

IMPORTETED DOGS

1990 - 2000

It is absolutely essential to the Norwegian Brittany that the club (NBK) obtain new bloodlines for the welfare of our dogs. In the seventies, and eighties there was an occasional import of dogs from the continent as well as Sweden. The origin of our Brittanies came from USA in 1954.

In 1977 there was a litter born in England and imported to Sweden of American brittanies, Hamony Lane Patch of Blue was breed to Ban Dee and this was the start of many American dogs in Sweden with the kennelname Beyaz. Later the same kennel imported Gypsum de Britt (Gringo de Britt – Colorados Jumping Gypsy), Beyaz de Britt (Air-Cargo de Britt – Prince's White Tail) and Hopodee Simson of Beyaz (Exenuator of Connie – Hopodee Kandee) From this combinations some dogs came to Norway, like Beyaz Monnet, Beyaz Dubonnet, Beyaz Status Q, Beyaz Lady in Red, Beyaz Son of Q, and more. They were pure American, without interference of other dogs. In 1991 NBK imported frozen semen from Brittmont Buddy Jac, and Country Cousins Contender. After Buddy Jac we got 2 litters and 14 puppies, unfortunately there was no puppies after Contender. In 1994 frozen semen from FC Highbrows Red was imported to Sweden. He gave puppies both in S and N.

Dogs mentioned abow, together with imported dogs from the continent and together with our early population, forms the basis of the Brittany in Norway today.

Why import?

- Decrease the total inbreedingdegree in the population
- Get a higher average quality on our hunting dogs
- Better health in the population

This dogs is imported or have litters in Norway the last 10 years.

Amie* (Odinvejs Bouli * - Vallunds Scirocco *)	Country Denmark (DK)
Apis de Saint Lubin *(Poker des Pigenettes - Urbelle des saint Lubin)	Country France (F)
Balaika*(PVN's Gaston *- Vallunds Scirocco)	Country DK
Beyaz Son of Q *(Beyaz Maxwell Silverhammer - Beyaz Skogsblomma)	Country Sweden (S) **
Beyaz Lady in Red* (Beyaz Status Q * - Hopodee Serena)	Country S **
Brittmont Buddy Jac*(Markars Jac * - Brittmont Mindy)	Country USA
Fosscoth Herondel* (Boy du Hameau de Sorny et Fosscoth - Fosscoth Enchante)	Country GB
Fosscoth Hier *(Alios du Hameau de Sorny - Fosscoth Delure)	Country GB
Highbrows Red * (Facers Far out Copper Doc*- - Facers North Star *)	Country USA
Jarlou de Cornouaille*(Varn II du Sulon – Vamba II de Cornouaille)	Country F
Langvads Opus* (Mab du Sulon - Langvads Musik)	Country DK
Liza* (Iglo de L'ecko de la Foret - Etienne)	Country DK
Lorelei de Kerveillant* (Ibis de Kerveillant * - Dama de Kerveillant)	Country F
Marco* (Fanch de saint Lubin * – Malou)	Country DK
Merdour van de Ulfhei* (Gamin van de Ulfhei – Judi van de Ulfhei)	Country Nederland
Midtvejs Bouli* (Etain de Keranlouan* - Bergere de Keranlouan*)	Country DK
Midtvejs Igor * (Hakim de Saint Lubin - Ora de Coat an Duc)	Country DK
Nordfjordens Itrø* (Langvads Tjell - Ecu du Moulin de Callac)	Country DK
Pvn 's Jocky* (Iglo - Hit)	Country DK
Pvn's Gaston* (Gamin - Elfie)	Country DK
Pvn's Nanok* (Claes – Liza*)	Country DK
Quick Vant Biekensbos *(Vidoc II - Nouska van't Biekensbos)	Country Belgium (B)
Rusticolus Papaya * og Pepino* (Langvads Virak* - Cisse*)	Country S
Ska de Saint Tugen* (Jocky de St Tugen - Mirka de Saint Tugen)	Country F
Stenhøj Nicki * (Langvads Unik* - Nordfjordens Mille)	Country DK

Sugarloaf Charlie* (Dorvalstan Vagabond – Sugarloaf Lulu)	Country Ireland
Tosca van't Biekensbos *(Garry du Bois de Vauchelles - O'Belle vant Biekensbos)	Country B
Ulle vant Gillishof* (Fanch de St Lubin * - Riva vant Gillishof)*	Country B
Vinezacs Dick* og Ditzzy* (Varim* - Tina *) ***	Country S

