

DESCRIPTION OF NATIONAL PUBLICATION POLICY

Country (or countries)	Italy
Breed(s)	Brown Swiss
Address(es) of official web-site(s) of your country, where bulls receiving an official breeding value can be found	www.anarb.it
Number of updates per year of webpage with breeding values	3
Are minimum requirements (in e.g. reliability/number of daughters) the same for domestic and import bulls? –and if not, please specify the difference	Yes
Are there multiple lists for selected bulls and all bulls (e.g. incl. waiting bulls, bulls below requirements)?	Yes
If multiple lists – are all lists accessible on your web-site?	Yes.
If multiple lists – what is the difference between the lists?	- first list is for sires with at least: 78% of Italian reliability, 15 Italian daughters and 5 Italian herds second list is for all sires with at least 55% (may 2007) of Interbull reliability
If multiple lists – how many bulls are on the selected lists?	for may 2007: - in Italian classification there are 123 sires - in international classification there are 374 sires
Do you publish Interbull breeding values?	Yes
Are Interbull proofs blended with domestic proofs?	No
If blending of international and national proofs – how is the blending done?	-
Are bulls on your web-site published according to a total merit index (TMI)?	Yes
Minimum requirement for a bull for TMI to be put on the web-site	rank \geq 90 for may 2007: TMI (ITE for us) \geq 425
Minimum requirement for a bull for production traits to be put on the web-site	-
Minimum requirement for a bull for conformation traits to be put on the web-site	-

Minimum requirement for a bull for udder health traits to be put on the web-site	-
Minimum requirement for a bull for longevity traits to be put on the web-site	-
Minimum requirement for a bull for calving traits to be put on the web-site	-
Minimum requirement for a bull for female fertility traits to be put on the web-site	-
Other comments	<p>In our website there are also other lists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - first run sires - all sires with daughters in Italy - foreign sires with imported semen - foreign sires with insufficient reliability
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