



## Danish Red (RDM)

### New breeding values August 2008

*We got new breeding values May 2008; R Erik increases on the Top List – R Erik is very popular in Denmark at the moment.*



Sexed semen available: **R Erik – R Bangkok – R David – R Dram – R Caj – R Censor**

### Top Ranking bulls

New is **R Enzo** (Beautiful x Tor Bruno x Fyn Lipton), is coming up with S – index 124. Production – index is 126 (+ 59 kg Fat and + 48 kg Protein) with the 58 daughters in milk. Enzo has 53 % Holstein blood in his pedigree and 25% Swedish Red in his pedigree. The classification the first 20 daughters give Enzo a tremendous high conformation score. Milking speed and temperament is very good. We wait for data coming up on health traits for the next proof.

**R Bangkok** (T Fjembe x Tor Bruno x ØJY Mabru) peaks the top list in VikingGenetics with S-index a 133. Production – index is 113 (+ 55 kg Fat and + 26 kg Protein). According to the USDA evaluation Bangkok is doing well as no. 4 on the list for Net Merit. Bangkok breeds for very good health conditions. Bangkok is a specialist in udder health with an Index a 125. The cows produces good and they are easy to handle. Conformation and udder qualities are very good for the daughters of Bangkok.

**R Erik** (Beautiful x FYN Aks x Backgård) has the same S-index a 129 as in the last proof in May 2008. Production – index is very high 123 (+ 68 kg Fat and + 44 kg Protein). Erik is an interesting bull. Erik is out of a very good family. The dam has produced 12.023 kilogram milk in average pr. year for five years. Erik is bred in the same herd as the top bull R Admiral. 64 daughters are classified until now, they are very good in conformation and the udders are of excellent standard. Index for longevity is not calculated until now – so we will wait and see

**R David** (FYN Aks x Tor Bruno x ØJY Mabru), has S-index 129. Production – index 114 (+39 kg Fat and + 35 kg Protein) David is bred in the same herd like the well known bulls FYN Aks and T

Moberg. David was the most used bull in 2007. David breeds strong cows with good type. The daughters have super fertility and very good health traits. Longevity Index is 125 which is 3 units higher than last proof.

**R Degn** (FYN Aks x ØJY Ladby x Tor Bruno) has S-index 127. Production – index 126 (+ 63 kg Fat and + 48 kg Protein). The dam of Degn is a very good cow. This cow bred an excellent Vättergaard daughter too. The Vättergaard daughter has two sons in the AI program of VikingGentics. Degn and the new Enzo is number one on the list for Production with Production - index 126. Milking speed is very good. The daughters have strong Feet and Legs and well attached udders with strong ligaments.

## **Top bulls with second crop daughters**

**R Admiral** (VEST Safir x Milestone x FYN Linbru), is the best bull for breeding daughters with good udders with special good teats placements. Health traits are good and the cows are easy to handle. Admiral has now second crop daughters in the proof, this gives Admiral a good position on the list with S-index a 121. Admiral has 1.400 daughters in his proof.

**R Ascona** (Tulip x Tor Bruno x Momentum) breeds super cows for conformation with excellent udder quality and very well formed teats. All indexes are positive in his proof. Ascona has now 1.300 daughters in his proof. The S-index of Ascona is 122.

**R Back** (Backgård x Leader x T Le Man) has five different blood lines in his pedigree. Back has 38 % Swedish Red genes and 38 % Holstein genes. Back breeds well for production, feet and legs and mammary system. Back is the best bull for giving daughters with excellent temperament.

## **Famous bulls used for a longer period**

**R Caj** (T Fjembe x Tulip x Tor Bruno) gives daughters with strong well formed udders. Longevity is good. Caj breeds very high components in the milk. The grand dam of R Caj is the dam of R Bangkok

**R Censor** (FYN Aks x Torland x FYN Ling) is an outcross with five different blood lines in the pedigree. 37,5 % original Red genes, 25 % Holsteins, 12,5 % Swedish Red, 12,5 % American Brown Swiss, 12,5 % Norway Red. Censor breeds very high milk production. The cows are strong with excellent feet and legs. The cows have super good udders and they have good longevity, Index is a120. The female family on the dam side of Censor has been very strong and robust cows with certain good health conditions and high fertility.