(+484%)



WERK NICK RATING<sup>™</sup> **A** (based on the MORE THAN READY - DANZIG cross)

Generated on 04/30/13 HAIL TO REASON HALO (B/C) 1 COSMAH SOUTHERN HALO (Q) NORTHERN DANCER NORTHERN SEA SEA SAGA MORE THAN READY **MR. PROSPECTOR** WOODMAN (Q) PLAYMATE WOODMAN'S GIRL NASKRA BECKY BE GOOD GOOD LANDING SEBRING DAN7IG (2005) DANEHILL (Q) RAZYANA **FLYING SPUR MR. PROSPECTOR** ROLLS GRAND LUXE PURESPEED **KAORU STAR** LUSKIN STAR (Q) PROMISING LADY MOULIN BETTER BOY WILLOWY FAR VISTA Prospective foal NEARCTIC NORTHERN DANCER (B4C) NATALMA DANZIG (I/C) ADMIRAL'S VOYAGE PAS DE NOM PETITIONER POLISH NAVY THE YUVARAJ TATAN VALKYRIE NAVSUP WAR ADMIRAL BUSANDA BUSINESSLIKE LADY DIVA NORTHERN DANCER (2000)TRY MY BEST (Q) SEX APPEAL LAST TYCOON (Q) MILL REEF MILL PRINCESS **IRISH LASS II** LADY JAKEO SILLY SEASON LUNCHTIME (Q) **GREAT OCCASION** FOOD FOR LOVE SOSTENUTO CURRENT AFFAIR **REGAL PEACE** Sibling Identifier: odd numbers = same dam only; even numbers = same sire and dam Roman Dosage Profile: (2-2-4-0-0) D.I.: 3.00 C.D.: 0.75 Werk Quality Rating: Q 6

Dosage Points: 8 + Quality Points: 18 = Total Points: 26

5-Generation Inbreeding: DANZIG - 5m x 3m NORTHERN DANCER - 5f x 4m, 5m MR. PROSPECTOR - 5m, 5f x

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### Stakes winners bred from the MORE THAN READY--DANZIG cross

Stakes Winner	Yob	Sex	Best	Dirt	AWS	Turf	Pedigree
AL ANEED	2009	С				Y	MORE THAN READY ex AL ANOOD (DANEHILL)
ASHOKAN	2009	С	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex NOVEMBER FLIGHT (FLYING SPUR)
AUGUSTA PROUD	2005	F	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex KADASHA (LANGFUHR)
BENICIO	2002	С	G1			Y	MORE THAN READY ex MANNINGTON (DANEHILL)
BETTER THAN READY	2009	С				Y	MORE THAN READY ex SALLY'S WORLD (AGNES WORLD)
CAMBIASO	2009	С				Y	MORE THAN READY ex FLYING ALPHA (FLYING SPUR)
DELORAINE	2003	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex MYSTERIOUS SOUND (DANZIG)
DISSIDENT	2010	С				Y	SEBRING ex DIANA'S SECRET (ANABAA)
DREAMAWAY	2007	F	G1			Y	MORE THAN READY ex LEGAL CONSENT (DANEHILL)
ELITE FALLS	2008	F	G2			Y	MORE THAN READY ex NIAGARA FALLS (DANEHILL)
EXCITABLE BOY	2010	С				Y	MORE THAN READY ex SEQUENTIAL (LION HUNTER)
HOT 'N' READY	2003	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex ALL TRUMPED UP (FLYING SPUR)
LANDING	2008	G				Y	MORE THAN READY ex JOY OF FLIGHT (FLYING SPUR)
LEINAN	2010	F			Y		READY'S IMAGE ex GOLDEN MIRAGE (GREEN DESERT)
MAHISARA	2008	С	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex DARSINI (DANEHILL)
MISS CHALLENGE	2005	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex FULL FIGURE (POLISH NUMBERS)
MORE THAN SACRED	2009	F	G1			Y	MORE THAN READY ex DANALAGA (DANEHILL)
MOREISH	2009	F	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex PINK CITY (DANEHILL)
PERFECTLY READY	2002	С	G1			Y	MORE THAN READY ex ELLE DUCCIO (DANEHILL)
PROLIFERATE	2008	С				Y	MORE THAN READY ex GRAND PROSPECT (FLYING SPUR)
RACEWAY	2009	С				Y	MORE THAN READY ex CLAWS (FLYING SPUR)
READY TO PLEASE	2003	F	G2	Y			MORE THAN READY ex GUILTY PLEASURE (PINE BLUFF)
READY TO RIP	2007	G	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex LADY LANGHAM (DANEHILL)
READYOR	2006	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex SATYRIC (DANEHILL)
ROMANTIC MOON	2010	F	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex TROPICAL AFFAIR (DANEHILL)
SEBRING	2005	С	G1			Y	MORE THAN READY ex PURESPEED (FLYING SPUR)



