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THREE EXCEPTIONAL NEW SIRES RELEASED BY GENUS ABS

The three new calving ease bulls released from Genus ABS all boast fantastic Type combined with solid production.

"All three sires have the traits required by UK farmers," explains Andrew Rutter, Breeding Programme Manager. "Not only do they excel for type, but they also all score well for important management traits, such as calving ease, SCC and lifespan.

"Schillview Oman Gerard is one of the best conformation Oman sons available today, being +0.5 higher on type merit than his nearest rival and scoring a massive +2.67 for mammary composite. He comes from a very deep cow family, with 8 generations of VG or Excellent in the maternal line." Mr Rutter explains, "His daughters have consistently great udders with extremely snug fore udder attachments and high, wide rear udders. These cows are really built to last with their balanced and moderate-sized frames, wide chest floors and exceptionally wide rear udders and rumps. He also boasts outstanding production being +657kg milk and over 45kg of combined fat and protein.

"Ladys-Manor Ashmore is a Titanic son from the VG89 Dixie Lee Aaron daughter, Ladys-Manor Autumn, her highest record being 13,712kg at 4.2% fat and 3.2% protein on 305 days. His daughters combine outstanding type with great milk quality. They are stylish individuals with superb feet and legs. Udders are a showpiece at over 3 points for fore udder and rear udder height. Daughters track smoothly with a tremendous depth of heel and they are clean boned and open ribbed animals with good hard tops. Ashmore combines this exceptional type with high component milk and calving ease.

"Bomaz Patch is a MOET Lookout son who combines solid production with stunning udders and fantastic legs and feet. He scores over 2 points on type, but this comes from daughters that are significantly smaller than average, making them ideal for many farmers who are worried that their cows are getting too big. As you would expect from a Lookout son, Patch also transmits excellent somatic count improvement, good lifespan and positive protein percent," Mr Rutter concludes.

Notes to editors

All bulls' full proofs can be found at genusbreeding.co.uk

Photographs attached Calori-D Gerard 3926

High res photograph available on request.

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