* is known HD status (normal)

** imported from Sweden, but in reality from USA

*** half DK half USA

SURVEY OF LITTERS AND HIP DYSPLASIA

Males

	NUMBER OF		Hip Dysplasia %					HD INDEKS
	LITTERS	PUPPIES	%x-RAY	NORMAL	MILD	MODERAT	SEVERE	
APIS DE ST LUBIN (F)	3	10	90,0	77,8	-	22,2		106
BEYAZ SON OF Q (S)**	6	34	50,0	94,1	5,9	-		87
BRITT. BUDDY JAC (USA)	2	14	78,6	81,8	9,1	9,1		100
FOSSCOTT HIER (GB)	4	31	35,5	27,3	54,5	-	18,2	126
HIGHBROWS RED (USA)	5	28	64,3	61,1	16,7	11,1	11,1	109
MER-DOUR V. ULFHEI (N)	1	3	100	-	66,7		33,3	-
MIDTVEJS BULI (DK)	1	9	66,7	50,0	33,3	16,7	-	-
MIDTVEJS IGOR (DK)	3*	19	37	57,1	14,2	28,6	-	
NORDFJORDENS ITRO (DK)	4	25	64	87,5	12,5	-	-	89
PVN's GASTON (DK)	1	7	100	100	-	-	-	90
PVN's JOCKY (DK)	6	42	83,8	82,9	11,4	5,7	-	98
PVN's NANOK (DK)	4	26	73	94,7	5,3	-	-	89
QUICK V. BIEKENSBOSS (B)	4	16	62,5	50,0	30,0	10,0	10,0	104
RUSTICOLUS PAPAYA (S)	2	18	55,5	90	10	-	-	
RUSTICOLUS PEPINO (S)	2+3*	23	60,9	92,9	7,1	-	-	81
SKA DE ST TUGEN (F)	1			100			-	
STENHØJ NICKI (DK)	4	21	71,4	80,0	13,3	6,7	-	101
SUGARLOAF CHARLIE (IR)	12	71	60,6	69,8	18,6	11,6	-	105
VINEZACS DICK (S)***	2	13	46,2	50,0	33,3	16,7	-	102
XALOU V. BIEKENSBOSS (B)	6	36	22,2	87,5	12,5	-	-	-
AVERAGE FOR THE BREED			50	73,5	14,9	9,2	2,5	100

* Also litters in Sweden, Finland (Igor)

Females

	NUMBER OF		Hip Dysplasia %					HD INDEKS
	LITTERS	PUPPIES	%x-RAY	NORMAL	MILD	MODERAT	SEVERE	
AMIE (DK)	1	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
BALAIKA (DK)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FOSSCOTT HERONDEL (GB)	4	18	77,8	28,6	28,6	28,6	14,3	137
BEYAZ LADY IN RED (S)**	2	11	56,0	100,0	-	-	-	79
LIZA (DK)	2	13	28,5	50	25	25		101
ULLE VAN'T GILLISHOF (B)	2	8	100	-	66,7		33,3	116
VINEZACS DITZY (S)***	1	6	66,7	75	-	25	-	-
AVERAGE FOR THE BREED			50	73,5	14,9	9,2	2,5	100

IMPORTS FROM SEVENTIES AND EIGHTIES

	NUMBER OF		Hip Dysplasia				
	LITTERS	PUPPIES	%X-RAY	%NORMA	%MILD	%MODERATE	%SEVERE
BEYAZ DUBONNET (S)**	4	23	47,8	90,9	9,1	-	-

LANGVADS VALIK (DK)	7	39	46,2	94,4	5,6	-	-
NAT DU BUISSON (F)	6	37	70,3	80,8	15,4	3,8	-
UNNIEK DU TERTRE (F)	4	25	6,0	66,7	20,0	6,7	6,7
VARH DE CORNOUAILLE (F)	15	101	52,5	67,9	17,0	7,5	7,5
WORSHIP ARAMIS (S)***	9	47	63,8	83,3	16,7	-	-
AVERAGE FOR THE BREED			50	73,5	14,9	9,2	2,5

FIELDTRIAL AND SHOW PERFORMANCE, Progeny.