#### Stakes winners bred from the MORE THAN READY--NORTHERN DANCER cross

Stakes Winner	Yob	Sex	Best	Dirt	AWS	Turf	Pedigree
ABOUT READY	2005	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex QUIZ ABOUT (ALQUOZ)
AL ANEED	2009	С				Y	MORE THAN READY ex AL ANOOD (DANEHILL)
ASHOKAN	2009	С	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex NOVEMBER FLIGHT (FLYING SPUR)
AUDACIOUS CHLOE	2004	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex AUDACIOUS (MANILA)
AUGUSTA PROUD	2005	F	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex KADASHA (LANGFUHR)
BAVARIAN BELLE	2004	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex STORM SEASON (STORM CAT)
BENICIO	2002	С	G1			Y	MORE THAN READY ex MANNINGTON (DANEHILL)
BETTER BE THE ONE	2006	G				Y	MORE THAN READY ex ACADEMY ANGEL (ROYAL ACADEMY)
BETTER THAN READY	2009	С				Y	MORE THAN READY ex SALLY'S WORLD (AGNES WORLD)
BRING A RING	2010	F				Y	SEBRING ex HENNESSY WALTZ (HENNESSY)
CAMBIASO	2009	С				Y	MORE THAN READY ex FLYING ALPHA (FLYING SPUR)
CAMINADORA	2007	F	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex STONEWAY (STORM BOOT)
DELORAINE	2003	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex MYSTERIOUS SOUND (DANZIG)
DISSIDENT	2010	С				Y	SEBRING ex DIANA'S SECRET (ANABAA)
DIXIE READY	2006	F	G2	Y			MORE THAN READY ex DIXIE JEWEL (DIXIELAND BAND)
DREAMAWAY	2007	F	G1			Y	MORE THAN READY ex LEGAL CONSENT (DANEHILL)
ELITE FALLS	2008	F	G2			Y	MORE THAN READY ex NIAGARA FALLS (DANEHILL)
EXCITABLE BOY	2010	С				Y	MORE THAN READY ex SEQUENTIAL (LION HUNTER)
HOT 'N' READY	2003	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex ALL TRUMPED UP (FLYING SPUR)
LANDING	2008	G				Y	MORE THAN READY ex JOY OF FLIGHT (FLYING SPUR)
LEINAN	2010	F			Y		READY'S IMAGE ex GOLDEN MIRAGE (GREEN DESERT)
MAHISARA	2008	С	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex DARSINI (DANEHILL)
MISS CHALLENGE	2005	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex FULL FIGURE (POLISH NUMBERS)
MORE ACCORD	2005	F		Y			MORE THAN READY ex ONE ACCORD (EL GRAN SENOR)
MORE STRAWBERRIES	2007	F	G2			Υ	MORE THAN READY ex MILVA (STRAWBERRY ROAD)
MORE THAN PRETTY	2003	F				Υ	MORE THAN READY ex PRETTY LIVIA (FOREST WILDCAT)
MORE THAN REAL	2008	F	G2			Y	MORE THAN READY ex MISS SEFFENS (DEHERE)
MORE THAN SACRED	2009	F	G1			Y	MORE THAN READY ex DANALAGA (DANEHILL)
MOREISH	2009	F	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex PINK CITY (DANEHILL)
NEW IMAGE	2006	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex REFLECTED IMAGE (BLUEBIRD)
OAK PARK	2008	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex DAWNIE DANCER (FASLIYEV)
PERFECTLY READY	2002	С	G1			Y	MORE THAN READY ex ELLE DUCCIO (DANEHILL)
PHELAN READY	2006	G	G1			Y	MORE THAN READY ex NANCY ELEANOR (BLEVIC)
PLUCK	2008	С	G2			Y	MORE THAN READY ex SECRET HEART (FORT WOOD)
PROLIFERATE	2008	С				Y	MORE THAN READY ex GRAND PROSPECT (FLYING SPUR)
RACEWAY	2009	С				Y	MORE THAN READY ex CLAWS (FLYING SPUR)
READY RACER	2006	G		Y			MORE THAN READY ex FREEFOURRACING (FRENCH DEPUTY)
READY TO PLEASE	2003	F	G2	Y			MORE THAN READY ex GUILTY PLEASURE (PINE BLUFF)
READY TO RIP	2007	G	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex LADY LANGHAM (DANEHILL)
READYOR	2006	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex SATYRIC (DANEHILL)
REGALLY READY	2007	G	G1			Y	MORE THAN READY ex KIVI (KING OF KINGS)
ROMANTIC MOON	2010	F	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex TROPICAL AFFAIR (DANEHILL)
SEBRING	2005	С	G1			Y	MORE THAN READY ex PURESPEED (FLYING SPUR)
STORMY MISS	2002	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex CROATIAN STORM (LAST TYCOON)



