990. Now well over twenty years evolved, Best of Sale categories as at the end of 2012 have resulted world wide in over 32,600 individual winners, 2,975 stakes winners, and 220 individual G1 winners !

Obviously the recommendations are only a part of the selection process. We still rely heavily on the conformation and athleticism of the individual, the horse husbandry techniques, commercial success and track record of the vendor and most importantly, the commercial value of the progeny.

Again we are well advanced in this regard. Dynamic Syndications Managing Director Dean Watt has over 30 years experience as a Bloodstock Consultant and is a Member of the Bloodstock Agents Federation – Australia. Dean as a licenced Commercial Agent is experienced in the art of thoroughbred valuation based upon specific formula and historical data determining current market “true price”.

In addition, with the vast wealth of experience and available data, farms that produce quality winners at a constant rate are easily identified statistically equally as those who do not.

Knowledge, Due Diligence and Attention to Detail – That's what sets Dynamic Syndications well above its peers in the competitive environment of syndication of racehorses.