Males	% ON TRIALS	NUMB. STARTS	PRIZE	BREEDING INDEX		% ON SHOW	% 1PRIZE ON SHOW
			%	HUNTING.	BIRDF.		
APIS DE ST LUBIN (F)	40	72	39	89	96	60	83
BEYAZ SON OF Q (S)**	25	114	20,2	125	100	57	47
BRITT. BUDDY JAC (USA)	50	65	10,8	111	110	64	100
FOSSCOTT HIER (GB)	6	4	-			26	63
HIGHBROW RED (USA)	29	46	24,1	97	99	50	57
JARLOU DE CORN.. (F)	42	10	10			66	50
NORDJ. ITRO (DK)	36	48	14,6	66	82	52	69
PVN'S GASTON (DK)	33	47	17	85	93	57	75
PVN's JOCKY (DK)	48	240	19,6	115	114	54	78
PVNS NANOK (DK)	34	51	27,5	82	87	38	80
QUICK VAN'T BIEK. (B)	31	15	-			44	71
RUSTICOLUS PEPINO (S)	41	61	14,8	104	137	41	71
STENHØJ NICKI (DK)	71	261	20,7	97	118	71	81
SUGARLOAF CHARLIE (IR)	27	243	19,8	94	123	56	62
VINEZACS DICK (S)***	23	46	33	110	98	30	75
XALOU VAN'T BIEK. (B)	10	5	-				
AVERAGE FOR THE BREED	18	-	20	100	100	-	55

Females	% ON TRIALS	NUMB. STARTS	PRIZE	BREEDING INDEX		% ON SHOW	% 1PRIZE ON SHOW
			%	HUNTING.	BIRDF.		
FOSSCOTT HERONDEL (GB)	33	25	-	72	84	56	80
BEYAZ LADY IN RED (S)**	9	8	12,5	-	-	73	62
LORELEI DE KERVEL. (F)	19	7	28,6	105	87	50	63
ULLE VAN'T GILLISHOF (B)	67	18	-	122	114	67	100
AVERAGE FOR THE BREED	18	-	20	100	100	-	55

OFFSPRING AFTER EARLIER IMPORTS

	% ON TRIALS	NUMBER OF			PREMI %	% ON SHOW.	1. PRIZE ON SHOW
		STARTS	1. PRIZE	PLACED			
LANGVADS VALIK (DK)	17	51	2	-	19,6	50	78
NAT DU BUISSON (F)	58	395	11	48	24,1		

UNNIEK DU TERTRE (F)	28	20	4	5	25,3	52	54
VARH DE CORNOU. (F)	41	178	4	20	27,0		
WORSHIP ARAMIS (S) ***	35	110	4	2	19,1	68	83

AVERAGE MARKS FOR OFFSPRING ON FIELD TRIALS.

1. Ability of finding birds in competition with the partner. (1- 6, 3 indicates that the dogs matches each other).
 2. Hunting intensity (1-6)
 3. Speed (1-6)
 4. Manner in hunting and at point (1-6)
 5. Independence. (1-6)
 6. Hunting width (1-6, with 4 as best)
 7. Seels for how the field is hunted (1-6, with 4 as best)
 8. Works together with the handler (1-6, with 4 as best)
- A Number of progeny on field trials
B Number of starts