#### Stakes winners bred from the MORE THAN READY--NORTHERN DANCER cross

Stakes Winner	Yob	Sex	Best	Dirt AWS	Turf	Pedigree
SUMAC	2002	G			Y	MORE THAN READY ex MISS SPICE (RASSENDYLL)
VERRAZANO	2010	С	G1	Υ		MORE THAN READY ex ENCHANTED ROCK (GIANT'S CAUSEWAY)



#### Stakes winners bred from the SOUTHERN HALO--NORTHERN DANCER cross

Stakes Winner	Yob	Sex	Best	Dirt	AWS	Turf	Pedigree
ABOUT READY	2005	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex QUIZ ABOUT (ALQUOZ)
AFILADO	98	С		Y			SOUTHERN HALO ex AVIAN EDEN (STORM BIRD)
AL ANEED	2009	С				Y	MORE THAN READY ex AL ANOOD (DANEHILL)
ALERT	2002	С	G1	Y		Y	SOUTHERN HALO ex AGUSTINA'S DREAM (SENOR PETE)
ANETA	2008	F	-	Y			SOUTHERN HALO ex ACERTABLE (EQUALIZE)
ASHOKAN	2009	С	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex NOVEMBER FLIGHT (FLYING SPUR)
AUDACIOUS CHLOE	2004	F				Ý	MORE THAN READY ex AUDACIOUS (MANILA)
AUGUSTA PROUD	2005	F	G3			Ŷ	MORE THAN READY ex KADASHA (LANGFUHR)
BATALLOSA	2003	F	G1	Y			SOUTHERN HALO ex BALEARES (SENOR PETE)
BAVARIAN BELLE	2004	F	-			Y	MORE THAN READY ex STORM SEASON (STORM CAT)
BENICIO	2002	С	G1			Y	MORE THAN READY ex MANNINGTON (DANEHILL)
BETTER BE THE ONE	2006	G				Y	MORE THAN READY ex ACADEMY ANGEL (ROYAL ACADEMY)
BETTER THAN READY	2009	С				Y	MORE THAN READY ex SALLY'S WORLD (AGNES WORLD)
BLACK ESCORT	2001	F				Y	SOUTHERN HALO ex COMPANY (NUREYEV)
BRING A RING	2010	F				Y	SEBRING ex HENNESSY WALTZ (HENNESSY)
BROOKE'S HALO	2002	F	G2	Y			SOUTHERN HALO ex SALTY LADY (SALT LAKE)
CAMBIASO	2009	С				Y	MORE THAN READY ex FLYING ALPHA (FLYING SPUR)
CAMINADORA	2007	F	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex STONEWAY (STORM BOOT)
DELORAINE	2003	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex MYSTERIOUS SOUND (DANZIG)
DISSIDENT	2010	С				Y	SEBRING ex DIANA'S SECRET (ANABAA)
DIXIE READY	2006	F	G2	Y			MORE THAN READY ex DIXIE JEWEL (DIXIELAND BAND)
DREAMAWAY	2007	F	G1			Y	MORE THAN READY ex LEGAL CONSENT (DANEHILL)
EL DEMOLIDOR	2006	С	G3			Y	SPRING HALO ex HORA LEGAL (MINSTREL GLORY)
ELITE FALLS	2008	F	G2			Y	MORE THAN READY ex NIAGARA FALLS (DANEHILL)
EMPRESS JACKIE	2009	F	G1	Y		Y	SOUTHERN HALO ex ENJOY LOVE (ORPEN)
EVOCADO	2006	С	G1	Υ			SOUTHERN HALO ex EVIDENCIADA (EQUALIZE)
EXCITABLE BOY	2010	С				Υ	MORE THAN READY ex SEQUENTIAL (LION HUNTER)
HOPETOWN	96	F	G1	Y			SOUTHERN HALO ex HOPEFUL (MERCE CUNNINGHAM)
HOT 'N' READY	2003	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex ALL TRUMPED UP (FLYING SPUR)
IGREJA	94	F	G2			Y	SOUTHERN HALO ex HEIRESS (GREINTON)
KOREA	2001	F		Y			SOUTHERN HALO ex KISSIE (DEPUTY MINISTER)
LANDING	2008	G				Y	MORE THAN READY ex JOY OF FLIGHT (FLYING SPUR)
LEINAN	2010	F			Y		READY'S IMAGE ex GOLDEN MIRAGE (GREEN DESERT)
LUNASIA	2009	F	G2	Y		Υ	SOUTHERN HALO ex LUNA LIBRE (KITWOOD)
MAHISARA	2008	С	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex DARSINI (DANEHILL)
MISS CHALLENGE	2005	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex FULL FIGURE (POLISH NUMBERS)
MORE ACCORD	2005	F		Y			MORE THAN READY ex ONE ACCORD (EL GRAN SENOR)
MORE STRAWBERRIES	2007	F	G2			Υ	MORE THAN READY ex MILVA (STRAWBERRY ROAD)
MORE THAN PRETTY	2003	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex PRETTY LIVIA (FOREST WILDCAT)
MORE THAN REAL	2008	F	G2			Υ	MORE THAN READY ex MISS SEFFENS (DEHERE)
MORE THAN SACRED	2009	F	G1			Υ	MORE THAN READY ex DANALAGA (DANEHILL)
MOREISH	2009	F	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex PINK CITY (DANEHILL)
NACHO MAN	2007	G	G1			Y	MR NANCHO ex EL CORIERO (THE JOGGER)
NEW IMAGE	2006	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex REFLECTED IMAGE (BLUEBIRD)

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#### Stakes winners bred from the SOUTHERN HALO--NORTHERN DANCER cross