PROGENY AFTER	NUMBER		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	A	B								
APIS DE ST LUBIN	4	72	3,0	3,8	3,8	4,0	5,2	3,1	3,3	3,8
BEYAZ SON OF Q (USA)	7	111	3,5	3,2	3,7	3,7	4,0	3,2	3,0	3,6
BRITMO. BUDDY JAC(USA)	5	65	2,8	4,7	4,7	4,6	5,7	3,8	4,0	3,8
FOSSCOTT HIER	2		-	4,4	4,3	4,4	6,0	3,4	3,4	3,8
HIGHBROWS RED (USA)	6	46	2,9	3,3	3,0	3,5	4,8	2,6	2,9	3,4
NORDFJORDENS ITRO	9	46	2,1	2,9	3,2	3,4	5,2	2,4	2,3	3,3
PVN'S GASTON	4	47	2,8	2,9	3,0	3,6	5,3	2,4	2,4	3,5
PVN's JOCKY	20	236	3,0	3,8	3,9	3,9	5,6	3,1	3,2	3,7
PVN's NANOK	9	54	3,0	3,5	3,7	3,9	5,1	3,0	3,0	3,5
QUICK VAN-T BIEKENS BOS	5		2,1	2,2	2,1	2,5	4,3	1,8	1,9	2,4
RUSTICOLUS PEPINO	7	59	4,0	4,1	4,1	4,2	5,0	3,1	3,2	3,8
STENHØJ NICKI	15	257	3,5	3,5	3,9	3,8	4,8	3,0	3,1	3,6
SUGARLOAF CHARLIE	9	243	3,9	3,4	3,5	3,7	5,4	3,0	3,1	3,5
VINEZACS DICK ***	3	46	3,0	3,9	3,9	4,2	4,5	3,0	3,3	3,8
XALOU VAN'T BIEK..	2	5	-	2,9	3,1	3,4	5,2	2,3	2,4	2,8
BEYAZ DUBONNET (USA)	6	23	3,8	3,0	3,2	3,3	5,2	2,7	2,7	3,4
FOSSCOTT HERONDEL	6		-	3,1	3,1	3,4	4,4	2,7	2,6	3,6
LORELEI DE KERVEIL.	3	7	1,6	4,2	4,5	4,6	5,9	3,3	3,4	4,0
LIZA	3	12	0,1	2,4	2,8	3,3	3,3	1,9	2,4	2,9
ULLE VAN'T GILLISHOF	2	18	2,1	4,0	4,2	4,3	5,6	3,3	3,6	3,9
AVERAGE FOR THE BREED			3,1	3,5	3,6	3,8	5,1	2,9	3,1	3,5

At or over the average for the breed

It is clear that imports from USA is matching our seels. Hunting ability, bird finding ability, results from shows are, for the most, higher then the average for the population. Look too progeny after Brittmont Buddy Jac where all the dogs has got 1. prize on show. Examination among dog owners concludes with great hunting spirit, great bird finding ability, likely temper and a good health

FURTHER GENERATIONS

Progeny after most of the imports are more or less used in the breed. The earlie imports from USA too Sweeden make its mark on the breeding there, and through a few imports form S also occure in our population. One of the most famous females from the 90 thies, Beyaz Monnet, was unfortunally not used. But some of her brothers and sisters have offsprings who has given the breed "a lift". Beyaz Son of Q you will find as a dog with Kay Cee Bandit several times in the family tree. He was breed to Brufjordens BCB Akita (1/4 American Brittany) This litter where Kay Cee Bandit turns up 16 times, have later produced at lot of great dogs both in field trials and in the showing. Brittmont Buddy Jac produced 14 dogs, and some of them is used in futher breeding, also against the AB lines who came from Sweeden. This dogs also indicate great hunting spirit and picks 1.prizes on shows. Also dogs after Highbrows Red carries on good qualities.

Some facts:

- ✓ 56% of the 30 highes ranked females have AB in 1. 2. or 3. generation. (ranked on account of its offsprings)
- ✓ 53% of the 30 highes ranked males have AB in 1. 2. or 3. generation. (ranked on account of its offsprings)
- ✓ 7 of the 11 highes ranked males at stud have AB in 1. 2. or 3. generation.
- ✓ There is small or no difference in the showing between dogs with AB blood and dogs with continental family tree.
- ✓ 51% of litters born or planned in 2001 have AB in 1. 2. 3. or 4. generation.

Dogs who is to bee mentioned:

- ✓ Beyaz Monnet: Pure American Brittany (AB)who won a lot of stakes in all kind of trials (Grouse, Pheasant, Woodcock, trials in the autumn, winter, in the woods and high mountains) Dog of the year in 1988 and 1990
- ✓ Beyaz Dubonnet. Pure AB who have produced several dogs with very good results on fieldtrials.
- ✓ Beyaz Son of Q. Pure AB who have produced a lot of great Brittanies
- ✓ Prime Mover (sire Highbrows Red) Derby dog of the year both in Sweeden and Norway in 1996. Also produced several great field trialers
- ✓ Pia (1/4 American Brittany) Derby dog of the year in 1999
- ✓ Inka (3/4 AB) Derby dog of the year in 2000
- ✓ Tim (1/4 AB). Dog of the year in 1998, best indiviual in nordisk championship in 2001.