Stakes Winner	Yob	Sex	Best	Dirt	AWS	Turf	Pedigree
O'CARTIER	2003	G	G3			Y	MY HALO ex CARINDA (THE JOGGER)
OAK PARK	2008	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex DAWNIE DANCER (FASLIYEV)
ONDINA	2002	F	G3	Y			SOUTHERN HALO ex ORSA (SENOR PETE)
PAGO DOBRADO	2005	С		Y			SPRING HALO ex AFAIR D'AMOUR (GHADEER)
PARTY SPIRIT	2003	F		Y			SOUTHERN HALO ex PASTIME (MERCE CUNNINGHAM)
PERFECTLY READY	2002	С	G1			Υ	MORE THAN READY ex ELLE DUCCIO (DANEHILL)
PHELAN READY	2006	G	G1			Υ	MORE THAN READY ex NANCY ELEANOR (BLEVIC)
PLUCK	2008	С	G2			Υ	MORE THAN READY ex SECRET HEART (FORT WOOD)
PROLIFERATE	2008	С				Υ	MORE THAN READY ex GRAND PROSPECT (FLYING SPUR)
RACEWAY	2009	С				Υ	MORE THAN READY ex CLAWS (FLYING SPUR)
READY RACER	2006	G		Y			MORE THAN READY ex FREEFOURRACING (FRENCH DEPUTY)
READY TO PLEASE	2003	F	G2	Y			MORE THAN READY ex GUILTY PLEASURE (PINE BLUFF)
READY TO RIP	2007	G	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex LADY LANGHAM (DANEHILL)
READYOR	2006	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex SATYRIC (DANEHILL)
REGALLY READY	2007	G	G1			Y	MORE THAN READY ex KIVI (KING OF KINGS)
ROMANTIC MOON	2010	F	G3			Y	MORE THAN READY ex TROPICAL AFFAIR (DANEHILL)
SAINTLY SPEECH	97	F	G3			Y	SOUTHERN HALO ex ELOQUENT MINISTER (DEPUTY MINISTER)
SEBRING	2005	С	G1			Y	MORE THAN READY ex PURESPEED (FLYING SPUR)
SIRGA	98	F	G2	Y		Y	SOUTHERN HALO ex SIGAL (EQUALIZE)
SLARA	2006	F	G3			Y	SLACK ex LAREIRA (GEM MASTER)
SOUTH FLOWER	97	С		Y			SOUTHERN HALO ex SEVER FLOWER (SAINT SEVER)
SOUTH MARSHY	2008	F	G3	Y			SOUTHERN HALO ex STORMY MARCH (BERNSTEIN)
SOUTHERN LAWYER	2003	С	G3	Y		Y	SOUTHERN HALO ex SWEET AND LOVELY (RAMPART ROAD)
STORMY MISS	2002	F				Y	MORE THAN READY ex CROATIAN STORM (LAST TYCOON)
SUMAC	2002	G				Y	MORE THAN READY ex MISS SPICE (RASSENDYLL)
SUPERPOWER (ARG)	97	С		Y			SOUTHERN HALO ex SUPER LASS (MERCE CUNNINGHAM)
TAIMAZOV	96	С	G1	Y		Υ	SOUTHERN HALO ex HEIRESS (GREINTON)
VERRAZANO	2010	С	G1	Y			MORE THAN READY ex ENCHANTED ROCK (GIANT'S CAUSEWAY)
YANKEE PAL	2003	G	G3	Y			EL COMPINCHE ex YANKEE GIRL (EQUALIZE)

## 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%
<b>REWARD FOR EFFORT</b>	A+	1,175%
ATOMIC FORCE	$\mathbf{A}$ +	988%
BRADBURY'S LUCK	Α	485%
TENANT'S TIARA	Α	238%
HE'S NO PIE EATER	Α	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	Α	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 sireline 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 sireline 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.

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

### The Rating Scale is shown below:

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:

<b>Total Points</b>	<b>Quality Rating</b>
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